

**Table 1. Enrollment in Medicare Advantage and Other Prepaid Plans, by Location of Residence and by Type of Plan, 2005-2010**

Type of Plan	December 2005		June 2007		June 2010	
	Rural	Total	Rural	Total	Rural	Total
<b>Medicare Advantage</b>	<b>241,706</b>	<b>5,139,794</b>	<b>780,646</b>	<b>8,057,629</b>	<b>1,349,976</b>	<b>11,138,365</b>
HMOs/POS	174,789	4,854,212	222,770	5,681,736	392,276	7,323,535
PFFS	63,393	200,614	476,016	1,550,592	540,044	1,631,204
PPOs and other MA	3,524	84,968	81,860	825,301	417,656	2,183,626
<b>Other prepaid plans</b>	<b>105,197</b>	<b>688,231</b>	<b>83,472</b>	<b>388,522</b>	<b>98,773</b>	<b>398,632</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>346,903</b>	<b>5,933,222</b>	<b>864,118</b>	<b>8,446,151</b>	<b>1,448,749</b>	<b>11,536,997</b>
	Percent of Medicare Population		Percent of Medicare Population		Percent of Medicare Population	
<b>Medicare Advantage</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>18.5%</b>	<b>13.9%</b>	<b>24.4%</b>
HMOs/POS	2.5%	11.0%	2.4%	13.1%	4.0%	16.0%
PFFS	0.9%	0.5%	5.1%	3.6%	5.5%	3.6%
PPOs and other MA	0.1%	0.2%	0.9%	1.9%	4.3%	4.8%
<b>Other prepaid plans</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5.0%</b>	<b>13.5%</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>19.4%</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>25.2%</b>

Source: RUPRI Center for RURAL Health Policy Analysis, based on Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) data as of June 2010

Note: Excludes enrollment in any county and plan if the plan enrolls 10 or fewer enrollees in that county (due to restrictions on data release by CMS) and excludes enrollees in US territories (due to data incompatibilities with geographic files).

Other prepaid plans include cost plans and demonstration plans. HMO = health maintenance organization; MA = Medicare Advantage; PFFS = private fee-for-service; POS = point of service; PPO = preferred provider organization