

Table 1.1 Age, Gender, and Race/Ethnicity of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Residence Status, 1997

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Residence	
		Community Only	Long-Term Care Facility Only
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,588	37,257	2,332
	130	140	72
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total			
Medicare Status¹			
Aged			
65 - 74 years	46.18	48.38	10.99
	0.30	0.30	0.96
75 - 84 years	30.68	30.59	32.10
	0.25	0.25	1.24
85 years and older	11.17	9.05	45.05
	0.17	0.16	1.33
Disabled			
Under 45 years	3.83	3.76	5.01
	0.10	0.10	0.51
45 - 64 years	8.13	8.21	6.84
	0.18	0.19	0.78
Gender by Age			
Male			
	43.77	44.57	30.94
	0.27	0.28	1.25
Aged			
65 - 74 years	21.36	22.42	4.41
	0.29	0.30	0.62
75 - 84 years	12.08	12.16	10.71
	0.18	0.19	0.87
85 years and older	3.35	3.04	8.45
	0.10	0.09	0.72
Disabled			
Under 45 years	2.28	2.23	3.20
	0.07	0.08	0.41
45 - 64 years	4.70	4.73	4.17
	0.15	0.15	0.64

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total			
Female	56.23	55.43	69.06
	0.27	0.28	1.25
Aged			
65 - 74 years	24.82	25.97	6.58
	0.24	0.26	0.81
75 - 84 years	18.61	18.44	21.39
	0.23	0.23	1.17
85 years and older	7.81	6.01	36.60
	0.14	0.13	1.24
Disabled			
Under 45 years	1.54	1.53	1.81
	0.06	0.06	0.30
45 - 64 years	3.44	3.49	2.67
	0.10	0.11	0.47
Race/Ethnicity by Age²			
White non-Hispanic	82.73	82.47	86.96
	0.44	0.45	0.87
Aged			
65 - 74 years	38.40	40.23	8.77
	0.37	0.38	0.85
75 - 84 years	26.30	26.20	27.87
	0.26	0.26	1.28
85 years and older	9.76	7.84	40.78
	0.15	0.15	1.33
Disabled			
Under 45 years	2.56	2.47	3.88
	0.09	0.10	0.46
45 - 64 years	5.72	5.72	5.67
	0.18	0.19	0.69

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total			
Black non-Hispanic	8.69	8.69	8.73
	0.18	0.18	0.73
Aged			
65 - 74 years	3.57	3.68	1.70
	0.12	0.12	0.41
75 - 84 years	2.26	2.24	2.61
	0.09	0.09	0.42
85 years and older	0.78	0.64	3.03
	0.06	0.05	0.39
Disabled			
Under 45 years	0.83	0.84	0.64
	0.05	0.05	0.15
45 - 64 years	1.25	1.29	0.75
	0.07	0.08	0.23
Hispanic	6.38	6.60	2.71
	0.43	0.46	0.51
Aged			
65 - 74 years	3.07	3.24	0.33
	0.22	0.24	0.19
75 - 84 years	1.57	1.60	1.13
	0.13	0.14	0.31
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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total			
Disabled			
Under 45 years	0.32	0.33	0.24
	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.09</i>
45 - 64 years	0.96	1.01	0.18
	<i>0.10</i>	<i>0.10</i>	<i>0.11</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

Note: Standard errors are shaded and in italics. See Appendix A for additional information on standard errors. See Appendix B for definitions of terms and variables.

- 1 Medicare beneficiaries with end-stage renal disease (ESRD) are included within the subgroups of "Aged" and "Disabled."
- 2 Race/ethnicity percentages do not add to 100 percent because the category "Other Race/Ethnicity" is not included as a category in the table, although it is included in the total.

Table 1.2 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age and by Gender and Age, 1997

All Medicare Beneficiaries

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		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,588	4,738	18,281	12,147	4,423	2,763	8,455	4,780	1,328	17,326	1,971	9,826	7,367	3,092	22,257
	130	80	135	96	70	66	118	69	38	123	41	101	92	59	127
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Marital Status															
Married	51.99	42.43	64.48	47.85	21.91	46.13	79.00	71.13	52.26	69.55	37.24	51.98	32.76	8.88	38.33
	0.36	1.36	0.56	0.65	0.80	1.73	0.79	0.90	2.09	0.60	1.79	0.93	0.92	0.62	0.50
Widowed	32.06	7.63	21.78	43.27	69.92	2.74	8.13	20.53	40.51	13.17	14.48	33.53	58.01	82.54	46.76
	0.36	0.60	0.58	0.68	0.88	0.48	0.63	0.88	1.85	0.40	1.27	0.93	0.93	0.83	0.55
Divorced/separated	8.85	21.34	9.74	4.62	3.45	20.72	8.47	4.22	3.87	8.90	22.21	10.83	4.88	3.27	8.82
	0.25	0.94	0.42	0.27	0.35	1.26	0.57	0.41	0.70	0.39	1.33	0.59	0.39	0.40	0.32
Never married	7.10	28.60	4.00	4.26	4.72	30.40	4.40	4.12	3.36	8.39	26.07	3.65	4.34	5.30	6.09
	0.18	1.02	0.23	0.25	0.43	1.30	0.33	0.42	0.64	0.31	1.43	0.35	0.33	0.55	0.24
Living Arrangement															
Community															
Lives alone	28.54	21.57	23.66	34.58	39.54	20.55	14.03	19.30	28.44	17.63	23.02	31.95	44.50	44.30	37.03
	0.32	0.92	0.51	0.63	1.06	1.16	0.60	0.82	1.85	0.41	1.53	0.81	0.90	1.20	0.51
With spouse	49.88	40.28	63.07	45.40	17.89	44.49	77.60	67.61	43.08	66.92	34.37	50.56	30.99	7.07	36.61
	0.35	1.34	0.58	0.65	0.67	1.69	0.84	0.96	1.97	0.60	1.69	0.92	0.91	0.55	0.51
With children	8.77	10.09	6.96	9.28	13.42	4.47	2.91	4.00	9.50	3.97	17.98	10.44	12.70	15.11	12.51
	0.22	0.66	0.35	0.42	0.75	0.59	0.36	0.48	0.88	0.24	1.30	0.64	0.57	0.94	0.35
With others	6.93	22.22	4.90	4.57	5.39	24.27	4.24	3.87	4.15	7.32	19.33	5.48	5.03	5.92	6.62
	0.20	0.78	0.32	0.32	0.40	1.21	0.44	0.42	0.71	0.31	1.14	0.43	0.43	0.51	0.25
Long-Term Care Facility															
	5.89	5.84	1.40	6.16	23.77	6.22	1.22	5.22	14.84	4.16	5.30	1.56	6.77	27.60	7.24
	0.18	0.44	0.13	0.34	0.80	0.63	0.19	0.45	1.27	0.23	0.62	0.19	0.46	0.91	0.23
Race/Ethnicity															
White non-Hispanic	82.73	69.34	83.08	85.68	87.47	70.19	84.18	86.68	85.62	82.75	68.14	82.13	85.03	88.26	82.71
	0.44	1.12	0.53	0.46	0.72	1.41	0.73	0.76	1.27	0.58	1.42	0.73	0.51	0.75	0.46
Black non-Hispanic	8.69	17.47	7.72	7.37	6.97	16.60	7.13	6.41	7.12	8.44	18.70	8.22	7.99	6.90	8.88
	0.18	0.70	0.24	0.28	0.47	0.91	0.39	0.46	0.78	0.26	1.01	0.37	0.36	0.55	0.23
Hispanic	6.38	10.74	6.64	5.13	4.07	10.74	6.43	5.24	5.73	6.74	10.73	6.82	5.06	3.35	6.10
	0.43	0.92	0.49	0.43	0.46	1.06	0.57	0.64	0.84	0.51	1.14	0.62	0.39	0.41	0.45
Other	2.21	2.45	2.57	1.82	1.49	2.47	2.26	1.67	1.53	2.07	2.43	2.84	1.92	1.48	2.31
	0.14	0.36	0.25	0.17	0.23	0.46	0.32	0.25	0.48	0.21	0.55	0.32	0.23	0.25	0.17

