

Table 5.4
Discharges, Total Days of Care, and Program Payments for Medicare Beneficiaries Discharged
from Short-Stay Hospitals, by Area of Residence: Calendar Year 2012

Area of Residence	Discharges ¹		Total Days of Care			Program Payments		
	Number	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees ²	Number	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees ²	Per Dis-charge	Amount in Thousands	Per Dis-charge ³	Per HI Enrollee ²
All Areas ⁴	11,179,587	303	59,557,003	1,614	5.3	\$115,431,744	\$10,658	\$3,128
United States	11,136,935	307	59,246,016	1,634	5.3	115,164,858	10,674	3,176
Northeast	2,159,776	317	12,656,071	1,858	5.9	24,760,353	11,811	3,635
Midwest	2,730,817	326	13,803,797	1,646	5.1	26,703,739	10,027	3,184
South	4,603,187	320	24,426,638	1,697	5.3	43,425,901	9,732	3,017
West	1,643,155	247	8,359,510	1,254	5.1	20,274,865	12,935	3,042
New England	600,090	289	3,181,993	1,530	5.3	6,860,333	11,865	3,298
Connecticut	145,095	313	834,467	1,800	5.8	1,719,003	12,141	3,708
Maine	54,791	233	277,613	1,178	5.1	532,689	10,208	2,261
Massachusetts	292,555	318	1,493,841	1,624	5.1	3,409,037	12,106	3,705
New Hampshire	50,841	224	268,250	1,181	5.3	547,340	11,167	2,410
Rhode Island	35,668	292	195,204	1,598	5.5	374,114	11,160	3,063
Vermont	21,140	190	112,618	1,010	5.3	278,150	13,695	2,495
Middle Atlantic	1,559,686	330	9,474,078	2,002	6.1	17,900,020	11,791	3,783
New Jersey	377,092	321	2,192,603	1,868	5.8	4,191,214	11,437	3,572
New York	688,763	329	4,601,690	2,199	6.7	8,848,694	13,212	4,229
Pennsylvania	493,831	337	2,679,785	1,828	5.4	4,860,113	10,084	3,315
East North Central	1,953,635	337	9,947,656	1,716	5.1	19,189,895	10,003	3,310
Illinois	583,299	341	2,968,865	1,738	5.1	5,771,072	10,092	3,378
Indiana	277,823	324	1,437,877	1,677	5.2	2,623,120	9,611	3,060
Michigan	458,852	352	2,417,686	1,857	5.3	4,790,958	10,586	3,680
Ohio	457,125	358	2,279,807	1,788	5.0	4,215,516	9,404	3,306
Wisconsin	176,536	270	843,421	1,288	4.8	1,789,229	10,356	2,732
West North Central	777,182	300	3,856,141	1,489	5.0	7,513,844	10,089	2,901
Iowa	116,511	252	585,659	1,267	5.0	1,108,526	9,971	2,398
Kansas	109,145	275	551,329	1,388	5.1	1,004,967	9,580	2,531
Minnesota	167,495	378	781,319	1,762	4.7	1,792,426	11,061	4,043
Missouri	262,410	324	1,334,256	1,646	5.1	2,398,702	9,568	2,960
Nebraska	64,247	253	313,963	1,235	4.9	629,838	10,170	2,477
North Dakota	25,293	258	127,970	1,304	5.1	255,752	10,894	2,607
South Dakota	32,081	257	161,645	1,296	5.0	323,634	10,600	2,595
South Atlantic	2,434,502	316	12,922,053	1,676	5.3	23,811,102	10,107	3,089
Delaware	42,483	279	229,777	1,509	5.4	481,510	11,620	3,163
District of Columbia	26,052	362	159,251	2,210	6.1	340,741	13,533	4,730
Florida	805,716	338	4,303,334	1,803	5.3	7,221,354	9,290	3,026
Georgia	303,599	300	1,621,455	1,602	5.3	2,833,550	9,650	2,800
Maryland	254,749	331	1,318,064	1,713	5.2	3,278,513	13,209	4,261
North Carolina	390,745	302	2,047,609	1,582	5.2	3,888,480	10,292	3,004
South Carolina	196,459	287	1,088,414	1,592	5.5	1,916,577	10,075	2,804
Virginia	309,558	299	1,595,935	1,542	5.2	2,896,245	9,654	2,798
West Virginia	105,141	347	558,214	1,842	5.3	954,129	9,334	3,148

