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# Top 25 HMOs

Ranked by total HMO enrollment, January 1, 2001

		Total enrollment Jan. 2001	Total enrollment July 2000	Primary care physicians	Specialty care physicians	Year founded	Type of firm
<b>1</b>	<b>Kaiser Foundation Health Plan Inc., No. CA region</b> Oakland, Calif. (510) 987-1000	<b>3,051,936</b>	3,023,925	2,261	3,441	1946	Not for profit, federally qualified
<b>2</b>	<b>Kaiser Foundation Health Plan Inc., So. CA region</b> Pasadena, Calif. (626) 405-5000	<b>2,987,418</b>	2,972,898	2,622	3,852	1943	Not for profit, federally qualified
<b>3</b>	<b>Health Net</b> Woodland Hills, Calif. (818) 676-7214	<b>2,470,123</b>	2,190,747	11,492	24,408	1980	For profit, federally qualified
<b>4</b>	<b>PacifiCare of California</b> Cypress, Calif. (714) 952-1121	<b>2,321,754</b>	2,390,277	10,766	18,801	1978	For profit, federally qualified
<b>5</b>	<b>Blue Cross of California HMO</b> Thousand Oaks, Calif. (818) 703-2345	<b>2,191,224</b>	2,101,957	10,860	21,123	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
<b>6</b>	<b>Keystone Health Plan East Inc.</b> Philadelphia, Pa. (215) 241-2400	<b>1,147,449</b>	1,078,591	10,900	20,172	1988	For profit, federally qualified
<b>7</b>	<b>Oxford Health Plans of New York</b> New York, N.Y. (800) 889-7622	<b>1,106,966</b>	1,033,183	9,880	22,604	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
<b>8</b>	<b>Blue Shield of California Access + HMO</b> San Francisco, Calif. (415) 229-5000	<b>1,031,900</b>	985,159	9,163	16,414	1988	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>9</b>	<b>HMO Blue</b> Boston, Mass. (617) 246-4866	<b>992,088</b>	814,623	6,681	11,535	1992	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>10</b>	<b>Aetna U.S. Healthcare Inc.</b> Fairfield, N.J. (800) 872-3862	<b>896,774</b>	883,175	5,262	8,929	1984	For profit, federally qualified
<b>11</b>	<b>Health Options Inc.</b> Jacksonville, Fla. (904) 905-3111	<b>885,185</b>	924,854	4,466	11,312	1981	For profit, federally qualified
<b>12</b>	<b>HMO Illinois</b> Chicago, Ill. (312) 653-6000	<b>877,940</b>	841,000	6,439	13,154	1977	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>13</b>	<b>U.S. Healthcare Inc.</b> Uniondale, N.Y. (516) 794-6565	<b>867,965</b>	907,465	7,936	18,005	1987	For profit, federally qualified
<b>14</b>	<b>Aetna U.S. Healthcare of California Inc.</b> San Ramon, Calif. (925) 543-9000	<b>867,963</b>	707,533	13,009	26,003	1978	For profit, federally qualified
<b>15</b>	<b>Tennessee Health Care Network (HMO Blue)</b> Chattanooga, Tenn. (423) 755-5600	<b>793,964</b>	730,080	2,485	7,355	1985	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>16</b>	<b>U.S. Health Care Systems of Pa. (Aetna U.S. Healthcare)</b> Blue Bell, Pa. (800) 872-3862	<b>771,827</b>	790,366	6,963	14,731	1976	For profit, federally qualified
<b>17</b>	<b>Humana Health Plan Inc.</b> Louisville, Ky. (502) 580-5001	<b>771,775</b>	787,930	NA	NA	1988	For profit, federally qualified
<b>18</b>	<b>HIP Health Plan of New York</b> New York, N.Y. (212) 630-5000	<b>732,373</b>	770,417	5,128	9,111	1948	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>19</b>	<b>CIGNA HealthCare of California Inc.</b> Glendale, Calif. (818) 500-6687	<b>710,305</b>	697,643	8,554	20,559	1979	For profit, federally qualified
<b>20</b>	<b>Horizon HMO</b> Newark, N.J. (973) 466-4000	<b>649,408</b>	609,688	3,815	7,702	1973	For profit, not federally qualified
<b>21</b>	<b>Tufts Health Plan</b> Waltham, Mass. (781) 466-9400	<b>626,048</b>	633,801	5,300	11,700	1982	Not for profit, federally qualified
<b>22</b>	<b>Harvard Pilgrim Health Care</b> Wellesley, Mass. (617) 509-2804	<b>617,898</b>	826,142	6,567	17,362	1981	Not for profit, federally qualified
<b>23</b>	<b>Triple-S Inc.</b> San Juan, Puerto Rico (787) 793-8383	<b>617,667</b>	611,968	777	2,950	1997	Not for profit, not federally qualified
<b>24</b>	<b>Blue Care Network of Michigan</b> Southfield, Mich. (248) 593-3942	<b>608,380</b>	597,478	3,258	6,974	1982	Not for profit, federally qualified
<b>25</b>	<b>Blue Choice (BCBS of the Rochester Area)</b> Rochester, N.Y. (716) 454-1700	<b>555,195</b>	542,168	1,040	1,327	1985	Not for profit, not federally qualified

NA=not available

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