

Home Health – Navigating the Road to Success

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Objectives

- Home Health Medicare Cost Reporting – why is it important?
- Proposed Medicare Rule for HH for 2018
- HHRG Management
- HHGM Proposed Model
- Value of PEPPER Reports



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“Success is the result of perfection, hard work, learning from failure, loyalty, and persistence.”

- Colin Powell

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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Compliance
- MedPAC
- Useful Management Information
- Common Cost Report Problems
- Provider Based Hospice Cost Report Issues
- Electronic Cost Report Signature



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Compliance
 - The Medicare Cost Report is considered a claim by CMS subject to False Claims Act
 - Reimbursement rules are the same
 - Payment methods are not the same



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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

- MedPAC
 - Issues reports to Congress on access to care, utilization of services and profit margins
 - MedPAC believes that home health is making too much profit
 - Medicare profit margin in CY 2015 was 15.6% for freestanding agencies
 - Projected Medicare margins for CY 2017 is 13.7%
 - Agencies have reduced episode cost by reducing the number of visits



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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

MedPAC Recommendation – March 2017

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N

- 9** The Congress should reduce home health payment rates by 5 percent in 2018 and implement a two-year rebasing of the payment system beginning in 2019. The Congress should direct the Secretary to revise the prospective payment system to eliminate the use of the number of therapy visits as a factor in payment determinations, concurrent with rebasing.

COMMISSIONER VOTES: YES 17 • NO 0 • NOT VOTING 0 • ABSENT 0



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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

**TABLE
9-1**

Changes in supply and utilization of home health care, 1997-2015

	1997	2000	2014	2015	Percent change		
					1997-2000	2000-2014	2014-2015
Agencies	10,917	7,528	12,461	12,346	-31%	66%	-1%
Total spending (in billions)	\$17.7	\$8.5	\$17.7	\$18.1	-52	108	2
Users (in millions)	3.6	2.5	3.4	3.5	-31	37	1
Number of visits (in millions)	258.2	90.6	115.1	115.1	-65	27	<0.1
Visit type (percent of total)							
Skilled nursing	41%	49%	52%	52%	20	5	-2
Home health aide	48	31	12	10	-37	-62	-10
Therapy	10	19	36	37	101	85	5
Medical social services	1	1	1	1	1	-32	<0.1
Number of visits per user	73	37	34	33	-49	-9	-1
Percent of FFS beneficiaries who used home health services	10.5%	7.4%	9.1%	9.1%	-30	23	1

Note: FFS (fee-for-service). Medicare did not pay on a per episode basis before October 2000. Yearly figures presented in the table are rounded, but figures in the percent change columns were calculated using unrounded data.

Source: Home health standard analytical file 2015; Health Care Financing Review, Medicare and Medicaid Statistical Supplement 2002.

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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

**TABLE
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Medicare visits per episode before and after implementation of PPS

Type of visit	Visits per episode				Percent change in:		
	1998	2001	2014	2015	1998-2001	2001-2014	2014-2015
Skilled nursing	14.1	10.5	9.8	9.6	-25%	-7%	-1.9%
Therapy (physical, occupational, and speech-language pathology)	3.8	5.2	6.5	7.1	39	29	5.3
Home health aide	13.4	5.5	2.2	2.0	-59	-60	-9.0
Medical social services	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	-36	-32	-27.9
Total	31.6	21.4	18.8	18.8	-32	-12	-0.2

Note: PPS (prospective payment system). The PPS was implemented in October 2000. Data exclude low-utilization episodes. Yearly figures presented in the table are rounded, but figures in the percent change columns were calculated using unrounded data.

Source: Home health standard analytic file.

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**TABLE
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Number of participating home health agencies increased significantly from 2004 to 2014, but declined slightly in 2015

	2004	2008	2012	2014	2015	Percent change	
						2004-2014	2014-2015
Active agencies	7,651	9,787	12,311	12,461	12,346	63%	-0.9%
Number of agencies per 10,000 FFS beneficiaries	2.1	2.8	3.3	3.3	3.3	57	-0.7

Note: FFS (fee-for-service). "Active agencies" includes all agencies operating during a year, including agencies that closed or opened.