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	130	80	135	96	70	66	118	69	38	123	41	101	92	59	127
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total															
Schooling															
0 - 8 years	20.99	22.27	16.55	22.26	35.78	23.66	18.48	24.39	38.75	22.42	20.34	14.88	20.88	34.44	19.87
	0.52	1.13	0.64	0.82	1.11	1.50	0.74	1.21	1.94	0.63	1.42	0.86	0.84	1.17	0.57
9 - 11 years	16.22	19.48	15.28	16.73	15.25	19.35	13.65	15.50	15.19	15.17	19.65	16.69	17.52	15.28	17.05
	0.35	1.03	0.56	0.50	0.78	1.22	0.71	0.91	1.50	0.52	1.66	0.88	0.63	1.08	0.50
12 years	33.13	37.41	34.27	32.93	23.75	38.57	30.30	29.01	19.85	30.47	35.78	37.70	35.46	25.51	35.22
	0.52	1.26	0.66	0.83	0.88	1.61	1.04	1.14	1.60	0.70	1.65	0.95	0.93	1.19	0.62
13 - 15 years	15.46	14.25	16.67	14.90	13.07	11.97	15.10	13.64	11.60	13.95	17.43	18.02	15.72	13.73	16.65
	0.32	0.82	0.48	0.50	0.79	1.04	0.67	0.75	1.45	0.44	1.45	0.68	0.68	0.91	0.36
16 or more years	14.20	6.59	17.23	13.19	12.15	6.45	22.46	17.47	14.60	18.00	6.80	12.72	10.42	11.04	11.22
	0.40	0.59	0.73	0.45	0.60	0.74	1.15	0.87	1.27	0.66	0.86	0.77	0.47	0.73	0.44
Income															
\$5,000 of less	7.13	11.96	5.52	6.61	10.01	11.26	4.50	5.55	6.62	6.03	12.88	6.39	7.29	11.48	7.97
	0.23	0.74	0.30	0.35	0.54	0.99	0.44	0.57	0.86	0.32	1.18	0.45	0.44	0.68	0.29
\$5,001 - \$10,000	25.42	37.51	21.74	23.43	33.10	35.87	20.40	17.70	22.54	22.29	39.77	22.90	27.15	37.57	27.84
	0.43	1.25	0.65	0.62	1.01	1.60	0.98	0.79	1.44	0.72	1.71	0.81	0.86	1.15	0.47
\$10,001 - \$15,000	17.13	16.27	16.26	17.95	19.39	16.69	14.44	16.32	21.14	15.83	15.72	17.83	19.00	18.66	18.15
	0.32	0.89	0.46	0.44	0.86	1.34	0.68	0.72	1.47	0.44	1.56	0.63	0.61	1.01	0.42
\$15,001 - \$20,000	11.90	9.40	12.01	12.93	11.26	10.07	11.47	14.04	16.02	12.30	8.47	12.48	12.22	9.22	11.59
	0.25	0.84	0.43	0.43	0.54	1.15	0.59	0.72	1.30	0.35	1.00	0.58	0.50	0.68	0.35
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.25	7.10	10.89	11.27	8.18	8.20	11.27	12.70	10.58	11.12	5.58	10.57	10.34	7.15	9.58
	0.27	0.65	0.40	0.49	0.56	0.92	0.71	0.85	1.19	0.48	0.90	0.54	0.59	0.61	0.34
\$25,001 - \$30,000	7.82	4.73	9.00	8.30	4.92	5.38	9.32	9.54	6.36	8.53	3.82	8.72	7.49	4.31	7.27
	0.23	0.59	0.36	0.39	0.42	0.90	0.56	0.68	0.89	0.33	0.60	0.52	0.52	0.43	0.33
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.11	3.46	6.31	4.67	3.12	3.05	6.64	5.93	3.68	5.65	4.04	6.03	3.85	2.87	4.69
	0.20	0.41	0.36	0.27	0.33	0.47	0.44	0.54	0.65	0.28	0.71	0.54	0.36	0.39	0.27
\$35,001 - \$40,000	4.32	2.43	5.18	4.22	3.09	2.06	6.39	5.05	4.24	5.17	2.94	4.13	3.68	2.60	3.66
	0.22	0.30	0.39	0.30	0.31	0.36	0.61	0.51	0.73	0.34	0.58	0.37	0.33	0.33	0.22
More than \$40,000	10.93	7.15	13.09	10.62	6.93	7.41	15.57	13.15	8.83	13.08	6.79	10.95	8.97	6.12	9.26
	0.29	0.67	0.51	0.43	0.61	0.92	0.75	0.83	1.13	0.42	0.99	0.60	0.48	0.63	0.37

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	<i>130</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>118</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>123</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>101</i>	<i>92</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>127</i>

Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total

Metropolitan Area Resident															
Yes	75.53	72.27	76.49	75.73	74.45	71.83	76.67	74.29	75.84	75.18	72.83	76.34	76.67	73.83	75.79
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>0.57</i>	<i>0.58</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>0.36</i>	<i>1.24</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.32</i>
No	24.47	27.73	23.51	24.27	25.55	28.17	23.33	25.71	24.16	24.82	27.17	23.66	23.33	26.17	24.21
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>0.57</i>	<i>0.58</i>	<i>1.10</i>	<i>0.36</i>	<i>1.24</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.56</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.32</i>

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Table 1.3 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1997

