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Cardiac Services Program and Cardiac Advisory Committee

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INTRODUCTIONS

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PCI: PERCUTANEOUS CORONARY INTERVENTION

Cardiac catheterization: Diagnostic or Interventional

Purpose: Diagnose and/or treat narrowed or blocked coronary arteries, which are the blood vessels that supply oxygen to the heart

Percutaneous Coronary Intervention:

- Involves cardiac catheterization with an intervention, for example, stents or balloon dilatation (ways to widen the narrowed or open blocked blood flow)
- Also known as coronary angioplasty or coronary stenting
- A non-surgical invasive procedure to treat coronary artery disease (a catheter is threaded through a blood vessel to the coronary artery)

Most common indication: Chest pain or an abnormal cardiac stress test in someone without chest pain thought to be due to coronary artery disease

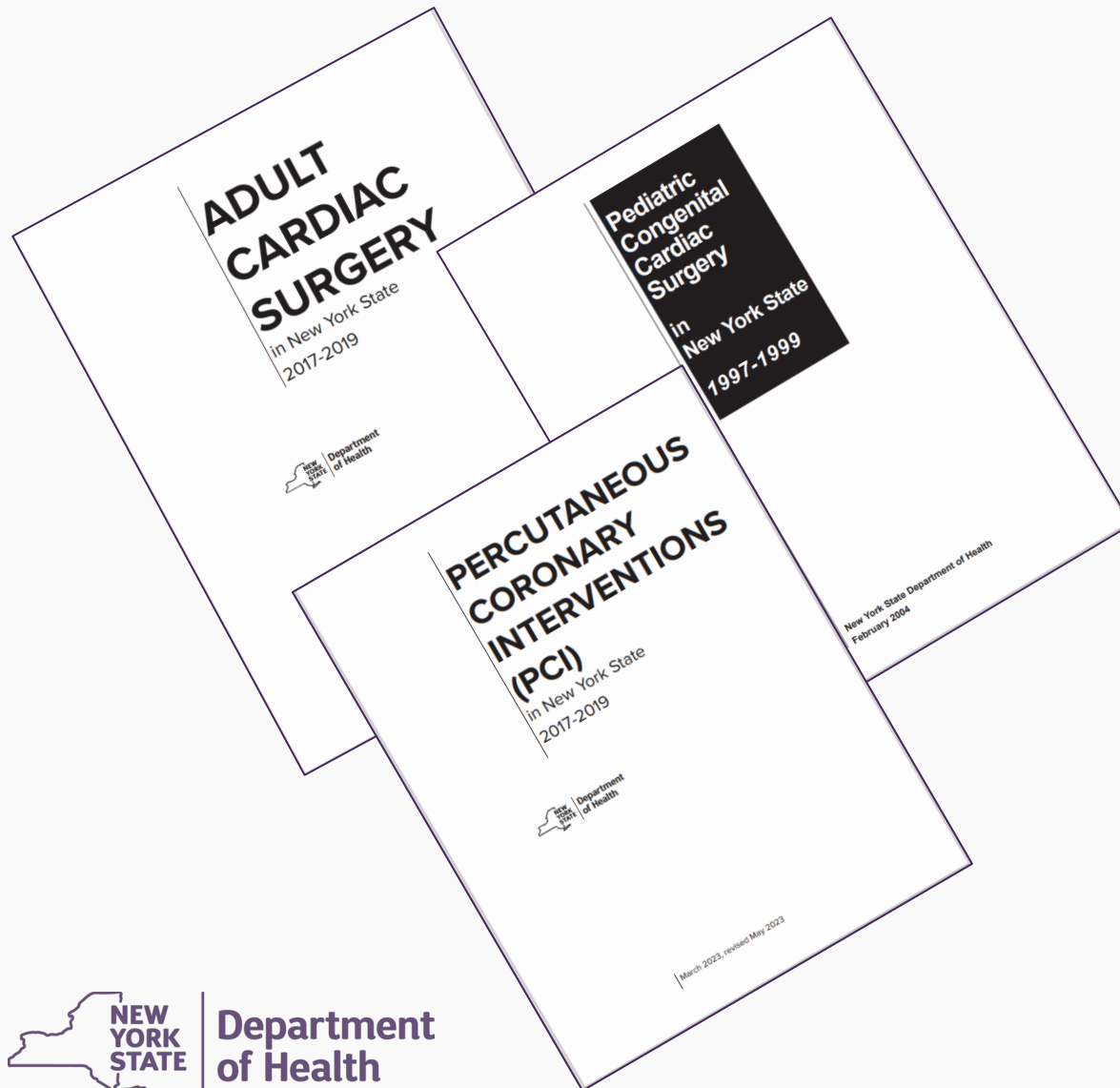
NYS CARDIAC REPORTING SYSTEM & CARDIAC SERVICES PROGRAM

The New York State Department of Health maintains 3 clinical registries for cardiac procedures, collectively known as the Cardiac Reporting System [10 NYCRR §405.29(a)]:

- Cardiac Surgery Reporting System, Adult (CSRS)
- Pediatric Cardiac Surgery Reporting System (PedCSRS)
- Percutaneous Coronary Interventions Reporting System (PCIRS)

All New York State hospitals performing these procedures submit data to the Cardiac Services Program for every case performed.

