

**MEDI-CAL/MEDICARE DUAL ELIGIBILITY BY AGE
BY COUNTY
JANUARY 2013**

Analytic Notes

Medi-Cal/Medicare dual eligible counts are reported only for January and July of each year.

Medi-Cal/Medicare Dual Eligibility

Dual Eligibility for Medi-Cal beneficiaries is determined by the Medicare enrollment status. Medi-Cal beneficiaries who are also enrolled in any one or combination of the following: Medicare Part A, Part B, or Part D, are considered dually eligible for both Medicare and Medi-Cal.

Data Source

The counts in this report are based on data obtained from the MEDS Eligibility System, Medi-Cal Monthly Eligibility File (MMEF) and include only certified eligible beneficiaries. This definition includes beneficiaries who have been determined eligible for Medi-Cal based on a valid eligibility determination. Certified Eligibles do not include beneficiaries who may be eligible to enroll in the program, but have not enrolled. In addition, the definition used here only includes beneficiaries who are eligible to receive Medi-Cal covered health care services during the month. This means that beneficiaries who must meet a share-of-cost-obligation, but have not met it, are not included in the counts. And finally, specific populations, such as California's Family PACT and Presumptive eligibles, are also not included in the certified eligible counts.

All counts are as of January, 2013. Ideally, eligibility counts should reflect a 12-month reporting lag. This means that all enrollment information has been updated for at least 12 months following the actual month of enrollment in order to capture information for that month that may have been added or updated subsequent to that month. Under the Medi-Cal program a beneficiary may receive up to three months of eligibility prior to the month of application or reapplication if an individual is otherwise eligible during the retroactive period (42 C.F.R. § 435.914(a), California Welfare & Institutions Code § 14019, Cal. Code Regs. tit. 22, § 50197, Retroactive Eligibility). The effect of this delayed reporting is a significant growth in eligibility counts after a given month of eligibility. Enrollment counts reported here reflect a zero month lag. Therefore, the counts are not considered complete and should be used with caution. When the data become available the counts will be updated to a 12 month lag.

Data in tables have been aggregated to comply with the California Welfare and Institutions Code, section 14100.2, and the HIPAA Privacy Rule, 45 CFR, Parts 160 and 164, which are designed to safeguard Protected Health Information and Personal Confidential Information.

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	Medi-Cal Only	Medicare Dual Eligibles	Medi-Cal Only	Medicare Dual Eligibles	Medi-Cal Only	Medicare Dual Eligibles	
Alameda	118,775	90	69,633	13,646	7,091	34,040	243,275
Alpine	82	0	57	24	1	20	184
Amador	1,968	2	1,336	389	11	410	4,116
Butte	22,360	38	15,595	5,028	217	4,508	47,746
Calaveras	2,975	2	2,043	561	23	493	6,097
Colusa	2,382	0	1,090	265	40	416	4,193
Contra Costa	67,036	54	38,879	8,382	3,226	14,375	131,952
Del Norte	3,492	2	2,525	736	36	669	7,460
El Dorado	8,537	11	5,462	1,656	158	1,589	17,413
Fresno	173,308	50	91,241	10,294	2,288	22,182	299,363
Glenn	3,717	1	1,958	446	38	587	6,747
Humboldt	11,546	23	8,194	3,135	67	1,974	24,939
Imperial	28,118	15	15,424	2,701	375	8,841	55,474
Inyo	1,615	1	951	256	29	336	3,188
Kern	132,936	89	64,800	10,457	1,451	14,740	224,473
Kings	19,612	5	9,626	1,478	205	2,467	33,393
Lake	7,336	10	5,333	1,996	71	1,697	16,443
Lassen	2,193	2	1,407	441	21	372	4,436
Los Angeles	1,170,150	540	654,054	84,634	42,671	298,304	2,250,353
Madera	24,570	5	13,105	1,427	248	2,875	42,230
Marin	9,456	4	7,072	1,853	354	2,491	21,230
Mariposa	1,262	0	843	253	5	289	2,652
Mendocino	11,076	7	6,851	1,698	170	1,981	21,783
Merced	46,205	28	24,387	3,189	553	5,930	80,292
Modoc	843	0	574	212	6	230	1,865
Mono	775	1	349	43	10	70	1,248
Monterey	50,881	19	27,015	3,404	866	6,404	88,589
Napa	7,932	11	4,242	1,213	259	1,764	15,421
Nevada	5,012	11	3,480	1,086	44	1,125	10,758
Orange	267,076	122	116,263	16,537	8,410	59,529	467,937
Placer	14,394	29	7,888	2,672	415	3,099	28,497
Plumas	1,382	0	912	386	15	332	3,027
Riverside	256,519	150	97,744	17,492	3,325	34,098	409,328
Sacramento	161,192	110	95,769	19,579	3,327	28,060	308,037
San Benito	5,318	3	2,688	375	103	800	9,287
San Bernardino	292,554	177	128,754	20,226	3,634	35,989	481,334
San Diego	262,403	132	107,280	23,917	6,015	52,095	451,842
San Francisco	47,913	24	38,252	9,686	3,563	35,141	134,579
San Joaquin	94,210	55	53,193	7,948	1,817	13,542	170,765
San Luis Obispo	15,830	22	8,896	2,908	196	2,783	30,635
San Mateo	39,709	29	18,686	4,165	2,406	12,032	77,027
Santa Barbara	42,478	17	21,074	4,043	655	5,909	74,176

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Santa Clara	133,428	63	69,664	9,926	8,730	39,888	261,699
Santa Cruz	20,281	12	11,381	2,824	395	3,615	38,508
Shasta	17,214	31	12,055	4,453	99	3,535	37,387
Sierra	184	0	167	70	1	75	497
Siskiyou	4,541	8	3,322	1,074	12	1,079	10,036
Solano	31,991	50	19,323	4,614	972	6,049	62,999
Sonoma	31,067	32	16,622	5,491	665	6,143	60,020
Stanislaus	70,699	56	38,404	6,771	1,267	11,121	128,318
Sutter	11,455	11	6,360	1,372	331	2,366	21,895
Tehama	8,345	13	4,842	1,503	58	1,391	16,152
Trinity	1,110	3	861	311	6	312	2,603
Tulare	94,372	31	48,215	5,856	886	10,823	160,183
Tuolumne	3,450	6	2,409	861	12	823	7,561
Ventura	63,429	47	28,936	6,000	1,293	11,787	111,492
Yolo	14,610	16	8,377	1,896	381	3,142	28,422
Yuba	9,716	8	5,905	1,418	80	1,391	18,518
Total	3,953,020	2,278	2,051,768	345,277	109,603	818,128	7,280,074

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