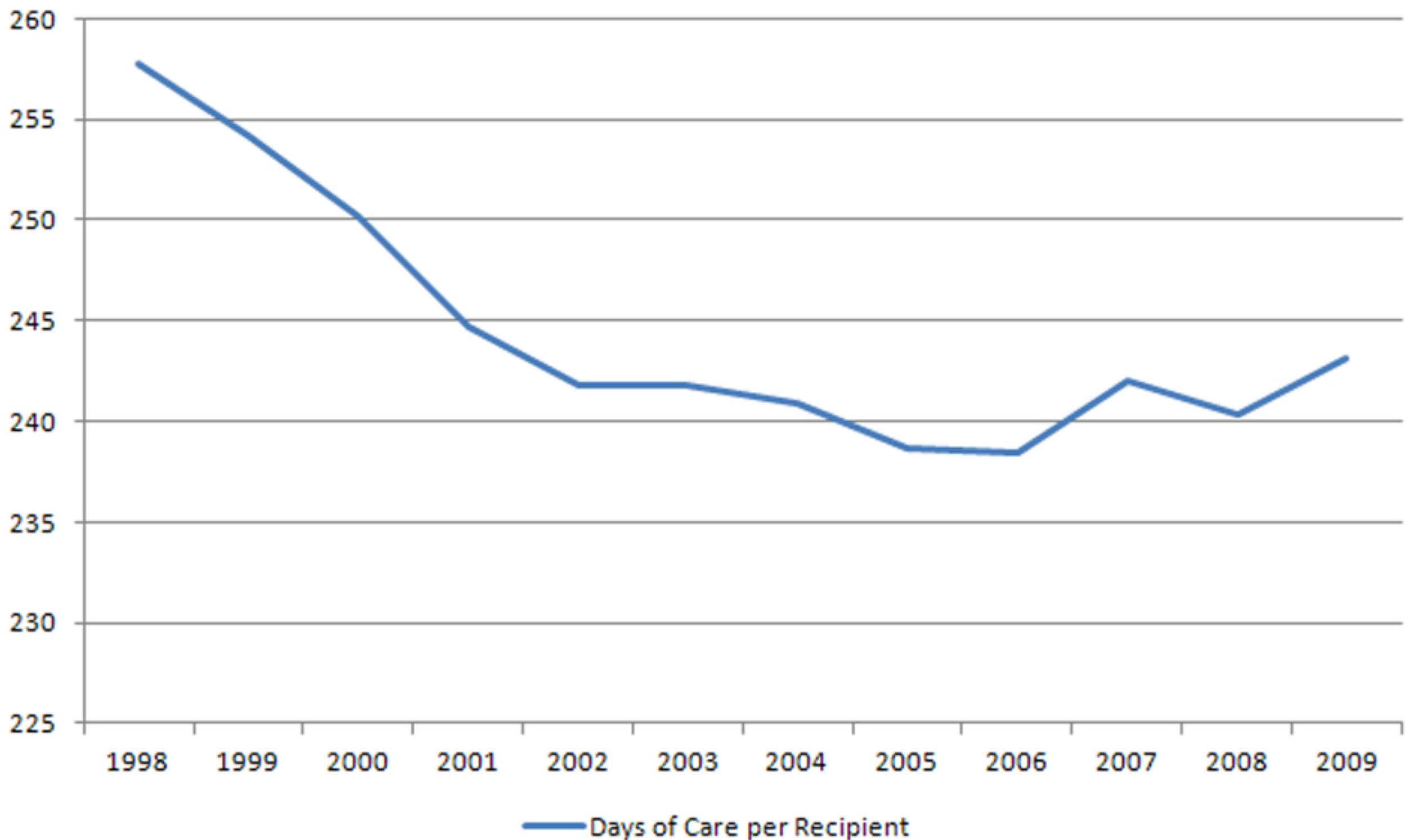


Average Days of Care per Medicaid Nursing Home Recipient



Nursing Home use is tracked by reporting “bed days” as a measure of actual days of service provided. Medicaid data also monitors unique recipients of this data, and here we have calculated the average days of care received by those recipients. While there was a period of declining average days of care, this trend has generally stabilized. Data is calculated from the Department of Health and Human Services paid claim data and historical reported bed days.