

To read today's data snapshot on the number of consumers in each state who paid their premiums in 2014 and 2015, please visit: <http://www.cms.gov/Newsroom/MediaReleaseDatabase/Fact-sheets/2015-Fact-sheets-items/2015-06-02.html>

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The Marketplace effectuated enrollment snapshot provides point-in-time estimates of individuals who effectuated their enrollment and have an active policy on that date; it does not measure the rate at which consumers pay their first month's premium. As is the case in other well-functioning insurance markets, CMS expects these numbers to change over time in response to changes in consumer needs and life circumstances such as employment status or marriage, which may cause consumers to newly enroll in, change, or cancel their plans. Studies continue to show high satisfaction rates among Marketplace customers.

For information on the number of consumers in each state who selected a plan or were automatically reenrolled in quality, affordable coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplaces during Open Enrollment, please visit: http://aspe.hhs.gov/health/reports/2015/MarketPlaceEnrollment/Mar2015/ib_2015mar_enrollment.pdf

Today CMS released Marketplace state-by-state enrollment snapshots providing a detailed look at how many consumers paid their premiums in 2015 on total paid (effectuated) enrollments at the end of December 2014 and during the first quarter of 2015.

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