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	Number	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees <sup>2</sup>	Number in Thousands	Per 1,000 HI Enrollees <sup>2</sup>	Per Admission	Amount in Thousands	Per Admission	Per Day	Amount in Thousands	Per Admission <sup>3</sup>	Per Day
All Areas <sup>4</sup>	2,509,080	72	68,385	1,952	27.3	\$36,535,206	\$14,561	\$534	\$25,530,079	\$10,183	\$373
United States	2,507,355	73	68,346	1,987	27.3	36,513,597	14,563	534	25,516,747	10,185	373
Northeast	558,232	86	14,652	2,249	26.2	8,296,534	14,862	566	5,803,299	10,402	396
Midwest	699,678	85	18,473	2,255	26.4	9,735,503	13,914	527	6,729,898	9,631	364
South	913,066	67	26,041	1,915	28.5	12,854,516	14,078	494	8,928,816	9,783	343
West	336,379	55	9,180	1,507	27.3	5,627,043	16,728	613	4,054,734	12,070	442
New England	175,770	90	4,564	2,347	26.0	2,646,847	15,059	580	1,864,895	10,614	409
Connecticut	48,163	105	1,309	2,846	27.2	755,140	15,679	577	531,523	11,037	406
Maine	16,632	72	388	1,686	23.3	232,637	13,987	599	156,260	9,400	402
Massachusetts	80,080	96	2,074	2,478	25.9	1,236,401	15,440	596	855,909	10,694	413
New Hampshire	14,797	73	385	1,908	26.0	212,803	14,382	553	156,865	10,602	408
Rhode Island	9,657	86	242	2,150	25.1	129,999	13,462	537	96,378	9,985	398
Vermont	6,441	62	166	1,612	25.7	79,867	12,400	482	67,960	10,553	410
Middle Atlantic	382,462	84	10,088	2,208	26.4	5,649,688	14,772	560	3,938,404	10,305	390
New Jersey	113,219	100	2,695	2,388	23.8	1,684,784	14,881	625	1,203,262	10,628	446
New York	150,551	73	4,229	2,054	28.1	2,264,726	15,043	536	1,612,362	10,719	381
Pennsylvania	118,692	86	3,164	2,290	26.7	1,700,178	14,324	537	1,122,780	9,470	355
East North Central	479,112	85	13,369	2,370	27.9	7,041,220	14,696	527	4,828,977	10,088	361
Illinois	146,303	91	3,942	2,459	26.9	2,242,930	15,331	569	1,430,543	9,783	363
Indiana	69,370	83	2,209	2,652	31.8	1,067,322	15,386	483	753,302	10,862	341
Michigan	82,736	69	2,338	1,940	28.3	1,191,061	14,396	509	849,230	10,289	363
Ohio	131,100	97	3,519	2,600	26.8	1,869,909	14,263	531	1,266,929	9,669	360
Wisconsin	49,603	77	1,361	2,109	27.4	669,997	13,507	492	528,973	10,677	389

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West North Central	220,566	86	5,104	2,001	23.1	\$2,694,283	\$12,215	\$528	\$1,900,921	\$8,637	\$372
Iowa	39,507	89	750	1,690	19.0	404,325	10,234	539	300,967	7,620	401
Kansas	32,722	87	749	1,982	22.9	398,815	12,188	533	294,834	9,016	394
Minnesota	44,436	93	988	2,059	22.2	515,288	11,596	522	400,895	9,029	406
Missouri	62,704	80	1,687	2,152	26.9	894,095	14,259	530	544,741	8,745	323
Nebraska	22,285	92	532	2,193	23.9	283,718	12,731	533	206,833	9,282	389
North Dakota	8,533	86	174	1,763	20.4	87,533	10,258	503	63,216	7,408	363
South Dakota	10,379	84	225	1,813	21.7	110,508	10,647	492	89,434	8,618	398
South Atlantic	488,909	67	13,742	1,885	28.1	6,675,308	13,653	486	4,946,638	10,121	360
Delaware	8,512	62	246	1,795	28.9	113,222	13,301	460	97,852	11,496	397
District of Columbia	4,861	73	133	1,993	27.4	78,085	16,064	587	52,585	10,827	395
Florida	182,311	78	5,171	2,218	28.4	2,670,146	14,646	516	1,983,477	10,882	384
Georgia	53,142	53	1,525	1,525	28.7	687,015	12,928	451	512,477	9,647	336
Maryland	57,045	81	1,422	2,024	24.9	692,847	12,146	487	546,738	9,585	384
North Carolina	70,165	59	2,040	1,715	29.1	895,601	12,764	439	682,925	9,739	335
South Carolina	32,413	51	999	1,583	30.8	440,764	13,598	441	330,929	10,214	331
Virginia	62,096	66	1,708	1,806	27.5	849,933	13,687	498	578,549	9,319	339
West Virginia	18,364	64	498	1,735	27.1	247,695	13,488	497	161,107	8,783	324
East South Central	174,885	70	4,996	2,004	28.6	2,383,615	13,630	477	1,618,713	9,258	324
Alabama	40,885	64	1,080	1,688	26.4	454,710	11,122	421	351,611	8,604	326
Kentucky	46,480	75	1,271	2,045	27.3	635,042	13,663	500	417,951	8,993	329
Mississippi	30,224	69	917	2,083	30.3	503,814	16,669	549	297,613	9,850	325
Tennessee	57,296	72	1,729	2,182	30.2	790,048	13,789	457	551,538	9,628	319

