

EXHIBIT 5
DISTRIBUTION OF MEDICAID BENEFICIARY CHARACTERISTICS
IN THE STUDY POPULATION, 2002

Beneficiary Characteristics	Percent of Beneficiaries		
	Among Nondual Beneficiaries ^b	Among Dual Eligibles ^b	Among Beneficiaries Who Resided in Nursing Facilities All Year ^c
Age			
5 and younger	24		
6–14	24		
15–20	14	36 ^e	13 ^e
21–44	28		
45–64	8		
65–74	1	25	13
75–84	< 1	23	31
85 and older	< 1	16	44
Sex			
Male	40	36	28
Female	59	64	72
Race			
African American	25	18	13
White	44	60	77
Other/Unknown	32	22	10
Dual Eligibility Status ^b			
Dual Eligibles	0	100	92
Nondual Beneficiaries	100	0	8
Basis of Eligibility ^d			
Children	56	< 1	< 1
Adults	31	1	< 1
Disabled	12	45	19
Aged	1	54	81
Number of Beneficiaries in Study Population	31,971,338	6,185,849	946,066

Source: Medicaid Analytic Extract (MAX), 2002. This table is based on information contained in Tables 2, ND.2, D.2, ND.8, and D.8 in the Statistical Compendium Volume, United States (hereafter “the Compendium”).

^aMedicaid beneficiaries featured in this chartbook include those who had fee-for-service (FFS) Medicaid pharmacy benefit coverage for at least one month during calendar year 2002. Beneficiaries who were in capitated managed care arrangements for the entire year are excluded. For more details on how we determined the study population, see Table 1 of the Compendium.

^bDual eligibles are beneficiaries who had Medicare as well as Medicaid FFS pharmacy benefit coverage for at least one month during their Medicaid enrollment in 2002. Nondual beneficiaries include beneficiaries who were never dually eligible or were dually eligible but never had Medicaid FFS pharmacy benefit coverage. Refer to Table 1 in the Compendium for more information about how we determined dual eligibility status.

^cThis group includes beneficiaries who resided in nursing facilities throughout their Medicaid enrollment in 2002. Refer to Table 1 in the Compendium for more information about how we determined all-year nursing facility residency.

^dMedicaid basis of eligibility is classified as: aged, disabled, adults, and children. The disabled group includes beneficiaries of any age who were determined to be eligible because of disability or blindness. The children's group includes children receiving foster care and adoptive services.

^eThe percentage represents all ages below 65.