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Beneficiary Characteristic	Total ¹	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,588	3,263	15,149	10,374	3,850	32,636	822	1,407	892	307	3,428	505	1,211	621	179	2,516
	130	79	156	99	63	202	35	47	35	23	72	43	88	53	20	171
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Gender																
Male	43.77	59.22	46.83	39.85	29.48	43.80	55.58	42.70	34.28	30.77	42.53	58.53	44.77	40.21	42.38	46.24
	0.27	0.97	0.55	0.60	0.83	0.33	2.06	1.89	1.94	2.91	0.95	2.75	2.68	2.58	3.47	1.51
Female	56.23	40.78	53.17	60.15	70.52	56.20	44.42	57.30	65.72	69.23	57.47	41.47	55.23	59.79	57.62	53.76
	0.27	0.97	0.55	0.60	0.83	0.33	2.06	1.89	1.94	2.91	0.95	2.75	2.68	2.58	3.47	1.51
Marital Status																
Married	51.99	44.83	67.27	49.74	22.00	54.12	29.40	41.16	33.44	17.63	34.24	48.23	57.51	41.88	30.27	49.84
	0.36	1.63	0.58	0.72	0.88	0.37	3.25	2.22	2.22	2.83	1.47	3.32	2.64	2.31	4.59	1.57
Widowed	32.06	7.02	20.48	42.13	69.85	31.84	9.46	37.32	53.47	74.18	38.13	6.72	20.04	43.74	61.53	26.18
	0.36	0.68	0.61	0.72	0.99	0.41	1.32	1.97	2.37	3.21	1.27	1.74	2.65	2.39	4.20	1.44
Divorced/ separated	8.85	20.58	8.43	3.83	3.22	7.56	24.75	16.51	8.87	4.98	15.47	21.70	17.16	10.58	4.62	15.55
	0.25	1.09	0.46	0.28	0.36	0.25	2.17	1.55	1.30	1.58	1.09	2.99	1.79	1.97	2.28	1.27
Never married	7.10	27.57	3.82	4.31	4.92	6.48	36.39	5.01	4.22	3.22	12.16	23.35	5.29	3.79	3.59	8.43
	0.18	1.17	0.24	0.25	0.45	0.18	2.87	0.99	0.98	1.24	0.78	2.68	1.30	1.29	2.22	0.88
Living Arrangement																
Community																
Lives alone	28.54	22.02	22.95	34.95	41.22	28.82	22.55	30.13	36.70	31.10	30.11	16.51	25.14	28.87	21.70	24.08
	0.32	1.12	0.51	0.69	1.18	0.36	2.07	1.97	2.35	3.26	1.17	2.74	2.72	2.12	2.59	1.50
With spouse	49.88	43.09	66.13	47.26	17.90	52.14	25.79	39.78	31.28	12.97	31.81	47.27	54.29	40.14	30.61	47.70
	0.35	1.63	0.59	0.71	0.74	0.37	2.95	2.27	2.14	2.34	1.46	3.27	2.66	2.45	4.52	1.55
With children	8.77	7.79	5.34	7.76	11.78	7.12	17.82	16.90	13.84	21.87	16.77	14.11	12.43	20.52	29.65	15.99
	0.22	0.61	0.34	0.43	0.76	0.21	1.94	1.50	1.49	2.56	0.99	1.90	1.45	2.32	4.09	0.96
With others	6.93	20.38	4.25	3.87	4.80	5.80	29.97	10.42	11.47	11.40	15.47	20.24	7.51	6.29	7.29	9.75
	0.20	1.05	0.30	0.32	0.43	0.20	1.95	1.48	1.54	1.92	0.93	2.75	1.58	1.62	2.58	0.81
Long-Term Care Facility	5.89	6.71	1.33	6.17	24.31	6.12	3.87	2.77	6.71	22.66	5.84	1.87	0.63	4.17	10.75	2.47
	0.18	0.57	0.14	0.37	0.88	0.20	0.74	0.66	1.09	2.48	0.51	0.53	0.36	1.07	2.17	0.45

Table 1.3 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1997

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total ¹	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,588	3,263	15,149	10,374	3,850	32,636	822	1,407	892	307	3,428	505	1,211	621	179	2,516
	130	79	156	99	63	202	35	47	35	23	72	43	88	53	20	171
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Schooling																
0 - 8 years	20.99	20.04	11.89	17.60	31.63	16.70	19.28	33.31	45.22	60.86	35.29	42.24	50.10	61.37	75.82	53.01
	0.52	1.40	0.49	0.76	1.18	0.42	1.82	2.37	2.32	4.20	1.42	2.82	3.31	3.74	4.23	2.42
9 - 11 years	16.22	17.48	14.38	16.39	15.38	15.44	29.02	26.35	22.71	20.11	25.54	17.58	13.23	12.96	3.53	13.40
	0.35	1.29	0.63	0.54	0.84	0.41	2.54	2.39	1.96	3.65	1.39	2.69	1.82	1.82	1.59	1.01
12 years	33.13	40.03	36.78	35.46	25.24	35.40	36.47	23.11	20.79	11.93	24.81	23.24	20.28	12.79	14.87	18.65
	0.52	1.49	0.75	0.92	0.95	0.55	2.19	1.84	1.55	2.21	1.10	3.73	2.48	2.60	3.59	1.96
13 - 15 years	15.46	14.69	18.08	16.37	14.43	16.80	12.01	11.31	4.94	3.36	9.17	13.43	5.61	6.63	4.21	7.33
	0.32	0.83	0.55	0.56	0.89	0.36	1.63	1.34	1.09	1.29	0.75	2.51	1.07	1.41	1.76	0.87
16 or more years	14.20	7.76	18.86	14.19	13.32	15.66	3.21	5.93	6.34	3.74	5.19	3.49	10.78	6.26	1.58	7.61
	0.40	0.75	0.85	0.50	0.65	0.46	1.06	1.17	1.11	1.38	0.58	1.28	1.70	1.60	0.99	1.07
Income																
\$5,000 or less	7.13	10.39	4.86	5.48	8.60	6.05	16.24	8.46	11.81	21.10	12.33	13.04	8.87	17.56	21.73	12.77
	0.23	0.80	0.35	0.33	0.55	0.23	1.98	1.20	1.37	2.18	0.90	2.19	1.31	1.81	3.47	1.07
\$5,001 - \$10,000	25.42	35.04	19.39	21.54	31.67	23.09	45.66	33.82	35.60	39.95	37.67	41.91	36.19	31.98	41.19	36.66
	0.43	1.57	0.68	0.63	1.07	0.45	2.30	2.11	2.51	2.62	1.22	3.36	2.69	3.13	4.79	1.85
\$10,001 - \$15,000	17.13	16.64	16.04	17.71	20.11	17.11	12.54	15.80	18.36	17.20	15.81	19.23	17.05	19.11	9.92	17.49
	0.32	1.06	0.50	0.49	0.95	0.36	1.63	1.49	2.19	2.44	0.97	2.67	1.80	2.58	2.27	1.26
\$15,001 - \$20,000	11.90	10.28	11.98	13.29	11.47	12.16	7.57	13.83	12.07	8.56	11.40	7.47	11.26	9.64	13.93	10.29
	0.25	1.06	0.48	0.45	0.60	0.27	1.26	1.39	1.76	1.47	0.81	1.74	1.76	1.73	3.53	0.92
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.25	7.95	11.52	11.93	8.69	10.96	3.73	7.69	7.10	4.81	6.33	5.88	8.00	7.98	3.68	7.26
	0.27	0.83	0.47	0.55	0.60	0.32	0.80	1.24	1.23	1.36	0.67	2.00	1.26	1.79	1.90	0.89
\$25,001 - \$30,000	7.82	5.56	9.52	8.93	5.20	8.42	3.50	6.85	4.79	2.85	5.15	2.65	5.24	4.62	1.87	4.33
	0.23	0.78	0.39	0.44	0.47	0.27	0.68	1.22	1.11	1.16	0.58	1.24	1.17	1.13	1.09	0.59
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.11	3.70	6.83	4.99	3.33	5.52	3.39	2.90	2.03	1.90	2.70	3.05	4.55	2.56	2.04	3.58
	0.20	0.50	0.42	0.30	0.37	0.23	0.92	0.68	0.61	0.97	0.38	1.29	1.21	0.95	1.03	0.65
\$35,001 - \$40,000	4.32	2.35	5.53	4.57	3.34	4.65	2.16	4.00	2.17	1.27	2.84	2.67	1.93	1.75	2.31	2.06
	0.22	0.35	0.43	0.35	0.36	0.25	0.91	1.00	0.58	0.73	0.53	0.98	0.70	0.75	1.18	0.47
More than \$40,000	10.93	8.09	14.34	11.55	7.59	12.03	5.21	6.66	6.06	2.35	5.77	4.10	6.92	4.80	3.34	5.58
	0.29	0.87	0.55	0.49	0.67	0.32	1.23	1.33	1.15	0.86	0.69	2.02	1.30	1.25	1.83	0.89

Table 1.3 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Race/Ethnicity and Age, 1997

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total ¹	White non-Hispanic					Black non-Hispanic					Hispanic				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,588	3,263	15,149	10,374	3,850	32,636	822	1,407	892	307	3,428	505	1,211	621	179	2,516
	<i>130</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>202</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>171</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Metropolitan Area Resident																
Yes	75.53	69.24	74.69	74.98	74.07	74.16	76.26	82.26	77.59	73.76	78.85	87.18	86.88	81.86	81.60	85.32
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>1.52</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.59</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>1.62</i>	<i>1.98</i>	<i>1.59</i>	<i>4.20</i>	<i>1.50</i>	<i>5.00</i>	<i>4.01</i>	<i>5.83</i>	<i>5.90</i>	<i>4.67</i>
No	24.47	30.76	25.31	25.02	25.93	25.84	23.74	17.74	22.41	26.24	21.15	12.82	13.12	18.14	18.40	14.68
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>1.52</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.59</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>1.62</i>	<i>1.98</i>	<i>1.59</i>	<i>4.20</i>	<i>1.50</i>	<i>5.00</i>	<i>4.01</i>	<i>5.83</i>	<i>5.90</i>	<i>4.67</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

Note: Standard errors are shaded and in italics. See Appendix A for additional information on standard errors. See Appendix B for definitions of terms and variables.

