

69. Long-term Care Insurance System

介護保険制度の概要

Service Provider Organization

In-home Services

- Home-visit long-term care (home help service)
- Home-visit bathing service
- Home-visit nursing care
- Home-visit rehabilitation
- Outpatient rehabilitation service (day care)
- Management guidance for in-home care
- Outpatient day long-term care (day service)
- Short-term admission for daily life long-term care (short stay)
- Short-term admission for recuperation
- Daily life long-term care for elderly in a specified facility
- Sales of specified equipment covered by public aid
- Rental service of equipment for long-term care covered by public aid

Facility services

- Facility covered by public aid providing long-term care to the elderly
- Long-term care health facility

- Sanatorium type medical care facilities for the elderly requiring care

Community-based services

- Routine-run/demand responsive home-visit long-term care and nursing care
- Night time home-visit long-term care
- Outpatient long-term care for a dementia patient
- Multifunctional small group home
- Communal daily long-term care for a dementia patient
- Daily life long-term care for a person admitted to a community-based specified facility
- Community-based facility for preventive daily long-term care of the elderly
- Compound services

Others

- Home modification

Preventive long-term care services

- Home-visit care service for preventive long-term care
- Home-visit bathing service for preventive long-term care
- Home-visit nursing care service for preventive long-term care
- Home-visit rehabilitation service for preventive long-term care
- Outpatient rehabilitation service for preventive long-term care
- Management guidance for in-home care service for preventive long-term care
- Outpatient care service for preventive long-term care
- Short-term stay service for preventive long-term care at a care facility
- Medical care service for preventive long-term care through a short-term stay
- Daily life care service for preventive long-term care for elderly in specific facilities

- Sales of specific preventive long-term care welfare instruments
- Lending preventive long-term care welfare instruments

Community-based preventive long-term care services

- Outpatient care service for preventive long-term care for dementia patient
- Small-sized multifunctional in-home care service for preventive long-term care
- Daily life care service for preventive long-term care in communal living for dementia patient

Others

- Allowance for home modification

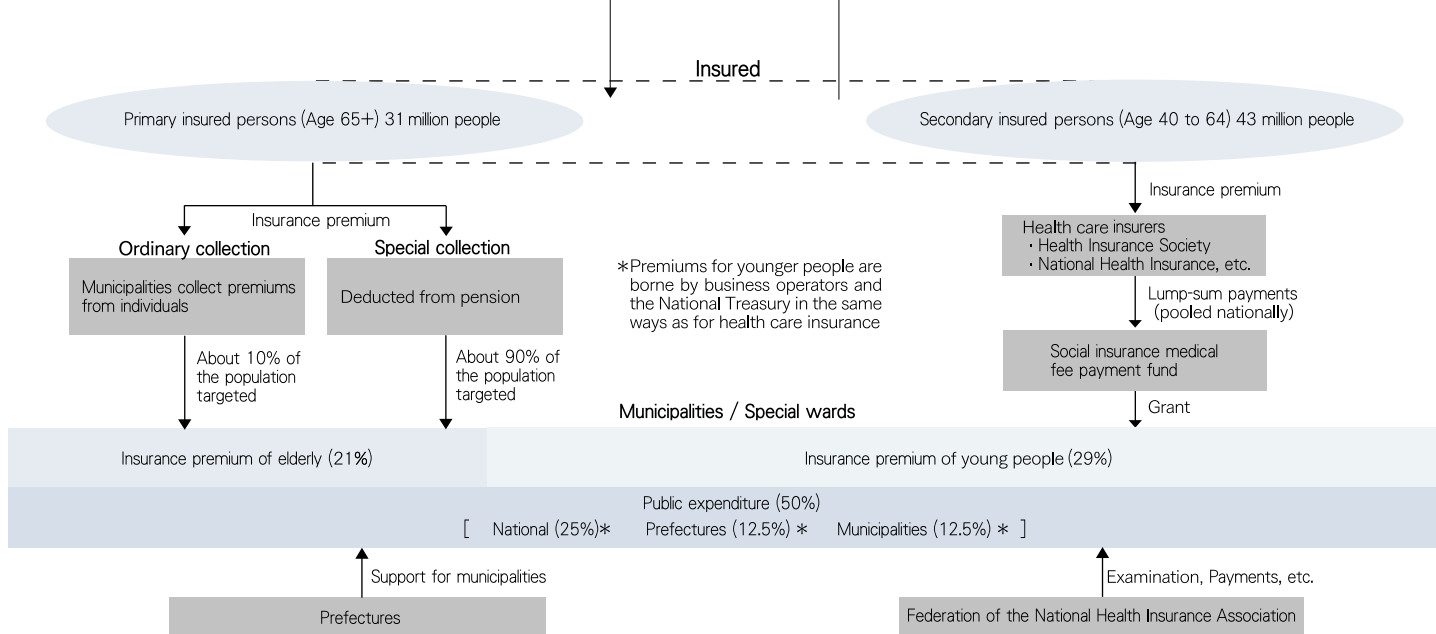
- Certification on long-term care need
 - Implement in municipalities

[Certification of long-term care need may be implemented over wider areas or contract to prefectures.

- Formulation of long-term care service plans
 - Support for systematic use of care services

Using services

User's co-payment



- * 5% of the public expenditure from the national governments is for adjustment and may increase/decrease depending on the number of persons aged 75 or older and income distributions of the elderly.
- * For benefit expenses of facilities, etc. (benefit expenses of 3 long-term care insurance facilities and specific facilities designated by prefectures), 20% is borne by the national government and 17.5% by prefectures.

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