

Number of discharges from short-stay hospitals and of days of care, with average length of stay, and *standard error*, by principal expected source of payment, sex, age, and geographic region: United States, 2009

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Region, sex, and age	All principal expected sources of payment \1	Medicare	Medicaid	Worker's compensation and other government payments	HMO or PPO \2	Blue Cross Blue Shield and other private insurance	Self-pay	Other payments and no charge	
United States		Number of discharges in thousands							
All	36,120	14,788	6,226	761	5,077	5,963	1,765	416	
Male	14,721	6,495	1,987	420	1,851	2,355	959	187	
Female	21,398	8,293	4,239	341	3,226	3,608	806	229	
Under 15 years	2,018	*	*	*	282	411	43	*	
15-44 years	10,480	632	3,487	298	2,138	2,405	924	184	
45-64 years	9,686	2,130	1,452	314	1,996	2,557	740	154	
65 years and over	13,935	12,017	270	89	661	591	58	53	
Northeast									
All	8,085	3,466	1,272	94	1,248	1,346	258	65	
Male	3,487	1,563	530	61	493	547	135	31	
Female	4,597	1,902	742	33	755	800	123	*	
Under 15 years	350	*	*	*	75	*	*7	*	
15-44 years	2,086	105	658	37	480	517	141	*	
45-64 years	2,168	424	372	43	495	620	98	*	
65 years and over	3,481	2,933	*	*	*	122	11	*	
Midwest									
All	8,004	3,559	1,277	*	*	1,534	363	39	
Male	3,229	1,579	*	*	*	585	213	*	
Female	4,775	1,981	898	*	*	948	151	25	
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	
15-44 years	2,373	165	789	*	*	662	177	18	
45-64 years	2,145	518	286	*	*	635	166	*	
65 years and over	3,143	2,874	25	*	56	150	*9	*	
South									
All	13,273	5,538	2,126	409	1,503	2,100	835	197	
Male	5,236	2,361	554	213	519	826	441	92	
Female	8,037	3,177	1,572	197	984	1,274	394	*	
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	59	*	*	*	
15-44 years	3,845	260	1,266	*	616	839	429	85	
45-64 years	3,649	893	479	168	590	912	367	63	
65 years and over	5,089	4,381	81	*	*	209	26	*	

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West								
All	6,758	2,226	*	*	1,241	*	*	*
Male	2,769	992	*	117	456	*	*	*
Female	3,989	1,234	*	*	*	*	*	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	2,177	102	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-64 years	1,724	295	*	*	449	*	*	*
65 years and over	2,221	1,829	*	*	*	*	*	*
United States								
Number of days of care in thousands								
All	175,767	84,164	28,905	3,588	20,928	23,704	7,107	1,886
Male	77,883	37,751	11,854	2,274	8,388	10,101	4,008	935
Female	97,884	46,413	17,051	1,315	12,540	13,603	3,100	951
Under 15 years	9,158	*	4,896	*	1,277	1,552	123	*
15-44 years	38,682	3,672	13,411	1,312	6,767	7,933	3,344	710
45-64 years	49,051	12,354	8,967	1,511	9,046	11,137	3,321	815
65 years and over	78,876	68,110	1,631	490	3,838	3,082	319	226
Northeast								
All	45,400	22,470	7,166	*	6,171	5,757	1,213	314
Male	21,155	10,401	*	*	*	2,508	637	*
Female	24,245	12,069	3,618	*	3,561	3,249	576	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*25	*
15-44 years	9,274	852	*	145	1,631	1,765	629	*
45-64 years	12,364	3,059	2,090	*	2,657	2,973	526	*
65 years and over	22,369	18,551	*	*	*	*	33	*
Midwest								
All	35,124	18,027	5,428	*	*	5,715	1,224	*
Male	15,321	8,156	*	*	*	2,342	764	*
Female	19,802	9,871	3,357	*	*	3,373	460	87
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	8,090	806	2,785	*	*	2,052	*	*
45-64 years	10,044	2,903	1,667	*	*	2,648	589	*
65 years and over	15,567	14,315	114	*	244	726	*	*

