

**U.S. House and Senate Notification**  
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**To: Congressional Health Staff**

**From: Amy Hall, Director, Office of Legislation**  
**Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services**

**Subject: CMS Updates Medicaid Statistical Information System (MSIS) Data Tables**

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has announced a new update to the National State-by-State Medicaid Statistical Information System (MSIS) Medicaid eligibility and claims tables for Federal Fiscal Years (FY) 2005 through 2008 (31 states). Individual or groups of tables may be selected using a list of options. The data can be viewed on the CMS website at: <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MedicaidDataSourcesGenInfo/MSIS/list.asp>.

The 25 standard MSIS tables contain pre-defined high-level aggregated State level data relating to Medicaid eligibility and claims. In addition, each table page now contains links to allow users to perform additional analysis of the summary level information, including how to account for anomalies and issues that should be considered when reviewing the data. Those tables are available at: <http://msis.cms.hhs.gov/>. The standard MSIS fiscal year tables will be updated periodically once several additional States have submitted their data for the full fiscal year reviewed, and when the data has been approved through the standard quality reviews.

The FYs 1999 through 2004 document of all 25 tables is still available on the CMS website at: [http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MedicaidDataSourcesGenInfo/02\\_MSISData.asp](http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MedicaidDataSourcesGenInfo/02_MSISData.asp). CMS will continue to work to convert tables of prior fiscal years into the new format.

If you have any questions, please contact the CMS Office of Legislation. Thank you.