

# FINANCIAL SOLVENCY STANDARDS BOARD MEETING

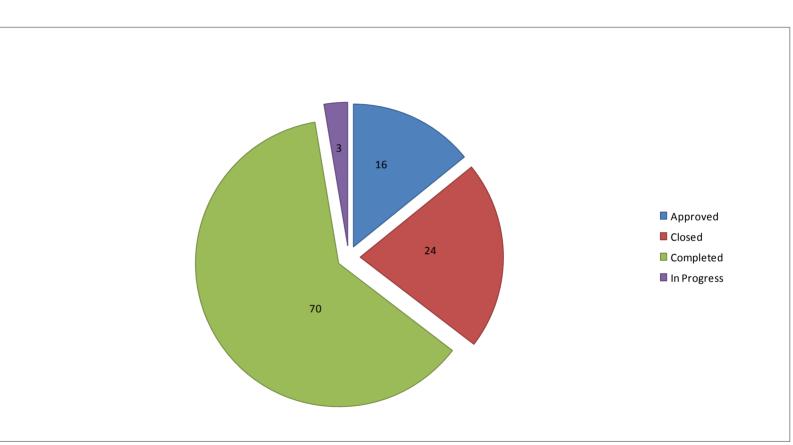
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**Department of Managed Health Care** 





#### Total CAPs by Status 2005 - 2010





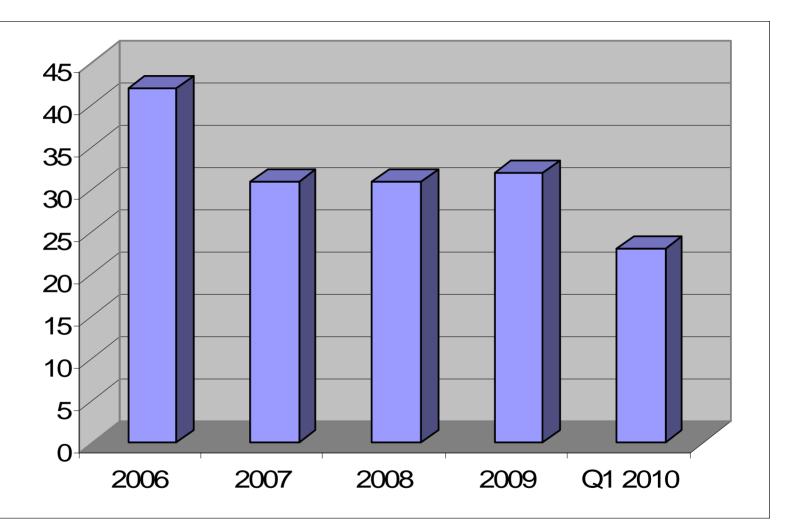
# **Complete Vs. Closed CAPs** 2005 - 2010 De-delegated 16 Completed Closed 70 24 Created in Error 6 Files with another RBO 2

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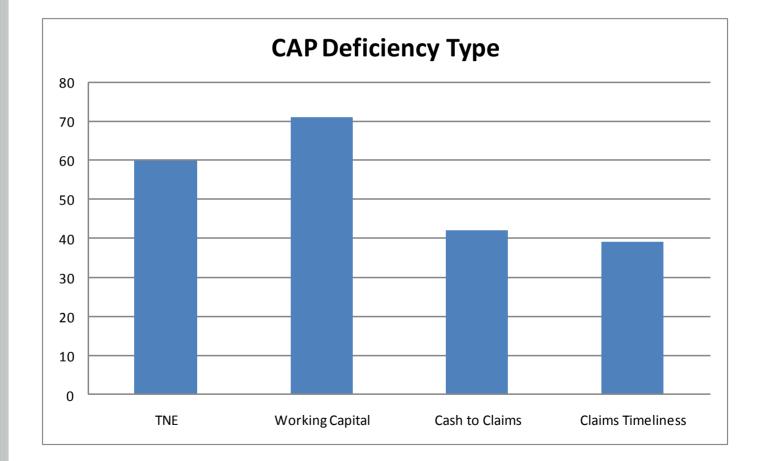


