

Special Documents

MARYLAND HEALTH CARE COMMISSION

GROSS, NET, AND EFFECTIVE BED NEED PROJECTIONS FOR COMPREHENSIVE CARE FACILITY OR NURSING HOME BEDS, TARGET YEAR 2022

In accordance with COMAR 10.24.20.06, the Maryland Health Care Commission (MHCC) publishes the following notice of jurisdictional gross, net, and effective bed need. These projections update and supersede the projections published in the Maryland Register on April 29, 2016. The effective bed need projection will apply in the review of Certificate of Need applications acted on by MHCC after the date of their publication. Published projections of gross bed need remain in effect until MHCC publishes updated bed need projections. Projections of net bed need and effective bed need can change during the interim period between publication of bed need projections as a result of changes in the bed inventory, changes in average bed occupancy, or changes needed to correct errors in the data or computation of the bed need projections.

Jurisdiction/ REGION	Bed Inventory as of September 1, 2019					2022 Projected Bed Need			
	Licensed Beds	CON- Approved Beds	“Waiver” Beds [1]	Temporarily Delicensed Beds	Total Bed Inventory	Gross Bed Need	Net Bed Need	Average Bed Occupancy 2016-17	Effective Bed Need [2]
WESTERN MARYLAND	4,235	0	0	131	4,366				
Allegany	908	0	0	0	908	761	-147	85.9%	0
Carroll	921	0	0	0	921	888	-33	88.3%	0
Frederick	1,082	0	0	0	1,082	1,052	-30	88.0%	0
Garrett	317	0	0	0	317	286	-31	88.1%	0
Washington	1,007	0	0	131	1,138	1,005	-133	88.0%	0
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	4,562	0	5	0	4,567				
Montgomery	4,562	0	5	0	4,567	4,035	-532	86.9%	0
SOUTHERN MARYLAND	4,303	0	62	8	4,373				
Calvert	292	0	0	0	292	311	19	80.2%	0
Charles	495	0	12	0	507	516	9	91.4%	9
Prince George’s	2,953	0	10	0	2,963	2,995	32	92.0%	32
St. Mary’s	563	0	40	8	611	581	-30	93.1%	0
CENTRAL MARYLAND	12,114	96	0	130	12,340				
Anne Arundel	1,764	20	0	0	1,784	1,692	-92	89.0%	0
Baltimore City	3,717	0	0	110	3,827	3,379	-448	90.8%	0
Baltimore County	5,288	0	0	20	5,308	4,781	-527	88.2%	0
Harford	769	48	0	0	817	777	-40	90.8%	0
Howard	576	28	0	0	604	617	13	90.2%	13
EASTERN SHORE	2,599	0	6	48	2,653				
Caroline	187	0	6	0	193	153	-40	83.4%	0
Cecil	431	0	0	23	454	432	-22	85.3%	0
Dorchester	233	0	0	25	258	213	-45	84.4%	0
Kent	228	0	0	0	228	202	-26	81.1%	0
Queen Anne’s	120	0	0	0	120	115	-5	81.0%	0
Somerset	211	0	0	0	211	192	-19	89.1%	0
Talbot	269	0	0	0	269	228	-41	83.1%	0
Wicomico	613	0	0	0	613	538	-75	80.9%	0
Worcester	307	0	0	0	307	266	-41	81.6%	0

Notes: [1] “Waiver” beds are small increments of beds that nursing homes may add, under specific conditions, without CON approval. These additions must be implemented within one year after authorization.

[2] Bed need is identified as zero if the current bed inventory exceeds gross bed need or if the two-year average bed occupancy rate is below 90%.

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