TennCare Budget

Fiscal Year 2008 Budget Presentation

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Fiscal Stewardship

TennCare's budget remains within sustainable levels of growth

New Day in TennCare

TennCare's fiscal control and manageable trends result in the lowest growth rate in its history

Tomorrow's Vigilance

Awareness of outside influences that affect the TennCare program and its financial health





CONTINUED PROGRESS

Operational Momentum

- Middle TN MCOs Bear Full Risk / Behavioral & Physical Health Integration
- Reduced Audit Findings from 38 in FY 03 to 4 in FY 06
- CMS Certification of Medicaid Management Information Systems

Initiatives to Improve Care

- Grier Relief Helps Restore Managed Care
- Emergency Department Voluntary Pilot
- Successful Implementation of Shared Health Electronic Medical Records
- HEDIS Performance Quality Measures

Empowering Enrollees

- HCBS Expansion Doubles Number of Offered Services
- Weight WatchersTM Pilot

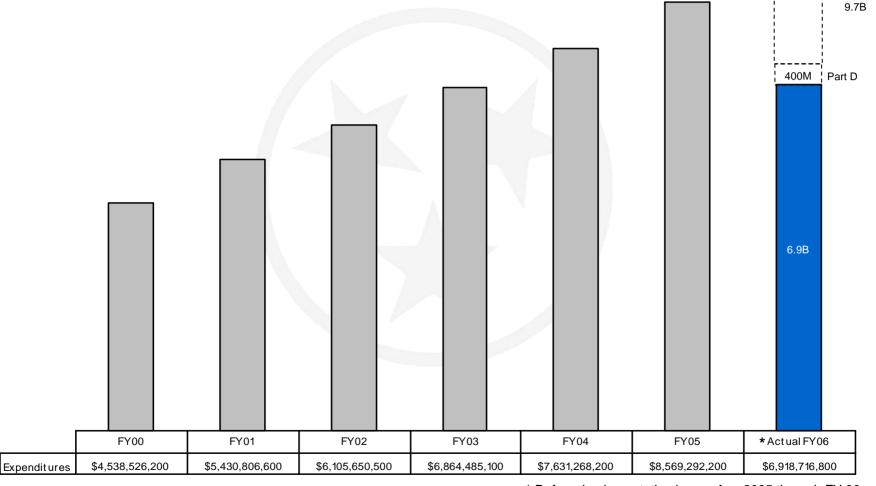




TOTAL EXPENDITURES

• TennCare established a more sustainable budget base by 2006





^{*} Reform implementation began Aug 2005 through FY 06

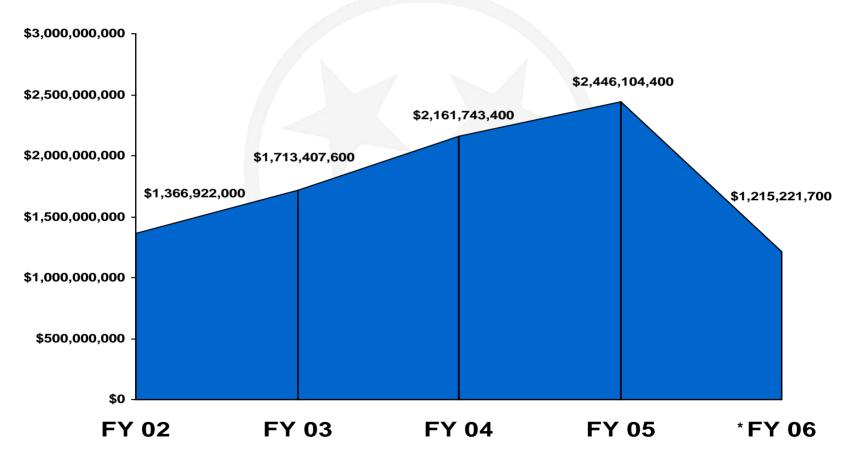
Total Unreformed Program





TOTAL PHARMACY EXPENDITURES

- Controlled pharmacy expenditures were 60% of reform savings
- TennCare saved \$1.2 billion in pharmacy expenditures



