



CareSource—one of Georgia’s Medicaid Managed Plans that serves over 500,000 Georgians—is releasing new figures that show the record-setting impact its Value Based Care program has delivered for members and providers across Georgia.

What is Value Based Care?

Value Based Care is a form of reimbursement that ties payments for care delivery to the quality of care provided and rewards providers for helping keep their patients healthy. It incentivizes providers to deliver the highest quality and most engaging care possible to our members.

The results have been tremendous—and are a potential game changer for improving healthcare outcomes across the state.

Last year, CareSource awarded over \$8.5 million in reimbursements—which represents a 300 percent increase over 2021.

More than 80% of CareSource members now receive their care from providers with Value Based Care provider agreements—up from 21% in the previous year.

As a result, these CareSource members have shown measurable health gains—including:

- breast cancer screenings (+ 3.4%)
- controlling blood pressure (+ 8.6%)
- childhood immunizations (+ 6.7%)
- prenatal care (+ 3.3%)
- postpartum care (+ 8.8%)
- blood glucose level control (+ 11.5%)

Members served through a Value Based Care program had 16% fewer ER visits, and Well Child visits increased by 44%. Overall costs for these members were 28% lower per member/per month. This represents a potential savings to the state of Georgia through the achievement of better overall health.

CareSource will continue to build on this success by expanding this program across the state, which could continue to dramatically improve healthcare outcomes across the state and serve as a model for the future.

CareSource’s Value Based Care Program is using innovative solutions to improve health outcomes, lower costs, and provide the highest quality healthcare to customers across the state!