By the Numbers – COPD in Delaware

6.1% of adults have been diagnosed with COPD (prevalence)²

49,900 adults have been diagnosed with COPD (incidence)²

39.9 people out of every 100,000 die per year³

$111 million is the annual cost for treatment⁴

Vaccinations⁵

- 56.2% have had the flu shot
- 66.5% have had the pneumonia shot

Hospitalizations

- 1,276 Medicare hospitalizations⁵
- $3,140 per Medicare beneficiary with COPD⁴
- 22.8% 30-day COPD readmission rate⁶

A Look at COPD by State: 10 Key Metrics¹

States grouped based on performance in 10 key areas, 5 being worst and 1 being best.

- Delaware has an average burden of COPD but there is still significant room for improvement.

Higher Proportions of Women than Men have COPD²

- 7.1% women
- 5.0% men

COPD and Chronic Diseases

- Asthma, cardiovascular disease, depression and diabetes all have high prevalence rates in the COPD population, making earlier diagnosis, education and optimal treatment even more important.²

Data collected for all states visit www.journal.copdfoundation.org.

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