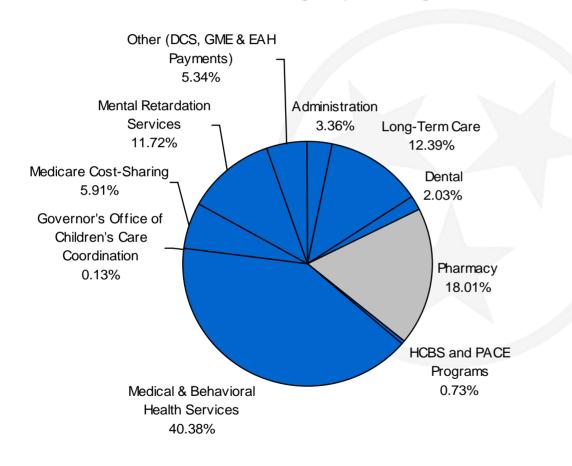
^{*} Six months of FY 06 reflect Part D accounting changes





2008 BASE BUDGET BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY

- Pharmacy trend brought back to reasonable percentage of TennCare expenditures
- Medical service costs are the largest percentage of total TennCare expenditures



	Medical & Behavioral Health Services	\$3,061,749,100
	Pharmacy	1,365,825,100
	Long-Term Care	939,763,200
	Mental Retardation	888,753,900
	Medicare Cost-Sharing	448,375,700
	Other (DCS, GME & EAH Payments)	404,658,600
	Administration	254,466,600
	Dental	153,559,800
	HCBS and PACE Program	ns 55,495,900
	Governor's Office of Children's Care Coordination	9,994,700
	Total	\$7,582,642,600

See attachment for FY 08 TennCare improvement summary



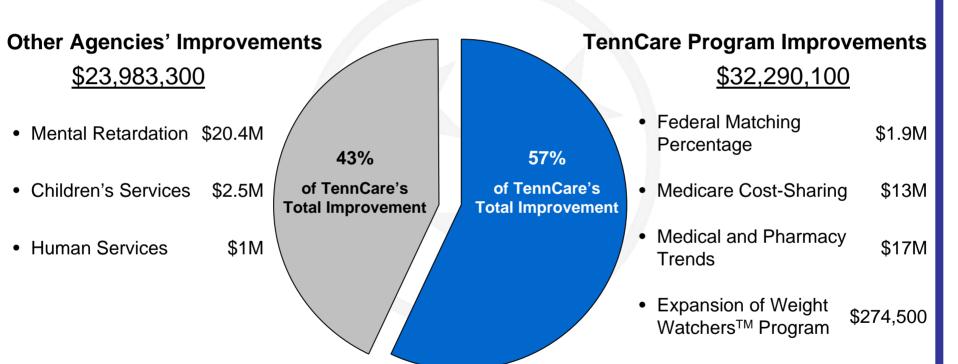






TOTAL IMPROVEMENTS

FY 08 Improvements = \$56,273,400 in State funds

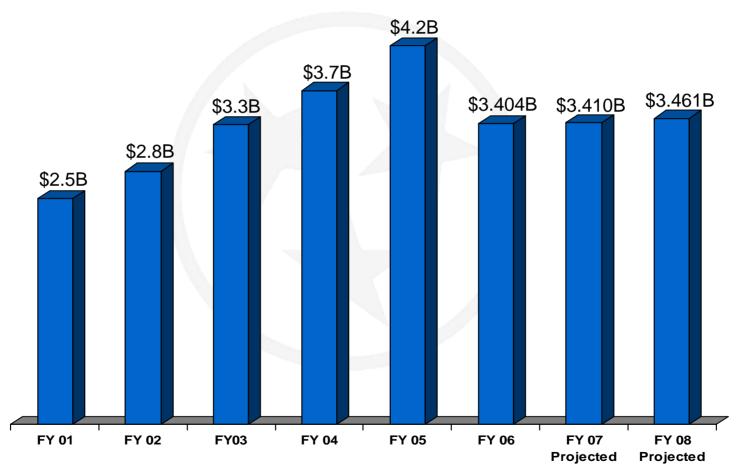






MEDICAL AND PHARMACY TRENDS

 Medical and Pharmacy costs continue to increase, although the new TennCare program is much more stable



