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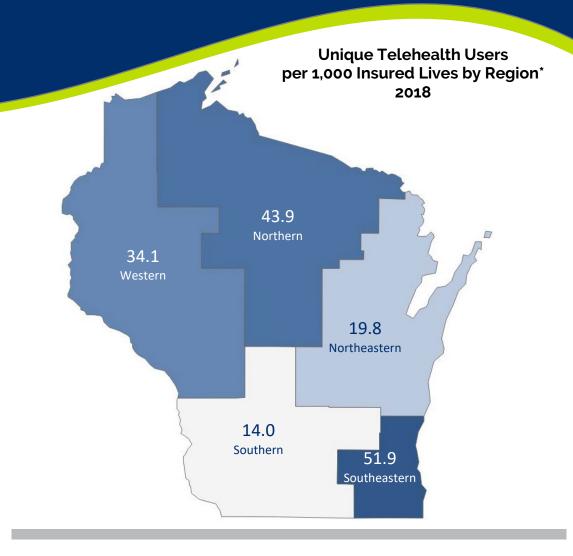
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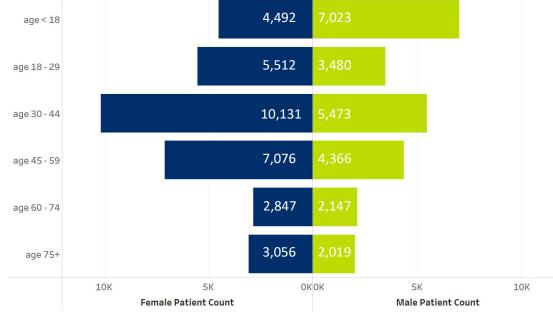


This report provides information on the use of telehealth (also referred to as "telemedicine" or "e-health") in Wisconsin.

Telehealth is the distribution of healthrelated services and information via electronic information and telecommunication technologies. Initially, telehealth was used by health care professionals to connect with patients in rural settings, those who lack transportation and patients with limited mobility. Today, telehealth is also used to increase access to services for patients who want immediate care for minor but urgent conditions.



Unique Telehealth User Count by Age & Gender 2018



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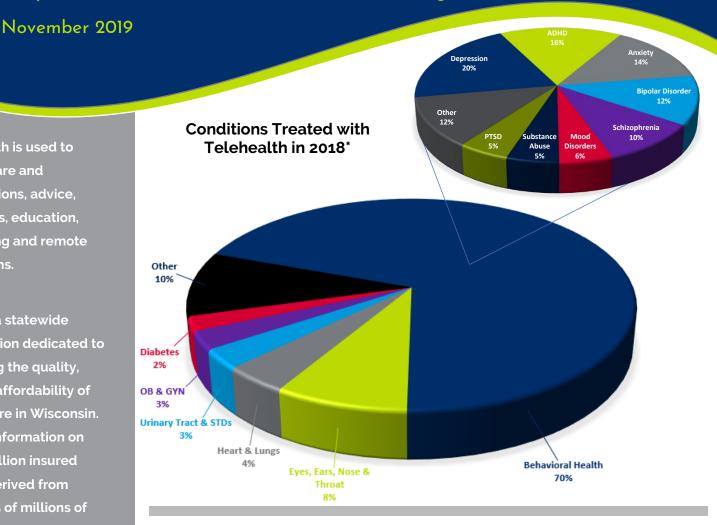
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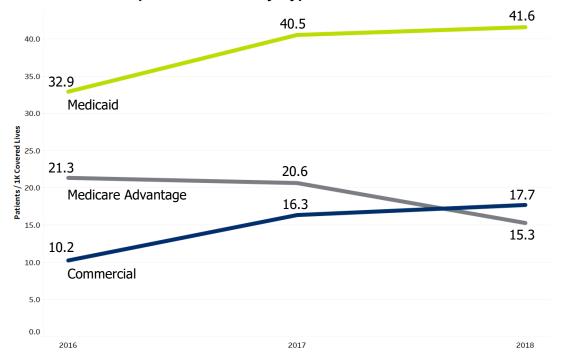
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Telehealth per 1,000 Lives by Type of Insurance 2016 - 2018*



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