

Medicaid and CHIP National Summary of Renewal Outcomes – April 2023 Data

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National Summary of Renewal Outcomes

- This National Summary of Renewal Outcomes provides an overview of Medicaid and Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) data on states’ progress resuming their regular processes for renewing individuals’ coverage after the end of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) Medicaid continuous enrollment condition.
- States are required to submit specific metrics about Medicaid and CHIP renewals initiated and completed for a cohort in a given month using the “Unwinding Eligibility and Enrollment Data Reporting Template” (Unwinding Data Report).
- The data in this summary include metrics required by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023 (CAA, 2023), as well as other state-reported data and calculations that provide additional context to understand renewal outcomes.
- For more information on this data set as well as methodologies and limitations, see the Data Sources and Metrics Definitions Overview under the “Understanding the Data” tab on [Medicaid.gov/unwinding](https://www.Medicaid.gov/unwinding).
- State-specific notes for the data can be found in the [Medicaid and CHIP CAA Reporting Metrics](#).
- Additional data are available at [Medicaid.gov/unwinding](https://www.Medicaid.gov/unwinding).

Context and Data Notes:

Understanding Renewal Timelines & Reporting

- **Medicaid and CHIP renewal outcomes are reported by cohort.** States report outcomes for all individuals in the month in which renewals for the cohort are due, even if some renewals were completed in a prior month.
- **States began unwinding in February, March, April 2023** by initiating their first cohort of renewals.
- **The length of states' renewal process varies.** Most states take between 45 and 90 days to complete renewals for a cohort. As a result, states are completing renewals on different schedules and will report outcomes in different months.
- **As of April 30, 2023, 18 states had completed at least one full cohort** of unwinding-related renewals (AR, AZ, CT, FL, IA, ID, IN, KS, NE, NH, NM, OH, OK, PA, SD, UT, WV, and WY). Data in this summary document represent the outcomes of renewals in these 18 states only.
- States had flexibility in how to distribute Medicaid and CHIP renewals during the unwinding period, and nearly half of states (22) elected to prioritize renewals for some or all individuals identified by the state as likely ineligible for Medicaid and/or CHIP.
- For more information on state renewal timelines and prioritization of renewals, please see [2023 State Timelines for Initiating Unwinding-Related Renewals](#).

Context and Data Notes: Interpreting Renewal Outcomes

- Multiple factors, including state-adopted mitigations and other strategies may influence renewal outcomes and reporting in a state. For example:
 - States with an *ex parte* mitigation strategy that uses data sources to complete a renewal after a form is sent may report those renewals as completed based on the return of a renewal form and underreport the number of individuals renewed on an *ex parte* basis
 - Some states are temporarily holding some or all procedural terminations as a mitigation strategy to ensure compliance with federal renewal requirements or voluntarily implemented a strategy to delay procedural terminations to conduct additional outreach. These states may report zero procedural terminations and/or a significantly higher share of pending renewals at the end of a reporting month
 - Some states have restored eligibility for people initially found ineligible due to systems or other errors. This is frequently not identifiable in the data
- Reviewers should consider these factors, states' distribution and prioritization of renewals, and other information when interpreting renewal outcomes and comparing information across states. Data limitations in the [Medicaid and CHIP CAA Reporting Metrics](#) report provide additional state-specific information.
- For additional information, see:
 - [COVID-19 PHE Unwinding Section 1902\(e\)\(14\)\(A\) Waiver Approvals](#), and
 - [Summary of State Mitigation Strategies for Complying with Medicaid Renewal Requirements](#)

National Summary of Outcomes of Medicaid and CHIP Unwinding-Related Renewals Due in April 2023

