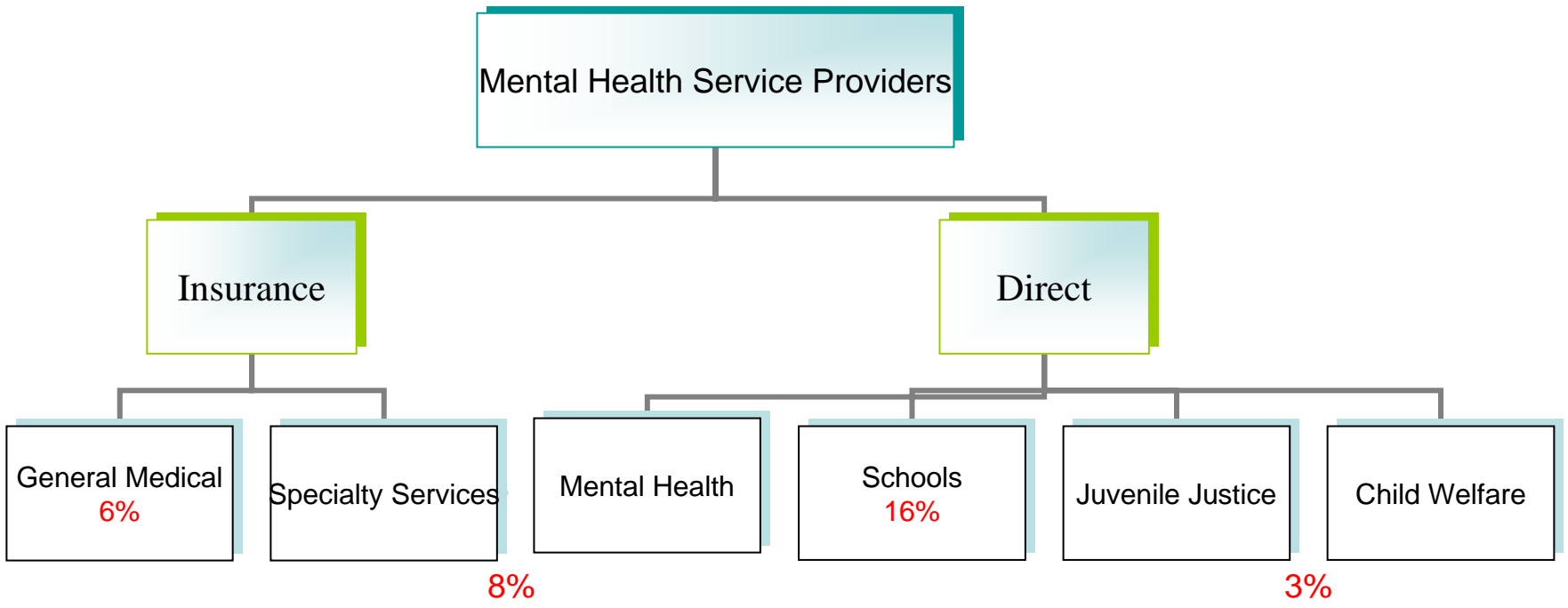


# Financing Child Mental Health Services

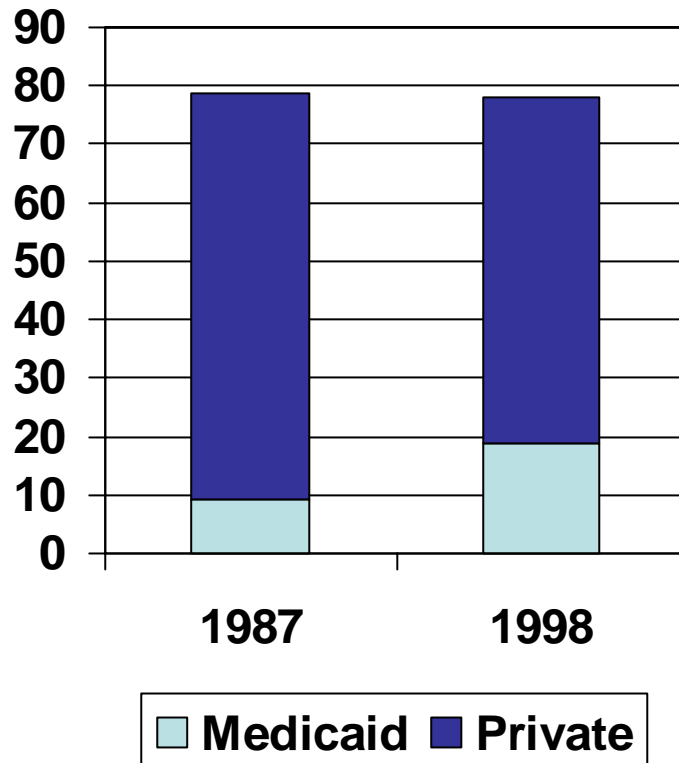