¹ Total includes persons of other race/ethnicity and persons who did not report their race/ethnicity.

Table 1.4a Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Community Residents^a

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	37,257	1,021	4,326	4,201	1,748	11,296	1,907	11,529	5,515	791	19,742	1,530	2,169	1,682	831	6,213
	140	42	100	81	50	129	84	135	91	34	156	47	83	61	39	118
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Marital Status																
Married	54.21	2.34	2.75	2.21	1.87	2.38	99.94	99.76	99.87	99.78	99.81	3.99	4.82	1.82	1.69	3.39
	0.37	0.81	0.46	0.34	0.38	0.21	0.06	0.10	0.07	0.32	0.06	0.89	0.88	0.57	0.62	0.37
Widowed	30.48	19.20	60.60	82.93	88.15	69.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.41	58.63	79.76	89.07	56.57
	0.37	1.92	1.37	0.86	0.96	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.28	2.03	1.68	1.42	1.03
Divorced/ separated	8.96	44.80	26.35	8.08	5.47	17.98	0.06	0.24	0.13	0.22	0.19	33.52	26.61	9.10	3.45	20.47
	0.26	1.86	1.30	0.58	0.67	0.62	0.06	0.10	0.07	0.32	0.06	1.80	1.87	1.16	0.78	0.94
Never married	6.35	33.66	10.29	6.77	4.51	10.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.08	9.95	9.31	5.79	19.58
	0.18	1.90	0.68	0.53	0.64	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.75	1.23	1.21	1.07	0.74
Race/Ethnicity																
White non-Hispanic	82.47	71.19	80.64	86.51	90.90	83.57	73.94	87.05	89.02	87.31	86.34	60.40	67.24	71.97	76.78	68.12
	0.45	1.92	1.08	0.71	0.77	0.55	1.92	0.63	0.59	1.71	0.53	1.85	1.76	1.66	1.89	1.04
Black non-Hispanic	8.69	18.36	9.83	7.81	5.47	9.17	11.15	4.86	5.06	5.04	5.53	25.81	17.79	13.46	12.28	17.85
	0.18	1.63	0.58	0.56	0.64	0.35	1.35	0.33	0.39	0.99	0.25	1.55	1.34	1.03	1.45	0.72
Hispanic	6.60	8.26	7.06	4.28	2.23	5.38	12.56	5.71	4.53	6.95	6.09	11.40	11.18	9.94	7.96	10.46
	0.46	1.29	0.93	0.45	0.35	0.49	1.42	0.55	0.52	1.46	0.51	1.51	1.00	1.07	1.12	0.71
Other	2.24	2.19	2.47	1.40	1.41	1.88	2.36	2.38	1.39	0.70	2.03	2.39	3.79	4.62	2.99	3.56
	0.15	0.82	0.43	0.23	0.34	0.21	0.61	0.32	0.23	0.35	0.21	0.52	0.74	0.82	0.85	0.41
Schooling																
0 - 8 years	20.35	18.29	17.02	21.02	30.72	20.73	21.21	14.20	18.63	33.99	16.90	23.60	26.59	34.77	47.69	30.86
	0.53	1.89	1.19	1.01	1.38	0.73	1.92	0.65	1.01	2.65	0.54	1.72	2.01	1.86	2.05	1.13
9 - 11 years	16.17	22.67	16.50	18.51	14.63	17.51	18.56	13.98	14.63	15.75	14.67	19.33	19.59	18.56	14.18	18.54
	0.36	2.38	0.98	0.81	1.31	0.58	1.49	0.70	0.69	1.77	0.48	1.74	1.42	1.38	1.65	0.81
12 years	33.42	33.24	35.03	34.13	25.06	33.00	39.87	34.79	33.11	24.73	34.41	37.62	31.10	30.47	19.26	30.95
	0.52	2.28	1.34	1.25	1.29	0.80	1.99	0.84	1.09	2.05	0.65	1.77	1.98	1.68	1.62	1.05
13 - 15 years	15.72	17.97	17.35	15.35	15.98	16.45	13.66	17.25	16.64	12.50	16.55	13.20	13.07	9.27	10.24	11.70
	0.33	2.09	0.95	0.80	1.13	0.53	1.27	0.69	0.70	1.82	0.50	1.28	1.26	1.10	1.47	0.71
16 or more years	14.34	7.83	14.09	10.98	13.61	12.30	6.70	19.78	16.99	13.03	17.47	6.26	9.65	6.93	8.63	7.96
	0.41	1.17	1.14	0.62	1.10	0.52	0.87	0.91	0.75	1.29	0.59	1.07	1.26	0.93	1.11	0.58

Table 1.4a Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	37,257	1,021	4,326	4,201	1,748	11,296	1,907	11,529	5,515	791	19,742	1,530	2,169	1,682	831	6,213
	<i>140</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>129</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>118</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Income																
\$5,000 or less	6.50	10.38	6.96	6.28	8.05	7.19	5.05	4.11	4.13	5.57	4.27	18.41	9.47	10.45	12.55	12.35
	<i>0.23</i>	<i>1.25</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>0.29</i>	<i>1.49</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>1.09</i>	<i>1.41</i>	<i>0.65</i>
\$5,001 - \$10,000	24.63	52.11	30.94	29.63	32.52	32.61	22.50	15.91	13.81	14.73	15.91	45.71	32.94	34.69	42.09	37.78
	<i>0.45</i>	<i>2.79</i>	<i>1.19</i>	<i>1.08</i>	<i>1.75</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>1.69</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>1.69</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>1.94</i>	<i>1.90</i>	<i>1.56</i>	<i>1.97</i>	<i>0.96</i>
\$10,001 - \$15,000	17.15	15.83	19.48	21.92	21.34	20.34	18.10	14.52	15.16	18.70	15.22	15.56	17.67	18.25	19.06	17.50
	<i>0.34</i>	<i>2.50</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>0.87</i>	<i>1.40</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>1.63</i>	<i>0.61</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>0.46</i>	<i>1.38</i>	<i>1.53</i>	<i>1.50</i>	<i>2.10</i>	<i>0.78</i>
\$15,001 - \$20,000	12.13	8.08	11.36	12.46	10.69	11.37	13.81	12.30	13.94	19.01	13.17	5.75	12.00	12.38	9.58	10.24
	<i>0.25</i>	<i>1.51</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>0.46</i>	<i>1.70</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>1.86</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.41</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>1.45</i>	<i>0.64</i>
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.46	5.34	8.90	9.85	8.14	8.81	10.35	12.36	13.53	12.38	12.50	4.54	7.35	9.04	6.41	6.99
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.77</i>	<i>0.48</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>1.47</i>	<i>0.43</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>1.04</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>0.49</i>
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.07	2.75	6.10	7.03	5.05	5.98	7.28	10.46	10.50	9.26	10.12	3.10	7.73	5.44	3.24	5.37
	<i>0.25</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.33</i>	<i>1.21</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>1.24</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.60</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>0.48</i>
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.28	1.75	5.22	2.81	2.56	3.60	5.44	7.43	7.02	6.01	7.07	2.35	3.17	2.67	1.98	2.67
	<i>0.21</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>0.33</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.29</i>	<i>0.81</i>	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>0.33</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>0.85</i>	<i>0.66</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.37</i>
\$35,001 - \$40,000	4.44	0.27	2.36	2.41	3.40	2.35	4.34	6.73	6.38	4.31	6.30	1.56	3.02	2.47	1.76	2.34
	<i>0.23</i>	<i>0.21</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>0.31</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.21</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>0.55</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>0.37</i>	<i>0.35</i>	<i>0.81</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.51</i>	<i>0.35</i>
More than \$40,000	11.33	3.50	8.69	7.60	8.25	7.75	13.13	16.17	15.52	10.02	15.45	3.03	6.66	4.60	3.33	4.76
	<i>0.31</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>0.83</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>0.94</i>	<i>0.43</i>	<i>1.42</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>1.56</i>	<i>0.50</i>	<i>0.64</i>	<i>1.13</i>	<i>0.71</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>0.46</i>
Metropolitan Area Resident																
Yes	75.71	71.98	75.61	75.35	74.61	75.03	69.17	75.96	75.14	76.49	75.10	74.55	81.11	80.42	77.60	78.84
	<i>0.29</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>2.27</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>1.59</i>	<i>0.42</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>1.54</i>	<i>1.42</i>	<i>1.79</i>	<i>0.77</i>
No	24.29	28.02	24.39	24.65	25.39	24.97	30.83	24.04	24.86	23.51	24.90	25.45	18.89	19.58	22.40	21.16
	<i>0.29</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>2.27</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>0.65</i>	<i>1.59</i>	<i>0.42</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>1.54</i>	<i>1.42</i>	<i>1.79</i>	<i>0.77</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

