

WHAT ARE HEALTH CENTERS?

Health centers are consumer-driven and patient-centered organizations that serve as a comprehensive and cost effective primary health care option for America's most underserved communities. Health centers serve everyone regardless of ability to pay or insurance status. They increase access to health care and provide integrated care services based on the unique needs of the communities they serve. Health centers deliver value to and have a significant impact on America's healthcare system. They also:

- Serve as the health care home for more than **27 million patients** in over **10,000 communities** across the country;
- Reduce health care costs and produce savings – on average, health centers save **24% per Medicaid patient** when compared to other providers;
- Integrate critical medical and social services such as oral health, mental health, substance abuse, case management, and translation, under one roof;
- Employ **over 200,000 people** and **generate over \$45 billion in total economic activity** in some of the nation's most distressed communities;
- Serve on the front lines of **public health crises and natural disasters**; and
- Provide care to **1.3 million homeless patients** and more than **330,000 veterans**.

Health Centers in KS, 2016

Health Centers in KS

Number of Grantee Organizations	18
Number of Delivery Sites	61

KS Health Center Patients

Total Patients	193,843
Growth in Patients since 2010	45%
Migrant/Seasonal Agricultural Worker Patients Served	6,929
Homeless Patients Served	5,780
Veterans Served	3,514

	<u>KS Health Center Patients</u>	<u>KS Residents</u>	<u>US Residents</u>
% at or Below 100% Poverty	64%	12%	14%
% at or Below 200% Poverty	93%	31%	32%
% Uninsured	40%	8%	9%
% Medicaid	30%	14%	19%
% Medicare	8%	13%	14%
% Racial/Ethnic Minority	41%	24%	39%

KS Health Center Quality & Accessibility

Percent of Grantees with Patient Centered Medical Home Recognition	56%
Percent of Grantees with a Physician Authorized to Prescribe FDA-Approved Medication for Opioid Use Disorder	17%
Percent of Grantees using Telehealth	33%

KS Health Center Staff Provide a Comprehensive Range of Services

	<u>FTEs</u>
Physicians	55.4
NPs/PAs/CNMs	87.7
Nurses	123.0
Dentists	30.6
Dental Hygienists	48.4
Behavioral Health Specialists	51.5
Pharmacy	24.4
Enabling Services	100.9
Vision	3.1
Other Staff	444.5
Total Staff	1,243.6

	<u>Patient Visits</u>
Chronic Conditions	134,805
Behavioral Health	97,400
Preventive Services	124,664