



**Report from the Maryland Health Benefit Exchange
about Maryland Health Connection,
the state-based health insurance marketplace**

BALTIMORE (August 1, 2014) — As of July 26, 2014, Maryland has surpassed 411,000 total enrollments, including qualified health plans through Maryland Health Connection and Marylanders who have gained Medicaid coverage in 2014.

Enrollment Activities

As we update MarylandHealthConnection.gov, Marylanders seeking health insurance should use the options below. Online enrollment will resume in November.

Marylanders can enroll year round in Medicaid or the Maryland Children's Health Insurance Program by applying online at <https://www.marylandsail.org> or by visiting a local [connector entity](#), [health department](#) or [department of social services](#).

Marylanders who are interested in buying health insurance or need to complete or change an existing application may visit a [navigator or insurance broker](#). You can enroll in a qualified health plan or change plans before Nov. 15 if you have [special circumstances](#) like getting married, having a baby or losing other health coverage.

Enrollment in Medicaid, MCHP and qualified health plans is also available through our Consumer Support Center at 1-855-642-8572 (TTY 1-855-642-8573).

Development of the new IT platform, adopting the successful Connecticut model, continues to progress on track. System tests are underway as scheduled.

The next report will be August 29, 2014.

Enrollment Data

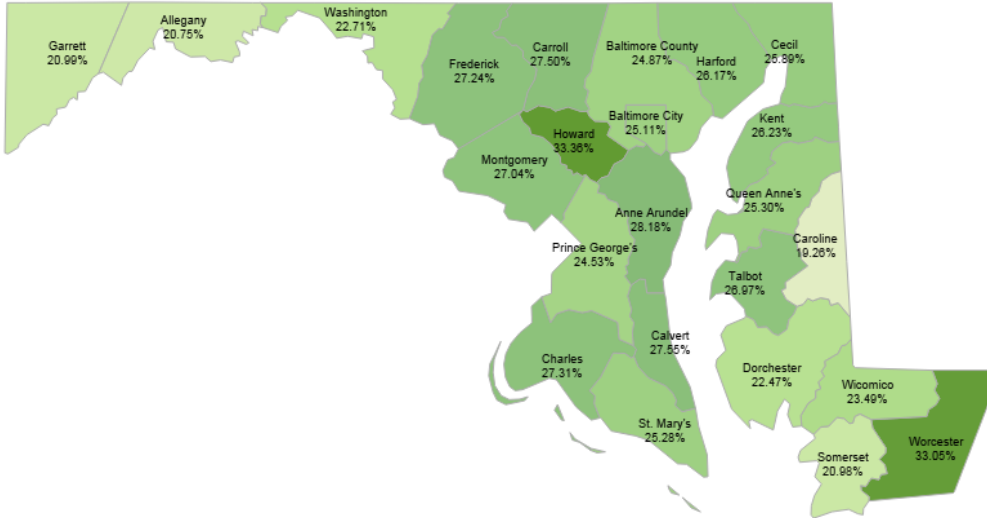
As of July 26, 2014, 332,504 individuals have gained Medicaid coverage in 2014 and remain active in Medicaid. This includes the 95,889 PAC enrollees who were automatically converted on January 1, 2014 to full Medicaid coverage.

Beginning this month, we will also report net changes in Medicaid enrollment. This figure takes into account the fact individuals lose Medicaid coverage because of changes in household, age, and income, as well as redeterminations. Compared to December 31, 2013, the net change in Medicaid enrollment as of July 26, 2014 is +273,245.

As of July 26, 78,930 individuals have enrolled in a qualified health plan.

The following table provides Medicaid enrollment growth from December 2013 to April 2014 by county:

Maryland Medicaid Enrollment Growth by County, December 2013-April 2014¹



County	Dec-13	Apr-14	Increase	% Increase
Allegany	16,792	20,276	3,484	20.75%
Anne Arundel	62,720	80,396	17,676	28.18%
Baltimore City	213,693	267,351	53,658	25.11%
Baltimore County	133,489	166,689	33,200	24.87%
Calvert	10,793	13,766	2,973	27.55%
Caroline	8,869	10,577	1,708	19.26%
Carroll	15,999	20,399	4,400	27.50%
Cecil	19,165	24,127	4,962	25.89%
Charles	21,207	26,999	5,792	27.31%
Dorchester	9,696	11,875	2,179	22.47%
Frederick	27,694	35,238	7,544	27.24%
Garrett	6,652	8,048	1,396	20.99%
Harford	30,003	37,855	7,852	26.17%
Howard	27,753	37,012	9,259	33.36%
Kent	3,729	4,707	978	26.23%
Montgomery	129,099	164,001	34,902	27.04%
Prince George's	164,204	204,484	40,280	24.53%
Queen Anne's	6,877	8,617	1,740	25.30%
Somerset	6,605	7,991	1,386	20.98%
St. Mary's	16,263	20,374	4,111	25.28%
Talbot	6,063	7,698	1,635	26.97%
Washington	30,826	37,827	7,001	22.71%
Wicomico	24,769	30,586	5,817	23.49%
Worcester	9,063	12,058	2,995	33.05%

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¹ Individuals whose coverage was converted from the Primary Adult Care Program into full Medicaid on January 1, 2014, are counted as April 2014 enrollments, but not December 2013 enrollments. Source: Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS), Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, December 2013 and April 2014.