

TABLE 2. Individuals Affected^a, by Age Group and Source of Care, Non-Service Member MHS Beneficiaries, 2024

Age group, y	Direct Care Only		Outsourced Care Only ^b		Direct and Outsourced Care ^c		Total
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
0–17	165,998	11.3	1,008,310	68.9	289,794	19.8	1,464,102
18–44	193,390	14.1	900,341	65.5	279,895	20.4	1,373,626
45–64	101,318	7.8	934,190	71.8	265,256	20.4	1,300,764
65+	41,867	2.0	1,858,803	91.0	141,738	6.9	2,042,408
Unknown	1		0		2		3

Abbreviations: MHS, Military Health System; y, years; No., number.

^a Individuals with at least 1 hospitalization or ambulatory visit for the condition.

^b Represents encounters or hospital bed days received under purchased care or care received under Medicare benefit.

^c Represents a combination of care received directly at military hospitals or clinics and non-military medical facilities.