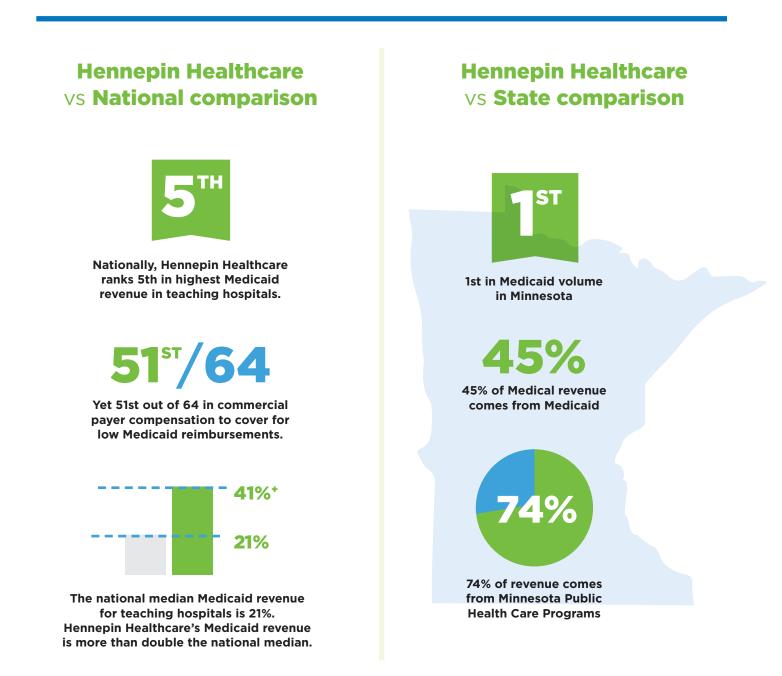
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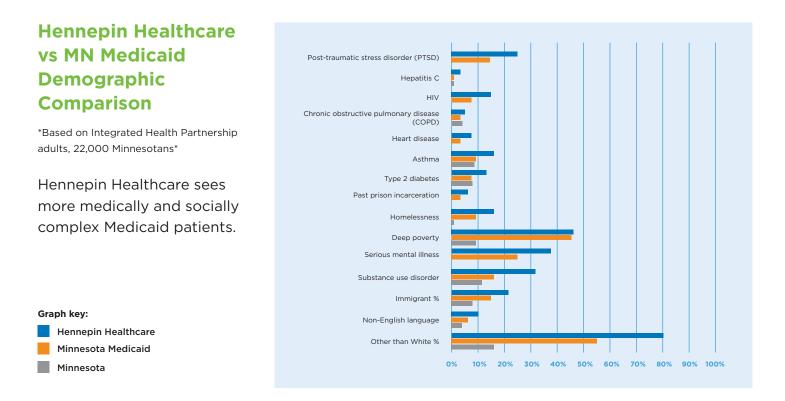
CARING FOR MINNESOTA'S MEDICAID POPULATION

Hennepin Healthcare serves Minnesotans from across the state through our integrated system of care, which includes Hennepin County Medical Center (HCMC) acute care hospital, a nationally recognized Level 1 Adult and Pediatric Trauma Center, as well as a clinic system with primary care clinics across Hennepin County. We train nearly half of the doctoral residents in the state as well as other medical professionals, host a leading research institute, the Minnesota Poison Center, a burn center and many more community services.



2021 Request: Liebling HF 1609 / Benson SF 1372 The Minnesota legislature authorizes the Department of Human Services to access an existing supplemental federal revenue source called Medicaid Directed Payments. These payments are already used in many states to alleviate financial strain on safety-net health systems. This authorization should result in **no net cost to the state**.

Our health system receives supplemental federal payments based on the volume of Medicaid fee for service patients served. However, some of these payments are set to expire and others are shrinking to levels not sustainable within the current reimbursement structure that relies on commercial insurance reimbursement to cover lower Medicaid reimbursements.



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