Average Length of Stay Analysis
FFY 2006

1) Average length of stay per episode

Episode = Coverage period in individual aid category

Aid Category 76 = 14.5 months
Aid Category 78 = 12.6 months
Aid Category 79 = 11.3 months

Overall average length of stay = 13.3

2) Average length of stay per period of continuous coverage (in any category 76, 78, or 79)

Episode = Coverage period in any aid category

Aid Category 76 = 18.2 months
Aid Category 78 = 30.8 months
Aid Category 79 = 23.3 months

Overall average length of stay = 21.2 months

3) Average length of stay when break in service occurred or no break in service but aid category changed to a non-CHIP program

Aid Category 76 = 14.7months
Aid Category 78 = 15.0 months
Aid Category 79 = 12.7 months

Overall average length of stay = 14.3 months