

Table 5.12
Short-Stay Hospital (SSH) Discharges and Case-Mix Index, by Location and Bedsize of Hospital, and Procedure Status:
Calendar Year 2011

Location and Bedsize of Hospital	Discharges	Hospital Case-Mix Index ¹	Percent of Discharges				
			Total	With Procedures			Without Procedure
				Total	Surgical	Non-Surgical	
Total All Hospitals ²	11,454,276	1.5770	100.0	58.7	47.0	11.7	41.3
1-99 Beds	1,043,454	1.3436	100.0	46.2	35.0	11.3	53.8
100-299 Beds	4,137,615	1.4761	100.0	54.6	43.6	11.0	45.4
300-499 Beds	3,187,656	1.6056	100.0	60.4	48.7	11.7	39.6
500 Beds or More	3,085,551	1.7617	100.0	66.6	53.8	12.8	33.4
 Total Urban Hospitals	 9,945,031	 1.6139	 100.0	 60.5	 48.8	 11.8	 39.5
1-99 Beds	528,924	1.4864	100.0	54.5	44.0	10.5	45.5
100-299 Beds	3,318,799	1.5015	100.0	55.8	44.9	10.9	44.2
300-499 Beds	3,036,361	1.6092	100.0	60.6	48.8	11.8	39.4
500 Beds or More	3,060,947	1.7625	100.0	66.6	53.8	12.9	33.4
 Total Rural Hospitals	 1,509,245	 1.3336	 100.0	 46.5	 35.1	 11.4	 53.5
1-99 Beds	514,530	1.1967	100.0	37.7	25.7	12.1	62.3
100-299 Beds	818,816	1.3731	100.0	49.6	38.4	11.2	50.4
300-499 Beds	151,295	1.5325	100.0	57.0	46.7	10.2	43.0
500 Beds or More	24,604	1.6585	100.0	59.8	50.8	9.0	40.2

¹For hospitals participating in the Medicare prospective payment system, the hospital case-mix index is a relative measure of the hospital's average cost per case relative to the average cost per case for all hospitals in some base or reference year. The case-mix index is presented by selected provider categories to provide a means for comparing the relative complexity, severity of illness, and costliness of the cases handled in each of these provider classifications.

²Includes discharges from SSH in the 50 States and District of Columbia; excludes discharges from SSH in all outlying areas.

Note: Numbers may not add to total because of rounding.

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 Information Products and Data Analytics.