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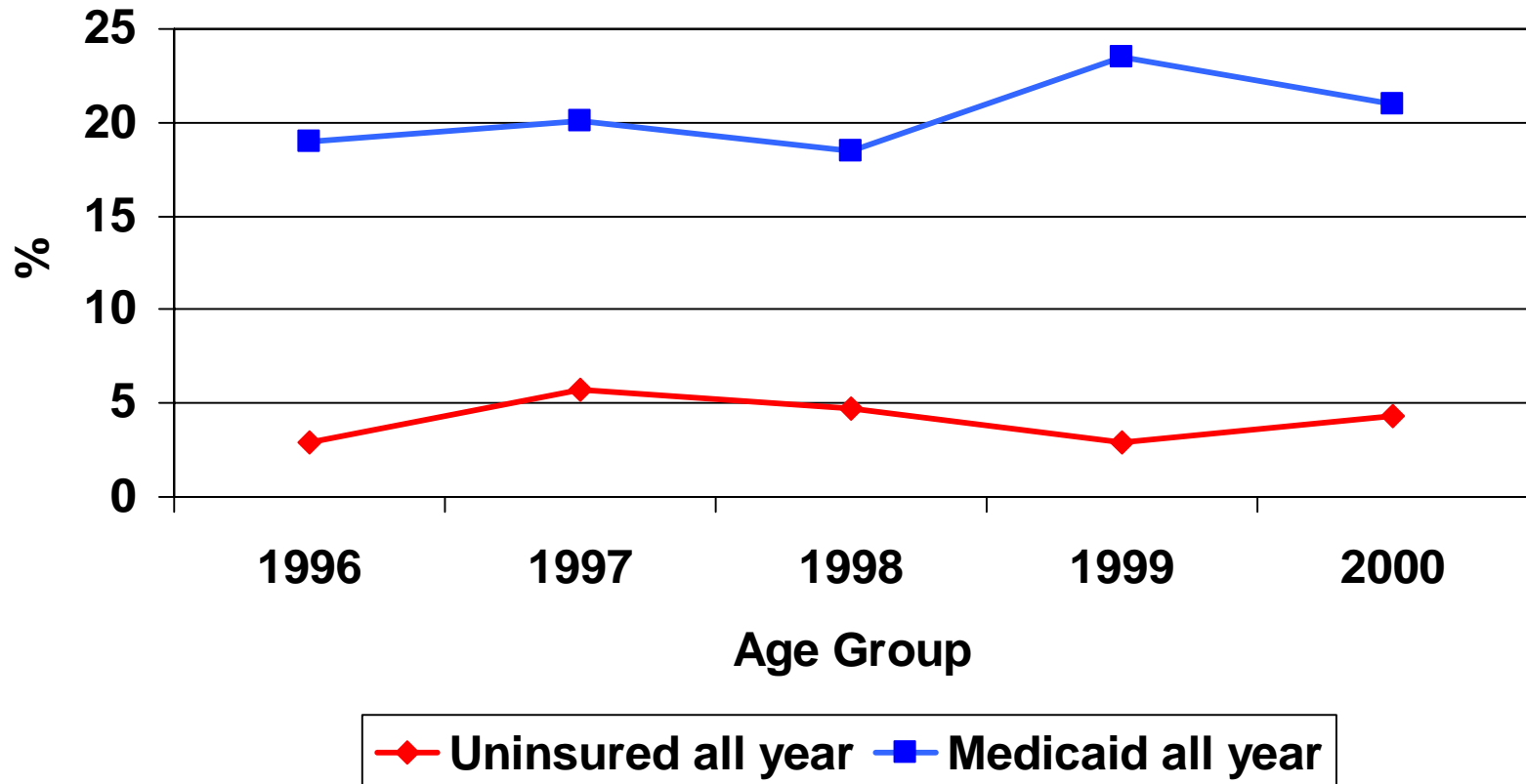