Note: Standard errors are shaded and in italics. See Appendix A for additional information on standard errors. See Appendix B for definitions of terms and variables.

¹ The term *community residents* includes beneficiaries who resided only in the community during the year, and beneficiaries who resided part of the year in the community and part of the year in a long-term care facility. It excludes beneficiaries who resided only in a long-term care facility during the year.

Table 1.4b Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Male Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Male Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone				Total	Lives with Spouse				Total	Lives with Children/Others				Total
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	16,604	568	1,186	922	378	3,054	1,229	6,561	3,232	572	11,594	794	605	376	181	1,956
	126	33	55	42	27	75	64	106	65	29	122	38	49	32	15	73
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Marital Status																
Married	71.23	2.19	4.31	5.11	6.36	4.41	99.91	99.69	99.90	99.69	99.77	2.95	10.40	5.78	5.65	6.05
	0.60	0.82	1.00	1.00	1.39	0.50	0.09	0.16	0.08	0.44	0.09	0.85	2.29	1.81	2.31	0.88
Widowed	12.56	7.05	38.89	70.74	80.94	47.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.39	33.60	64.59	80.76	32.02
	0.40	1.62	2.68	2.48	2.13	1.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.99	3.83	4.12	4.10	1.75
Divorced/ separated	8.78	51.98	36.92	12.69	7.70	28.76	0.09	0.31	0.10	0.31	0.23	31.09	38.97	15.44	7.52	28.36
	0.40	2.51	2.81	1.57	1.71	1.35	0.09	0.16	0.08	0.44	0.09	2.29	3.84	2.81	2.56	1.64
Never married	7.43	38.78	19.88	11.46	5.01	18.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	61.56	17.02	14.19	6.07	33.57
	0.30	2.55	1.71	1.53	1.42	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.19	2.86	2.77	2.27	1.64
Race/Ethnicity																
White non-Hispanic	82.69	70.44	79.11	83.36	91.27	80.31	74.00	86.49	88.66	86.08	85.75	61.69	70.44	76.16	73.45	68.27
	0.58	2.99	1.89	1.70	1.74	1.02	2.39	0.84	0.81	1.72	0.64	2.24	3.47	3.71	4.19	1.61
Black non-Hispanic	8.33	19.35	11.60	8.78	3.80	11.20	10.69	5.24	5.23	5.40	5.83	24.36	17.49	10.89	14.75	18.75
	0.27	2.29	1.14	1.39	1.11	0.80	1.83	0.47	0.53	1.07	0.35	1.87	2.61	2.12	3.49	1.15
Hispanic	6.90	7.46	6.83	6.55	3.63	6.46	12.93	6.09	4.78	7.79	6.54	11.55	9.58	7.38	7.33	9.75
	0.52	1.75	1.23	1.13	1.22	0.73	1.55	0.71	0.64	1.43	0.57	2.03	2.92	2.40	2.04	1.40
Other	2.07	2.75	2.46	1.31	1.30	2.02	2.38	2.18	1.32	0.72	1.89	2.40	2.49	5.58	4.47	3.23
	0.21	1.09	1.01	0.54	0.76	0.51	0.80	0.34	0.28	0.42	0.23	0.67	1.11	2.26	2.05	0.68
Schooling																
0 - 8 years	21.90	18.05	22.34	27.39	34.61	24.61	24.88	16.77	21.57	37.80	20.00	23.52	27.72	34.77	48.52	29.30
	0.62	2.81	2.13	2.07	3.13	1.28	2.53	0.81	1.40	2.91	0.66	2.09	3.21	4.11	4.88	1.67
9 - 11 years	15.14	22.28	15.04	20.08	13.18	17.66	18.89	13.17	13.70	15.79	14.06	18.78	14.47	21.16	17.59	17.76
	0.53	2.65	1.80	2.13	2.16	1.15	1.88	0.80	0.98	2.14	0.62	2.11	2.80	3.44	3.95	1.43
12 years	30.65	36.31	30.38	28.45	20.58	29.66	37.86	30.40	29.67	21.69	30.56	42.04	30.69	25.66	14.33	32.74
	0.70	3.41	2.51	2.05	2.52	1.31	2.67	1.15	1.45	2.21	0.87	2.58	3.73	3.51	3.53	1.63
13 - 15 years	14.10	15.51	13.91	11.50	15.39	13.66	11.24	15.67	15.18	10.27	14.80	10.49	12.45	8.71	7.29	10.48
	0.45	2.63	1.72	1.22	2.52	0.94	1.75	0.84	0.94	2.02	0.60	1.49	2.50	2.23	2.77	1.05
16 or more years	18.21	7.84	18.32	12.58	16.24	14.41	7.14	23.98	19.89	14.46	20.59	5.17	14.66	9.69	12.28	9.72
	0.68	1.88	1.95	1.78	2.37	1.02	1.08	1.26	1.01	1.85	0.83	1.28	2.85	2.57	3.57	1.24