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	Number	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees ²	Number	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees ²	Per Dis-charge	Amount in Thousands	Per Dis-charge ³	Per HI Enrollee ²
East South Central	894,642	339	4,785,583	1,814	5.3	\$7,635,381	\$8,807	\$2,894
Alabama	237,685	340	1,272,695	1,823	5.4	1,875,404	8,217	2,686
Kentucky	226,789	345	1,168,830	1,777	5.2	2,056,609	9,232	3,126
Mississippi	158,506	342	904,626	1,952	5.7	1,393,669	9,013	3,007
Tennessee	271,662	332	1,439,432	1,757	5.3	2,309,698	8,837	2,819
West South Central	1,274,043	315	6,719,002	1,660	5.3	11,979,419	9,668	2,959
Arkansas	145,651	313	750,537	1,611	5.2	1,240,992	8,708	2,664
Louisiana	180,704	333	1,001,765	1,845	5.5	1,594,034	9,049	2,935
Oklahoma	173,400	325	885,618	1,659	5.1	1,553,712	9,211	2,910
Texas	774,288	309	4,081,082	1,629	5.3	7,590,681	10,097	3,030
Mountain	524,603	240	2,516,138	1,152	4.8	5,540,910	11,021	2,536
Arizona	165,219	263	777,693	1,236	4.7	1,766,295	11,201	2,808
Colorado	106,704	240	499,065	1,124	4.7	1,110,622	10,716	2,502
Idaho	33,334	191	148,772	853	4.5	359,927	11,139	2,063
Montana	29,817	196	140,913	926	4.7	296,538	10,621	1,949
Nevada	71,127	264	402,797	1,497	5.7	789,835	11,663	2,936
New Mexico	54,645	229	268,764	1,125	4.9	565,721	10,695	2,368
Utah	45,928	233	193,196	982	4.2	438,766	10,089	2,230
Wyoming	17,829	221	84,938	1,052	4.8	213,206	12,489	2,640
Pacific	1,118,552	250	5,843,372	1,305	5.2	14,733,954	13,839	3,290
Alaska	14,555	202	76,408	1,061	5.2	218,453	15,840	3,032
California	826,216	264	4,432,910	1,415	5.4	11,355,156	14,526	3,624
Hawaii	22,416	183	146,046	1,194	6.5	293,535	13,667	2,400
Oregon	78,627	200	355,238	902	4.5	884,842	11,679	2,248
Washington	176,738	233	832,770	1,099	4.7	1,981,968	11,527	2,616
Outlying Areas ⁵	42,652	66	310,987	481	7.3	266,886	6,368	412

¹Excludes discharges for managed care enrollees that were paid by the managed care plan.

²Medicare enrollees in managed care plans are not included in the denominator used to calculate utilization rates and average payments.

³The average program payment per discharge does not reflect discharges with covered services, but for whom no program payments were reported.

⁴Includes 50 States and outlying areas.

⁵Includes Puerto Rico, Guam, Virgin Islands, residence unknown, and all other outlying areas not shown separately.

NOTES: Medicare program payments represent fee-for-service only and exclude amounts paid for managed care services. Numbers may not add to totals because of rounding. HI is hospital insurance. Reliability of estimates - the statistics presented in this table are based on sample data and, therefore, may differ from the figures that would be obtained if a complete census of the data had been taken. The sampling error, which is primarily a measure of sampling variability that occurs by chance because only a sample rather than an entire universe is surveyed, would be relatively small for national estimates and table cells based on a large sample size. The sampling error, however, for table cell below the national level and based on a relatively small sample size could possibly reflect a large sampling error and should be utilized with caution when analyzing the data for utilization and trend purposes.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Information Services: Data from the Medicare Data Extract System; data development by the Office of Information Products & Data Analytics.