

KUMC Medicaid data

CMS guidelines state that an incarcerated individual (inmate) can apply for Medicaid dollars if the inmate is outpatient for 24 hours or longer. KUMC Office of Health Care Compliance oversees the application process for inpatient inmates who meet the state's Medicaid criteria and has less than \$2,000 in assets (on the inmate's account).

- 65 years old or older
- 19 years old or younger
- Pregnant female / delivery process
- Disabled – PMDT
- US citizen

KUMC only submits applications to KDHE that meet criteria (see above). Our office utilizes its various professional scopes to evaluate eligibility based on the medical record, KDOC records, and KDHE policies/regulations.

The data below represents five years of inmate Medicaid applications being sent / processed by KDHE. For specific dollar amounts please contact KDOC Fiscal, as they are pulling that data monthly.

Fiscal Year	TOTAL DAYS APPLIED	DAYS APPROVED	AVERAGE # DAYS PER-INMATE	# APPLICATIONS SENT	# DENIALS KDHE	% Applications Approved by KDHE
2014-15	520	434	5.77	91	21	77
2015-16	707	617	7	101	20	80
2016-17	500	453	4.5	110	15	86
2017-18	431	376	5.13	84	14	83
2018-19	682	575	6.31	108	15	85
2019-20*	511	405	6.90	76	14	62

Fiscal Year	Medicaid Days approved	Total Inpatient days	% of covered Medicaid days
2016-2017	453	930	48%
2017-2018	376	1225	30%
2018-2019	488	1390	35%
2019-2020*	405	767	52%
AVERAGES	436	1078	41%

On average 59% of total inpatient days are not covered by, KanCare for individuals in KDOC custody (as of 1/29/2020).

Average cost per year- (2016-20) = \$751,128.14

Average cost per day - (2016-20) = 1,746.80.

*) Data as of (1/29/2020).