Source: CMS's Provider of Service file and 2016 annual report of the Boards of Trustees of the Medicare trust funds.



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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

**TABLE
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Fee-for-service home health care services have increased significantly since 2002

	2002	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Percent change	
								2002-2014	2014-2015
Home health users (in millions)	2.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	37.3%	0.9%
Share of beneficiaries using home health care	7.2%	9.4%	9.4%	9.2%	9.2%	9.1%	9.1%	25.8	1.1
Episodes (in millions):	4.1	6.8	6.9	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.6	60.2	0.3
Per home health user	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	17.7	-0.6
Per FFS beneficiary	0.12	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.17	48.1	0.4
Payments (in billions)	\$9.6	\$18.4	\$18.4	\$18.0	\$17.9	\$17.7	\$18.1	84.4	2.3
Per home health user	3,803	5,679	5,347	5,247	5,156	5,156	5,225	35.6	1.3
Per home health episode	2,645	3,084	2,916	2,900	2,896	2,908	2,965	12.1	1.9
Per FFS beneficiary	274	540	504	484	476	468	478	70.5	2.4

Note: FFS (fee-for-service). Percent change is calculated on numbers that have not been rounded; payment per episode excludes low-utilization payment adjustment cases.

Source: MedPAC analysis of home health standard analytical file.



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Medicare Cost Reporting - MedPAC

**TABLE
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Medicare margins for freestanding home health agencies, 2014 and 2015

	Medicare margin		Percent of agencies, 2015	Percent of episodes, 2015
	2014	2015		
All	10.8%	15.6%	100%	100%
Geography				
Majority urban	11.2	16.0	83	83
Majority rural	8.5	13.2	17	17
Type of ownership				
For profit	12.2	16.7	78	78
Nonprofit	6.4	12.1	22	22
Volume quintile				
First (smallest)	4.0	7.4	20	3
Second	5.4	9.6	20	6
Third	7.6	12.4	20	11
Fourth	10.0	13.8	20	19
Fifth (largest)	12.5	17.6	20	61

Note: Agencies were classified as majority urban if they provided more than 50 percent of episodes to beneficiaries in urban counties and were classified as majority rural if they provided more than 50 percent of episodes to beneficiaries in rural counties.

Source: MedPAC analysis of home health cost report files from CMS.

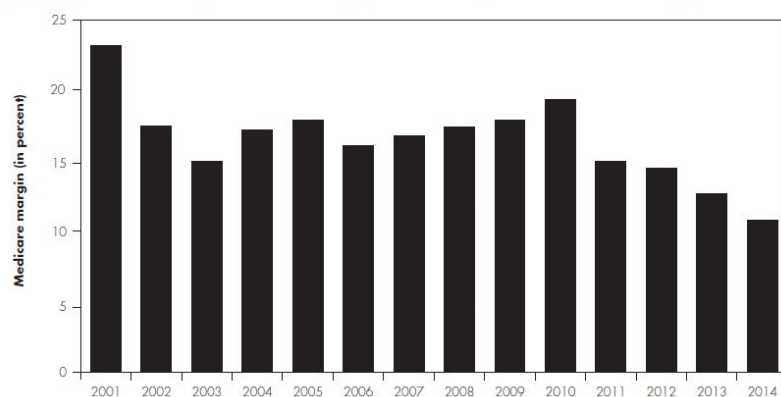


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**FIGURE
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Medicare margins of freestanding home health agencies have remained high since 2001



Source: Medicare cost reports.



