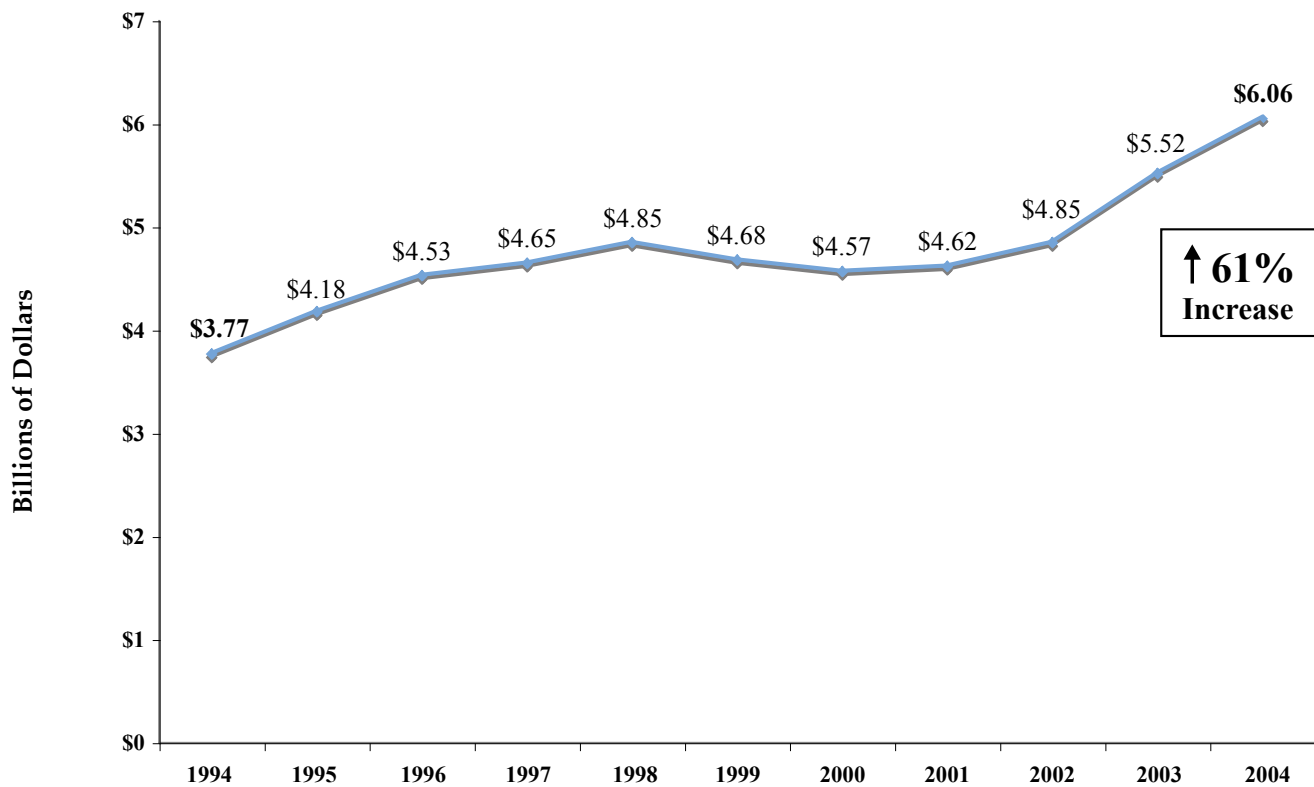


The Facts About...

Personal Health-Care Spending: NYS Home Care

Growth In Personal Health-Care Spending On Home Care New York State, 1994-2004



Source: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, 2005.

Personal health-care spending on home care services in New York State rose 61% between 1994 and 2004, according to Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) data. Personal health-care spending in this category rose from \$3.77 billion to \$6.06 billion during this time period.

The home care category represents a larger share of the personal health-care dollar spent in New York State (4.7%), compared to the U.S. (2.8%).