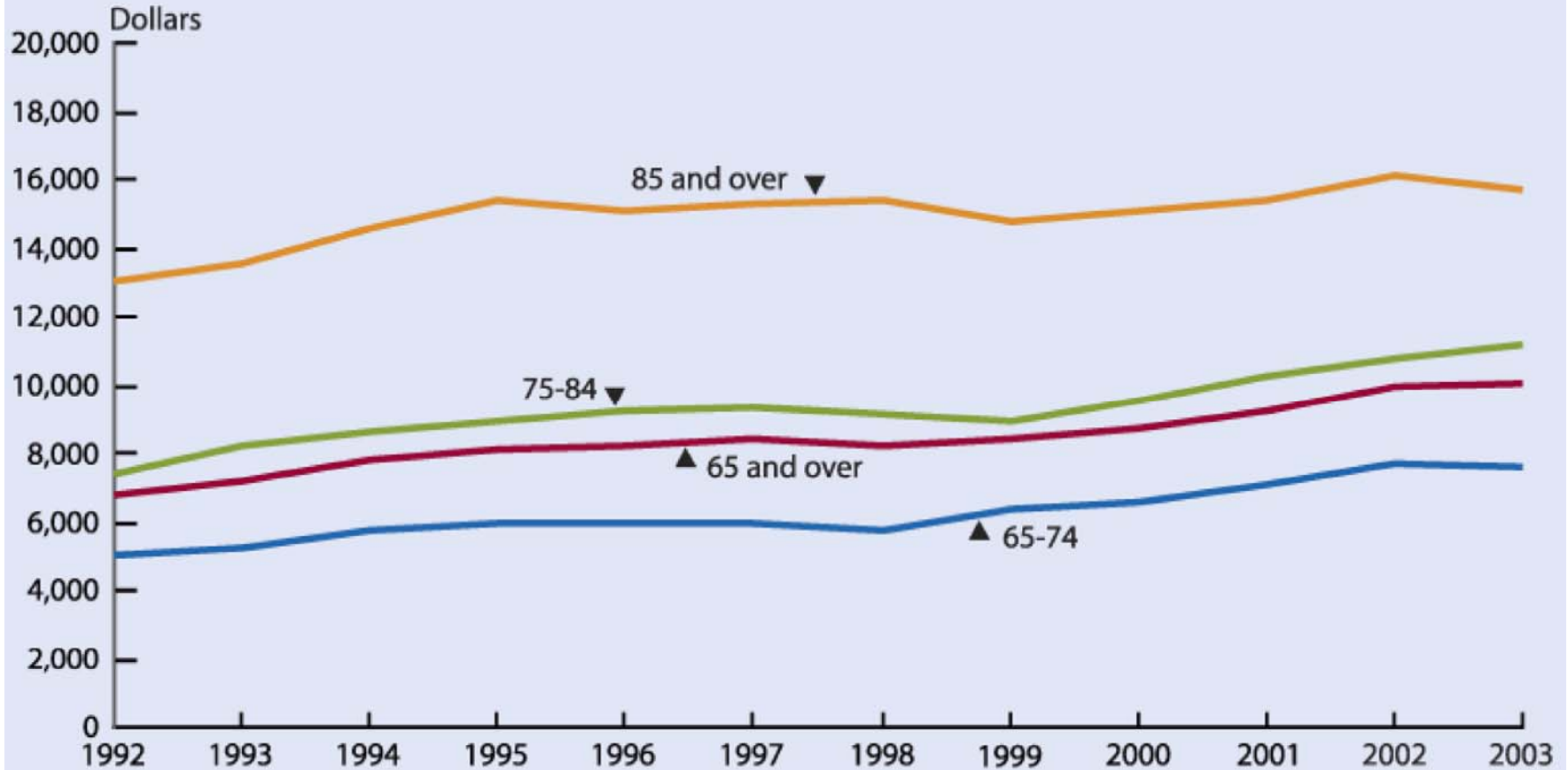


## Average annual health care costs for Medicare enrollees age 65 and over, in 2003 dollars, by age group, 1992-2003



Note: Data include both out-of-pocket costs and costs covered by insurance. Dollars are inflation-adjusted to 2003 using the Consumer Price Index (Series CPI-U-RS).

Reference population: These data refer to Medicare enrollees.

Source: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey.