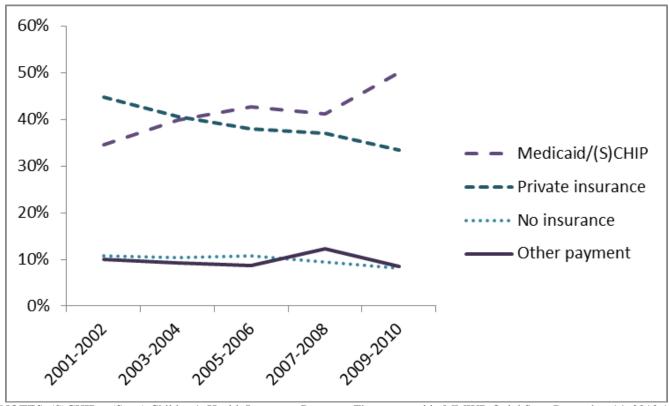


Percentage of Emergency Department Visits by Persons Aged ≤18 Years, by Primary Expected Source of Payment —United States, 2001–2002 to 2009–2010



NOTES: (S)CHIP = (State) Children's Health Insurance Program. First reported in MMWR QuickStats December 14, 2012 / 61(49):1013.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Hospital Ambulatory Medical Care Survey.

- During 2009–2010, Medicaid or CHIP was the primary expected payment source for 50% of visits to an emergency department by persons aged ≤18 years, up from 34% during 2001–2002.
- During the same period, the percentage of visits with private insurance as the primary payment source decreased from 45% to 34%, and the percentage of visits with no insurance payment decreased from 11% to 8%.