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Useful Management Information
 - Direct and indirect cost per visit
 - Management cost in relation total
 - Visit utilization
 - Reimbursement, cost, and margin per episode
 - Caution: Only Medicare allowable cost
 - Benchmark to industry



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Common Cost Report Problems
 - Inaccurate visit statistics – 2 separate Medicare counts
 - Visits reported as time units rather than visits
 - “Like kind” and “non like kind” costs and visits not separately reported (PM 97-11.60, August, 1997)
 - Costs and utilization statistics not properly matched in the same cost center
 - Improper accounting method – accrual vs cash basis
 - Improper classification of “direct” and “indirect” costs



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Common Cost Report Problems (con't)
 - Costs not properly segregated on the trial balance and not in the right cost centers
 - Improper reporting of costs and charges for non-routine medical supplies
 - Improper reporting of costs and charges for flu vaccines
 - Adjustments made to the financial statements after the cost report filed – tax return extended



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Common Cost Report Problems (con't)
 - Failure to identify all related transactions. Not applying the section 1010 exception when applicable.
 - Failure to charge all direct and indirect costs to home health on overhead stepdown for hospital-based agencies
 - Allocation of overhead costs from Hospital to home health that do not relate to HHA



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Provider Based Hospice Cost Report Issues – “O” Series
 - Worksheet A – direct cost – combine overhead with HHA
 - Worksheet B and B-1
 - Worksheet O, O-1, O-2, O-3, and O-4 – all flow to WS O
 - Cost must be reported by level of care – Actual cost?
 - Continuous Home Care (O-1)
 - Routine Home Care (O-2)
 - Inpatient Respite Care (O-3)
 - General Inpatient Care (O-4)



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Provider Based Hospice Cost Report Issues – “O” Series
 - Worksheet O-5 – HHA overhead cost allocation to Hospice – flows to WS O-6
 - Worksheet O-6 – Hospice overhead cost allocation
 - Part II stats must agree to WS B-1 – many new Hospice overhead cost centers
 - Worksheet O-8 – cost per day by level of care
 - Be careful with Continuous Home Care
 - Compare to payment rates



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Provider Based Hospice Cost Report Issues – “O” Series
 - Worksheet O-8 – cost per day by level of care
 - Be careful with Continuous Home Care
 - Compare to payment rates
 - Miscellaneous Issues
 - Costing by level of care is not accurate on actual basis
 - Many new cost centers (similar to hospital cost report)
 - Changes may be coming – NAHC meeting with CMS



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Medicare Cost Reporting - Hospice

	Median Cost	Weighted Mean Cost	FY2015 Rate
RHC	\$125	\$123	\$159.34
CHC hourly	\$51	\$49	\$38.75
GIP	\$879	\$792	\$708.77
IRC	\$343	\$467	\$164.81



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Medicare Cost Reporting

- Electronic Cost Report Signature
 - IPPS Final Rule (August 2, 2017)
 - Effective for cost reporting periods ending on / after 12/31/2017
 - Original ink signature no longer required
 - Signed by Administrator or CFO (42 CFR vs CR forms)
 - Still a lot of detail to be worked out
 - HFS will be heavily involved in the process



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Proposed Rule published in the July 28, 2017 Federal Register
- Rule CMS-1672-P
- <https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-07-28/pdf/2017-15825.pdf>
- Comments are due to CMS by September 25, 2017 at 5:00 pm.
- Effective episodes ending on / after 1/1/2018
 - Also visits on / after 1/1/2018 (LUPA)



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Major Components
 - Case mix weights were recalibrated – annually
 - All payment rates – annual update
 - Rebasing adjustment ended at 12/31/2017 (4 years)
 - Rural add on – ends December 31, 2017 –
 - pending legislation to extend
 - Wage index update



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Major Components (con't)
 - Labor / Non labor stays the same
 - Labor 78.535% / Non Labor 21.465%
 - Outlier Payment Formula – 2017 change to time units
 - HHGM proposed model for 2019
 - Other Issues



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

Medicare Profit Margin - CY 2015

National, Standard Episode Payment	\$	2,961.38
Estimated Cost per Episode	\$	2,449.01
Medicare Profit Margin	\$	<u>512.37</u>



