

Table 11.1
End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Population, by Treatment and Medicare
Status as of December 31: 1991-2005

Year	Medicare Entitled				Non-Medicare Entitled	
	Total Number	Dialysis Number	Functioning Graft		Dialysis ¹	Functioning Graft ²
			Number	Percent		
1991	182,302	142,483	39,819	21.8	3,621	12,598
1992	200,300	156,677	43,623	21.8	4,013	13,620
1993	217,280	169,486	47,794	22.0	4,205	14,536
1994	234,140	183,820	50,320	21.5	4,438	16,950
1995	249,199	194,378	54,821	22.0	4,224	17,673
1996	266,326	206,935	59,391	22.3	4,373	18,260
1997	283,424	219,925	63,499	22.4	4,358	18,977
1998	301,309	233,375	67,934	22.6	4,811	19,542
1999	318,423	245,725	72,698	22.8	4,886	19,614
2000	335,080	258,294	76,786	22.9	4,914	20,622
2001	351,252	270,258	80,994	23.1	5,052	21,805
2002	366,921	281,211	85,710	23.4	5,146	22,956
2003	379,318	291,170	88,148	23.2	5,377	26,346
2004	394,106	300,271	93,835	23.8	5,511	27,253
2005	406,812	307,952	98,860	24.3	N/A	28,790
	Average Annual Rate of Change					
1994 - 2004	5.3	5.1	5.9	---	2.4	5.5
1999 - 2004	4.4	4.1	5.2	---	2.2	5.3
2003 - 2004	3.5	3.2	4.4	---	3.4	8.1

¹Patients receiving dialysis during the 3-month waiting period prior to becoming Medicare eligible.

²Patients with a functioning graft more than 3 years and no longer Medicare entitled.

NOTES: The percentage of Medicare enrollees with a functioning graft is based on the total number of Medicare ESRD enrollees (dialysis and functioning graft combined). In addition to persons entitled to Medicare, the number of new dialysis patients in the initial 3-month waiting period prior to entitlement and previously entitled graft patients whose Medicare coverage ended 3 years after their transplantation are shown for informational purposes. Data published in previous Statistical Supplements were calculated by CMS. Because these data were obtained from a different source, they may vary slightly from CMS' prior published estimates.

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