

**Mental Health Medication
Utilization in Children
Ages 0 - 17 years old
(04/01/07 - 09/30/07)**



Office of Vermont Health Access



One Unique Medication / 6 Months

Age	0 - 6 years	7 - 12 years	13 - 17 years
Number of OVHA Beneficiaries of this Age as of 6/30/07	21,601	15,669	15,720
Total Number of Unique Members With Claim(s) for Mental Health Medication(s)	413	3,101	2,737
Percentage of OVHA Beneficiaries of this Age with Any Mental Health Medication Claim	1.91	19.79	17.41
1 Unique Medication in 6 Months	295	2,121	1,606
Percentage of Age Group / Percentage of those with Claims	1.37 / 71.42	13.54 / 68.40	10.22/ 58.68
Antidepressant Only / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 1 Unique Medication in 6 Months	39 / 13.22	254 / 11.98	689 / 42.90
Antipsychotic Only / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 1 Unique Medication in 6 Months	41 / 13.90	111 / 5.23	125 / 7.78
ADHD Med Only / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 1 Unique Medication in 6 Months	215 / 72.88	1756 / 82.79	792 / 49.32

Includes Antidepressants, Antipsychotics (includes lithium) and ADHD Medications (Stimulants and Non-Stimulants)

Does **NOT** include any anticonvulsants (some of which may be used as mood stabilizers), anxiolytics or sedative/hypnotics

Completed 01/11/2008

**Mental Health Medication
Utilization in Children
Ages 0 - 17 years old
(04/01/07 - 09/30/07)**



Office of Vermont Health Access



Two Unique Medications / 6 Months

Age	0 - 6 years		7 - 12 years		13 - 17 years
Number of OVHA Beneficiaries of this Age as of 6/30/07	21,601		15,669		15,720
Total Number of Unique Members With Claim(s) for Mental Health Medication(s)	413		3,101		2,737
2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	87		675		701
Percentage of Age Group / Percentage of those with Claims	0.40 / 21.07		4.31 / 21.77		4.46 / 25.61
2 Antidepressants / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	1 / 1.15		23 / 3.41		118 / 16.83
Antidepressant + Antipsychotic / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	3 / 3.45		51 / 7.56		138 / 19.69
Antidepressant + ADHD Med / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	17 / 19.54		209 / 30.96		216 / 30.81
2 Antipsychotics / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	2 / 2.30		25 / 3.70		45 / 6.42
Antipsychotic + ADHD Med / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	31 / 35.63		200 / 29.63		115 / 16.41
2 ADHD Meds / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 2 Unique Medications in 6 Months	33 / 37.93		167 / 24.74		69 / 9.84

Includes Antidepressants, Antipsychotics (includes lithium) and ADHD Medications (Stimulants and Non-Stimulants)
Does **NOT** include any anticonvulsants (some of which may be used as mood stabilizers), anxiolytics or sedative/hypnotics

Completed 01/11/2008

**Mental Health Medication
Utilization in Children
Ages 0 - 17 years old
(04/01/07 - 09/30/07)**



Office of Vermont Health Access



Three Unique Medications / 6 Months

Age	0 - 6 years	7 - 12 years	13 - 17 years
Number of OVHA Beneficiaries of this Age as of 6/30/07	21,601	15,669	15,720
Total Number of Unique Members With Claim(s) for Mental Health Medication(s)	413	3,101	2,737
3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	31	305	430
Percentage of Age Group / Percentage of those with Claims	0.14 / 7.50	1.95 / 9.84	2.74 / 15.71
3 Antidepressants / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	0 / 0	2 / 0.66	24 / 5.58
Antidepressant(s) + Antipsychotic(s) / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	1 / 3.23	34 / 11.15	96 / 22.33
Antidepressant(s) + ADHD Med(s) / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	6 / 19.35	53 / 17.38	74 / 17.21
3 Antipsychotics / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	0 / 0	0 / 0	5 / 1.16
Antipsychotic(s) + ADHD Med(s) / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	12 / 38.71	58 / 19.02	35 / 8.14
3 ADHD Meds / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	2 / 6.45	11 / 3.61	6 / 1.40
Antidepressant + Antipsychotic + ADHD Med / % of Beneficiaries this Age with 3 Unique Medications in 6 Months	10 / 32.26	147 / 48.20	190 / 44.19

Includes Antidepressants, Antipsychotics (includes lithium) and ADHD Medications (Stimulants and Non-Stimulants)

Does **NOT** include any anticonvulsants (some of which may be used as mood stabilizers), anxiolytics or sedative/hypnotics