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	Number	Per 1,000 HI	Number in Thousands	Per 1,000 HI		Amount in Thousands	Per Admis- sion	Per Day	Amount in Thousands	Per Admis- sion ³	Per Day
		Enrollees ²		Enrollees ²							
All Areas ⁴	2,543,133	72	67,143	1,892	26.4	\$31,493,529	\$12,384	\$469	\$20,498,788	\$8,067	\$305
United States	2,540,798	73	67,090	1,927	26.4	31,467,135	12,385	469	20,485,644	8,069	305
Northeast	562,096	84	14,872	2,223	26.5	7,215,765	12,837	485	4,763,754	8,480	320
Midwest	738,449	85	18,471	2,132	25.0	8,603,263	11,650	466	5,608,788	7,605	304
South	905,867	66	25,116	1,843	27.7	10,882,097	12,013	433	7,081,181	7,819	282
West	334,386	57	8,630	1,478	25.8	4,766,010	14,253	552	3,031,922	9,079	351
New England	175,402	90	4,735	2,433	27.0	2,372,050	13,524	501	1,560,935	8,906	330
Connecticut	49,171	101	1,476	3,024	30.0	717,962	14,601	486	479,594	9,754	325
Maine	16,404	69	380	1,605	23.2	213,281	13,002	561	126,784	7,729	333
Massachusetts	79,594	98	2,112	2,587	26.5	1,091,278	13,711	517	694,866	8,743	329
New Hampshire	14,225	73	368	1,891	25.9	175,536	12,340	477	127,531	8,970	347
Rhode Island	10,051	90	245	2,199	24.4	111,768	11,120	456	80,281	7,989	327
Vermont	5,957	61	153	1,560	25.7	62,225	10,446	406	51,880	8,711	339
Middle Atlantic	386,694	82	10,138	2,137	26.2	4,843,715	12,526	478	3,202,819	8,287	316
New Jersey	109,052	98	2,510	2,262	23.0	1,314,845	12,057	524	927,983	8,510	370
New York	150,470	70	4,389	2,040	29.2	1,984,517	13,189	452	1,346,370	8,953	307
Pennsylvania	127,172	86	3,239	2,185	25.5	1,544,354	12,144	477	928,466	7,306	287
East North Central	511,093	84	13,663	2,257	26.7	6,324,253	12,374	463	4,103,509	8,041	300
Illinois	148,097	94	3,707	2,355	25.0	1,876,946	12,674	506	1,128,480	7,631	304
Indiana	71,967	84	2,180	2,530	30.3	935,902	13,005	429	615,994	8,576	283
Michigan	87,323	61	2,484	1,745	28.4	1,105,168	12,656	445	751,759	8,636	303
Ohio	148,187	100	3,856	2,594	26.0	1,787,511	12,063	464	1,140,393	7,699	296
Wisconsin	55,519	78	1,436	2,030	25.9	618,727	11,144	431	466,883	8,416	325