Table 1.4b Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Male Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Male Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone				Total	Lives with Spouse				Total	Lives with Children/Others				Total
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	16,604	568	1,186	922	378	3,054	1,229	6,561	3,232	572	11,594	794	605	376	181	1,956
	126	33	55	42	27	75	64	106	65	29	122	38	49	32	15	73
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Income																
\$5,000 or less	5.55	11.66	5.86	5.77	6.25	6.96	4.94	3.82	3.93	4.64	4.01	17.87	8.50	9.72	7.58	12.45
	0.32	1.69	1.00	1.20	1.49	0.67	1.06	0.47	0.57	1.14	0.31	1.98	2.09	2.56	2.28	1.20
\$5,001 - \$10,000	21.65	48.44	31.15	21.88	17.63	29.89	22.65	17.14	14.25	15.71	16.85	45.81	31.72	27.18	39.34	37.27
	0.74	3.70	2.55	2.02	2.92	1.51	2.27	1.13	0.83	1.99	0.80	2.48	3.89	3.16	4.89	1.76
\$10,001 - \$15,000	15.82	18.87	16.69	23.22	24.29	20.01	17.19	13.61	14.50	18.47	14.48	15.74	17.82	17.21	21.66	17.21
	0.45	3.71	1.96	1.99	2.77	1.25	1.94	0.75	0.88	2.34	0.48	1.72	3.29	2.49	4.09	1.53
\$15,001- \$20,000	12.36	7.48	10.22	16.15	10.74	11.56	14.47	11.37	13.87	21.15	12.88	5.98	14.37	11.24	16.18	10.53
	0.36	1.52	1.49	1.93	2.44	0.92	2.23	0.73	0.86	2.24	0.43	1.05	2.94	2.44	3.96	1.20
\$20,001 - \$25,000	11.28	5.47	8.08	9.67	11.59	8.51	11.54	12.37	13.77	12.13	12.66	5.64	5.56	13.87	8.21	7.44
	0.49	1.44	1.41	1.47	2.05	0.89	1.78	0.79	1.06	1.80	0.62	1.28	1.66	2.65	2.43	0.87
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.71	3.48	8.00	8.29	8.85	7.35	8.16	9.89	10.41	7.94	9.76	2.95	6.69	6.66	0.95	4.63
	0.35	0.91	1.29	1.34	1.84	0.64	1.67	0.64	0.88	1.54	0.47	0.94	1.97	2.22	0.85	0.77
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.80	1.90	6.04	3.55	2.69	4.10	4.15	7.19	7.02	5.54	6.74	2.27	2.96	5.01	0.93	2.89
	0.29	0.82	1.29	1.02	1.14	0.63	0.92	0.53	0.64	1.20	0.38	0.83	1.04	1.68	0.92	0.59
\$35,001 - \$40,000	5.31	0.04	3.00	2.65	5.38	2.64	3.67	7.19	6.15	4.62	6.40	1.02	5.43	3.38	2.93	3.01
	0.35	0.04	0.78	0.80	1.67	0.40	0.65	0.75	0.67	1.17	0.47	0.51	2.00	1.59	1.45	0.81
More than \$40,000	13.52	2.67	10.97	8.83	12.58	8.97	13.23	17.41	16.10	9.81	16.22	2.74	6.94	5.74	2.21	4.56
	0.44	1.23	2.01	1.29	2.29	0.92	1.87	0.90	1.10	1.73	0.61	0.86	1.75	1.74	1.34	0.79
Metropolitan Area Resident																
Yes	75.23	74.20	74.82	74.79	78.09	75.10	68.24	76.19	74.04	75.57	74.72	73.40	85.48	77.76	78.64	78.46
	0.36	3.13	1.88	1.80	2.75	0.97	2.22	0.74	0.86	1.74	0.55	2.13	2.49	4.11	2.85	1.24
No	24.77	25.80	25.18	25.21	21.91	24.90	31.76	23.81	25.96	24.43	25.28	26.60	14.52	22.24	21.36	21.54
	0.36	3.13	1.88	1.80	2.75	0.97	2.22	0.74	0.86	1.74	0.55	2.13	2.49	4.11	2.85	1.24

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

Note: Standard errors are shaded and in italics. See Appendix A for additional information on standard errors. See Appendix B for definitions of terms and variables.

¹ The term *community residents* includes beneficiaries who resided only in the community during the year, and beneficiaries who resided part of the year in the community and part of the year in a long-term care facility. It excludes beneficiaries who resided only in a long-term care facility during the year.

Table 1.4c Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Female Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Female Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	20,646	454	3,140	3,279	1,370	8,242	678	4,968	2,283	219	8,148	735	1,565	1,306	650	4,257
	124	30	85	74	42	120	39	105	75	18	121	33	77	51	36	99
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Marital Status																
Married	40.51	2.53	2.17	1.40	0.63	1.63	100.00	99.84	99.84	100.00	99.86	5.11	2.66	0.70	0.59	2.16
	0.54	1.55	0.51	0.34	0.26	0.24	0.00	0.12	0.14	0.00	0.08	1.64	0.95	0.37	0.47	0.48
Widowed	44.89	34.32	68.82	86.36	90.14	77.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.92	68.30	84.08	91.38	67.82
	0.56	3.44	1.54	0.82	0.99	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.44	2.36	1.66	1.38	1.13
Divorced/ separated	9.11	35.87	22.35	6.78	4.85	13.99	0.00	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.14	36.14	21.83	7.30	2.31	16.85
	0.35	3.35	1.29	0.66	0.70	0.66	0.00	0.12	0.14	0.00	0.08	2.48	1.95	1.22	0.69	1.02
Never married	5.48	27.28	6.67	5.46	4.37	6.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	41.83	7.21	7.92	5.71	13.16
	0.24	2.97	0.83	0.51	0.68	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.67	1.15	1.36	1.21	0.76
Race/Ethnicity																
White non-Hispanic	82.28	72.12	81.21	87.40	90.79	84.77	73.83	87.79	89.52	90.54	87.19	59.00	66.01	70.76	77.70	68.05
	0.48	2.80	1.45	0.74	0.92	0.70	2.91	0.93	0.85	2.77	0.66	2.46	2.13	1.67	2.28	1.21
Black non-Hispanic	8.97	17.13	9.17	7.54	5.93	8.42	11.99	4.36	4.83	4.09	5.12	27.39	17.91	14.21	11.59	17.44
	0.22	2.58	0.79	0.57	0.71	0.39	2.17	0.45	0.65	1.55	0.38	2.13	1.65	1.31	1.77	0.93
Hispanic	6.37	9.28	7.14	3.64	1.84	4.98	11.88	5.21	4.17	4.74	5.45	11.24	11.79	10.68	8.13	10.79
	0.48	2.17	1.22	0.45	0.41	0.61	2.23	0.75	0.65	2.16	0.59	1.74	1.33	1.08	1.20	0.74
Other	2.38	1.48	2.48	1.42	1.44	1.83	2.30	2.64	1.49	0.63	2.24	2.37	4.29	4.35	2.58	3.72
	0.18	1.06	0.45	0.28	0.39	0.22	0.79	0.55	0.40	0.62	0.38	0.86	0.94	0.78	0.84	0.48
Schooling																
0 - 8 years	19.10	18.58	15.01	19.24	29.63	19.30	14.50	10.81	14.49	24.06	12.50	23.68	26.16	34.77	47.46	31.56
	0.58	2.98	1.37	1.06	1.49	0.83	2.34	0.88	1.20	4.43	0.69	2.26	2.44	2.22	2.25	1.35
9 - 11 years	16.99	23.16	17.05	18.07	15.03	17.46	17.96	15.04	15.95	15.65	15.55	19.90	21.56	17.82	13.25	18.89
	0.53	3.20	1.13	0.97	1.53	0.66	2.74	1.17	1.07	3.02	0.78	2.66	1.79	1.50	1.70	0.93
12 years	35.65	29.45	36.79	35.72	26.31	34.24	43.55	40.58	37.97	32.66	39.88	33.00	31.25	31.83	20.60	30.14
	0.62	3.24	1.55	1.38	1.50	0.93	2.80	1.34	1.62	4.49	0.91	2.38	2.37	1.86	1.98	1.24
13 - 15 years	17.03	21.00	18.66	16.43	16.15	17.48	18.09	19.33	18.71	18.31	19.03	16.03	13.31	9.43	11.05	12.24
	0.37	3.39	1.16	0.94	1.35	0.61	2.37	1.25	1.18	3.54	0.78	2.20	1.49	1.27	1.58	0.83
16 or more years	11.23	7.82	12.49	10.53	12.87	11.52	5.91	14.23	12.88	9.32	13.03	7.40	7.71	6.15	7.64	7.17
	0.45	1.97	1.21	0.64	1.11	0.62	1.33	1.07	1.09	2.39	0.75	1.64	1.40	0.94	1.24	0.65

