

Background

State Specific Reporting Requirements

Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNPs) are Medicare Advantage (MA) plans that provide specialized care and wrap-around services for dual eligible beneficiaries (eligible for both Medicare and Medicaid). To learn more about types of D-SNPs available in California, visit [Medicare Advantage Options for Dual Eligible Beneficiaries](#).

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) requires several types of quality reporting for MA plans, which includes D-SNPs. In addition to all federally required MA reporting requirements, the California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) has state-specific reporting requirements for D-SNPs, including Medi-Medi Plans, referred to here as Exclusively Aligned Enrollment (EAE) D-SNPs, non-EAE D-SNPs, and SCAN's Fully Integrated Dual Eligible Special Needs Plan (FIDE SNP). These requirements are detailed in the Reporting Requirements chapter of the [CY 2024 D-SNP Policy Guide](#) and the [CY 2024 D-SNP Reporting Requirements Technical Specifications](#).

Palliative Care (PAL) Measure

The tables below display data that D-SNPs reported to DHCS on a quarterly basis for the state specific Palliative Care (PAL) measure for Contract Year (CY) 2024. The tables display new enrollees in palliative care, total D-SNP enrollment, and the percent of enrollment newly enrolled in palliative care, per quarter and by plan.

Table 1 – New Enrollees in Palliative Care by D-SNP, Quarter 1 CY 2024

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	D SNP Enrollment (As of March 2024)	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	EAE	1,385	60,803	2.3%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	EAE	34	16,447	0.2%
CalOptima	EAE	*	17,386	*
Community Health Group	EAE	0	6,836	0
Health Plan of San Mateo	EAE	*	8,587	*
Inland Empire Health Plan	EAE	63	34,645	0.2%
Kaiser Permanente	EAE	218	65,698	0.3%
L.A. Care Health Plan	EAE	*	19,430	*
Molina Healthcare	EAE	*	16,269	*
Santa Clara Family Health Plan	EAE	*	10,703	*
Wellcare by Health Net	EAE	*	39,412	*
SCAN Health Plan	FIDE SNP	88	20,492	0.4%
Aetna Medicare	Non-EAE	*	2,360	*
Alignment Health Plan	Non-EAE	0	5,147	0

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	D SNP Enrollment (As of March 2024)	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross Life and Health Insurance Company	Non-EAE	1,055	10,285	10.3%
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	Non-EAE	730	12,932	5.6%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	Non-EAE	0	1,085	0
Chinese Community Health Plan	Non-EAE	*	3,595	*
Humana (Arcadian)	Non-EAE	47	15,652	0.3%
Kaiser Permanente	Non-EAE	214	35,889	0.6%
Molina Healthcare**	Non-EAE	17	13,302	0.1%
Wellcare by Health Net	Non-EAE	*	27,091	*
Aggregate EAE (including FIDE SNP)		1,788	316,708	0.6%
Aggregate Non-EAE		2,063	127,338	1.6%
Total D-SNP		3,851	444,046	0.9%

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** Molina Healthcare includes Central Health Plan H5649, Molina Healthcare of California H3038, and Universal Care Inc., H0838 in their reporting for non-EAE plans.

**Table 2 – New Enrollees in Palliative Care by D-SNP, Quarter 2
CY 2024**

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	June 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	EAE	185	65,016	0.3%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	EAE	14	15,738	0.1%
CalOptima	EAE	19	17,327	0.1%
Community Health Group	EAE	DNR	DNR	DNR
Health Plan of San Mateo	EAE	*	8,440	*
Inland Empire Health Plan	EAE	62	35,363	0.2%
Kaiser Permanente	EAE	250	69,713	0.4%
L.A. Care Health Plan	EAE	*	19,647	*
Molina Healthcare	EAE	*	17,504	*
Santa Clara Family Health Plan	EAE	30	10,756	0.3%
Wellcare by Health Net	EAE	*	38,211	*
SCAN Health Plan	FIDE SNP	68	20,110	0.3%
Aetna Medicare	Non-EAE	*	3,934	*
Alignment Health Plan	Non-EAE	0	5,624	0