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South								
All	65,301	31,855	9,564	1,935	6,142	8,483	3,584	937
Male	28,476	14,243	3,279	1,154	2,386	3,676	2,012	463
Female	36,825	17,612	6,286	781	3,755	4,808	1,572	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	14,253	1,559	4,419	*	1,992	2,879	1,556	333
45-64 years	18,295	4,979	2,965	769	2,585	3,883	1,845	353
65 years and over	29,044	25,300	452	*	*	1,076	140	*
West								
All	29,942	11,812	*	*	4,713	*	*	*
Male	12,931	4,951	*	524	1,858	*	*	*
Female	17,011	6,861	*	*	2,855	*	*	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	7,065	455	*	*	1,568	*	*	*
45-64 years	8,348	1,413	*	*	1,930	*	*	*
65 years and over	11,897	9,944	*	*	*	*	*	*
United States								
Average length of stay in days								
All	4.9	5.7	4.6	4.7	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.5
Male	5.3	5.8	6.0	5.4	4.5	4.3	4.2	5.0
Female	4.6	5.6	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.2
Under 15 years	4.5	*	4.8	4.6	4.5	3.8	2.9	5.3
15-44 years	3.7	5.8	3.8	4.4	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.9
45-64 years	5.1	5.8	6.2	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.5	5.3
65 years and over	5.7	5.7	6.0	5.5	5.8	5.2	5.5	4.3
Northeast								
All	5.6	6.5	5.6	6.5	4.9	4.3	4.7	4.9
Male	6.1	6.7	6.7	7.1	5.3	4.6	4.7	5.3
Female	5.3	6.3	4.9	*	4.7	4.1	4.7	4.4
Under 15 years	4.0	*	4.5	*	4.3	2.9	*3.4	*
15-44 years	4.4	8.1	5.6	4.0	3.4	3.4	4.5	5.3
45-64 years	5.7	7.2	5.6	*	5.4	4.8	5.3	4.7
65 years and over	6.4	6.3	7.1	*	7.8	6.3	2.9	*3.4

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Midwest								
All	4.4	5.1	4.3	4.6	3.6	3.7	3.4	3.7
Male	4.7	5.2	5.5	5.4	4.0	4.0	3.6	4.1
Female	4.1	5.0	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.1	3.4
Under 15 years	4.1	*	4.9	*	3.5	3.3	*2.7	*
15-44 years	3.4	4.9	3.5	5.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.0
45-64 years	4.7	5.6	5.8	4.2	4.1	4.2	3.5	3.9
65 years and over	5.0	5.0	4.6	*	4.4	4.9	*3.6	4.6
South								
All	4.9	5.8	4.5	4.7	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.7
Male	5.4	6.0	5.9	5.4	4.6	4.5	4.6	5.1
Female	4.6	5.5	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.5
Under 15 years	5.4	*	5.8	4.9	5.8	4.6	*3.2	*5.7
15-44 years	3.7	6.0	3.5	4.7	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.9
45-64 years	5.0	5.6	6.2	4.6	4.4	4.3	5.0	5.6
65 years and over	5.7	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.1	5.2	5.5	4.7
West								
All	4.4	5.3	4.4	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.5	4.3
Male	4.7	5.0	5.6	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.5	4.9
Female	4.3	5.6	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.8
Under 15 years	4.1	*	4.2	4.1	4.6	3.7	*2.3	*
15-44 years	3.2	4.5	3.3	4.0	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.3
45-64 years	4.8	4.8	7.1	4.0	4.3	4.2	3.3	*5.5
65 years and over	5.4	5.4	5.0	*3.3	4.8	4.7	*	*
United States								
<i>Standard error of discharges in thousands</i>								
All	3,772	1,564	958	135	656	699	225	79
Male	1,540	688	323	69	236	285	126	34
Female	2,247	883	652	69	427	420	105	46
Under 15 years	479	*	*	*	60	92	9	*
15-44 years	1,133	77	495	62	287	287	125	35
45-64 years	993	245	175	58	242	294	96	31
65 years and over	1,440	1,262	45	21	163	80	8	15

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<i>Northeast</i>								
All	1,567	721	324	24	285	259	39	19
Male	691	332	145	17	116	109	24	8
Female	885	391	189	9	172	156	18	*
Under 15 years	93	*	*	*	21	*	*2	*
15-44 years	394	24	182	9	103	99	27	*
45-64 years	430	100	98	11	114	129	14	*
65 years and over	725	600	*	*	*	31	2	*
<i>Midwest</i>								
All	1,780	788	315	*	*	377	91	11
Male	756	352	*	*	*	153	55	*
Female	1,028	438	207	*	*	226	37	7
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	531	43	179	*	*	165	48	5
45-64 years	479	127	69	*	*	153	41	*
65 years and over	676	627	5	*	15	35	*2	*
<i>South</i>								
All	2,315	1,018	387	112	305	368	160	56
Male	918	437	105	57	103	149	85	24
Female	1,404	585	294	57	206	224	80	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	16	*	*	*
15-44 years	663	51	240	*	133	146	87	23
45-64 years	653	165	82	50	125	163	73	17
65 years and over	916	817	19	*	*	45	5	*
<i>West</i>								
All	1,737	480	*	*	368	*	*	*
Male	665	203	*	32	116	*	*	*
Female	1,077	282	*	*	*	*	*	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	628	29	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-64 years	354	74	*	*	102	*	*	*
65 years and over	466	385	*	*	*	*	*	*

