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## **SHADAC Announcements**

### **State Dashboards Tracking the Medicaid Continuous Coverage Unwinding**

In partnership with State Health & Value Strategies, SHADAC is regularly updating this Expert Perspective with data dashboards and reports released by states as they track eligibility redeterminations and disenrollments. At the time of the last analysis, at least 12 states were publishing unwinding data in a visual dashboard. [Read more.](#)

### **Opportunities to Learn More About Serving Justice-Involved Individuals Through 1115 Demonstration Evaluations**

Many states are looking to support reentry for justice-involved individuals by providing Medicaid services prerelease through a Section 1115 demonstration waiver. A new brief from SHADAC and the California Health Care Foundation outlines key recommendations for designing a robust and accountable evaluation of justice-involved initiatives. [Read on.](#)

### **SHADAC at the 2023 AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting**

Traveling to Seattle later this month for the 2023 Annual Research Meeting (ARM)? Be sure to visit SHADAC's posters and presentations. For an overview of where you can find our work at ARM, [visit this blog post](#) which will be updated as more details become available. [See you in Seattle!](#)

### **Updated and New State-Level NHIS Measures Available on State Health Compare**

Following the latest release of data from the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS), SHADAC has produced updated state-level estimates for several key measures on State Health Compare, along with releasing one entirely new measure on telehealth visits. [See more.](#)



*Congratulations to our Deputy Director Elizabeth Lukanen who recently received a University of Minnesota School of Public Health Excellence Award!*

## Data, Analysis, and Trends from the States

### Minnesota: Health Care Disparities Report by Insurance Type

MN Community Measurement partnered with the Minnesota Department of Human Services to [examine disparities in health care quality and performance](#) with a focus on Minnesotans who get their coverage through state programs.

### Colorado: Substance Use Disorder and Mental Health Diagnoses Among Medicaid-Enrolled Youth

This [new report](#) from the Urban Institute is one in a series that detail the experiences of adolescent and young adult Medicaid enrollees with behavioral health conditions prior to the pandemic, connecting findings to treatment and prevention strategies.

### Massachusetts: Coverage Rates for Foreign-Born MA Residents

Gaps in insurance coverage rates by immigration and citizenship status were present among Massachusetts residents, according to [a recent research brief](#) from the Center for Health Information and Analysis.



*Thank you and best wishes to our graduating SHADAC research assistants Yun Taek Oh, Hannah Geressu, Maya Benedict, and Adey Fentaw!*

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## **Additional Data News and Resources**

### **IPUMS Contextual Determinants of Health (CDOH) Data**

The new [IPUMS CDOH data files](#) provide access to measures of disparities, policies, and counts for historically marginalized populations in the United States, including Black, Asian, Hispanic/Latina/o/e/x, LGBTQ+ persons, and women. The initial release includes five county-level measures related to racism, eight state-level measures related to sexism and cisheterosexism, and 2020 presidential election results by state and county. IPUMS CDOH is a collaborative project with partners at the University of Minnesota School of Public Health, including the Center for Antiracism Research for Health Equity (CARHE) led by Professor Rachel Hardeman.

### **Building the Data Capacity for Patient-Centered Outcomes Research: The 2022 Annual Report Report and Infographic**

The Office of the Secretary Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Trust Fund published their [2022 annual report and accompanying infographic](#) which includes strategic goals and

key accomplishments from last year. Highlights include the establishment of a social determinants of health database and the development of an algorithm linking opioid-related hospital visits with co-occurring substance use disorders and mental health issues.

## Recommendations for our Readers

[Advancing Health Equity Through The CMS Innovation Center: First Year Progress And What's To Come](#)

*Dora Lynn Hughes; Health Affairs*

[Why Millions of Americans May Lose Their Health Insurance \(Podcast\)](#)

*Princeton University*

[Public Health Workforce Challenges Through the Eyes of a Public Health Educator](#)

*Sarah Gollust; de Beaumont*



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