

Table 8.1
Number of Hospices, Number of Persons, Covered Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Hospice Services Used by Medicare Beneficiaries: Calendar Years 1993-2007

Year	Number of Hospices	Persons Served	Covered Days of Care		Total Charges in Thousands	Program Payments	
			Number	Per Person		Amount in Thousands	Per Person Served ¹
1993	1,445	215,088	12,649,477	59	\$1,260,859	\$1,250,415	\$5,817
1994	1,726	265,990	16,038,298	60	1,628,138	1,613,874	6,071
1995	1,992	309,336	18,196,624	59	1,882,499	1,872,698	6,058
1996	2,161	349,234	18,883,516	54	2,004,164	1,991,076	5,704
1997	2,344	383,071	19,165,781	50	2,092,139	2,058,315	5,374
1998	2,317	420,917	20,308,181	48	2,324,928	2,206,086	5,242
1999	2,326	474,408	21,657,138	47	2,670,949	2,524,794	5,324
2000	2,267	534,408	25,957,716	49	3,105,973	2,925,819	5,476
2001	2,275	594,665	30,683,737	52	3,907,891	3,690,385	6,208
2002	2,323	662,333	36,194,557	55	4,849,450	4,539,400	6,863
2003	2,434	731,021	45,511,946	60	6,077,836	5,630,158	7,724
2004	2,645	799,715	50,529,677	64	7,266,079	6,715,990	8,428
2005	2,872	873,909	57,436,525	66	8,543,098	7,902,204	9,118
2006	3,071	942,375	64,997,239	70	10,016,576	9,235,560	9,837
2007	3,255	999,803	70,551,721	71	11,121,089	10,343,319	10,385

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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.

Table 8.2
Number of Persons, Covered Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Hospice Services by Demographic Characteristics: Calendar Year 2007

Demographic Characteristic	Persons Served	Covered Days of Care		Total Charges in Thousands	Program Payments	
		Number	Per Person		Amount in Thousands	Per Person Served ¹
Total	999,803	70,551,721	71	\$11,121,089	\$10,343,319	\$10,385
Age						
Under 65 Years	50,624	3,465,100	70	560,925	515,044	10,340
65-79 Years	304,572	18,289,199	61	2,944,304	2,732,297	9,030
80-84 Years	196,420	13,627,155	70	2,150,508	2,002,834	10,217
85 Years and Over	448,187	35,170,267	79	5,465,350	5,093,143	11,380
Sex						
Male	402,385	23,914,690	60	3,826,689	3,553,816	8,880
Female	597,418	46,637,031	79	7,294,400	6,789,503	11,396
Race						
White	880,655	61,587,547	71	9,697,388	9,026,764	10,287
Other	119,148	8,964,174	76	1,423,700	1,316,555	11,111
Type of Entitlement						
Aged	947,293	66,935,011	71	10,536,491	9,806,579	10,385
Disabled	52,510	3,616,710	70	584,597	536,740	10,391

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Table 8.3
Number of Hospices, Number of Persons, Covered Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Hospice Services Used by Medicare Beneficiaries, by Area of Residence: Calendar Year 2007

