

Table A-2. Part B therapy patient characteristics, by setting, 1999

Characteristic	Total	Setting														
		Hospital <sup>1</sup>						SNF		Rehabilitation agency	CORF	ASC	HHA outpatient	Independent practice	Physician practice	Multiple settings <sup>2</sup>
		Inpatient			Outpatient			Inpatient	Outpatient							
		Acute/ no unit	Acute/ unit	Rehab	Acute/ no unit	Acute/ unit	Rehab									
Patients																
Number <sup>3</sup>	2,992,000	19,120	240	40	942,020	560	68,520	381,360	98,480	352,640	52,540	21,200	4,280	285,460	484,800	280,740
Percent	100.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	31.5%	0.0%	2.3%	12.7%	3.3%	11.8%	1.8%	0.7%	0.1%	9.5%	16.2%	9.4%
Age																
< 65	12.8	10.3	16.7	50.0	17.6	35.7	17.9	4.8	5.3	12.9	14.6	22.6	6.5	9.9	12.0	12.1
65-74	36.7	27.2	8.3	0.0	40.9	35.7	40.4	12.9	14.0	42.8	37.8	45.8	23.8	46.0	40.3	38.1
75-84	34.6	38.5	41.7	50.0	33.0	28.6	33.6	36.5	37.6	33.1	35.2	26.8	41.6	35.3	36.2	35.2
85+	15.9	24.1	33.3	0.0	8.5	0.0	8.1	45.8	43.1	11.2	12.3	4.8	28.0	8.8	11.4	14.6
Sex																
Male	34.1	34.3	16.7	50.0	36.5	21.4	37.4	26.2	26.4	34.6	33.3	37.7	29.4	35.2	36.2	33.4
Female	65.9	65.7	83.3	50.0	63.5	78.6	62.6	73.8	73.6	65.4	66.7	62.3	70.6	64.8	63.8	66.6
Race																
White	87.2	56.2	58.3	50.0	88.3	46.4	84.9	87.2	90.8	90.4	81.7	87.6	93.0	92.3	81.1	87.0
Black	7.6	18.4	16.7	0.0	7.9	50.0	10.1	9.4	5.7	6.5	9.0	8.2	6.5	3.5	8.7	6.8
Other	5.3	25.4	25.0	50.0	3.9	3.6	5.0	3.3	3.5	3.2	9.3	4.2	0.5	4.3	10.3	6.3
Insurance																
Medicare	75.9	30.5	16.7	0.0	81.8	67.9	83.4	48.5	60.2	85.5	73.8	81.8	74.8	89.8	75.2	74.9
Medicare/Medicaid	24.1	69.5	83.3	100.0	18.2	32.1	16.6	51.5	39.8	14.5	26.2	18.2	25.2	10.2	24.8	25.1
Condition																
Musculoskeletal/ soft tissue	32.3%	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%	26.9%	35.7%	28.5%	18.5%	23.5%	42.1%	36.0%	52.6%	32.7%	44.7%	40.0%	34.1%
Back disorder	19.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	17.0	25.0	17.3	2.7	5.5	28.2	22.5	2.1	11.2	35.8	23.3	18.9
Neurologic	15.4	9.6	0.0	0.0	11.4	14.3	12.6	33.9	30.0	11.2	19.1	3.7	21.5	5.8	14.8	16.0
Unspecified rehabilitation	8.9	0.8	83.3	0.0	24.7	0.0	12.3	0.6	0.8	0.7	3.5	0.8	0.0	0.2	0.2	5.5
Ortho-surgical	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	4.8	3.6	3.7	2.2	3.1	7.5	5.9	21.8	5.1	8.1	3.4	5.9
Stroke	4.3	8.6	8.3	0.0	4.0	17.9	10.2	9.8	8.2	3.3	5.4	0.0	11.2	1.6	1.1	4.7
Cardiovascular	2.7	22.7	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	2.2	7.3	5.8	0.8	1.5	0.3	2.8	0.2	3.1	2.3
Hip fracture	1.4	4.7	0.0	50.0	0.6	0.0	2.5	4.3	4.3	1.3	1.1	0.3	4.2	0.7	0.2	1.6
Amputation/	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	1.9	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4
Spinal cord	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.9	0.3	0.1	0.4
All other diagnoses	10.2	43.5	8.3	50.0	8.2	3.6	6.9	20.0	18.1	4.2	4.0	17.4	9.8	2.3	13.6	10.1

<sup>1</sup> Acute/no unit is an acute hospital without a distinct-part inpatient rehabilitation unit; acute/unit is an acute hospital with a distinct-part inpatient rehabilitation unit; rehab is a freestanding rehabilitation hospital.

<sup>2</sup> Multiple settings refer to patients using two or more settings for Part B therapy.

<sup>3</sup> Number of patients is a national estimate (the 5 percent sample data are multiplied by 20).

Note: SNF is skilled nursing facility. CORF is comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation facility. ASC is ambulatory surgical center. HHA is home health agency.

Source: Urban Institute analysis of 5 percent annual samples of Medicare claims, 1999.