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Medicare Home Health Agencies: Persons with Utilization and Total Service Visits for Original Medicare Beneficiaries, by Type of Agency and Type of Service Visit, Calendar Year 2017

Type of Agency and Type of Service Visit	Total Persons With Utilization	Total Service Visits	Service Visits Per Person With Utilization	Service Visits Per 1,000 Original Medicare Enrollees ¹
All Agencies				
Total	3,392,931	104,825,686	30.90	2,711
Skilled Nursing Care	3,006,171	49,848,342	16.58	1,289
Home Health Aide	528,371	9,198,225	17.41	238
Physical Therapy	2,690,796	33,303,640	12.38	861
Speech Therapy	279,873	1,975,975	7.06	51
Occupational Therapy	1,377,593	9,691,227	7.03	251
Medical Social Worker	466,589	808,277	1.73	21
Visiting Nurse Association				
Total	500,905	12,379,633	24.71	320
Skilled Nursing Care	439,491	5,698,357	12.97	147
Home Health Aide	81,647	1,186,278	14.53	31
Physical Therapy	392,583	3,838,642	9.78	99
Speech Therapy	37,069	221,175	5.97	6
Occupational Therapy	214,892	1,290,999	6.01	33
Medical Social Worker	81,443	144,182	1.77	4
Combination Government Voluntary				
Total	3,586	75,414	21.03	2
Skilled Nursing Care	3,069	33,858	11.03	1
Home Health Aide	621	11,264	18.14	0
Physical Therapy	2,620	24,162	9.22	1
Speech Therapy	116	697	6.01	0
Occupational Therapy	942	4,822	5.12	0
Medical Social Worker	238	611	2.57	0
Official Health Agency				
Total	311,207	9,193,226	29.54	238
Skilled Nursing Care	267,271	4,376,920	16.38	113
Home Health Aide	48,790	894,406	18.33	23
Physical Therapy	241,401	2,878,803	11.93	74
Speech Therapy	23,966	166,049	6.93	4
Occupational Therapy	119,508	819,876	6.86	21
Medical Social Worker	35,913	57,172	1.59	1
Hospital-Based				
Total	407,705	8,543,121	20.95	221
Skilled Nursing Care	358,361	4,106,200	11.46	106
Home Health Aide	66,637	863,599	12.96	22
Physical Therapy	315,537	2,606,842	8.26	67
Speech Therapy	25,462	136,505	5.36	4
Occupational Therapy	148,785	736,369	4.95	19
Medical Social Worker	59,198	93,606	1.58	2
Skilled Nursing Facility-Based Program				
Total	13,900	324,857	23.37	8
Skilled Nursing Care	12,646	131,265	10.38	3
Home Health Aide	3,150	39,658	12.59	1
Physical Therapy	12,125	103,933	8.57	3
Speech Therapy	1,189	6,906	5.81	0
Occupational Therapy	7,583	41,525	5.48	1
Medical Social Worker	1,082	1,570	1.45	0

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Other				
Total	2,279,652	74,309,435	32.60	1,922
Skilled Nursing Care	2,026,646	35,501,742	17.52	918
Home Health Aide	336,610	6,203,020	18.43	160
Physical Therapy	1,805,796	23,851,258	13.21	617
Speech Therapy	194,933	1,444,643	7.41	37
Occupational Therapy	912,611	6,797,636	7.45	176
Medical Social Worker	294,571	511,136	1.74	13

¹Total Original Medicare enrollees (in person years) for 2017 was 38,667,830. The 'service visits per 1,000 Original Medicare enrollees' rates are based on Original Medicare enrollees with Part A and/or Part B coverage.

NOTES: The data reported in this table are from home health Part A and Part B claims. The 'persons with utilization' counts do not add to totals because beneficiaries may use more than one service during the reported year.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Enterprise Data and Analytics, CMS Chronic Conditions Data Warehouse.