

Medicare Ratio of SMI Benefit Payments to Premium Income Selected Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year	Benefit Payments			Ratio of Benefit Payments to Premium Income		
	Total	Aged	Disabled	Total	Aged	Disabled
Amount in millions						
1967	\$664	\$664	--	1.0	1.0	--
1970	1,979	1,979	--	2.1	2.1	--
1975	3,765	3,289	\$476	2.0	1.9	3.2
1980	10,144	8,497	1,647	3.5	3.2	5.7
1985	21,808	19,077	2,731	3.9	3.8	5.7
1990	41,498	36,837	4,661	3.7	3.6	4.7
1995	63,491	54,831	8,660	3.3	3.2	4.1
1996	67,176	57,816	9,360	3.5	3.4	4.5
1997	71,133	61,002	10,131	3.7	3.6	4.7
1998	75,815	65,144	10,670	3.9	3.8	4.7
1999	79,187	68,025	11,162	3.9	3.8	4.6
2000	88,918	76,450	12,468	4.3	4.3	4.9
2001	100,569	86,078	14,491	4.5	4.4	5.1
2002	108,163	91,868	16,295	4.4	4.3	5.0
2003	119,524	100,564	18,961	4.5	4.4	5.1
2004	131,357	109,890	21,467	4.3	4.2	4.8
2005	148,410	123,666	24,744	4.1	4.1	4.5
2006	158,021	131,268	26,752	3.8	3.7	4.4
Percent change						
1967-2006	23,698	19,669	--			
1975-2006	4,097	3,891	5,520			
1985-2006	625	588	880			
1995-2006	149	139	209			
2003-2004	10	9	13			
2004-2005	13	13	15			
2005-2006	6	6	8			

NOTE: For more detail on fund transactions, see "Annual Report of the Boards of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance and Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Funds."

SOURCE: CMS/OACT

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