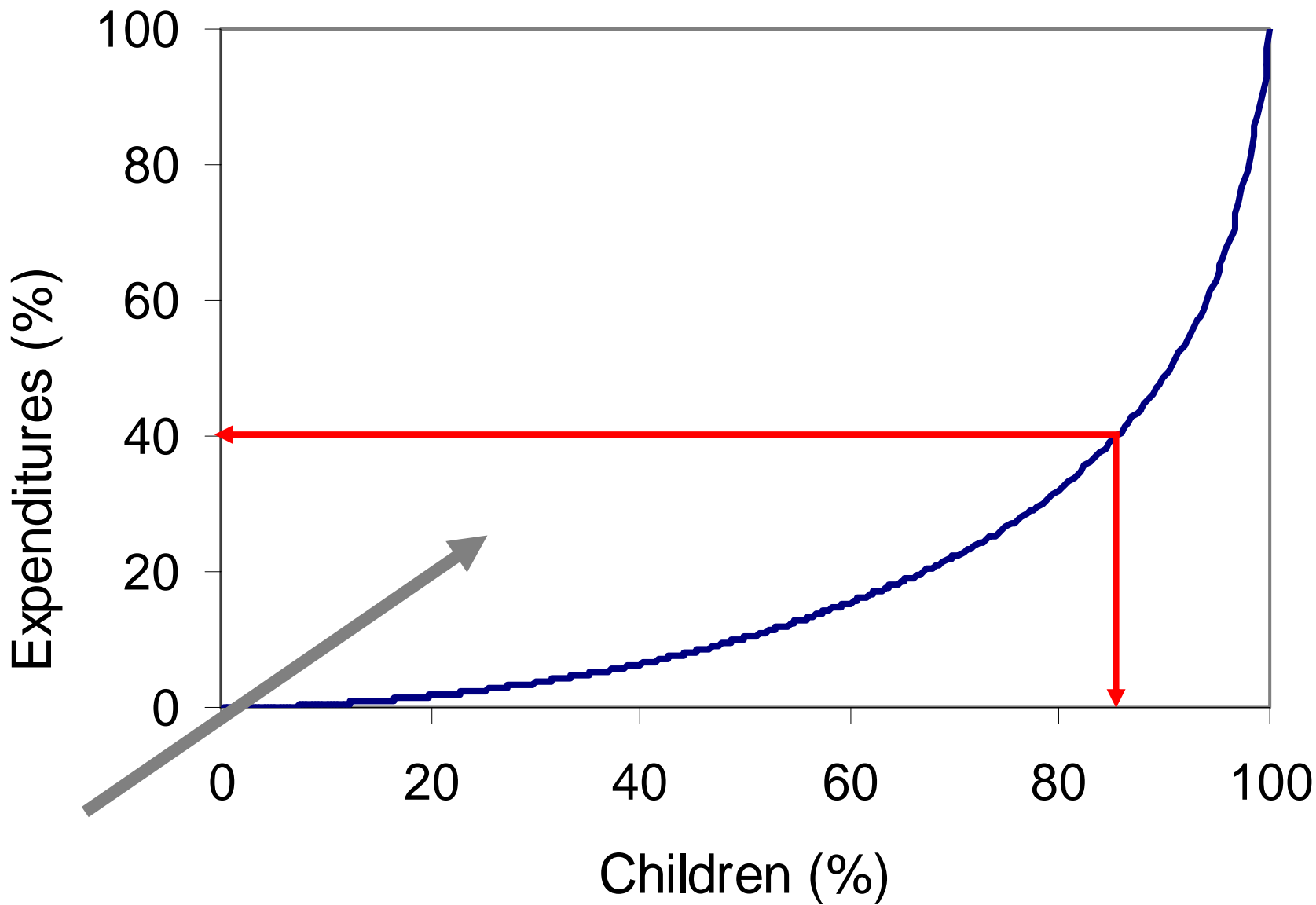
# Growing Role of Public Coverage



- Among children with a diagnosis, proportion Medicaid doubled over the 1990s

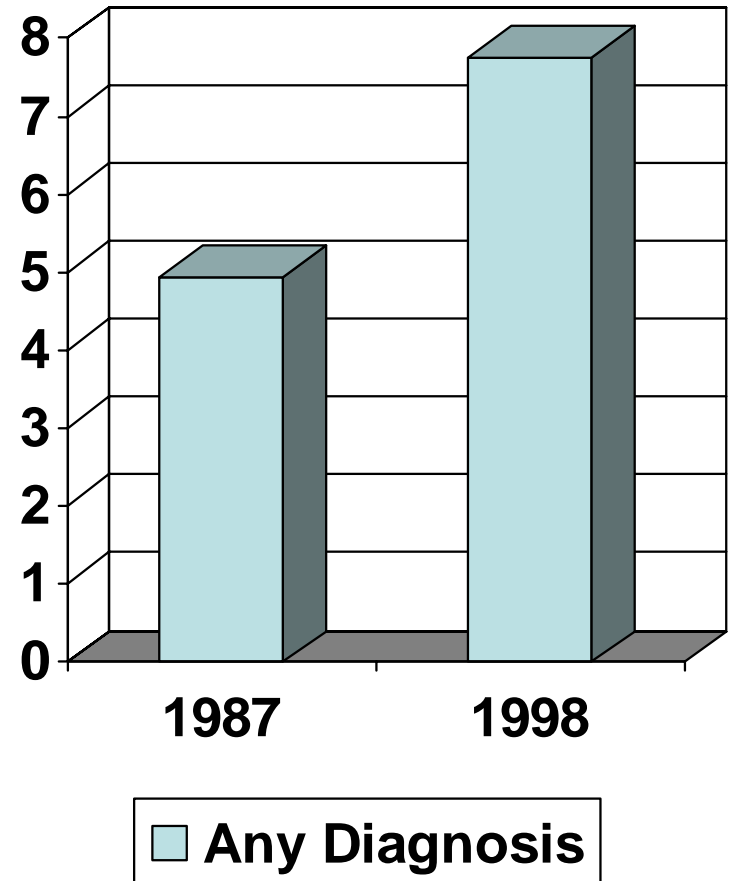
# Insurance Composition with MH Diagnosis