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	June 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross Life and Health Insurance Company	Non-EAE	63	10,916	0.6%
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	Non-EAE	76	13,795	0.6%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	Non-EAE	0	1,013	0
Chinese Community Health Plan	Non-EAE	*	3,715	*
Humana (Arcadian)	Non-EAE	77	14,847	0.5%
Kaiser Permanente	Non-EAE	210	36,247	0.6%
Molina Healthcare**	Non-EAE	*	12,020	*
Wellcare by Health Net	Non-EAE	*	26,712	*
Aggregate EAE (including FIDE SNP)		628	317,825	0.2%
Aggregate Non-EAE		426	128,823	0.3%
Total D-SNP		1,054	446,648	0.2%

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DNR – Plan did not report.

**Table 3 – New Enrollees in Palliative Care by D-SNP, Quarter 3
CY 2024**

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	September 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	EAE	196	68,202	0.3%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	EAE	*	15,226	*
CalOptima	EAE	13	17,337	0.1%
Community Health Group	EAE	DNR	DNR	DNR
Health Plan of San Mateo	EAE	*	8,361	*
Inland Empire Health Plan	EAE	95	35,736	0.3%
Kaiser Permanente	EAE	231	71,864	0.3%
L.A. Care Health Plan	EAE	26	20,035	0.1%
Molina Healthcare	EAE	*	18,432	*
Santa Clara Family Health Plan	EAE	18	10,742	0.2%
Wellcare by Health Net	EAE	*	37,998	*
SCAN Health Plan	FIDE SNP	90	19,711	0.5%
Aetna Medicare	Non-EAE	*	4,069	*
Alignment Health Plan	Non-EAE	0	5,882	0

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	September 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross Life and Health Insurance Company	Non-EAE	37	11,261	0.3%
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	Non-EAE	55	14,085	0.4%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	Non-EAE	0	967	0
Chinese Community Health Plan	Non-EAE	*	3,763	*
Humana (Arcadian)	Non-EAE	37	14,176	0.3%
Kaiser Permanente	Non-EAE	243	36,908	0.7%
Molina Healthcare**	Non-EAE	*	11,251	*
Wellcare by Health Net	Non-EAE	0	26,450	0
Aggregate EAE (including FIDE SNP)		669	323,644	0.2%
Aggregate Non-EAE		372	128,812	0.3%
Total D-SNP		1,041	452,456	0.2%

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Table 4 – New Enrollees in Palliative Care by D-SNP, Quarter 4 CY 2024

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	September 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	EAE	105	69,648	0.2%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	EAE	84	14,846	0.6%
CalOptima	EAE	27	17,190	0.2%
Community Health Group	EAE	0	7,589	0
Health Plan of San Mateo	EAE	0	8,229	0
Inland Empire Health Plan	EAE	106	36,046	0.3%
Kaiser Permanente	EAE	186	73,529	0.3%
L.A. Care Health Plan	EAE	40	20,369	0.2%
Molina Healthcare	EAE	*	18,900	*
Santa Clara Family Health Plan	EAE	*	10,691	*
Wellcare by Health Net	EAE	*	37,509	*
SCAN Health Plan	FIDE SNP	91	19,567	0.5%
Aetna Medicare	Non-EAE	*	4,067	*
Alignment Health Plan	Non-EAE	0	6,138	0

Plan Name	Plan Type	Total New Enrollees in Palliative Care	September 2024 Enrollment	Percentage of Total Enrollment
Anthem Blue Cross Life and Health Insurance Company	Non-EAE	34	11,299	0.3%
Anthem Blue Cross of California Partnership Plan	Non-EAE	43	14,259	0.3%
Blue Shield of California Promise Health	Non-EAE	0	918	0
Chinese Community Health Plan	Non-EAE	*	3,770	*
Humana (Arcadian)	Non-EAE	35	13,768	0.3%
Kaiser Permanente	Non-EAE	256	37,537	0.7%
Molina Healthcare**	Non-EAE	*	12,817	*
Wellcare by Health Net	Non-EAE	0	26,030	0
Aggregate EAE (including FIDE SNP)		639	334,113	0.2%
Aggregate Non-EAE		368	130,603	0.3%
Total D-SNP		1,007	464,716	0.2%

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