

Table 12. 'Provider' model: Distribution of PT and SLP expenditures of patients exceeding threshold at the provider level, 1998-2000

Setting/Year	Percentile ¹						Distribution ratio 75th/25th
	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th	95th	
All facilities							
1998	\$1,307	\$1,511	\$2,028	\$3,033	\$4,659	\$6,164	2.01
1999	1,229	1,296	1,481	1,858	2,553	3,161	1.43
2000	1,274	1,405	1,715	2,317	3,240	4,021	1.65
Percent change, 1998-99	-6.0%	-14.3%	-26.9%	-38.7%	-45.2%	-48.7%	
Percent change, 1999-00	3.7%	8.4%	15.8%	24.7%	26.9%	27.2%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-1.3%	-3.6%	-8.0%	-12.6%	-16.6%	-19.2%	
Hospital outpatient							
1998	1,265	1,365	1,616	2,090	2,802	3,432	1.53
1999	1,264	1,364	1,591	2,053	2,846	3,522	1.51
2000	1,257	1,368	1,635	2,121	2,879	3,550	1.55
Percent change, 1998-99	0.0%	-0.1%	-1.6%	-1.8%	1.6%	2.6%	
Percent change, 1999-00	-0.5%	0.3%	2.8%	3.3%	1.1%	0.8%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-0.3%	0.1%	0.6%	0.7%	1.4%	1.7%	
SNF inpatient							
1998	1,326	1,557	2,136	3,213	4,963	6,567	2.06
1999	1,213	1,256	1,389	1,674	2,100	2,536	1.33
2000	1,288	1,426	1,789	2,456	3,528	4,392	1.72
Percent change, 1998-99	-8.5%	-19.3%	-35.0%	-47.9%	-57.7%	-61.4%	
Percent change, 1999-00	6.2%	13.6%	28.8%	46.7%	68.0%	73.2%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-1.4%	-4.3%	-8.5%	-12.6%	-15.7%	-18.2%	
SNF outpatient							
1998	1,305	1,521	2,064	3,050	4,663	5,954	2.01
1999	1,219	1,250	1,335	1,582	1,979	2,199	1.27
2000	1,279	1,415	1,743	2,320	3,088	3,762	1.64
Percent change, 1998-99	-6.6%	-17.8%	-35.3%	-48.1%	-57.6%	-63.1%	
Percent change, 1999-00	4.9%	13.2%	30.6%	46.6%	56.0%	71.1%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-1.0%	-3.6%	-8.1%	-12.8%	-18.6%	-20.5%	
Rehabilitation agency							
1998	1,301	1,502	2,004	2,981	4,344	5,646	1.98
1999	1,213	1,253	1,346	1,578	2,103	2,637	1.26
2000	1,275	1,409	1,693	2,262	3,171	3,929	1.61
Percent change, 1998-99	-6.7%	-16.6%	-32.8%	-47.0%	-51.6%	-53.3%	
Percent change, 1999-00	5.1%	12.5%	25.7%	43.3%	50.8%	49.0%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-1.0%	-3.2%	-8.1%	-12.9%	-14.6%	-16.6%	
CORF							
1998	1,342	1,618	2,354	3,740	6,167	8,333	2.31
1999	1,225	1,298	1,459	1,843	2,391	2,941	1.42
2000	1,304	1,433	1,896	2,663	3,756	4,811	1.86
Percent change, 1998-99	-8.7%	-19.8%	-38.0%	-50.7%	-61.2%	-64.7%	
Percent change, 1999-00	6.5%	10.4%	29.9%	44.5%	57.1%	63.6%	
Average annual change, 1998-00	-1.4%	-5.9%	-10.3%	-15.6%	-22.0%	-24.0%	

¹ Percentile refers to the distribution of total Medicare program payments (this excludes patients' 20 percent coinsurance) of those patients exceeding the thresholds.

Note: CORF is comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation facility.

Source: Urban Institute analysis of 5 percent annual samples of Medicare claims, 1998-2000.