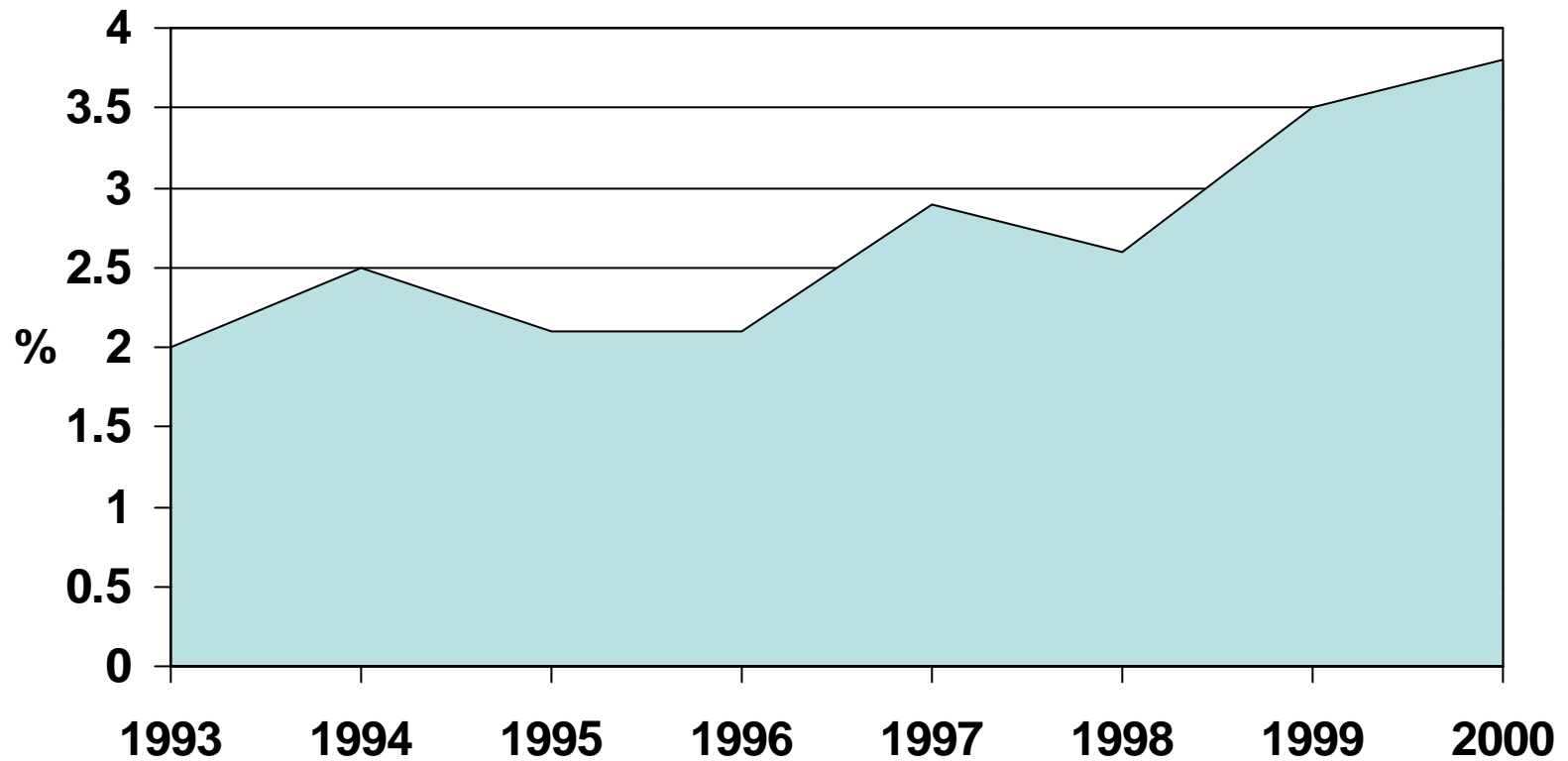


# Treated Prevalence

- Rates of diagnosis have increased by over 50% since 1987