#### **Total RBO Corrective Action Plans**





## CAP Deficiency Type 2005 - 2010

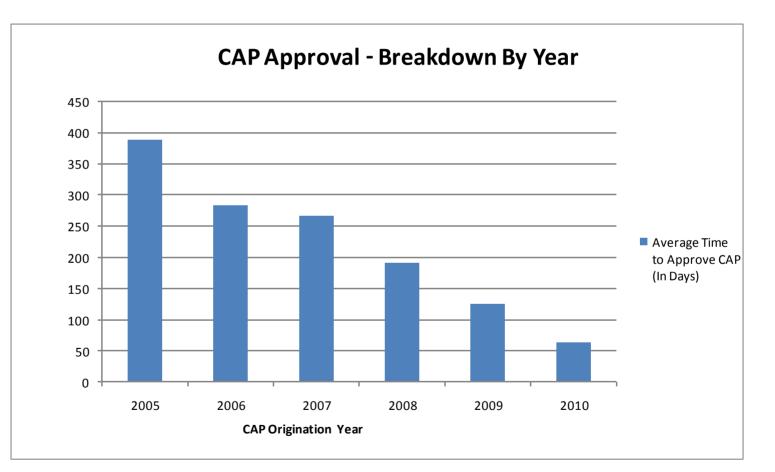


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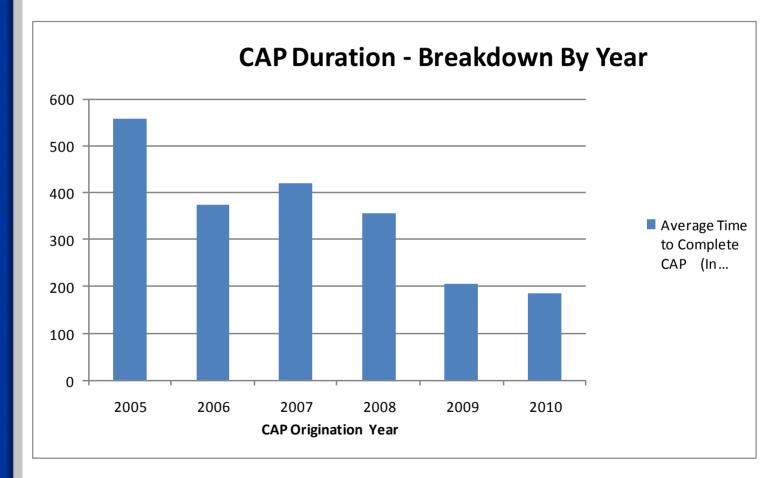
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#### CAP Approval Time 2005 - 2010