Area of Residence	Number of Hospices	Persons Served	Covered Days of Care		Total Charges in Thousands	Program Payments	
			Number	Per Person		Amount in Thousands	Per Person Served ¹
All Areas ²	3,255	999,803	70,551,721	71	\$11,121,089	\$1,343,319	\$10,385
United States	3,217	990,671	69,543,543	71	10,972,206	10,248,702	10,384
Northeast	408	158,570	9,476,690	60	1,599,482	1,497,707	9,479
Midwest	820	233,262	14,840,067	64	2,341,880	2,121,470	9,127
South	1,369	404,173	31,867,137	80	4,788,516	4,532,568	11,256
West	620	194,666	13,359,649	69	2,242,326	2,096,956	10,820
New England	149	44,195	2,620,368	60	443,117	430,634	9,769
Connecticut	31	10,044	465,070	46	93,788	91,170	9,096
Maine	20	4,287	279,116	65	41,689	40,467	9,457
Massachusetts	59	19,914	1,290,134	65	211,204	204,902	10,315
New Hampshire	21	4,147	229,057	55	37,931	36,605	8,848
Rhode Island	8	4,465	276,161	63	46,174	45,806	10,307
Vermont	10	1,338	80,830	61	12,328	11,681	8,744
Middle Atlantic	259	114,375	6,856,322	61	1,156,364	1,067,072	9,367
New Jersey	53	25,715	1,469,874	58	269,792	243,616	9,523
New York	51	36,428	2,000,440	56	356,892	334,855	9,234
Pennsylvania	155	52,232	3,386,008	66	529,678	488,600	9,383
East North Central	456	161,282	10,059,888	63	1,633,534	1,476,739	9,191
Illinois	105	37,532	2,183,144	59	382,192	332,672	8,895
Indiana	83	20,514	1,338,806	66	205,692	187,214	9,169
Michigan	96	38,041	2,262,881	60	359,222	328,144	8,657
Ohio	109	46,722	3,050,654	66	488,639	450,339	9,674
Wisconsin	63	18,473	1,224,403	67	197,786	178,369	9,699

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West North Central	364	71,980	4,780,179	67	\$708,346	\$644,730	\$8,984
Iowa	78	14,078	848,300	61	133,476	119,200	8,489
Kansas	58	11,698	845,850	73	121,287	112,421	9,651
Minnesota	65	14,029	844,473	61	134,812	124,016	8,869
Missouri	101	22,909	1,706,393	75	241,494	218,688	9,574
Nebraska	33	5,741	326,188	57	46,007	43,504	7,592
North Dakota	14	1,643	108,248	66	16,030	13,171	8,041
South Dakota	15	1,882	100,727	54	15,237	13,726	7,301
South Atlantic	446	213,956	15,801,139	74	2,533,584	2,402,115	11,260
Delaware	8	3,755	280,167	75	44,710	42,337	11,290
District of Columbia	3	1,055	70,582	67	14,366	11,642	11,046
Florida	41	92,289	6,810,570	74	1,140,275	1,126,306	12,230
Georgia	126	28,679	2,178,059	77	345,753	316,628	11,101
Maryland	28	13,222	703,326	54	116,707	107,588	8,157
North Carolina	82	31,061	2,385,721	78	365,264	335,520	10,834
South Carolina	65	17,151	1,517,316	89	232,465	208,733	12,216
Virginia	75	19,904	1,342,523	68	204,580	185,471	9,350
West Virginia	18	6,840	512,875	75	69,461	67,885	9,957
East South Central	327	72,920	6,519,185	91	878,439	840,699	11,585
Alabama	123	26,108	2,775,182	107	353,162	345,601	13,305
Kentucky	27	12,261	738,534	64	108,113	100,848	8,257
Mississippi	120	14,866	1,687,818	114	220,216	206,918	14,015
Tennessee	57	19,685	1,317,651	68	196,946	187,331	9,549

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West South Central	596	117,297	9,546,813	82	\$1,376,492	\$1,289,753	\$11,043
Arkansas	50	10,112	699,958	70	106,768	94,722	9,402
Louisiana	123	15,600	1,230,431	79	171,253	158,190	10,190
Oklahoma	143	19,374	2,071,031	108	276,002	253,712	13,174
Texas	280	72,211	5,545,393	77	822,468	783,127	10,886
Mountain	316	74,718	5,898,439	80	920,330	878,195	11,800
Arizona	59	28,775	2,446,610	87	395,142	381,788	13,324
Colorado	49	14,346	925,155	65	149,502	142,576	9,968
Idaho	39	4,734	409,115	87	55,262	53,013	11,239
Montana	27	2,967	200,822	68	29,445	26,812	9,052
Nevada	15	7,040	433,525	62	77,482	73,284	10,444
New Mexico	41	7,404	625,432	85	92,222	85,964	11,675
Utah	68	8,531	805,430	96	113,452	107,428	12,652
Wyoming	18	921	52,350	58	7,820	7,327	8,017
Pacific	304	119,948	7,461,210	63	1,321,995	1,218,761	10,208
Alaska	5	513	30,524	60	6,345	4,742	9,299
California	211	83,732	5,256,348	63	944,606	880,764	10,571
Hawaii	8	2,202	123,021	57	20,774	20,649	9,503
Oregon	48	15,229	938,414	62	151,683	139,079	9,157
Washington	32	18,272	1,112,903	61	198,585	173,524	9,535