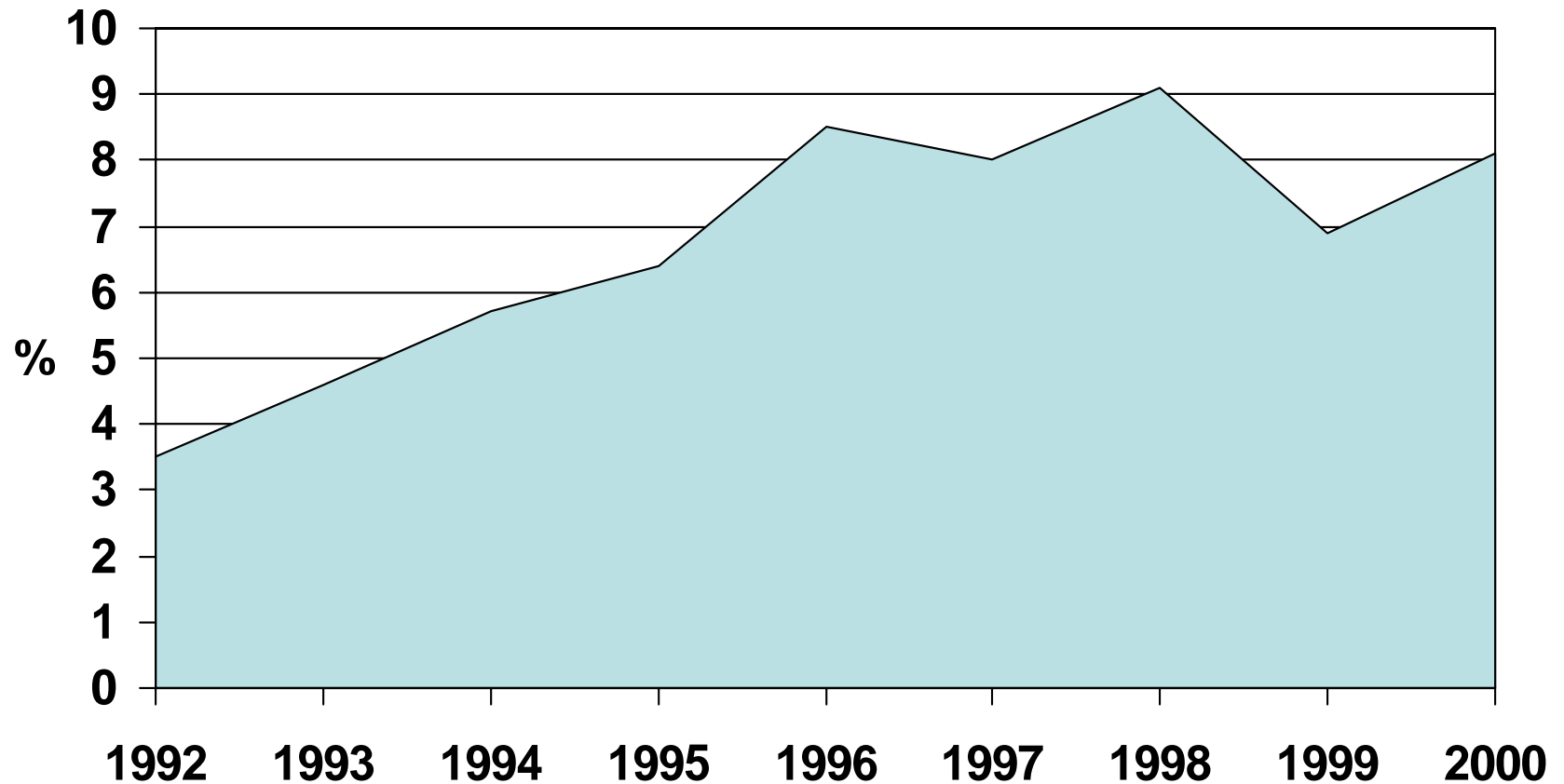


# General Care Visits with a Mental Health Diagnosis

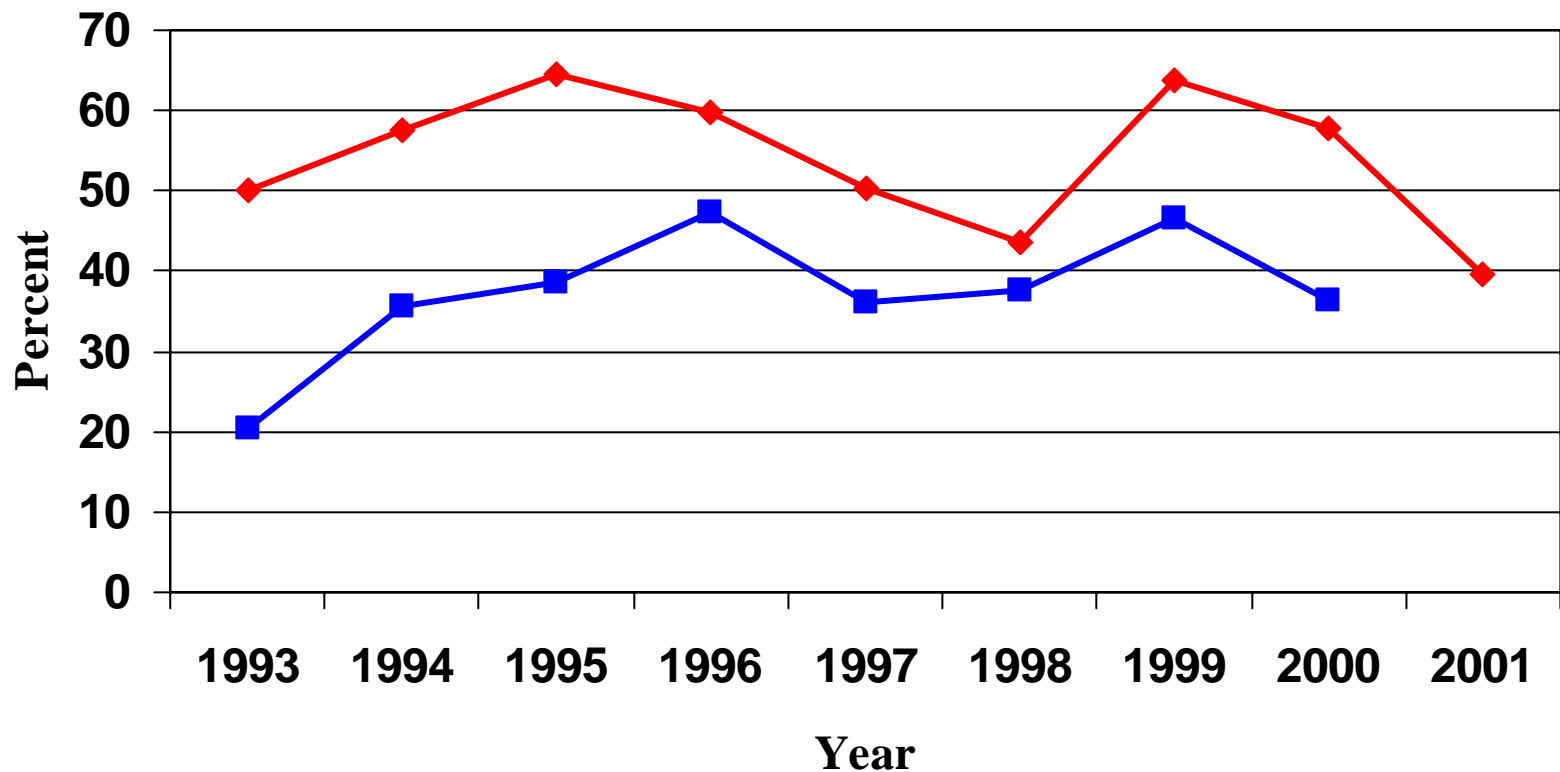