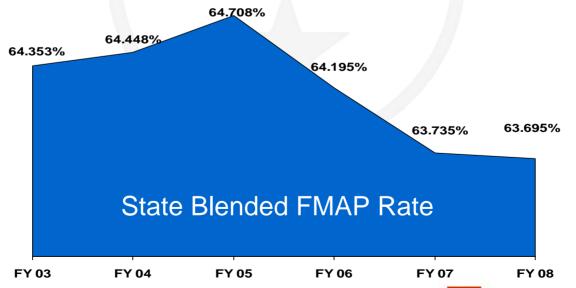
Note: Due to Medicare Part D implementation on 1/1/06, dual pharmacy expenditures are excluded for comparison purposes





FEDERAL MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PERCENTAGES (FMAP)

- The FMAP is the share of state Medicaid costs paid by the Federal Government.
- The FMAP is based upon a three-year average of state per-capita personal income compared with the national average.
- Federal FY 08 is based upon per-capita income from 2003 to 2005.
- Since Federal and State fiscal years do not correlate, a "state blended rate" must be calculated.
- The change in FMAP from FY 07 to FY 08 shifts \$1.9 million to state appropriation.







MEDICARE PART A & B COST-SHARING

- Medicare is health insurance for people:
 - Under age 65 with certain disabilities;
 - Age 65 or older; or,
 - Any age with end-stage renal disease (permanent kidney failure requiring dialysis or a kidney transplant)
- Medicare is operated by the Federal Government
 - Part A covers hospital stays
 - Part B is an optional benefit that helps cover medically necessary services like doctors' services, outpatient care, some preventive services and other medical services that Part A doesn't cover
- Both Part A & B have out-of-pocket costs for seniors
 - Some people are jointly enrolled in Medicare and Medicaid, known as "duals"
 - Typically a low-income elderly or disabled individual
 - The State is responsible for the cost-sharing components of Medicare for dual eligibles, as well as for those limited services that are not covered by Medicare
 - TennCare covers 200,000 dual eligibles



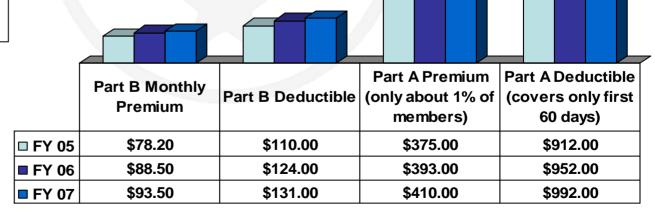


MEDICARE COST-SHARING

Reasons for increases:

- CMS updates the premiums and deductibles each year. The adjustments are made per formulas set in statute. The law requires that the standard premium must be sufficient to cover 25% of the costs.
- Costs go up CMS points to rapid growth in hospital outpatient services (one-third of the increase).
- CMS also has to increase rates to increase assets in the Part B trust fund (reserve requirement).

Co-payments are typically 20%



All increases are calculated on calendar year





WEIGHT WATCHERS™ PARTNERSHIP

- Tennessee is the 6th-most-overweight state and has the 2nd-highest number of physically inactive adults in the country.
- Tennessee has the 4th-highest rate of adult diabetes and the 5th-highest death rate from cardiovascular disease in the nation.

Studies have shown:

Modest Weight Loss
(5-10% of starting weight)

Decreased Risk of Diabetes,
Heart Disease and Stroke

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Decreased Medical Costs

TennCare's Experience:

Weight Watchers™ Pilot Program (First Six Months)



1,400 Participants with BMI > 30 (obese)



8,000 Pounds Lost

Improvement Request:

Expansion of Weight WatchersTM Program



\$274,500



Enrollees Eligible if BMI > 25 (overweight & obese)





Tomorrow's Vigilance

OUTSIDE INFLUENCES AFFECTING TENNCARE

Volatile American Healthcare System

"Insurance prices are growing cheaper #... health insurance benefits are an exception to the trend. Health insurance costs continue to soar."

- Wall Street Journal, 11/6/06

Aggressive Legal Environment Continues

Current legal battles and constraining consent decrees require substantial management attention and redirection of resources

- John B. Grier Daniels
- Newberry Ware Rosen

Federal Government (CMS) Dependency

- Uncertainty of Funding Mechanisms
- Federal Policy Shifts
- Waiver Extension Negotiation

