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Mississippi sees boom in Federal Marketplace enrollment

JACKSON, Miss. – The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has released preliminary data for the 2019 Open Enrollment period through the December 15th deadline. Approximately 8.5 million people enrolled for 2019 coverage compared to 8.8 million at the same time last year.

While enrollment numbers remain steady nationally, the number of Mississippians enrolled in the exchange increased significantly.

“88,000 people enrolled in the Federal Marketplace during open enrollment for 2019. This is an increase of 12% over last year’s numbers,” said Insurance Commissioner Mike Chaney. “It is likely that consumers will continue to access individual coverage through the Exchange so long as tax subsidies remain available.”

Ambetter from Magnolia Health remains the sole Exchange insurance provider in all 82 Mississippi counties.

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