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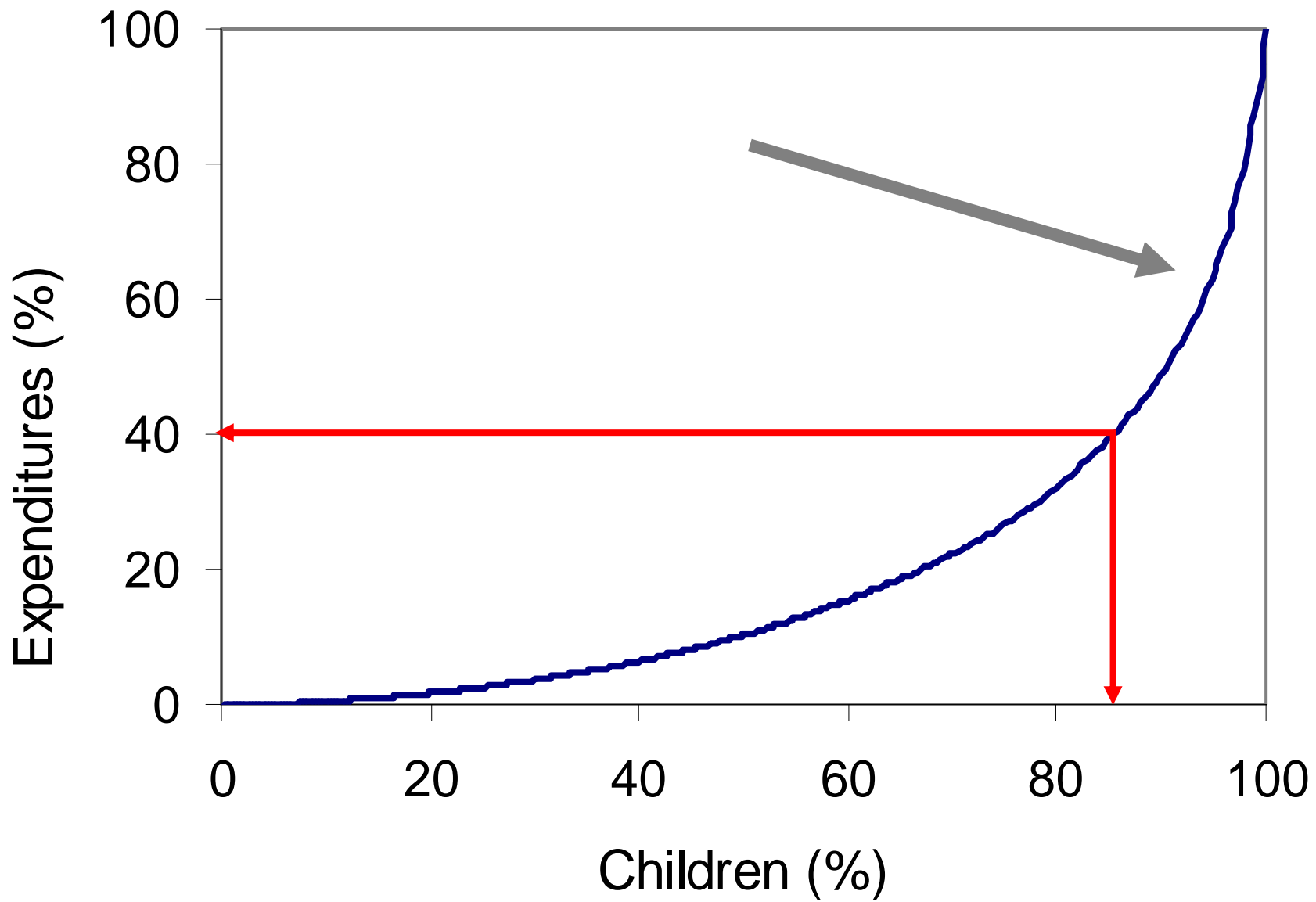
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