

California Congressional District 51 Representative Juan Vargas Profile of Community Clinics and Health Centers (CCHCs)

The Clinics

Community Clinics and Health Centers (CCHCs) are nonprofit health care practices located in low income and medically underserved areas. CCHCs share a common mission to serve everyone who walks through their doors, regardless of their ability to pay. The term CCHC include Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC), FQHC Look-Alikes, Migrant Health Centers, Rural and Frontier Health Centers, and Free Clinics. CCHCs are an essential segment of the safety net. In many California Counties, they provide a significant proportion of comprehensive primary care services to those who are publicly subsidized or uninsured.



Clinic Types

Total Number of CCHCs	47
Federally Qualified Health Center sites	41
Federally Qualified Health Center Look-Alike sites	0
95-210 Rural Health Center sites	0

The Services

	Provider FTEs	Encounters
Medical*	212.3	719,348
Dental **	38.0	162,333
Mental Health ***	30.8	46,541
Other ****	65.7	80,473
Total	346.9	1,008,695

^{*}Physicians, physician assistants, family nurse practioners, certified nurse midwives, visiting nurses.

Less than 1 Year

1 - 4 Years

Other Services Provided

Vision Services	8	Urgent Care Services	3
Basic Lab Services	36	Womens Health Services	28
Radiology Services	11	Substance Abuse Services	12
Pharmacy Services	11	Domestic Violence Services	4

Demographics

Patients	328,088	
Female	206,331	63%
Male	121,757	37%
19 Years & Under	117,772	36%
Encounters/Visits	1,008,695	

Ethnicity

Hispanic	232,853	71%
Non-Hispanic	76,929	23%
Unknown	18,306	6%

The Patients **Poverty Levels**

Under 100%	238,162	73%
100-200%	44,353	14%
Above 200%	7,908	2%
Unknown	37,665	11%

Race (including Hispanic)

White	190,318	58%
Black	20,761	6%
Native American	1,214	0%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	17,947	5%
More Than One Race	5,879	2%
Other/ Unknown	91.969	28%

Age

10,880

27,032

3%

8%

5 - 12 Years	41,652	13%		
13 - 14 Years	9,255	3%		
15 - 19 Years	28,953	9%		
20 - 34 Years	81,569	25%		
35 - 44 Years	36,671	11%		
45 - 64 Years	71,849	22%		
Over 65 Years	20,227	6%		
Migratory Workers				
Patients	5,446	2%		
Encounters/Visits	19,719	2%		
Language				
Primary Language No	52%			

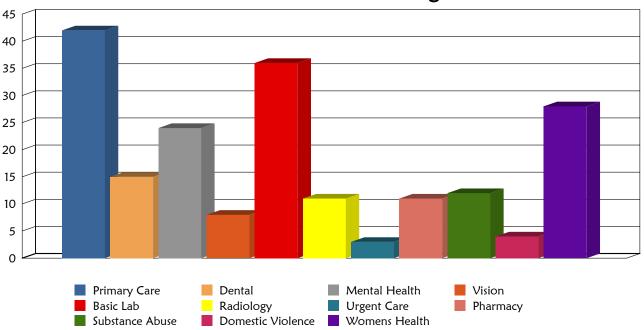
^{**}Dentists and Registered Dental Hygienists

^{***}Psychiatrists, clinical psychologists, and licensed clinical social workers. ****Other providers billable to Medi-Cal



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Total Health Centers Providing Services



Revenue and Utilization by Payment Source

Duggerom	Patients ^ ^		Encounte	orc	Patient Revenue	
Program	Patients		Encount	-13	Gross Patient Revenue (charged)	\$244,071,090
Medicare	28,045	9%	81,643	8%	Write-offs and Adjustments	\$62,414,486
Medi-Cal	175,301	53%	646,046	64%	Net Patient Revenue (collected)	\$181,656,604
All County ^ ^ ^	1,328	0%	3,064	0%	Other Or section Dec	
PACE Patients	203	0%	19,163.00		Other Operating Revenue	
Private Insurance	17,452	5%	42,167	4%	Federal Funding/Grants	\$29,718,800
Uninsured Services ^ ^ ^ ^	99,761	30%	117,138	12%	State Funding/Grants	\$445,320
Other	5,998	2%	8,048	1%	County/Local	\$6,113,335
BCCCP^^	7,698	2%	11,994	1%	Private	\$3,749,084
CHDP^^	14,698	4%	22,060	2%	Donations/Contributions	\$839,987
Family PACT ^ ^	27,079	8%	57,372	6%	Other	\$7,836,440

[^] Patient counts for Episodic programs (BCCP, CHDP, EAPC, Family PACT) may be duplicated. BCCCP = Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program; CHDP = Child Health and Disability Prevention Program; Family PACT = Family Planning Access Care and Treatment program.

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^^^ County Indigent/CMSP/MISP, San Diego County Medical Plan, LA County Public/Private Parternship, and Other County Programs.

Because of their philosophy and by necessity, CCHCs have been vigilant about controlling the cost of care, and the untoward effects of deferred or neglected care, by promoting a broad range of preventive health services specifically targeted to the particular needs of their communities and patient populations. The federal Office of Management and Budget has found the Health Center Program to be one of the ten most effective federal programs and the most effective program under the federal Health and Human Services Agency. Despite enormous challenges, CCHCs have persisted in their mission to serve their local communities.

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^{^ ^ ^} Free and Self-Pay/ Sliding Fee Programs.