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West South Central	249,272	65	7,303	1,914	29.3	\$3,795,594	\$15,227	\$520	\$2,363,464	\$9,487	\$324
Arkansas	29,576	66	724	1,618	24.5	398,717	13,481	551	227,321	7,692	314
Louisiana	35,254	68	1,068	2,069	30.3	583,859	16,562	547	318,165	9,029	298
Oklahoma	30,509	61	769	1,527	25.2	430,887	14,123	560	244,531	8,022	318
Texas	153,933	66	4,742	2,020	30.8	2,382,131	15,475	502	1,573,447	10,227	332
Mountain	101,250	51	2,627	1,335	25.9	1,456,733	14,387	555	1,026,267	10,150	391
Arizona	23,469	42	560	997	23.8	286,340	12,201	512	219,376	9,365	392
Colorado	25,902	66	674	1,717	26.0	389,013	15,019	577	273,813	10,596	406
Idaho	8,841	55	244	1,527	27.6	131,329	14,855	539	90,788	10,270	373
Montana	8,638	64	198	1,461	22.9	100,427	11,626	507	74,987	8,682	379
Nevada	10,184	43	294	1,241	28.9	161,363	15,845	549	125,258	12,306	426
New Mexico	8,757	39	248	1,105	28.3	145,412	16,605	586	87,247	9,986	352
Utah	10,950	59	299	1,623	27.3	178,727	16,322	597	112,783	10,311	377
Wyoming	4,509	61	110	1,499	24.4	64,122	14,221	583	42,016	9,320	382
Pacific	235,129	57	6,553	1,590	27.9	4,170,310	17,736	636	3,028,467	12,896	462
Alaska	1,160	19	29	468	24.8	25,682	22,140	892	15,602	13,450	542
California	176,774	61	4,984	1,727	28.2	3,299,527	18,665	662	2,348,903	13,300	471
Hawaii	3,430	29	98	817	28.6	66,829	19,484	681	41,069	12,333	418
Oregon	14,771	43	362	1,045	24.5	210,881	14,277	583	158,678	10,748	438
Washington	38,994	55	1,079	1,525	27.7	567,391	14,551	526	464,215	11,914	430
Outlying Areas <sup>5</sup>	1,725	3	39	61	22.7	21,609	12,527	551	13,332	7,733	340

<sup>1</sup>Reflects skilled nursing admissions with at least 1 day of covered care under Medicare.

<sup>2</sup>Medicare enrollees in managed care plans are not included in the denominator used to calculate utilization rates.

<sup>3</sup>The denominator used to calculate the average program payment per covered admission includes only those bills with Medicare reimbursement greater than zero.

<sup>4</sup>Includes 50 States, District of Columbia, and outlying areas.

<sup>5</sup>Includes Puerto Rico, Guam, Virgin Islands, residence unknown, and outlying areas not shown separately.

NOTES: HI is hospital insurance. 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. Swing-bed hospitals are not skilled nursing facilities (SNFs) and are not included in the count of total SNFs; however, swing-bed hospital services are included in the total use and cost of Medicare SNF services.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Information Services: Data from the MEDPAR files: Medicare Provider Analysis and Review; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.