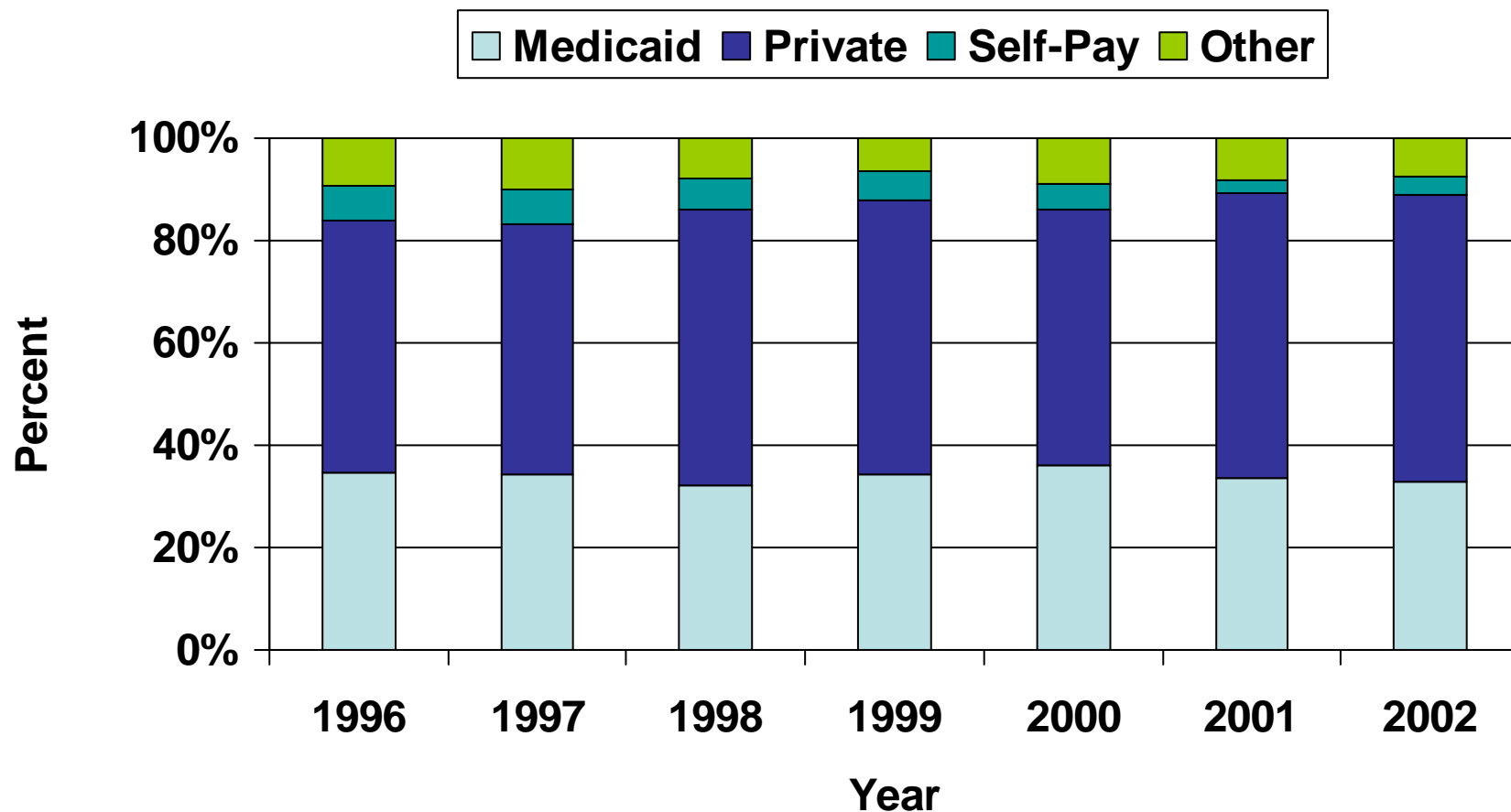
# Percent of Mental Health, Generalist Visits that Include a Psychotropic Drug Rx





