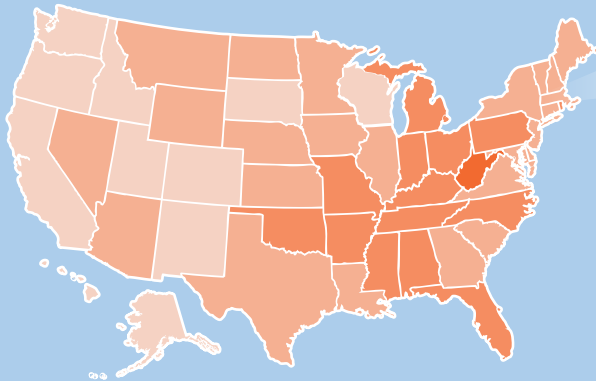


# COPD in the United States: How is Your State Doing?

## A Look at COPD by State: 10 Key Metrics<sup>1</sup>

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



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

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Massachusetts has lower than average COPD prevalence, death and overall smoking rates and higher than average hospitalization and readmission rates. It has a lower than average influenza vaccination rate and a higher than average pneumonia vaccination rate for people with COPD.



## By the Numbers – COPD in Massachusetts

**5.7%** of adults have been diagnosed with COPD (prevalence)<sup>2</sup>

**327,000** adults have been diagnosed with COPD (incidence)<sup>2</sup>

**30.9** people out of every 100,000 die per year<sup>3</sup>

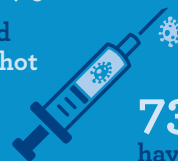
**\$750** million is the annual cost for treatment<sup>4</sup>

## Higher Proportions of Women than Men have COPD<sup>2</sup>



## Vaccinations<sup>5</sup>

**49.6%** have had the flu shot



**73.5%** have had the pneumonia shot

## Hospitalizations

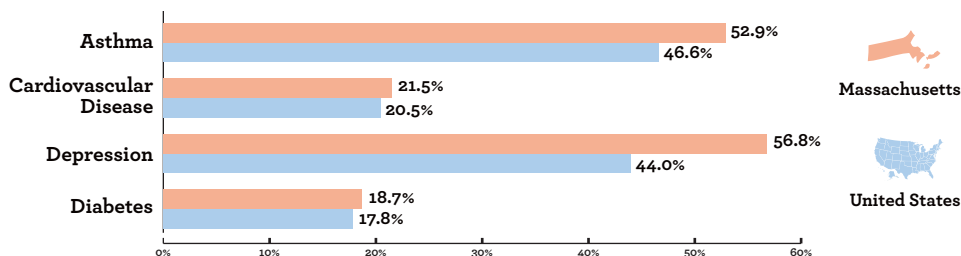
**8,517** Medicare hospitalizations<sup>5</sup>

**\$3,260** per Medicare beneficiary with COPD<sup>4</sup>

**25.1%** 30-day COPD readmission rate<sup>6</sup>

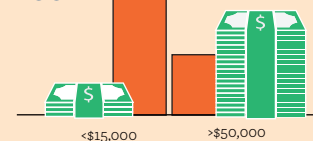
## COPD and Chronic Diseases

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.<sup>2</sup>



## Individuals in Massachusetts with incomes less than \$15,000 are

**5.2x** more likely to have COPD than those with incomes greater than \$50,000<sup>2</sup>



Change starts with empowering individuals, families and the healthcare community to prevent the disease, diagnose it early and treat it appropriately. Find out more and get involved at [www.copdfoundation.org](http://www.copdfoundation.org).