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Medicare and Non-Medicare End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Populations, by Demographic
Characteristics, Primary Diagnosis, and Treatment Modality as of December 31, 2000

Age, Sex, Race, and Primary Diagnosis	Medicare Entitled						Non-Medicare Entitled	
	Total		Dialysis	Functioning Graft			Functioning	
	Number	Growth Rate 1995-2000		Number	Percent		Dialysis ¹	Graft ²
Total	338,992	6.2	262,114	76,878	22.7		5,759	19,760
Age								
Less than 10 Years	845	0.3	340	505	59.8		13	114
10-14 Years	1,044	2.9	321	723	69.3		23	232
15-19 Years	1,991	0.4	823	1,168	58.7		63	486
20-24 Years	4,324	1.1	2,452	1,872	43.3		130	598
25-34 Years	20,836	1.0	11,840	8,996	43.2		550	2,336
35-44 Years	43,161	3.9	25,605	17,556	40.7		963	5,276
45-54 Years	63,025	7.6	42,784	20,241	32.1		1,810	6,500
55-64 Years	66,970	7.1	51,819	15,151	22.6		2,154	3,987
65-74 Years	77,729	5.3	68,262	9,467	12.2		41	200
75-84 Years	49,906	9.5	48,739	1,167	2.3		11	30
85 Years or Older	9,161	13.6	9,129	32	0.3		(3)	(3)
Sex								
Male	186,434	6.5	140,222	46,212	24.8		3,241	11,316
Female	152,558	5.8	121,892	30,666	20.1		2,518	8,444
Race								
Native American	4,772	7.2	3,917	855	17.9		102	175
Asian	9,099	6.4	6,727	2,372	26.1		147	567
Black	109,794	6.0	94,382	15,412	14.0		2,097	1,834
White	200,997	5.8	145,377	55,620	27.7		3,105	16,729
Other/Unknown	14,330	13.6	11,711	2,619	18.3		308	455
Primary Diagnosis ⁴								
Diabetes Type 2	98,428	14.7	89,351	9,077	9.2		2,212	1,156
Hypertension	85,785	4.8	73,480	12,305	14.3		1,186	1,760
Glomerulonephritis	52,395	4.5	32,337	20,058	38.3		741	6,479
Diabetes Type 1	25,283	-4.5	15,322	9,961	39.4		400	1,580
Cystic Kidney Disease	20,130	5.1	10,312	9,818	48.8		296	3,302
Interstitial Nephritis	18,805	4.9	13,541	5,264	28.0		230	1,751
Uncertain	14,500	4.3	10,481	4,019	27.7		198	1,509
Secondary GN	11,112	5.2	7,411	3,701	33.3		203	953
Neoplasm	4,381	5.4	3,650	731	16.7		95	154
Other/Unknown	6,603	6.7	4,672	1,931	29.2		106	1,115
AIDS Nephritis	1,570	15.2	1,557	13	0.8		92	(3)

¹Patients receiving dialysis during 3-month waiting period prior to becoming Medicare eligible.

²Patients with a functioning graft more than 3 years and no longer Medicare entitled.

³For groups with fewer than 11 individuals in any category, the detail is masked to prevent disclosure of personally identifiable information.

⁴Does not sum to total because patients missing a primary diagnosis are excluded from the category.

NOTES: The percentage of Medicare enrollees with a functioning graft is based on the total number of Medicare ESRD enrollees (dialysis and functioning graft combined). In addition to persons entitled to Medicare, the number of new dialysis patients in the initial 3-month waiting period prior to entitlement and previously entitled graft patients whose Medicare coverage ended 3 years after their transplantation are shown for informational purposes. Diagnosis is the physician's opinion of the primary cause of renal failure.

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