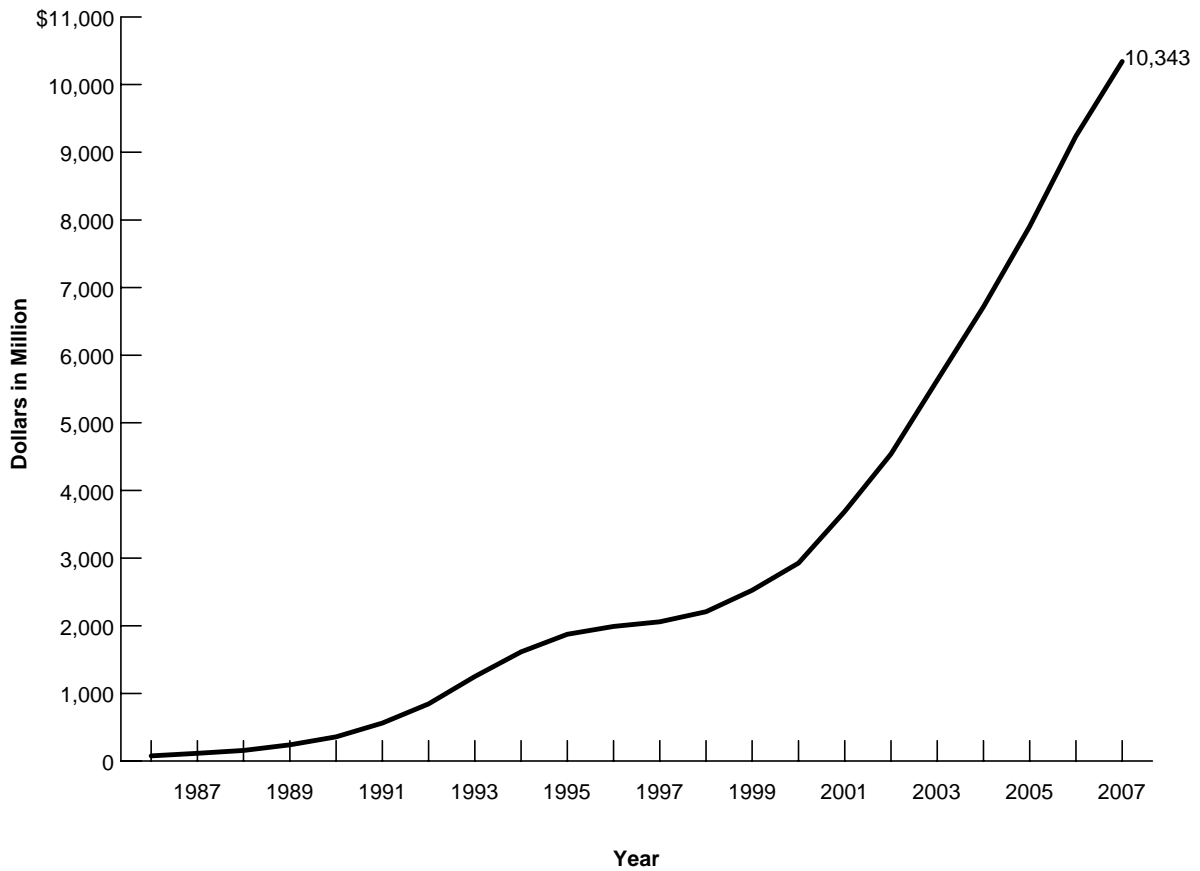
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²Includes Puerto Rico, Guam, Virgin Islands, residence unknown, and outlying areas, not shown separately.

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Figure 8.1
Trends in Medicare Hospice Benefit Program Payments:
Calendar Years 1986-2007



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