

**Table 8.2****Number of Persons, Covered Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Hospice Services by Demographic Characteristics: Calendar Year 2011**

| Demographic Characteristic | Persons Served | Covered Days of Care |            | Total Charges in Thousands | Program Payments    |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
|                            |                | Number               | Per Person |                            | Amount in Thousands | Person Served <sup>1</sup> |
| Total                      | 1,223,551      | 85,449,473           | 70         | \$24,654,987               | \$13,827,641        | \$11,342                   |
| <b>Age</b>                 |                |                      |            |                            |                     |                            |
| Under 65 Years             | 63,772         | 4,117,166            | 66         | 1,276,689                  | 680,964             | 10,846                     |
| 65-79 Years                | 346,801        | 20,380,172           | 59         | 6,223,434                  | 3,365,285           | 9,767                      |
| 80-84 Years                | 220,440        | 15,028,679           | 69         | 4,351,066                  | 2,434,582           | 11,065                     |
| 85 Years and Over          | 592,538        | 45,923,456           | 78         | 12,803,798                 | 7,346,810           | 12,415                     |
| <b>Sex</b>                 |                |                      |            |                            |                     |                            |
| Male                       | 493,840        | 28,682,318           | 59         | 8,597,790                  | 4,713,404           | 9,595                      |
| Female                     | 729,711        | 56,767,155           | 78         | 16,057,197                 | 9,114,237           | 12,521                     |
| <b>Race</b>                |                |                      |            |                            |                     |                            |
| White                      | 1,073,461      | 74,482,611           | 70         | 21,502,095                 | 12,030,773          | 11,247                     |
| Other                      | 150,090        | 10,966,862           | 74         | 3,152,892                  | 1,796,868           | 12,025                     |
| <b>Type of Entitlement</b> |                |                      |            |                            |                     |                            |
| Aged                       | 1,157,100      | 81,122,132           | 71         | 23,315,674                 | 13,112,751          | 11,366                     |
| Disabled                   | 66,451         | 4,327,341            | 66         | 1,339,312                  | 714,890             | 10,927                     |

<sup>1</sup>Does not reflect persons who received covered services, but for whom no program payments were reported during the reporting year.

NOTES: Medicare program payments represent fee-for-service only and exclude amounts paid for managed care services. Numbers may not add to total because of rounding.

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