

California Community Clinics and Health Centers

2016

Senate District 40
Senator Ben Hueso



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	48
Federally Qualified Health Center sites	42
Federally Qualified Health Center Look-Alike sites	0
95-210 Rural Health Center sites	0

The Patients

Demographics

Patients	341,452	
Female	214,543	63%
Male	126,909	37%
19 Years & Under	122,535	36%
Encounters	1,049,995	

Poverty Levels

Under 100%	249,108	73%
100-200%	46,265	14%
Above 200%	8,131	2%
Unknown	37,948	11%

Age

	Male	Female
Less than 1 Year	5,732	5,627
1 - 4 Years	14,627	13,669
5 - 12 Years	22,198	21,249
13 - 14 Years	4,741	4,856
15 - 19 Years	10,462	19,374
20 - 34 Years	20,936	63,855
35 - 44 Years	11,736	26,465
45 - 64 Years	28,337	46,685
Over 65 Years	8,140	12,763

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Clinic Sites

- Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)
- FQHC Look-Alike
- Community Health Center/
Rural Health Center/Free Clinic/Other
- Senate District Boundary
- County Boundary

Race		
White	197,558	58%
Black	22,015	6%
Native American	1,275	0%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	18,546	5%
More Than One Race	6,260	2%
Other/ Unknown	95,798	28%

Ethnicity		
Hispanic	240,043	70%
Non-Hispanic	82,217	24%
Unknown	19,192	6%

Migratory Workers

Patients	5,504	2%
Encounters	20,011	2%

Language

Primary Language Not English	52%
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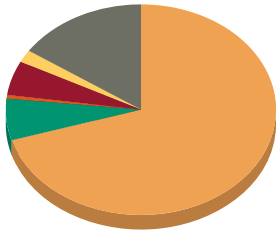
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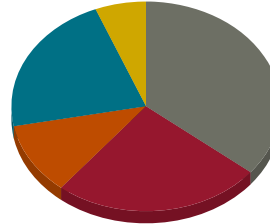


Race/Ethnicity
Patients



White (non-Hispanic)	0.0%
Hispanic	70.3%
Black	6.4%
Native American	0.4%
Asian/Pacific Islander	5.4%
More Than One Race	1.8%
Other/Unknown	15.6%
Total:	100.0%

Age
Patients



0-19 Yrs	35.9%
20-34 Yrs	24.8%
35-44 Yrs	11.2%
45-64 Yrs	22.0%
65 and older	6.1%
Total:	100.0%

The Services

	Provider FTEs		Encounters	
Medical *	219	60%	740,125	70%
Dental **	41	11%	172,934	16%
Mental Health ***	35	10%	51,879	5%
Other ****	73	20%	85,057	8%
Total	367		1,049,995	

*Physicians, physician assistants, family nurse practitioners, certified nurse midwives, visiting nurses.
**Dentists and Registered Dental Hygienists
***Psychiatrists, clinical psychologists, and licensed clinical social workers.
****Other providers billable to Medi-Cal

Total CCHCs that provide the following services

Vision Services	8
Basic Lab Services	37
Radiology Services	11
Pharmacy Services	11
Urgent Care Services	3
Womens Health Services	29
Substance Abuse Services	13
Domestic Violence Services	4

Revenue and Utilization by Payment Source

Program	Patients ^ ^		Encounters		Revenue	
	Count	%	Count	%	Amount	Amount
Medicare	28,605	8%	83,664	8%	Gross Patient Revenue	\$252,105,803
Medi-Cal	184,939	54%	679,090	65%	Total Write-offs Revenue	\$63,003,842
All County ^ ^ ^	1,341	0%	3,229	0%	Net Patient Revenue	\$189,101,961
PACE Patients	203	0%	19,163	2%	Other Operating Revenue	
Private Insurance	17,861	5%	43,177	4%	Federal	\$30,073,911
Uninsured Services ^ ^ ^ ^	102,505	30%	121,650	12%	State	\$445,320
Other	5,998	2%	8,048	1%	County/Local	\$6,734,362
BCCCP ^ ^	7,913	2%	12,225	1%	Private	\$3,752,719
CHDP ^ ^	14,699	4%	22,074	2%	Donations/Contributions	\$839,987
Family PACT ^ ^	27,304	8%	57,675	5%	Other	\$8,694,318

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.

All information compiled by Jeanita Harris, Sr. Data Analyst, CPCA. Numbers are based on 2014 OSHPD data.

^ ^ Patient counts for Episodic programs (BCCP, CHDP, Family PACT) are duplicated. BCCCP = Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program; CHDP = Child Health and Disability Prevention Program; Family PACT = Family Planning Access Care and Treatment program.
^ ^ ^ County Indigent/CMSP/MISP, San Diego County Medical Plan, LA County Public/Private Partnership, and Other County Programs.
^ ^ ^ ^ Free and Self-Pay/ Sliding Fee Programs.