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<i>United States</i>		<i>Standard error of days of care in thousands</i>						
All	18,502	9,079	4,160	626	2,856	2,830	926	377
Male	8,285	4,079	1,910	393	1,203	1,228	556	186
Female	10,313	5,088	2,401	271	1,691	1,633	416	203
Under 15 years	2,172	*	1,398	*	298	416	26	*
15-44 years	4,165	484	1,866	279	912	959	462	130
45-64 years	5,212	1,514	1,292	287	1,173	1,319	455	199
65 years and over	8,560	7,265	318	136	1,082	485	86	64
<i>Northeast</i>								
All	9,945	5,257	2,033	*	1,849	1,223	214	91
Male	4,738	2,431	*	*	*	561	146	*
Female	5,276	2,871	921	*	1,024	685	138	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*6	*
15-44 years	1,934	217	*	43	363	370	151	*
45-64 years	2,686	827	569	*	756	645	111	*
65 years and over	5,564	4,308	*	*	*	*	6	*
<i>Midwest</i>								
All	8,148	3,982	1,532	*	*	1,490	328	*
Male	3,723	1,822	*	*	*	617	210	*
Female	4,443	2,176	847	*	*	880	121	25
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	2,035	219	702	*	*	563	*	*
45-64 years	2,374	763	460	*	*	646	146	*
65 years and over	3,298	3,044	27	*	71	190	*	*
<i>South</i>								
All	11,255	5,676	1,808	494	1,185	1,520	706	272
Male	4,880	2,515	658	299	429	696	423	127
Female	6,410	3,189	1,222	220	781	840	314	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	2,466	349	810	*	430	502	314	87
45-64 years	3,291	943	536	223	529	704	393	102
65 years and over	4,996	4,520	125	*	*	252	40	*

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<i>West</i>								
All	6,727	2,385	*	*	1,280	*	*	*
Male	2,759	957	*	157	484	*	*	*
Female	4,001	1,549	*	*	813	*	*	*
Under 15 years	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
15-44 years	1,794	125	*	*	440	*	*	*
45-64 years	1,751	332	*	*	447	*	*	*
65 years and over	2,358	1,970	*	*	*	*	*	*
<i>United States</i>								
<i>Standard error of average length of stay in days</i>								
All	0.13	0.15	0.25	0.32	0.19	0.11	0.14	0.28
Male	0.15	0.15	0.41	0.46	0.24	0.14	0.18	0.43
Female	0.13	0.17	0.17	0.27	0.18	0.11	0.17	0.24
Under 15 years	0.35	*	0.49	0.64	0.59	0.35	0.29	0.77
15-44 years	0.12	0.30	0.26	0.37	0.08	0.10	0.16	0.34
45-64 years	0.14	0.21	0.38	0.44	0.21	0.13	0.22	0.54
65 years and over	0.17	0.16	0.44	0.87	0.56	0.32	1.03	0.36
<i>Northeast</i>								
All	0.38	0.41	0.52	1.58	0.60	0.29	0.47	0.73
Male	0.41	0.39	0.72	1.75	0.70	0.28	0.52	1.14
Female	0.38	0.46	0.37	*	0.56	0.32	0.83	0.60
Under 15 years	0.36	*	0.39	*	0.84	0.28	*0.82	*
15-44 years	0.42	1.24	0.81	0.47	0.11	0.22	0.71	1.39
45-64 years	0.39	0.47	0.44	*	0.61	0.28	0.66	0.56
65 years and over	0.50	0.43	0.70	*	0.98	1.11	0.55	*0.63
<i>Midwest</i>								
All	0.13	0.14	0.28	0.65	0.13	0.15	0.14	0.32
Male	0.15	0.15	0.35	0.83	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.44
Female	0.12	0.15	0.22	0.46	0.11	0.16	0.14	0.33
Under 15 years	0.35	*	0.40	*	0.44	0.33	*0.50	*
15-44 years	0.16	0.27	0.22	1.17	0.17	0.14	0.16	0.45
45-64 years	0.16	0.25	0.32	0.41	0.14	0.19	0.21	0.57
65 years and over	0.14	0.14	0.43	*	0.34	0.48	*0.59	0.56

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All	0.13	0.15	0.26	0.37	0.16	0.18	0.23	0.37
Male	0.15	0.18	0.32	0.60	0.21	0.19	0.30	0.58
Female	0.13	0.16	0.24	0.37	0.18	0.18	0.20	0.38
Under 15 years	0.51	*	0.74	0.83	1.70	0.64	*0.60	*0.77
15-44 years	0.13	0.37	0.14	0.64	0.14	0.16	0.24	0.52
45-64 years	0.17	0.30	0.31	0.27	0.18	0.22	0.26	0.70
65 years and over	0.12	0.13	0.69	0.81	0.26	0.28	1.13	0.56
<i>West</i>								
All	0.32	0.42	0.68	0.33	0.17	0.24	0.12	0.68
Male	0.30	0.29	1.17	0.59	0.27	0.42	0.13	0.95
Female	0.34	0.64	0.38	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.49
Under 15 years	0.67	*	0.67	0.79	1.34	0.58	*0.27	*
15-44 years	0.20	0.51	0.48	0.49	0.14	0.31	0.21	0.32
45-64 years	0.39	0.27	1.49	0.62	0.40	0.35	0.36	*1.23
65 years and over	0.42	0.48	0.90	*0.55	0.41	0.52	*	*

\* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

\1 Includes discharges for which no expected source of payment was provided.

\2 HMO is health maintenance organization, and PPO is preferred provider organization.