

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 OK, 2016

Health Centers in OK

Number of Grantee Organizations	20
Number of Delivery Sites	98

OK Health Center Patients

Total Patients	200,937
Growth in Patients since 2010	53%
Migrant/Seasonal Agricultural Worker Patients Served	997
Homeless Patients Served	5,626
Veterans Served	3,436

	<u>OK Health Center Patients</u>	<u>OK Residents</u>	<u>US Residents</u>
% at or Below 100% Poverty	72%	16%	14%
% at or Below 200% Poverty	93%	37%	32%
% Uninsured	33%	11%	9%
% Medicaid	34%	18%	19%
% Medicare	11%	16%	14%
% Racial/Ethnic Minority	45%	34%	39%

OK Health Center Staff Provide a Comprehensive Range of Services

	<u>FTEs</u>
Physicians	81.0
NPs/PAs/CNMs	112.9
Nurses	144.9
Dentists	27.4
Dental Hygienists	15.8
Behavioral Health Specialists	57.2
Pharmacy	40.9
Enabling Services	114.1
Vision	15.7
Other Staff	530.0
Total Staff	1,451.9

	<u>Patient Visits</u>
Chronic Conditions	162,622
Behavioral Health	162,771
Preventive Services	116,163

OK Health Center Quality & Accessibility

Percent of Grantees with Patient Centered Medical Home Recognition	55%
Percent of Grantees with a Physician Authorized to Prescribe FDA-Approved Medication for Opioid Use Disorder	25%
Percent of Grantees using Telehealth	45%