

# An Analysis of AAPCHO Community Health Centers: UDS 2012

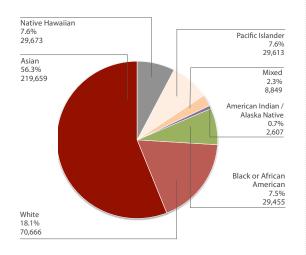
Since 1987, the Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations (AAPCHO), a national, not-for-profit organization has represented community health centers (CHCs) that provide quality, comprehensive health services that are financially affordable, linguistically accessible and culturally appropriate for Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and other Pacific Islanders (AA&NHOPIs). AAPCHO's 33 community-based organizations promote advocacy, collaboration, and leadership that improve health status and access for medically underserved AA&NHOPIs. AAPCHO member CHCs provide services that are uniquely appropriate to their patient populations, including:

- · Culturally and linguistically appropriate health care services
- Comprehensive primary medical care including internal medicine, prenatal care, pediatric, nutrition, nursing, pharmaceuticals, optometry, dentistry, and Enabling Services (ES)
- Services in numerous languages and dialects including Cantonese, Hawaiian, Ilocano, Korean, Mandarin, Samoan, Tagalog and Vietnamese



#### AAPCHO MEMBER DEMOGRAPHICS

In 2012, AAPCHO served over 430,000 patients at federally qualified health centers. AA&NHOPI patients accounted for 72% of those served.



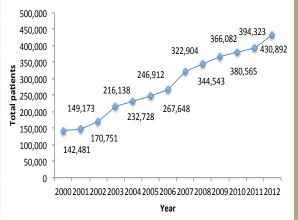
#### **AAPCHO FQHCS, 2000 - 2012**

AAPCHO's membership includes federally qualified health centers (FQHCs), FQHC look-alikes, and other

community health organizations. This fact sheet examines only FQHCs who report data to the Bureau of Primary Health Care Uniform Data Systems (UDS). AAPCHO currently serves 23 FQHCs, up from 12 in 2000.

#### TOTAL AAPCHO PATIENTS, 2000 - 2012

The total number of patients served increased 202% between 2000 and 2012. AAPCHO's average number of patients per site increased 58% in the same period.



#### TERMINOLOGY

#### ASIAN

origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, and Indian subcontinent.

#### PACIFIC ISLANDER Refers to people havind

Refers to people having origins in any of the original peoples of Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

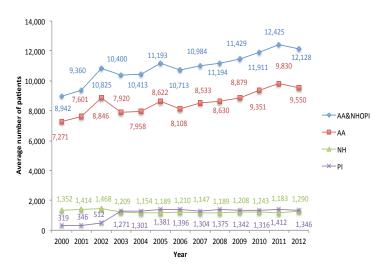
NATIVE HAWAIIANS Refers to those persons with native origins in the original peoples of Hawaii.

#### MORE INFORMATION

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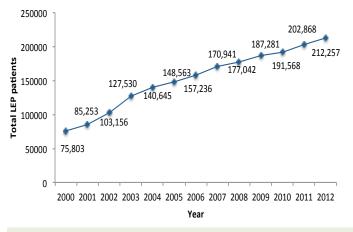
#### AVERAGE AAPCHO AA&NHOPI PATIENTS

The average number of AA&NHOPI patients served at each FQHC increased 36% between 2000 and 2012.



# LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT (LEP) PATIENTS, 2000 - 2012

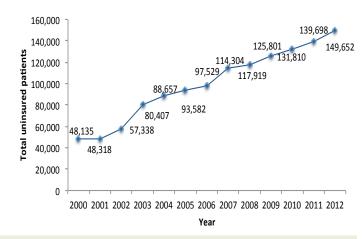
In 2012 nearly half of AAPCHO member FQHC patients were best served in a language other than English. For some AAPCHO members, LEP patients represented up to 99% of their patient populations. The number of LEP patients served increased 180% between 2000 and 2012.





### UNINSURED PATIENTS, 2000 - 2012

The number of uninsured AAPCHO member FQHC patients increased 211% between 2000 and 2012. In 2012, 35% of AAPCHO member FQHC patients were uninsured. For some AAPCHO members, uninsured patients represented nearly 100% of their patient populations.



# HOW AAPCHO CENTERS COMPARE NATIONALLY

AAPCHO member FQHC patient demographics and services differ from the average health center. AAPCHO serves a higher proportion of:

- Patients best served in a language other than English (49.3% vs. 22.9%)
- Medicaid patients (41.9% vs. 39.6%)
- Geriatric patients (age 65+) (9.5% vs. 7.2%)
- Non-white patients (81.9% vs. 34.4%)
- Patients with controlled blood pressure (69.2% vs. 63.6%)
- Patients with controlled diabetes (76.1% vs. 70.0%)

AAPCHO has a higher average number of enabling services encounters (11,520 vs. 5,118)

## SUMMARY OF AAPCHO DEMOGRAPHICS FOR 2012

AAPCHO's members are geographically located across the country in eight states and one freely associated state. Our 23 member FQHCs serve a unique subset of our nation's population.

- · 430,892 total patients served
- 81.9% racial/ethnic minorities, including 219,659 (56.3%) Asians, 29,673 (7.6%) Native Hawaiians, and 29,613 (7.6%) other Pacific Islanders
- 49.3% patients served in a language

- other than English (212,257)
- 88.6% patients with incomes at or below 200% Federal Poverty Level (305,938)
- 34.7% uninsured patients (149,652)
- 41.8% Medicaid patients (180,468)
- Some FQHCs serve as high as 56% homeless patients

### DISAGGREGATED DATA

AAPCHO CHCs strongly advocate for and collect disaggregated AA&NHOPI data. Unfortunately this data is not provided in the UDS, and thus is not included in this report.

Source for all data: BPHC UDS 2000 - 2012