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Fastest growing HMOs

Ranked by net increase in total enrollment as of January 1, 2001

		Net increase July 2000– Jan. 2001	Total enrollment Jan. 2001	Primary care physicians	Specialty care physicians	Year founded	Type of firm
1	Health Net of California Woodland Hills, Calif. (818) 676-7214	279,376	2,470,123	11,492	24,408	1980	For profit, federally qualified
2	Hmo Blue Boston, Mass. (617) 246-4866	177,465	992,088	6,681	11,535	1992	Not for profit, not federally qualified
3	Anthem BCBS-Anthem HMO Mason, Ohio (513) 336-4077	94,357	333,126	5,823	6,239	1974	Not for profit, not federally qualified
4	Blue Cross of California HMO Thousand Oaks, Calif. (818) 703-2345	89,267	2,191,224	10,860	21,123	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
5	Oxford Health Plans of New York New York, N.Y. (800) 889-7622	73,783	1,106,966	9,880	22,604	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
6	Keystone Health Plan East Inc. Philadelphia, Pa. (215) 241-2400	68,858	1,147,449	10,900	20,172	1988	For profit, federally qualified
7	Tennessee Health Care Network (HMO Blue) Chanooga, Tenn. (423) 755-5600	63,884	793,964	2,485	7,355	1985	Not for profit, not federally qualified
8	Coventry Health Care of Delaware Inc. Wilmington, Del. (800) 727-9951	57,580	137,509	2,871	6,643	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
9	Molina Healthcare of Washington Bellevue, Wash. (425) 869-3500	51,705	115,511	2,437	3,922	1986	For profit, not federally qualified
10	HMO Georgia Inc. Atlanta, Ga. (404) 842-8400	49,949	473,770	2,145	4,688	1987	For profit, not federally qualified
11	CIGNA HealthCare of North Carolina Raleigh, N.C. (919) 854-7000	48,568	219,356	3,934	6,439	1986	For profit, not federally qualified
12	Blue Shield of California Access + HMO San Francisco, Calif. (415) 229-5000	46,831	1,031,990	9,163	16,414	1988	Not for profit, not federally qualified
13	Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Manchester, N.H. (603) 695-7000	42,129	233,454	1,274	2,714	1998	For profit, not federally qualified
14	IU Health Plan Indianapolis, Ind. (317) 871-8811	42,106	53,497	184	1,500	1997	For profit, not federally qualified
15	UPMC Health Plan Pittsburgh, Pa. (412) 454-7766	40,437	276,788	1,366	3,841	1996	For profit, not federally qualified
16	Horizon HMO Newark, N.J. (973) 466-4000	39,720	649,408	3,815	7,702	1973	For profit, not federally qualified
17	United HealthCare of Arizona, Inc. Phoenix, Ariz. (602) 664-2600	37,581	353,227	1,042	1,941	1986	For profit, not federally qualified
18	Blue Care Chapel Hill, N.C. (919) 765-3958	37,168	39,788	5,546	7,782	2000	Not for profit, not federally qualified
19	HMO Illinois Chicago, Ill. (312) 653-6000	36,940	877,940	6,439	13,154	1977	Not for profit, not federally qualified
20	Tennessee Coordinated Care Network Nashville, Tenn. (615) 255-2700	36,633	374,686	908	615	1984	Not for profit, federally qualified
21	MVP Health Plan Inc. Schenectady, N.Y. (518) 370-4793	36,606	351,407	2,870	5,540	1984	Not for profit, federally qualified
22	Beacon Health Plans Inc. Coral Gables, Fla. (800) 850-0979	35,055	68,414	1,312	5,800	1995	For profit, not federally qualified
23	Molina Healthcare of California Long Beach, Calif. (562) 435-3666	33,255	199,088	1,794	4,374	1995	For profit, not federally qualified
24	Universal Care Signal Hill, Calif. (562) 981-4019	32,694	302,407	4,264	8,474	1985	For profit, not federally qualified
25	Health Advantage Little Rock, Ark. (501) 221-1800	32,549	173,668	1,460	4,662	1987	For profit, federally qualified

Note: HMOs active in merger, acquisition or consolidation activity between July 1, 2000 and Jan. 1, 2001 were excluded from this analysis.

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