


# NORTH DAKOTA

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<p><b>Demographics</b></p>	<p>Number American Indians/Alaska Natives (2000 Census) – 35,228          Number American Indians/Alaska Natives 65 and over (2000 Census) –1,495</p>
<p><b>State Medicaid Spending &amp; Eligibles (persons enrolled in the Medicaid program)</b></p>	<p>Spending, Personal Care (2002) - \$0          Spending, 1915(c) aged/disabled waiver (2002) – \$ 4,977,329          Total number persons enrolled in Medicaid (2001) – 62,280          Number “aged” persons enrolled in Medicaid (2001) – 10,376          Number “blind/disabled” persons enrolled in Medicaid (2001) –8,953          Number persons served by 1915(c) aged or aged/disabled waiver (2000) –381          Number persons served by 1915(c) aged or aged/disabled waiver (1999) –347          Number AIAN persons enrolled in Medicaid (1998) –14,061          Number of AIAN persons receiving waiver services (2000-IHS) –27*  <i>*As reported by North Dakota Medicaid</i></p>
<p><b>Services reimbursed by home and community based care programs (1915c waiver and state plan PCS)</b></p>	<p>Case Management, Homemaker Services, Personal Care Services, Non-Medical Transportation, Training for Family Caregivers, Respite Care, Chore Services, Emergency Response Service, Adult Day Care, Adult Family Foster Care, Specialized Equipment, Environmental Modification, and Adult Residential. Currently there are no HCBS services under the Medicaid State Plan.</p> <p>Agencies or Individuals may provide these services (with the exceptions of Adult Residential, Adult Day Care, ERS, Environmental Modifications, Special Equipment, Case Management -- are agency only). The choice of the service provider is with the consumer. They choose the provider, which is available through an enrolled provider list.</p> <p>Personal Care Services –          Waiver Services – case management, homemaker, respite, personal care, transportation, chore. No specific hour or dollar caps on services.</p>
<p><b>Requirements for participation as a providing agency for those in-home non-medical services (e.g. homemaker).</b></p>	<p>Must meet and demonstrate competency standards or can be a current CNA if requesting PC, Respite Care, or Escort. AFFC must be licensure standards. Service providers for Chore &amp; Homemaker do not require any special certification. All providers must go through enrollment documentation.</p>
<p><b>Eligibility requirements for elders for those programs</b></p>	<p>Must be screened skilled nursing facility level of care for waiver services and be a Medicaid recipient.</p> <p>Maximum income for Medicaid – 100% of the SSI level (2003 SSI payment amount for individual=\$552/month, couple=\$829). Those with incomes above this level, but who have medical expenses that bring their remaining income below \$500 per month for an individual, \$516 for a couple,</p>

	<p>qualify as “medically needy.”</p> <p>Maximum assets= \$3000 individual, \$6000 couple; not included as assets include home, one automobile, burial plans (with limits), self-employment property, tools, equipment and livestock, non-saleable property, personal effects and clothing, household goods and furniture, Indian trust and restricted lands, and per capita and judgment funds.</p>		
<p><i>Expected length of time from application to initiation of services for elders eligible for services</i></p>	<p>A reasonable amount of time -- usually within a couple of weeks from the time of the assessment, screening, and services begin.</p> 		
<p><i>Tribal organizations or programs currently serving as providers under those programs.</i></p>	<p>None are currently enrolled providers.</p>		
<p><i>Other information</i></p>			
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NOTE: Please contact the State Medicaid office for the most recent information available concerning statistics as well as program eligibility and services.

## **Data Sources**

Persons working in each state's Medicaid office provided most of the narrative data in the state summaries. We obtained most of the statistical data from published sources, as noted below.

Spending, Personal Care (2002)

“Medicaid Long Term Care Expenditures, FY2002” provided by MEDSTAT at [http://www.hcbs.org/hcbs\\_data.htm](http://www.hcbs.org/hcbs_data.htm)

Spending, 1915(c) aged/disabled waiver (2002)

“Medicaid HCBS Waiver Expenditures, FY2002” Table 1, provided by MEDSTAT at [http://www.hcbs.org/hcbs\\_data.htm](http://www.hcbs.org/hcbs_data.htm)

Total number persons enrolled in Medicaid (2001)

MSIS statistical reports by state, Table 1, from CMS at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medicaid/msis/msis99sr.asp>

Number “aged” persons in Medicaid (2001)

MSIS statistical reports by state, Table 1 (basis of eligibility), from CMS at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medicaid/msis/msis99sr.asp>

Number “blind/disabled” persons in Medicaid (2001)

MSIS statistical reports by state, Table 1 (basis of eligibility), from CMS at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medicaid/msis/msis99sr.asp>

Number persons served by 1915(c) aged or aged/disabled waiver (2000)

National Association of State Medicaid Directors, 1915c Waivers Enrollment and Cost, at <http://www.nasmd.org/waivers/waivers.htm>

Number persons served by 1915(c) aged or aged/disabled waiver (1999)

Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured, Table 1, 1915(c) Medicaid Waiver Program (from HCFA Form 372), at <http://www.hcbs.org/data/kaiser/WaiverTable1.pdf>

Number AIAN persons enrolled in Medicaid (1998)

From 2082 Table 30, Medicaid Eligibles by Race/Ethnicity, from CMS at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/medicaid/msis/MCD98T30.pdf>

Number of AIAN persons receiving waiver services (2000-IHS)

Special data provided from MSIS by CMS