For 18 states reporting at least one full cohort of unwinding-related renewals in April 2023	Number	Percent of beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month
Total number of beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month	2,216,287	100.0%
Beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month whose coverage was renewed	1,009,164	45.5%
Renewed for Medicaid/CHIP on an <i>ex parte</i> basis (based on available information)	563,171	25.4% (55.8% of total renewed)
Renewed for Medicaid/CHIP based on return of a renewal form	445,993	20.1% (44.2% of total renewed)
Beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month whose coverage was terminated	714,894	32.2%
Determined ineligible for Medicaid and CHIP based on the return of a renewal form	147,764	6.7% (20.7% of coverage terminations)
Beneficiaries with coverage terminated from Medicaid/CHIP for a procedural or administrative reason	567,130	25.6% (79.3% of coverage terminations)
Beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month whose renewal was pending at the end of the month	492,229	22.2%

These data represent the outcome of renewals due in April 2023 (effective May 1, 2023) in 18 states that had completed at least one full cohort of unwinding-related renewals as of April 30: AR, AZ, CT, FL, IA, ID, IN, KS, NE, NH, NM, OH, OK, PA, SD, UT, WV, and WY.

Source: State Medicaid and CHIP Renewal and Termination Data for the Unwinding Data Report as of June 13, 2023. Florida's Medicaid and CHIP Renewal and Termination Data for the Unwinding Data Report as of June 5, 2023.



Medicaid and CHIP Renewal Outcomes, by State (April 2023)

State	Total Due for Renewal in April	Among the Total Number of Medicaid/CHIP Beneficiaries Due for Renewal in April 2023:							
		Number Renewed in Medicaid/CHIP	Percent Renewed in Medicaid/CHIP*	Percent Renewed on an <i>Ex Parte</i> Basis* (i.e., based on available information)	Number of Coverage Terminations from Medicaid/CHIP	Percent of Coverage Terminations from Medicaid/CHIP*	Percent of Coverage Terminations for a Procedural Reason*	Number of Renewals Pending at the end of the Month	Percent Pending at the End of the Month
AR	137,679	61,236	44.5%	33.4%	62,711	45.6%	40.3%	13,732	10.0%
AZ	230,526	162,693	70.6%	64.7%	19,635	8.5%	2.4%	48,198	20.9%
CT	83,246	56,763	68.2%	47.9%	20,533	24.7%	24.1%	5,950	7.2%
FL	606,702	211,895	34.9%	13.4%	249,427	41.1%	33.8%	145,380	24.0%
IA	94,290	43,315	45.9%	18.4%	44,604	47.3%	36.2%	6,371	6.8%
ID	51,553	17,345	33.6%	9.1%	10,798	21.0%	0.0%	23,410	45.4%
IN	157,688	65,092	41.3%	25.8%	52,985	33.6%	29.7%	39,611	25.1%
KS	69,699	13,994	20.1%	4.3%	49,508	71.0%	65.7%	6,197	8.9%
NE	8,105	4,970	61.3%	18.6%	659	8.1%	3.1%	2,476	30.6%
NH	23,352	11,093	47.5%	31.6%	11,258	48.2%	37.4%	1,001	4.3%
NM	103,107	43,497	42.2%	31.0%	27,217	26.4%	26.1%	32,393	31.4%
OH	220,961	152,416	69.0%	50.3%	46,030	20.8%	16.4%	22,515	10.2%
OK	55,309	16,787	30.4%	12.2%	26,915	48.7%	41.1%	11,607	21.0%
PA	262,561	94,065	35.8%	4.2%	43,546	16.6%	7.1%	124,950	47.6%
SD	17,904	6,167	34.4%	2.1%	9,715	54.3%	31.2%	2,022	11.3%
UT	40,411	17,101	42.3%	15.5%	21,695	53.7%	48.5%	1,615	4.0%
WV	48,057	29,956	62.3%	9.7%	17,588	36.6%	32.4%	513	1.1%
WY	5,137	779	15.2%	0.6%	70	1.4%	0.0%	4,288	83.5%
Total	2,216,287	1,009,164	45.5%	25.4%	714,894	32.3%	25.6%	492,229	22.2%

*Percentages calculated as a share of the total number of beneficiaries due for renewal in the reporting month.

Idaho, Oklahoma, and Wyoming held some procedural terminations for renewals due in April.