# CAP Duration 2005 - 2010

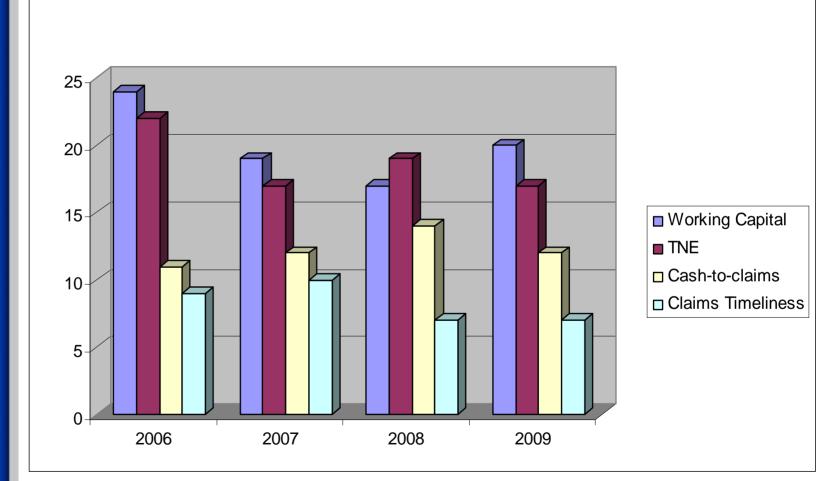


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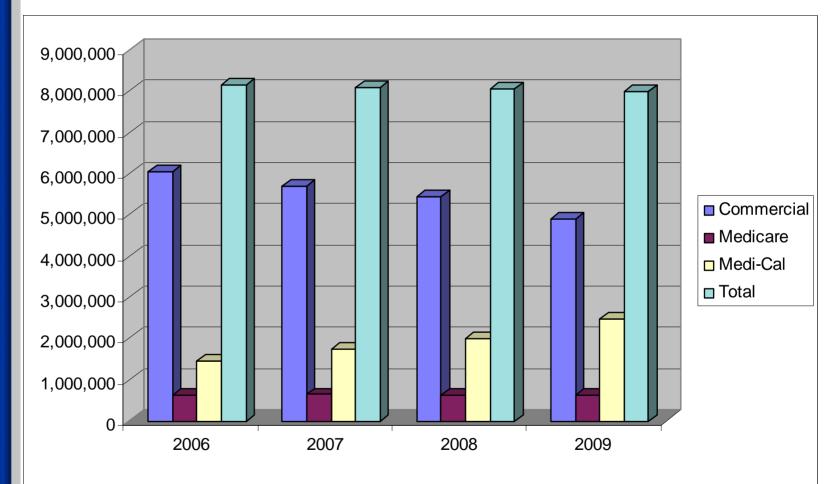
#### **Criteria Deficiencies Monitored in the CAPs**







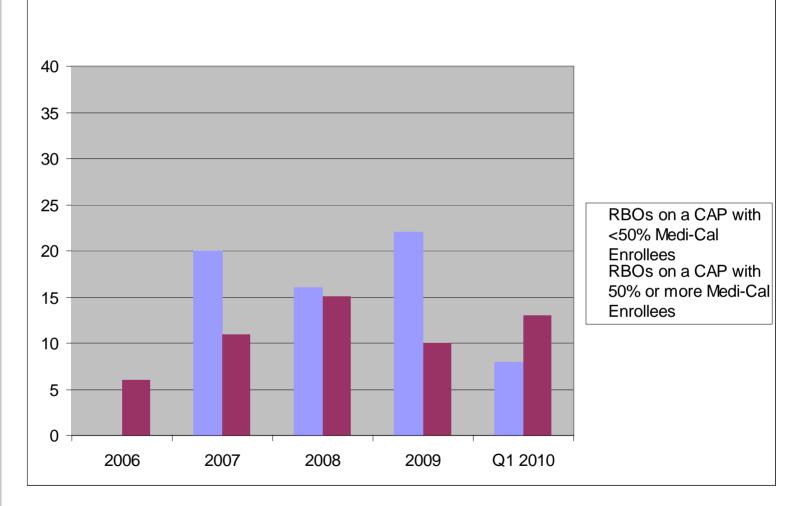
#### Total Medical Group Enrollment by Business Type





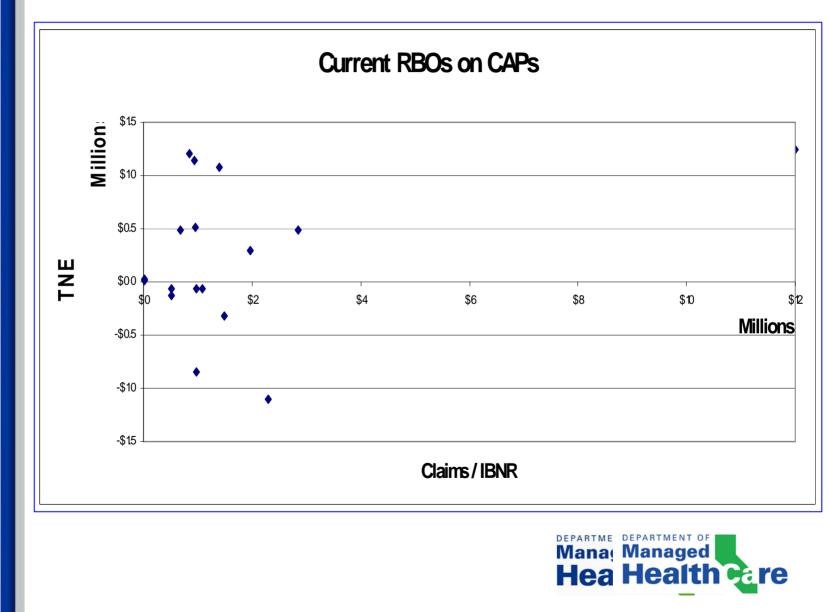


# RBO CAPs: >50% Medi-Cal versus <50% Medi-Cal









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#### Areas Identified for Improvement in Financial Oversight

