

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 2009**

Area of Residence	Discharges ¹		Total Days of Care			Program Payments		
	Number	Per 1,000	Number	Per 1,000	Per Dis-charge	Amount in Thousands	Per	Per
		HI Enrollees ²		HI Enrollees ²			Dis-charge ³	HI Enrollee ²
All Areas ⁴	11,558,205	330	63,441,875	1,811	5.5	\$114,516,481	\$9,977	\$3,268
United States	11,508,690	335	63,087,500	1,834	5.5	114,231,779	9,995	3,321
Northeast	2,295,810	352	13,837,030	2,124	6.0	25,111,377	11,025	3,855
Midwest	2,852,960	348	14,865,325	1,815	5.2	26,812,345	9,458	3,274
South	4,728,940	348	25,796,425	1,897	5.5	43,210,591	9,193	3,177
West	1,630,980	268	8,588,720	1,410	5.3	19,097,464	11,820	3,136
New England	622,850	320	3,370,830	1,734	5.4	6,553,742	10,591	3,371
Connecticut	155,510	338	903,530	1,964	5.8	1,812,862	11,739	3,941
Maine	61,385	267	317,625	1,379	5.2	571,729	9,346	2,483
Massachusetts	299,985	358	1,568,895	1,875	5.2	3,063,041	10,278	3,660
New Hampshire	48,880	242	262,440	1,302	5.4	495,220	10,172	2,457
Rhode Island	36,850	327	210,285	1,868	5.7	357,106	9,824	3,173
Vermont	20,240	197	108,055	1,050	5.3	253,782	12,607	2,467
Middle Atlantic	1,672,960	366	10,466,200	2,291	6.3	18,557,634	11,187	4,061
New Jersey	408,880	362	2,471,780	2,190	6.0	4,393,032	10,855	3,893
New York	747,980	363	5,118,055	2,486	6.8	9,391,678	12,671	4,561
Pennsylvania	516,100	374	2,876,365	2,082	5.6	4,772,923	9,304	3,454
East North Central	2,046,630	363	10,796,160	1,914	5.3	19,477,385	9,586	3,454
Illinois	610,485	381	3,221,480	2,009	5.3	5,770,908	9,559	3,600
Indiana	279,405	335	1,488,780	1,788	5.3	2,613,455	9,396	3,138
Michigan	461,595	383	2,508,025	2,081	5.4	4,697,495	10,238	3,899
Ohio	509,765	377	2,655,415	1,962	5.2	4,584,160	9,042	3,387
Wisconsin	185,380	287	922,460	1,429	5.0	1,811,366	9,838	2,807
West North Central	806,330	316	4,069,165	1,595	5.0	7,334,959	9,134	2,876
Iowa	120,115	271	624,565	1,407	5.2	1,079,811	9,038	2,432
Kansas	114,135	302	587,035	1,554	5.1	993,136	8,731	2,629
Minnesota	166,555	347	761,655	1,588	4.6	1,624,719	9,789	3,388
Missouri	282,445	360	1,476,890	1,884	5.2	2,490,959	8,861	3,178
Nebraska	66,920	276	341,780	1,408	5.1	630,738	9,458	2,599
North Dakota	24,110	244	116,490	1,179	4.8	214,092	8,902	2,168
South Dakota	32,050	258	160,750	1,296	5.0	301,500	9,429	2,431
South Atlantic	2,480,320	340	13,572,560	1,862	5.5	23,655,646	9,586	3,245
Delaware	43,735	319	248,730	1,812	5.7	480,161	11,003	3,499
District of Columbia	25,335	380	163,785	2,454	6.5	328,972	13,188	4,929
Florida	827,695	355	4,586,655	1,968	5.5	7,389,651	8,961	3,170
Georgia	319,430	320	1,758,275	1,759	5.5	2,982,220	9,379	2,983
Maryland	275,215	392	1,372,135	1,953	5.0	3,204,075	11,757	4,560
North Carolina	384,095	323	2,094,175	1,761	5.5	3,754,730	9,829	3,157
South Carolina	201,010	319	1,144,675	1,815	5.7	1,915,410	9,564	3,037
Virginia	299,545	317	1,613,940	1,706	5.4	2,692,379	9,033	2,846
West Virginia	104,260	363	590,190	2,056	5.7	908,044	8,756	3,164

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Table 5.4--Continued
Discharges, Total Days of Care, and Program Payments for Medicare Beneficiaries Discharged from Short-Stay Hospitals, by Area of Residence: Calendar Year 2009

Area of Residence	Discharges ¹		Total Days of Care			Program Payments		
	Number	Per 1,000	Number	Per 1,000	Per Dis-charge	Amount in Thousands	Per	Per
		HI Enrollees ²		HI Enrollees ²			Dis-charge ³	HI Enrollee ²
East South Central	943,535	378	5,120,940	2,054	5.4	\$7,811,498	\$8,316	\$3,133
Alabama	245,855	384	1,340,995	2,096	5.5	1,897,260	7,767	2,966
Kentucky	234,785	378	1,244,455	2,003	5.3	2,046,356	8,759	3,294
Mississippi	167,915	381	975,760	2,216	5.8	1,431,614	8,558	3,252
Tennessee	294,980	372	1,559,730	1,969	5.3	2,436,267	8,284	3,076
West South Central	1,305,085	342	7,102,925	1,862	5.4	11,743,445	9,080	3,078
Arkansas	146,710	328	795,520	1,778	5.4	1,223,673	8,392	2,735
Louisiana	190,880	370	1,068,935	2,071	5.6	1,600,718	8,459	3,101
Oklahoma	183,690	365	961,140	1,908	5.2	1,537,095	8,425	3,051
Texas	783,805	334	4,277,330	1,822	5.5	7,381,958	9,514	3,144
Mountain	523,190	266	2,576,695	1,309	4.9	5,182,950	9,974	2,633
Arizona	165,260	294	810,220	1,444	4.9	1,701,737	10,399	3,032
Colorado	106,680	272	513,620	1,307	4.8	1,038,278	9,789	2,643
Idaho	32,795	206	148,805	933	4.5	312,968	9,569	1,962
Montana	30,030	222	148,470	1,095	4.9	273,530	9,141	2,018
Nevada	69,015	291	393,100	1,660	5.7	717,948	10,482	3,032
New Mexico	57,155	255	280,235	1,248	4.9	543,858	9,581	2,423
Utah	43,650	237	198,125	1,074	4.5	410,472	9,431	2,225
Wyoming	18,605	254	84,120	1,147	4.5	184,157	9,936	2,510
Pacific	1,107,790	269	6,012,025	1,459	5.4	13,914,514	12,696	3,376
Alaska	13,615	221	70,135	1,140	5.2	195,145	14,413	3,172
California	822,155	285	4,593,985	1,592	5.6	10,748,128	13,237	3,724
Hawaii	23,335	194	157,425	1,310	6.7	291,189	12,603	2,423
Oregon	73,445	212	350,005	1,011	4.8	777,591	10,642	2,246
Washington	175,240	248	840,475	1,187	4.8	1,902,458	10,916	2,687
Outlying Areas ⁵	49,515	76	354,375	547	7.2	284,702	5,817	440

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 MEDPAR files: Medicare Provider Analysis and Review; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.