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<u>Section 2231, Regional Medicare Swing-Bed-Rates</u>, adds Table 20 to update the Medicare Payment Rates for routine SNF-type services by swing-bed hospitals during calendar year 2009. These rates should be used to carve out swing-bed costs on the hospital cost report.

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TABLE 19

Medicare Swing-Bed SNF Rates - For Services Furnished During CALENDAR Year 2008

Region	Routine Payment
1	206.90
2	192.09
3	177.96
4	174.94
5	155.16
6	165.22
7	151.78
8	181.19
9	196.55

TABLE 20

<u>Medicare Swing-Bed SNF Rates – For Services Furnished During CALENDAR Year 2009</u>

<u>Region</u>	Routine Payment
1	213.49
2	198.21
3	183.63
4	180.51
5	160.10
6	170.48
7	156.61
8	186.96
9	202.81