

Table 2
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), Total Personal Health Care Expenditures (PHCE), Physician PHCE, Total Medicare PHCE,
and Medicare Physician PHCE: Selected Calendar Years 1960-2001

Year	GDP in Billions	PHCE ¹						Medicare PHCE ¹								
		Total		Physician and Clinical Services				Total			Physician and Clinical Services ²					
		Amount in Billions	Percent of GDP	Amount in Billions	Per- cent of GDP	Per- cent of PHCE	Index ³	Amount in Billions	Per- cent of GDP	Percent of PHCE	Amount in Billions	Per- cent of GDP	Per- cent of PHCE	Percent of Medicare PHCE	Index ³	
1960	\$527	\$23.4	4.4	\$5.4	1.0	23.1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
1970	1,040	63.2	6.1	14.0	1.3	22.2	100	\$7.3	0.7	11.6	\$1.6	0.2	2.5	21.9	100	
1980	2,796	214.6	7.7	47.1	1.7	21.9	336	36.3	1.3	16.9	8.2	0.3	3.8	22.6	513	
1985	4,213	372.3	8.8	89.8	2.1	24.1	641	69.8	1.7	18.7	16.8	0.4	4.5	24.1	1,050	
1990	5,803	609.4	10.5	157.5	2.7	25.8	1,125	107.3	1.8	17.6	30.2	0.5	5.0	28.1	1,888	
1991	5,986	672.0	11.2	175.0	2.9	26.0	1,250	117.6	2.0	17.5	31.8	0.5	4.7	27.0	1,988	
1992	6,319	728.9	11.5	189.7	3.0	26.0	1,355	132.8	2.1	18.2	33.0	0.5	4.5	24.8	2,063	
1993	6,642	775.8	11.7	201.2	3.0	25.9	1,437	144.4	2.2	18.6	34.7	0.5	4.5	24.0	2,169	
1994	7,054	816.5	11.6	210.5	3.0	25.8	1,504	162.0	2.3	19.8	38.0	0.5	4.7	23.5	2,375	
1995	7,401	865.7	11.7	220.5	3.0	25.5	1,575	179.8	2.4	20.8	41.7	0.6	4.8	23.2	2,606	
1996	7,813	911.2	11.7	229.4	2.9	25.2	1,639	192.5	2.5	21.1	44.3	0.6	4.9	23.0	2,769	
1997	8,318	959.2	11.5	241.0	2.9	25.1	1,721	203.6	2.4	21.2	47.1	0.6	4.9	23.1	2,944	
1998	8,782	1,009.4	11.5	256.8	2.9	25.4	1,834	204.3	2.3	20.2	51.1	0.6	5.1	25.0	3,194	
1999	9,274	1,064.6	11.5	270.2	2.9	25.4	1,930	206.3	2.2	19.4	55.2	0.6	5.2	26.8	3,450	
2000	9,825	1,137.6	11.6	288.8	2.9	25.4	2,063	216.8	2.2	19.1	59.6	0.6	5.2	27.5	3,725	
2001	10,082	1,236.4	12.3	313.6	3.1	25.4	2,240	234.5	2.3	19.0	63.9	0.6	5.2	27.2	3,994	
Average Annual Rate of Change																
1960-2001	7.5	10.2	---	10.4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
1970-2001	7.6	10.1	---	10.5	---	---	---	11.8	---	---	12.6	---	---	---	---	
1980-2001	6.3	8.7	---	9.4	---	---	---	9.3	---	---	10.3	---	---	---	---	
1970-1980	10.4	13.0	---	12.9	---	---	---	17.4	---	---	17.8	---	---	---	---	
1980-1990	7.6	11.0	---	12.8	---	---	---	11.4	---	---	13.9	---	---	---	---	
1990-2001	5.1	6.6	---	6.5	---	---	---	7.4	---	---	7.1	---	---	---	---	
1999-2000	5.9	6.9	---	6.9	---	---	---	5.1	---	---	8.0	---	---	---	---	
2000-2001	2.6	8.7	---	8.6	---	---	---	8.2	---	---	7.2	---	---	---	---	

¹Represents total expenditures aggregated on an incurred basis. Because of differences in methodology, definition, and completeness, the total Medicare physician and clinical services are somewhat higher than the corresponding Medicare Program payments for physician and clinical services shown elsewhere in this publication. PHCE excludes health expenditures for construction, program administration, government public health activities, and research.

²Excludes expenditures for supplier services; includes expenditures for group practice prepayment plans and independent laboratories.

³This index compares the relative aggregate expenditures for this category in each given year relative to the aggregate expenditures for this category in 1970. Expenditures are in current dollars.

NOTES: Numbers may not add to totals due to rounding. National Health Expenditures data files and category definitions are found at <www.cms.hhs.gov/statistics/nhe>.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group.