- Not all capitated providers are RBOs & are thus not required to file Financials \*\*
- Sub-delegated enrollment to unaccountable groups
- Compliance statement insufficient versus quarterly financials & audited statements (R)
- Reporting of Affiliates vital (consolidated reporting) (R)
- Better MSO oversight \*\*
- Cash & cash equivalent reserves a priority (R)\*\*
- Corrective action process clumsy \*\*
- Insolvent RBOs take too long to resolve \*\*





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board SB260 Update

- Areas to talk about
  - Improve Corrective Action Process (CAP)
  - Administrative Capacity
  - RBO reporting requirements
  - Claims issues
  - Provider Dispute Resolution
- Initial Focus: Speed of Resolution
  - Statute?
  - Regulation?
  - > Administrative?





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board "Legal Reviews"

- Seeking opinion on "material events"
- Have had failures and CAPs resulting from
  - MSO changes
  - Claims processing system changes
- Seeking opinion on RBO vs Capitated Provider
  - Better understanding of exemptions
  - Some very large safety net "capitated providers"





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board CAP

- Initiated when RBO fails solvency or claims timeliness
- Statutes allow 6-12 months for correction
- Time starts from approved CAP or non-compliance?
  - CAP usually submitted on ICE document
  - Quarterly financial projections and tracking
  - Two quarters compliance for closure
- Different rules for repeat offenders?
- Different rules for safety net providers?





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board CAP Process

- Today takes up to 85 days
- Looking to accelerate w/out regulatory change
  - Streamline to 40-50 days
    - Use web portal to share CAP w/ all contracted plans
    - Copy DMHC on all individual CAPs to plans
  - Freeze enrollment if:
    - Failure to file CAP timely
    - Non-viable CAP
    - Final CAP accepted by plan(s)





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board Claims Timeliness

- 1300.71(q)1 "Plan or plans capitated provider demonstrates an unjust payment practice..."
  - 1300.71(k) "failure to reimburse at least 95% of complete claims over any three month period"
  - 1300.71(I) "failure to contest or deny..."
- 1300.75.4.2(b)(1)B "percentage of completed claims the organization has timely <u>reimbursed</u>, <u>contested</u>, or <u>denied</u> during the quarter"
- Must include "claims over 45 days <u>not</u> reimbursed, contested, or denied"





#### Financial Solvency Standards Board Provider Dispute Resolution

#### ► <u>TODAY:</u>

- Provider not paid for billed service w/in 45 days
- Files dispute with non paying capitated provider (45 biz days to respond)
- Files dispute with Department
- Regulation assumes payment or denial
- Need something that expedites payment and engages parties faster





#### Backup





#### SB260 Update

- Passed in 1999
- Regulations Promulgated in 2001
  - Court challenges
  - Utilized FSSB to address and revise
- Current regulations became effective in 2005
- Improving metrics
- Areas for improvement





#### Required Solvency Criteria for Risk Bearing Organizations:

- Positive Tangible Net Equity
- Positive Working Capital
- Minimum Cash-to-Claims Ratio (minimum 0.75 requirement)
- ➢ 95% Claims Timeliness
- Positive response to whether the RBO estimates and documents their IBNR claims liability (on a monthly basis), and
- Positive response that the RBOs IBNR estimate is reflected as an accrual on the financial survey reports
- All RBOs required to submit annual audited financial statement





### We've Seen the "Dark Side"

- In 2000, providers lost claims payments & 770,000 HMO enrollees lost their physician groups due to financial failure
- Two large publicly-traded physician groups failed messily in 1998-1999
- Solvency criteria evaluated & corrective plans required by DMHC since 2005, Routine oversight all electronic
- When law passed to address Solvency requirements, in 2000, more than 50% failed most criteria
- In 2009, just 11% are in regulatory 'Red' Zone





## CA RBO's are Routinely Graded for Solvency & Corrective Action

	2007	2008	2009
Green	14%	10%	18%
Yellow	72%	75%	71%
Orange	0%	0%	0%
Red	14%	15%	11%