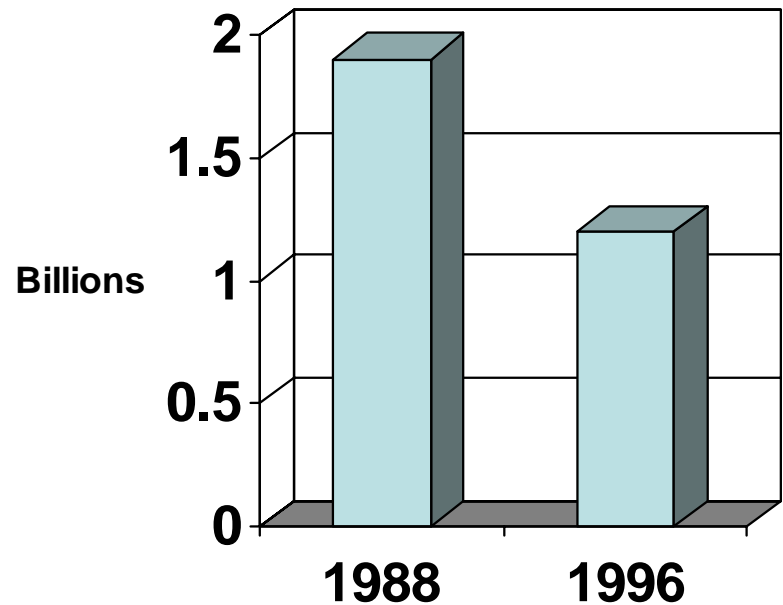


# Insurance Composition of MH Hospital Discharges (Children <19)



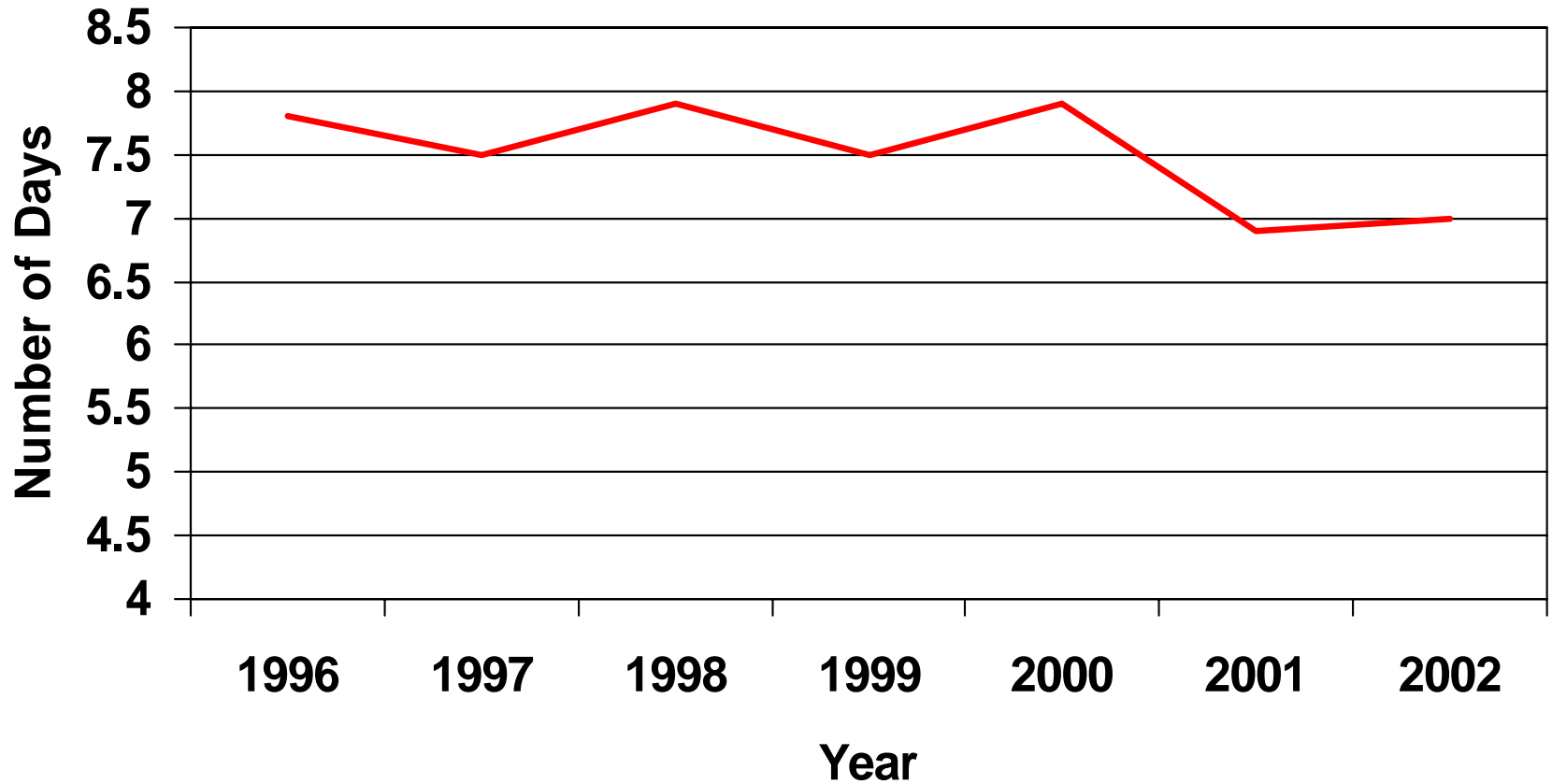
# Inpatient Care

- Substantial decline in inpatient spending in absolute and relative terms



■ Inpatient spending

# Mean Length of Stay for Mental Health Hospital Discharges



# E.R. Visits with a Mental Health Diagnosis

