

Table 80
Percent Distribution of Medicare Disabled and Aged Beneficiaries, Medicare Advantage
Plans Versus Fee-for-Service: March 2005

Beneficiary	Medicare Advantage	Fee-for-Service
	Percent	
Disabled	100	100
Male		
Under 35 Years	1	5
35-44 Years	5	10
45-54 Years	14	17
55-59 Years	12	11
60-64 Years	17	11
Female		
Under 35 Years	1	4
35-44 Years	5	8
45-54 Years	13	14
55-59 Years	13	9
60-64 Years	18	10
Aged	100	100
Male		
65-69 Years	10	13
70-74 Years	12	10
75-79 Years	9	8
80-84 Years	6	6
85 Years or Over	4	4
Female		
65-69 Years	13	15
70-74 Years	15	13
75-79 Years	13	12
80-84 Years	10	9
85 Years or Over	8	9

NOTES: Percents may not add to 100 because of rounding. The methodology to compute the penetration rate was changed beginning with 2005 data and may yield results that are not exactly comparable to earlier years.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: Analysis of plan data from the Plan Information Control System, 2005; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.