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Outcome reports with hospital and physician risk-adjusted mortality results are publicly available on the Department's website.

health.ny.gov/statistics/diseases/cardiovascular

APPROVED HOSPITAL SETTINGS FOR PCI IN NYS

Pre-2000

PCI only with cardiac surgery onsite*

2000- 2008

Time-limited waivers:
Emergency then Elective Cases

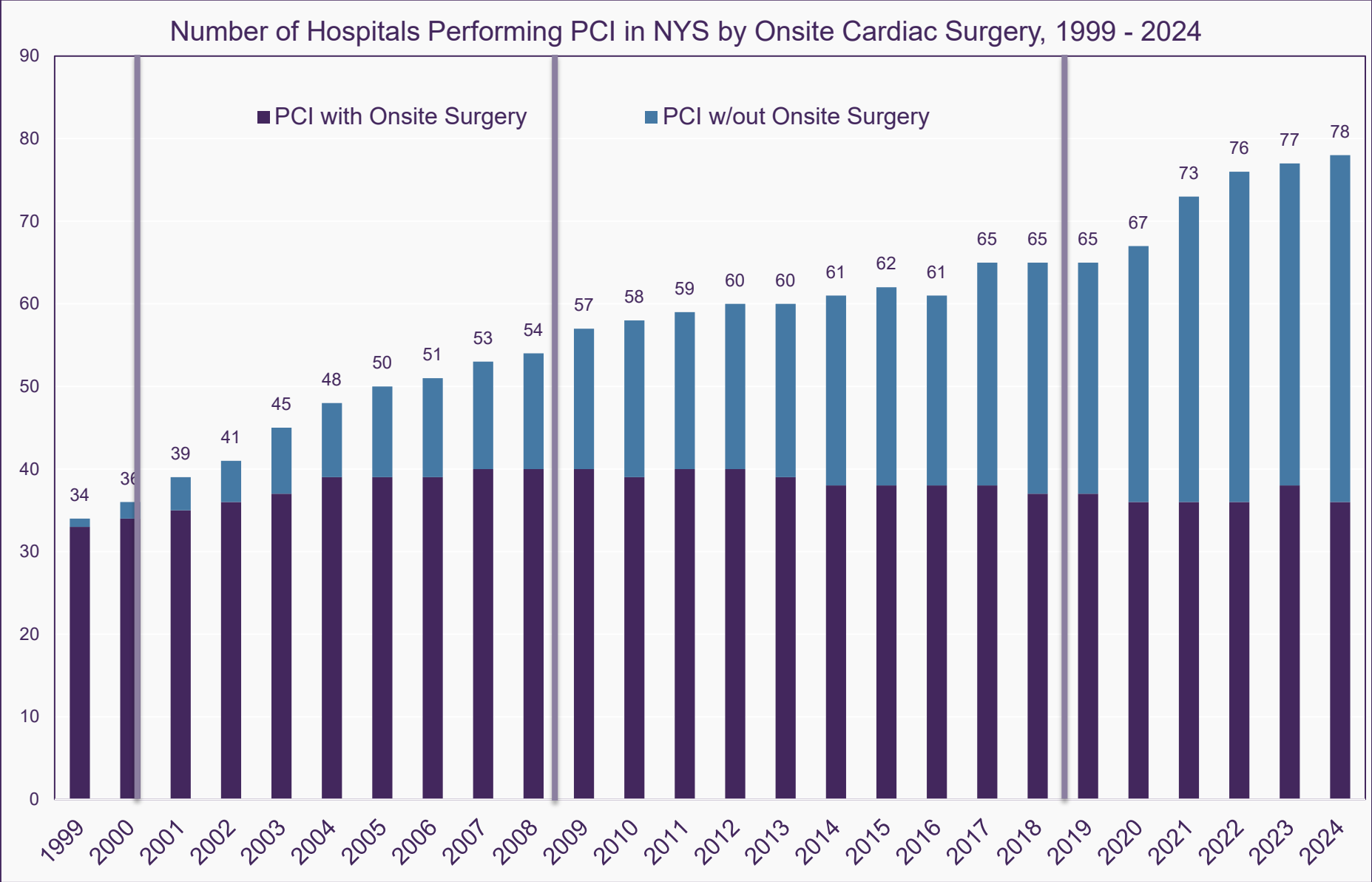
2009

PCI at Non-SOS in regulations

2019

Certificate of Need process modified

* 1 Hospital shared cardiac surgery with adjacent hospital



NYS CARDIAC ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC)

“There shall be a State cardiac advisory committee consisting of physicians and other professionals with expertise in cardiac care appointed by the Commissioner of Health. The State cardiac advisory committee shall, at the request of the commissioner, consider any matter relating to cardiac services including, but not limited to review of existing and prospective services, and shall advise the commissioner thereon.” *[10 NYCRR §405.29(b)]*

- Formally established as a statewide Commissioner’s advisory body in 1974
- Membership includes both in- and out-of-state cardiac surgeons, cardiologists and specialists from other pertinent disciplines
- Advisory role

POTENTIAL ROLE OF THE CAC

The Cardiac Advisory Committee may be able to offer advice in the following areas:

- Insight on other States' experience with PCI in Ambulatory Surgery Centers
 - Published literature is very limited
- Selection criteria for patients that are appropriate to be considered for PCI in Ambulatory Surgery Centers
- Identification of safety and quality metrics for outcome evaluation



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