

# Standard Plan Network Adequacy Data

# **Network Adequacy Metrics & Standards Definitions**

#### **Network Adequacy Metrics**

Metric	Definition
% of Members in Region Meeting Access Standards	The percentage of members in a region whose residential address is within the specific time or distance of the appropriate number of providers for the specified service type.

#### **Time & Distance Standards**

Service Type	Urban Standard <sup>2</sup>	Rural Standard <sup>3</sup>
Hospitals	$\geq$ 1 hospitals within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 15 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 1 hospitals within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles for at least 95% of Members
Primary Care (Adult & Child)	≥ 2 providers within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 10 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 providers within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles for at least 95% of Members
Pharmacies	≥ 2 pharmacies within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 10 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 pharmacies within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles for at least 95% of Members
OB/GYN <sup>1</sup>	≥ 2 providers within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 10 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 providers within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles for at least 95% of Members
Outpatient Behavioral Health Services	≥ 2 providers of each outpatient behavioral health service within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles of residence for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 providers of each outpatient behavioral health service within 45 minutes <u>OR</u> 45 miles of residence for at least 95% of Members

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Measured on members who are female age 21 and older. Certified Nurse Midwives may be included to satisfy OB/GYN access requirements

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> "Urban" is defined as non-rural counties, or counties with average population densities of two hundred fifty (250) or more people per square mile

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> "Rural" is defined as a county with average population density of less than two hundred fifty (250) people per square mile

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#### Time & Distance Standards (continued)

Service Type	Urban Standard <sup>1</sup>	Rural Standard <sup>2</sup>		
Occupational, Physical and Speech Therapy	≥ 2 providers (of each provider type) within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 10 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 providers (of each provider type) within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 30 miles for at least 95% of Members		
Specialty Care	≥ 2 providers (per specialty type) within 30 minutes <u>OR</u> 15 miles for at least 95% of Members	≥ 2 providers (per specialty) within 60 minutes <u>OR</u> 60 miles for at least 95% of Members		

#### Global Adjustments to Time & Distance Standards)

#### **Explanation**

Because geo-mapping analysis of the NC Medicaid Fee-For-Service provider network resulted in some counties not meeting the applicable network adequacy standards for certain provider/service categories for certain member age groups (adult or child), the Department adopted adjusted time and distance standards for certain county/provider category/beneficiary combinations. The results in this report DO NOT reflect the results based upon those adjusted standards. This mean that the displayed results in some instances reflect a percentage of members with access that is less than the result when the adjusted standards are used.

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	AmeriHealth Caritas													
Region	# of Counties	# of # of		_		Hospitals	OB/GYN	Primary Care (Adult)	Primary Care (Child)	Pharmacy	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Adult)	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Child)		
			% Members	% Members										
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
5	15	289,152	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
6	27	220,932	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					

	AmeriHealth Caritas												
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	_		_	Occupational Therapy	Physical Therapy	Speech Therapy	Allergy/ Immunology (Adult)	Allergy/ Immunology (Child)	Cardiology (Adult)	Cardiology (Child)	
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members				
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	89%	100%	100%				
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	84%	100%	100%				
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	79%	100%	100%				
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%				
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	78%	100%	100%				
6	27	220,932	95%	94%	98%	96%	33%	100%	99%				

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	AmeriHealth Caritas												
Region	# of	# of	Gastroenterology Adult	Gastroenterology Child	Oncology Adult	Oncology Child	Psychiatry Adult	Psychiatry Child					
	Counties	Members <sup>1</sup>	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members					
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
2	13	301,714	100%	97%	100%	90%	100%	100%					
3	12	426,328	100%	99%	100%	96%	100%	100%					
4	14	347,131	100%	98%	100%	93%	100%	100%					
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	78%	100%	100%					
6	27	220,932	99%	95%	100%	81%	100%	100%					

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				Ca	arolina Complet	te Health			
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	Hospitals	OB/GYN	Primary Care (Adult)	Primary Care (Child)	Pharmacy	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Adult)	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Child)
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members
1	19	144,579							
2	13	301,714							
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
6	27	220,932							

				C	arolina Complet	te Health				
Region	# of Counties	# of # of Counties Members¹	_	Occupational Therapy	Physical Therapy	Speech Therapy	Allergy/ Immunology (Adult)	Allergy/ Immunology (Child)	Cardiology (Adult)	Cardiology (Child)
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	
1	19	144,579								
2	13	301,714								
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
5	15	289,152	98%	100%	100%	100%	81%	100%	100%	
6	27	220,932								

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				Carolina Co	mplete Health	ı		
Region	# of	# of	Gastroenterology Adult	Gastroenterology Oncology Child Adult		Oncology Child	Psychiatry Adult	Psychiatry Child
педіоп	Counties	Members <sup>1</sup>	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members
1	19	144,579						
2	13	301,714						
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
4	14	347,131	100%	97%	100%	97%	100%	100%
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	81%	100%	100%
6	27	220,932						

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	Healthy Blue													
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	_	Hospitals	OB/GYN	Primary Care (Adult)	Primary Care (Child)	Pharmacy	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Adult)	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Child)			
				% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members				
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
6	27	220,932	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%					

	Healthy Blue													
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	_			Occupational Therapy	Physical Therapy	Speech Therapy	Allergy/ Immunology (Adult)	Allergy/ Immunology (Child)	Cardiology (Adult)	Cardiology (Child)		
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members					
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	89%	100%	100%					
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	97%	100%	100%					
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%					
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%					
6	27	220,932	95%	97%	99%	100%	49%	100%	99%					

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	Healthy Blue										
Region	# of	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	Gastroenterology Adult	Gastroenterology Oncology Child Adult		Oncology Child	Psychiatry Adult	Psychiatry Child			
	Counties		% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members			
1	19	144,579	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
2	13	301,714	100%	98%	100%	98%	100%	100%			
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%			
4	14	347,131	100%	97%	100%	98%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	99%	92%	100%	84%	100%	100%			

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	United Healthcare											
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	Hospitals	OB/GYN Primary Care Primary Care (Adult) (Child)		Pharmacy	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Adult)	Outpatient Behavioral Health (Child)				
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members			
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			

	United Healthcare											
Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	Occupational Therapy	Physical Speech Therapy		Allergy/ Immunology (Adult)	Allergy/ Immunology (Child)	Cardiology (Adult)	Cardiology (Child)			
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members			
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	81%	100%	100%			
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	92%	100%	100%			
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	62%	100%	100%			
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	98%	100%	100%	62%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	94%	100%	100%	100%	33%	100%	100%			

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3	12	426,328	100%	98%	100%	95%	100%	100%			
4	14	347,131	100%	97%	100%	93%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	100%	95%	100%	88%	100%	100%			

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	Wellcare											
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			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members			
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5	15	289,152	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%			

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Region	# of Counties	# of Members <sup>1</sup>	Occupational Therapy	Physical Speech Therapy		Allergy/ Immunology (Adult)	Allergy/ Immunology (Child)	Cardiology (Adult)	Cardiology (Child)			
			% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members	% Members			
1	19	144,579	100%	100%	100%	100%	15%	100%	99%			
2	13	301,714	100%	100%	100%	100%	63%	100%	98%			
3	12	426,328	100%	100%	100%	100%	86%	100%	100%			
4	14	347,131	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	98%	100%	100%	54%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	97%	99%	99%	93%	37%	100%	98%			

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4	14	347,131	100%	96%	100%	91%	100%	100%			
5	15	289,152	100%	84%	100%	84%	100%	100%			
6	27	220,932	100%	82%	100%	80%	100%	100%			

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# **NC Medicaid Managed Care Regions**