Table 1.4c Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Female Medicare Beneficiaries, by Living Arrangement and Age, 1997

Female Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Lives Alone					Lives with Spouse					Lives with Children/Others				
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total	< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +	Total
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	20,646	454	3,140	3,279	1,370	8,242	678	4,968	2,283	219	8,148	735	1,565	1,306	650	4,257
	124	30	85	74	42	120	39	105	75	18	121	33	77	51	36	99
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total																
Income																
\$5,000 or less	7.27	8.77	7.38	6.43	8.55	7.27	5.25	4.51	4.42	8.00	4.64	18.99	9.84	10.66	13.93	12.30
	0.30	2.18	0.81	0.60	0.97	0.48	1.16	0.66	0.73	2.59	0.51	2.37	1.21	1.35	1.59	0.79
\$5,001 - \$10,000	27.01	56.70	30.86	31.81	36.62	33.62	22.24	14.28	13.20	12.19	14.58	45.61	33.41	36.84	42.86	38.01
	0.48	3.47	1.38	1.17	1.91	0.70	2.47	0.99	1.11	3.06	0.70	2.55	2.12	1.90	2.28	1.11
\$10,001 - \$15,000	18.22	12.02	20.53	21.55	20.53	20.47	19.75	15.72	16.11	19.31	16.26	15.37	17.62	18.56	18.33	17.63
	0.45	2.80	1.20	1.00	1.61	0.73	3.05	0.91	1.12	3.46	0.73	2.40	1.84	1.70	2.41	1.01
\$15,001 - \$20,000	11.96	8.83	11.79	11.43	10.68	11.30	12.61	13.52	14.04	13.39	13.59	5.50	11.09	12.71	7.74	10.11
	0.36	2.43	0.95	0.73	1.08	0.51	2.12	0.94	1.16	3.24	0.68	1.10	1.39	1.42	1.34	0.72
\$20,001 - \$25,000	9.80	5.18	9.21	9.90	7.19	8.92	8.20	12.36	13.19	13.04	12.27	3.35	8.03	7.65	5.91	6.78
	0.36	1.37	1.04	0.73	0.77	0.52	2.09	0.83	1.09	3.31	0.66	0.87	1.14	1.04	1.02	0.60
\$25,001 - \$30,000	7.55	1.84	5.38	6.68	4.00	5.47	5.68	11.21	10.63	12.74	10.63	3.26	8.13	5.09	3.88	5.71
	0.35	0.80	0.75	0.60	0.68	0.38	1.32	0.83	1.03	2.80	0.63	0.80	1.32	0.87	1.05	0.59
\$30,001 - \$35,000	4.86	1.55	4.91	2.60	2.53	3.41	7.78	7.75	7.01	7.24	7.53	2.44	3.24	2.00	2.27	2.58
	0.28	0.79	0.73	0.41	0.60	0.35	1.63	0.78	0.85	2.27	0.54	0.77	1.10	0.68	0.76	0.49
\$35,001 - \$40,000	3.75	0.57	2.12	2.34	2.85	2.25	5.56	6.12	6.70	3.51	6.16	2.14	2.09	2.21	1.43	2.03
	0.23	0.47	0.43	0.34	0.45	0.22	1.51	0.58	0.73	1.69	0.46	0.50	0.76	0.50	0.52	0.31
More than \$40,000	9.57	4.53	7.84	7.26	7.06	7.29	12.95	14.54	14.70	10.58	14.35	3.34	6.55	4.27	3.65	4.85
	0.40	1.80	0.87	0.60	0.85	0.45	2.18	0.96	1.12	3.18	0.71	0.98	1.38	0.74	0.94	0.60
Metropolitan Area Resident																
Yes	76.08	69.21	75.91	75.51	73.65	75.01	70.86	75.66	76.70	78.89	75.64	75.78	79.43	81.19	77.31	79.02
	0.34	3.01	1.26	1.00	1.55	0.61	3.34	0.78	1.10	3.19	0.63	1.63	1.91	1.49	2.15	0.96
No	23.92	30.79	24.09	24.49	26.35	24.99	29.14	24.34	23.30	21.11	24.36	24.22	20.57	18.81	22.69	20.98
	0.34	3.01	1.26	1.00	1.55	0.61	3.34	0.78	1.10	3.19	0.63	1.63	1.91	1.49	2.15	0.96

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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Table 1.5 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Institutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Age, 1997

Long-Term Care Facility-Only Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Age			
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,332	276	256	749	1,051
	72	21	24	42	41
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Marital Status					
Married	16.37	4.96	23.72	23.45	12.59
	1.03	1.71	4.47	2.08	1.22
Widowed	57.45	2.40	34.84	57.95	77.11
	1.35	1.22	5.15	2.21	1.60
Divorced/separated	7.10	14.77	13.97	8.35	2.52
	0.79	3.04	3.61	1.31	0.59
Never married	19.08	77.87	27.48	10.25	7.79
	1.02	3.57	4.31	1.59	1.08
Race/Ethnicity					
White non-Hispanic	86.96	80.34	79.24	87.24	90.40
	0.87	2.83	3.49	1.62	1.07
Black non-Hispanic	8.73	11.66	15.37	8.17	6.72
	0.73	2.10	3.38	1.29	0.84
Hispanic	2.71	3.47	3.00	3.53	1.86
	0.51	1.01	1.69	0.98	0.42
Other	1.60	4.53	2.38	1.06	1.03
	0.36	1.55	0.76	0.66	0.39
Schooling					
0 - 8 years	35.18	42.13	34.18	30.69	36.74
	1.36	4.55	5.65	2.21	2.02
9 - 11 years	17.37	13.46	18.20	18.65	17.31
	1.12	3.14	4.49	2.23	1.73
12 years	26.76	33.43	21.91	29.17	24.45
	1.52	4.11	4.96	2.65	2.09
13 - 15 years	9.69	9.03	6.49	10.75	9.94
	1.02	2.87	3.16	1.90	1.45
16 or more years	11.01	1.95	19.23	10.74	11.57
	1.01	1.20	5.43	1.80	1.45

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Long-Term Care Facility-Only Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Age			
		< 65	65 - 74	75 - 84	85 +
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	2,332	276	256	749	1,051
	72	21	24	42	41
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total					
Income					
\$5,000 or less	17.06	29.44	10.77	18.03	14.65
	1.00	3.83	2.90	1.96	1.46
\$5,001 - \$10,000	37.95	41.36	34.45	34.18	40.60
	1.37	4.21	4.55	2.39	1.80
\$10,001 - \$15,000	16.88	9.55	28.36	15.51	16.99
	0.84	2.19	4.29	1.60	1.39
\$15,001 - \$20,000	8.12	4.16	10.20	9.42	7.72
	0.86	1.45	3.03	1.48	1.10
\$20,001 - \$25,000	6.96	5.51	8.55	7.63	6.48
	0.57	1.94	2.76	1.33	1.01
\$25,001 - \$30,000	3.77	3.46	2.86	5.57	2.79
	0.55	1.29	1.69	1.40	0.62
\$30,001 - \$35,000	2.36	2.27	0.94	2.32	2.76
	0.44	1.16	1.32	0.76	0.62
\$35,001 - \$40,000	2.34	1.98	1.04	2.38	2.73
	0.36	0.90	1.03	0.76	0.56
More than \$40,000	4.55	2.27	2.84	4.95	5.28
	0.55	1.30	1.64	1.04	0.88
Metropolitan Area Resident					
Yes	72.65	81.73	76.06	71.70	70.10
	1.36	2.84	3.53	2.48	1.87
No	27.35	18.27	23.94	28.30	29.90
	1.36	2.84	3.53	2.48	1.87

