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Chair, Michael Rodrigues
Senate Committee on Ways and Means
State House, Room 212
Boston, MA 02133

Chair, Aaron Michlewitz
House Committee on Ways and Means
State House, Room 243
Boston, MA 02133

Senate Chair, Cindy Friedman
Joint Committee on Health Care Financing
State House, Room 313
Boston, MA 02133

House Chair, John Lawn Jr.
Joint Committee on Health Care Financing
State House, Room 236
Boston, MA 02133

Dear Chairs Rodrigues, Michlewitz, Friedman, and Lawn,

Enclosed is the Legislative Report for the Children's Medical Security Plan (CMSP) for the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year 2026. The report covers April 1, 2026– June 30, 2026. The information provided in the report includes the same data provided in the past (such as eligibility and program expenditures).

At the end of the fourth quarter of FY 2026, there were 70,846 children eligible for CMSP. CMSP eligibility does not indicate that an eligible member is using CMSP services. Additional information on CMSP utilization can be found below.

Please feel free to contact Sarah Nordberg-Dunlea at Sarah.Nordberg@mass.gov should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services

**The Children's Medical Security Plan Legislative Report
FY 2026– FOURTH QUARTER**

Reporting Period April 1, 2026– June 30, 2026

The Children's Medical Security Plan provides access to primary and preventive health care services for certain children and adolescents. Children from birth to age 18 are eligible for CMSP provided they are not eligible for other MassHealth benefits (except MassHealth Limited), and provided that they are not otherwise insured.

Effective January 1, 2025, enrollee premiums were set at zero for those enrollees whose income is up to 300% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), and premiums are set via a sliding scale for enrollees with incomes greater than 300% of the FPL. In addition, all copayments were eliminated for CMSP members effective January 1, 2025.

Enrollment Demographics

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Month	Month-End Eligibility
April 2026	71,390
May 2026	71,067
June 2026	70,846

The following is a breakdown of spending for CMSP for the fourth quarter of FY 2026.

Fiscal Year 2026 – Fourth Quarter – CMSP Spending by Type of Service

Month	Medical Claims		
	Amt Paid	Member Count	# Claims
April 2026	\$3,507,459	10,146	45,625
May 2026	\$3,515,093	9,805	45,324
June 2026	\$3,552,996	9,133	45,574
TOTAL	\$10,575,548	29,084	136,523

Month	Dental Claims		
	Amt Paid	Member Count	# Claims
April 2026	\$1,334,098	4,297	27,729
May 2026	\$1,212,504	3,940	25,506
June 2026	\$1,214,302	4,066	25,469
TOTAL	\$3,760,905	12,303	78,704

Month	Pharmacy		
	Amt Paid	Member Count	# Claims
April 2026	\$27,663	694	1,479
May 2026	\$22,855	564	1,265
June 2026	\$25,655	599	1,371
TOTAL	\$76,172	1,857	4,115

Total Expenditures

The number of claims filed for CMSP for the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year FY 2026 totaled 219,342. There were 136,523 medical claims, 78,704 dental claims, and 4,115 pharmacy claims filed during the fourth quarter of the fiscal year. Total expenditures for the fourth quarter of the Fiscal Year 2026 were \$14,412,625.