

Connecticut Medicare Advantage Beneficiaries Receive Better Value and Spend 37% Less than Beneficiaries in Medicare FFS

46% (316,501) of Medicare beneficiaries in Connecticut were enrolled in Medicare Advantage (MA) in 2020.

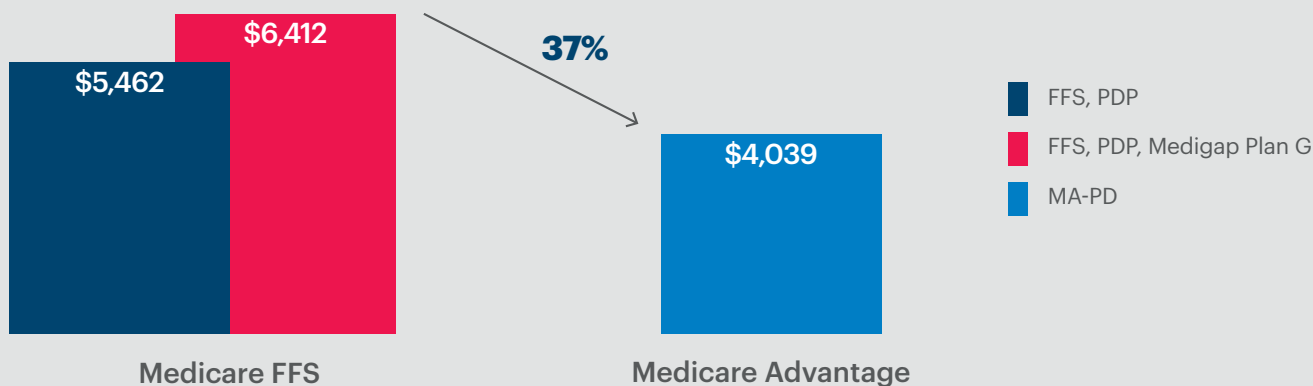
The average Medicare Advantage and Prescription Drug (MA-PD) plan beneficiary in Connecticut spends:



\$1,423 Less than a beneficiary in Connecticut who enrolls in traditional Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) and a prescription drug plan (PDP)

\$2,372 Less than a beneficiary in Connecticut who also purchases Medigap Plan G as supplemental coverage for medical out-of-pocket costs

Annual Health Care Spending by Comparable Medicare Beneficiaries in Connecticut, 2020



Within All Age Groups, Connecticut's Beneficiaries in MA-PD Spend Less than those in Medicare FFS

\$1,261 to \$2,760 Less
than a **65-year old** FFS beneficiary in average health



\$1,633 to \$1,746 Less
than an **85-year old** FFS beneficiary in average health

In addition to the dental, vision, and hearing benefits typically offered, **the average MA-PD beneficiary in Connecticut receives \$129 in annual supplemental benefits**, such as care coordination, meals and non-emergency transportation, not offered by Medicare FFS.

Sources, methodology, and results for other states and on a national basis are available at: <http://www.uhg.com/MA-cost-savings-research>.