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West North Central	227,356	87	4,808	1,843	21.1	\$2,279,009	\$10,024	\$474	\$1,505,279	\$6,627	\$313
Iowa	40,901	92	637	1,426	15.6	335,033	8,191	526	224,442	5,487	352
Kansas	33,031	87	687	1,807	20.8	321,332	9,728	468	226,344	6,867	330
Minnesota	46,773	89	1,005	1,904	21.5	446,910	9,555	445	338,236	7,232	337
Missouri	64,916	82	1,632	2,067	25.1	793,503	12,224	486	439,475	6,779	269
Nebraska	22,106	91	487	2,006	22.0	224,979	10,177	462	159,867	7,244	328
North Dakota	8,986	91	170	1,724	18.9	73,760	8,208	434	50,005	5,565	294
South Dakota	10,643	86	190	1,540	17.9	83,493	7,845	439	66,909	6,287	352
South Atlantic	485,177	67	13,372	1,835	27.6	5,695,513	11,739	426	3,962,585	8,168	296
Delaware	7,898	61	201	1,555	25.4	84,958	10,757	423	61,360	7,775	306
District of Columbia	5,267	80	139	2,104	26.3	72,420	13,750	522	45,308	8,602	327
Florida	181,754	77	5,036	2,127	27.7	2,307,844	12,698	458	1,604,593	8,829	319
Georgia	52,276	53	1,444	1,461	27.6	548,803	10,498	380	398,326	7,621	276
Maryland	55,386	83	1,297	1,940	23.4	559,940	10,110	432	410,704	7,416	317
North Carolina	69,974	60	2,046	1,745	29.2	783,785	11,201	383	557,608	7,972	273
South Carolina	31,638	50	972	1,551	30.7	382,286	12,083	393	262,146	8,286	270
Virginia	60,295	64	1,678	1,788	27.8	714,387	11,848	426	472,870	7,843	282
West Virginia	20,689	63	560	1,701	27.1	241,090	11,653	430	149,670	7,236	267
East South Central	173,861	68	4,951	1,934	28.5	2,038,643	11,726	412	1,313,450	7,557	265
Alabama	41,165	61	1,138	1,699	27.7	412,520	10,021	362	298,917	7,265	263
Kentucky	47,152	74	1,263	1,977	26.8	552,649	11,721	437	339,280	7,197	269
Mississippi	28,593	65	810	1,830	28.3	378,725	13,245	468	220,963	7,728	273
Tennessee	56,951	71	1,739	2,154	30.5	694,748	12,199	399	454,291	7,980	261

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			in Thousands		Admis- sion	in Thousands	Admis- sion		in Thousands	Admis- sion ³	
West South Central	246,829	65	6,793	1,796	27.5	\$3,147,942	\$12,754	\$463	\$1,805,145	\$7,317	\$266
Arkansas	30,563	67	712	1,553	23.3	357,036	11,682	502	176,360	5,772	248
Louisiana	35,762	67	980	1,840	27.4	494,445	13,826	505	245,837	6,884	251
Oklahoma	30,160	61	731	1,478	24.2	380,578	12,619	521	191,556	6,354	262
Texas	150,344	65	4,371	1,902	29.1	1,915,883	12,743	438	1,191,392	7,927	273
Mountain	102,670	54	2,565	1,350	25.0	1,205,661	11,743	470	811,709	7,918	316
Arizona	23,012	44	526	1,006	22.9	221,105	9,608	420	164,363	7,156	312
Colorado	25,239	68	640	1,720	25.3	312,260	12,372	488	214,166	8,513	335
Idaho	10,038	61	263	1,590	26.2	121,959	12,150	464	80,433	8,026	306
Montana	10,030	72	211	1,516	21.1	96,318	9,603	455	66,021	6,583	312
Nevada	8,380	39	237	1,100	28.2	109,075	13,016	461	82,632	9,865	349
New Mexico	8,003	37	225	1,046	28.1	109,587	13,693	488	62,673	7,831	279
Utah	13,031	65	344	1,713	26.4	178,631	13,708	519	105,788	8,122	307
Wyoming	4,937	71	120	1,727	24.3	56,727	11,490	474	35,632	7,219	298
Pacific	231,716	59	6,065	1,540	26.2	3,560,348	15,365	587	2,220,213	9,593	366
Alaska	1,086	20	29	538	26.7	22,201	20,443	766	13,501	12,432	466
California	171,327	63	4,532	1,660	26.5	2,846,211	16,613	628	1,686,593	9,856	372
Hawaii	3,101	26	86	729	27.7	50,775	16,374	591	29,139	9,400	339
Oregon	17,121	50	394	1,154	23.0	183,159	10,698	464	142,065	8,305	360
Washington	39,081	56	1,023	1,473	26.2	458,003	11,719	448	348,916	8,942	341
Outlying Areas ⁵	2,335	3	53	79	22.5	26,394	11,304	501	13,143	5,636	250

¹Reflects skilled nursing admissions with at least 1 day of covered care under Medicare.

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

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

⁴Includes 50 States, District of Columbia, and outlying areas.

⁵Includes 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 Medicare Data Extract System; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.