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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Table 1.6 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1997

Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	37,257	5,165	5,032	9,295	11,376	1,471	4,392	526
	140	115	120	172	178	72	113	47
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Medicare Status³								
Aged								
65 - 74 years	48.38	56.74	33.75	47.35	53.85	52.26	43.53	35.65
	0.30	0.99	1.09	0.77	0.79	2.01	1.14	3.24
75 - 84 years	30.59	29.82	23.44	38.10	30.28	35.98	23.06	28.48
	0.25	0.85	0.77	0.74	0.69	1.97	0.94	2.87
85 years and older	9.05	7.63	10.49	11.87	7.34	8.59	7.30	12.3
	0.16	0.42	0.59	0.43	0.28	1.08	0.47	1.67
Disabled								
Under 45 years	3.76	0.88	15.41	0.46	1.62	0.25	7.07	7.34
	0.10	0.14	0.60	0.08	0.14	0.13	0.44	2.05
45 - 64 years	8.21	4.93	16.90	2.21	6.90	2.92	19.04	16.22
	0.19	0.46	0.75	0.26	0.41	0.79	1.06	2.73
Gender								
Male	44.57	44.90	38.69	39.73	47.75	42.94	53.12	47.66
	0.28	1.11	1.06	0.77	0.78	2.13	1.14	2.852
Female	55.43	55.10	61.31	60.27	52.25	57.06	46.88	52.34
	0.28	1.11	1.06	0.77	0.78	2.13	1.14	2.852
Marital Status								
Married	54.21	57.78	25.79	55.69	66.13	64.47	46.60	40.7
	0.37	1.12	1.02	0.84	0.67	2.18	1.38	4.54
Widowed	30.48	28.47	36.89	35.37	25.41	28.27	28.35	36.16
	0.37	0.98	1.03	0.78	0.57	1.94	1.09	3.38
Divorced/separated	8.96	10.18	18.41	5.38	5.00	2.72	16.03	14.37
	0.26	0.66	0.88	0.42	0.34	0.79	1.00	2.66
Never married	6.35	3.56	18.91	3.56	3.45	4.54	9.01	8.77
	0.18	0.34	0.68	0.28	0.31	0.91	0.66	2.28

Table 1.6 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1997

Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	37,257	5,165	5,032	9,295	11,376	1,471	4,392	526
	140	115	120	172	178	72	113	47
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Living Arrangement								
Lives alone	30.32	28.96	38.11	32.54	25.65	28.45	30.93	31.52
	0.34	0.99	1.09	0.82	0.59	2.03	1.15	3.81
With spouse	53.00	56.97	23.50	54.93	65.04	62.99	45.05	39.79
	0.36	1.15	0.89	0.84	0.69	2.22	1.33	4.47
With children	9.32	8.20	19.73	7.61	5.77	4.58	12.34	15.83
	0.23	0.55	0.94	0.48	0.31	0.89	0.73	2.31
With others	7.36	5.87	18.66	4.92	3.55	3.99	11.69	12.85
	0.21	0.52	0.77	0.36	0.30	0.88	0.89	2.41
Race/Ethnicity								
White non-Hispanic	82.47	80.82	55.28	92.79	90.08	93.28	71.93	67.48
	0.45	0.93	1.55	0.45	0.51	1.06	1.60	3.908
Black non-Hispanic	8.69	7.71	21.03	2.72	5.44	3.76	17.85	14.17
	0.18	0.54	0.94	0.25	0.29	0.71	0.88	2.728
Hispanic	6.60	8.78	17.49	3.42	3.43	1.58	7.29	15.07
	0.46	0.81	1.37	0.36	0.45	0.61	1.25	2.144
Other	2.24	2.68	6.20	1.08	1.05	1.38	2.94	3.28
	0.15	0.41	0.73	0.19	0.20	0.58	0.48	1.31
Schooling								
0 - 8 years	20.35	16.03	44.51	17.66	12.22	7.48	28.01	32.2
	0.53	0.90	1.39	0.68	0.58	1.06	1.58	3.54
9 - 11 years	16.17	16.18	19.91	15.84	14.48	11.10	18.19	20.68
	0.36	0.84	0.95	0.65	0.61	1.30	1.05	3.12
12 years	33.42	35.24	22.91	35.30	36.50	33.23	31.17	33.34
	0.52	0.99	1.07	0.84	0.85	2.29	1.50	3.97
13 - 15 years	15.72	18.14	8.23	16.99	17.56	19.95	13.13	9.58
	0.33	0.76	0.64	0.76	0.73	1.79	1.17	1.76
16 or more years	14.34	14.41	4.44	14.20	19.23	28.24	9.51	4.21
	0.41	0.66	0.48	0.58	0.86	2.12	0.83	1.28

Table 1.6 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Noninstitutionalized Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1997

Community Residents¹

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Medicare Fee-For-Service Only	Other
			Medicaid	Individually-Purchased Private Insurance	Employer-Sponsored Private Insurance	Both Types of Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	37,257	5,165	5,032	9,295	11,376	1,471	4,392	526
	<i>140</i>	<i>115</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>172</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>47</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Income								
\$5,000 or less	6.51	5.49	14.80	5.16	3.71	4.04	8.71	10.05
	<i>0.23</i>	<i>0.49</i>	<i>0.88</i>	<i>0.37</i>	<i>0.32</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.97</i>
\$5,001 - \$10,000	24.66	23.93	51.97	20.51	14.56	13.17	31.83	34.12
	<i>0.46</i>	<i>0.90</i>	<i>1.22</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>1.48</i>	<i>1.26</i>	<i>3.40</i>
\$10,001 - \$15,000	17.13	17.28	13.79	19.36	15.71	12.43	21.01	19.59
	<i>0.34</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>0.76</i>	<i>0.66</i>	<i>1.65</i>	<i>0.99</i>	<i>2.672</i>
\$15,001 - \$20,000	12.13	13.40	5.44	13.38	13.48	11.78	12.29	12.06
	<i>0.25</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.40</i>	<i>0.55</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>1.32</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>2.04</i>
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.46	10.43	4.38	11.24	13.59	12.19	7.57	7.14
	<i>0.28</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>0.46</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>1.68</i>	<i>0.75</i>	<i>1.58</i>
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.07	8.50	2.98	8.19	10.72	8.81	6.08	7.66
	<i>0.25</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>0.42</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>0.54</i>	<i>1.28</i>	<i>0.67</i>	<i>2.47</i>
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.28	5.71	1.45	4.43	7.73	8.98	3.80	1.68
	<i>0.21</i>	<i>0.47</i>	<i>0.25</i>	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>1.36</i>	<i>0.55</i>	<i>0.82</i>
\$35,001 - \$40,000	4.44	4.93	1.47	4.95	5.53	7.32	2.63	2.77
	<i>0.23</i>	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.27</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>0.84</i>
More than \$40,000	11.33	10.34	3.73	12.79	14.98	21.28	6.08	4.93
	<i>0.31</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>0.45</i>	<i>0.55</i>	<i>0.72</i>	<i>1.94</i>	<i>0.80</i>	<i>1.23</i>
Metropolitan Area Resident								
Yes	75.71	96.68	70.47	65.67	79.23	76.16	68.97	76
	<i>0.29</i>	<i>0.83</i>	<i>1.15</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>2.54</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>4.00</i>
No	24.29	3.32	29.53	34.33	20.77	23.84	31.03	24
	<i>0.29</i>	<i>0.83</i>	<i>1.15</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>0.73</i>	<i>2.54</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>4.00</i>

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2 HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

3 Medicare beneficiaries with end-stage renal disease (ESRD) are included within the subgroups of "Aged" and "Disabled."