

Nursing Home Data Compendia Overview

Nursing Home Data Compendium 2001 - CMS, which oversees quality of care in the nation's Medicare- and Medicaid-certified nursing homes, published this second volume to provide a more detailed picture of the residents of these nursing homes. We hope that this data compendium will serve as a useful resource for policy makers, researchers, and consumers. The compendium contains figures and tables presenting data on all residents in Medicare- and Medicaid-certified nursing homes in the United States. A series of graphs, charts, and maps highlights some of the most interesting data, while detailed data are available in accompanying tables. Appendix A lists the sources of the data used in this report and explains the methods used in calculating many of the data elements presented in the Data Compendium tables.

Nursing Home Data Compendium 2000 – This is the first in a series of annual publications, the goal of which is to provide information from our nursing home data system on nursing homes and nursing home residents at both national and state levels. The compendium contains figures and tables presenting data on all residents in Medicare and Medicaid-certified nursing homes in the United States. It includes data from calendar years 1996 through 2000 and represents a baseline of information that will allow us to monitor changes in demographic characteristics and the process of our efforts to improve the quality of care delivered in nursing homes. The tables and charts summarizing nursing home characteristics and survey results were derived from administrative data stored in the Online Survey, Certification, and Reporting System (OSCAR). Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment data, which are reported to CMS by Medicare- and Medicaid-certified nursing homes, were used to tabulate resident characteristics and resident clinical characteristics.