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Estimated Cost per Episode – CY 2015

TABLE 2: 2015 Estimated Cost per Episode

Discipline	2015 Average costs per visit	2015 Average number of visits	2015 60-day episode costs
Skilled Nursing	\$132.48	8.93	\$1,183.05
Physical Therapy	\$156.32	5.39	\$842.56
Occupational Therapy	\$154.64	1.41	\$218.04
Speech Pathology	\$170.96	0.29	\$49.58
Medical Social Services	\$220.07	0.14	\$30.81
Home Health Aides	\$62.80	1.99	\$124.97
Total		18.15	\$2,449.01

Source: Medicare cost reports pulled in February 2017 and Medicare claims data from 2014 and 2015 for episodes (excluding low-utilization payment adjusted episodes and partial-episode-payment adjusted episodes), linked to OASIS assessments for episodes ending in CY 2015.



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Impact of Payment Update
 - Payment update percentage +\$190 m
 - Rural Add-On - \$100 m
 - Case Mix changes - \$170 m
 - Net Impact - \$ 80 m
- HHGM 2019 – reductions
 - Non budget neutral -\$950 m
 - partial budget neutral -\$480 m



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Impact by Location and Agency Type – Table 54
 - CMS estimates
 - Overall -0.4%
 - Urban -0.1%
 - Rural -2.4%
 - Proprietary -0.3%
 - NFP -0.1%
 - Government -1.3%
 - Freestanding -0.3%
 - Provider Based -0.4%



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Impact by Agency Size (con't)

– <100 Episodes	0.0%
– 100 to 249	-0.1%
– 250 to 499	-0.1%
– 500 to 999	-0.3%
– 1,000 or more	-0.5%



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Rebasing adjustment at \$80.95 per episode – ends in 2017
- Recalibration of case mix weights - annual
- Based on CY 2016 claims as of 3/31/2017
- Case-Mix Adjustment Variables and Scores (Table 5)
- Clinical and Functional Thresholds (Table 6)



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TABLE 6—CY 2018 CLINICAL AND FUNCTIONAL THRESHOLDS

		1st and 2nd episodes		3rd+ episodes		All Episodes
		0 to 13 therapy visits	14 to 19 therapy visits	0 to 13 therapy visits	14 to 19 therapy visits	20+ therapy visits
Grouping Step		1	2	3	4	5
Equations used to calculate points (see Table B1)		1	2	3	4	(2&4)
Dimension	Severity Level					
Clinical	C1	0 to 1	0 to 1	0 to 1	0 to 1	0 to 3
	C2	2 to 3	2 to 7	2	2 to 9	4 to 16
	C3	4+	8+	3+	10+	17+
Functional	F1	0 to 13	0 to 7	0 to 6	0 to 2	0 to 2
	F2	14	8 to 15	7 to 10	3 to 7	3 to 6
	F3	15+	16+	11+	8+	7+



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- No changes to the “S “ score for therapy utilization
- Case-mix budget neutrality factor of 1.0159
- Case Mix Payment Weights (Table 8)
 - Comparison of case mix weights – Attachment 1
- Largest decrease was 4.43% for 5AHK
 - All episodes 20+ therapy visits
- Only 5 HHRG's increased



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Wage Index
 - Continue to use the hospital pre-floor / pre-reclassified wage data
 - IPPS Hospital FY 2014 data
 - CR periods beg on / after 10/1/2013 and before 10/1/2014
 - Some Urban areas are less than Rural
 - Excludes CAH Hospitals

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Wage Index changes
 - Largest decrease - Urban
 - New Bern, NC (CBSA 35100) 0.5988 (29.87%)
 - Largest increase - Urban
 - Cumberland, MD-WV (CBSA 19060) 0.8408 (13.36%)
 - Largest decrease - Rural
 - Nevada (CBSA 99929) 0.7904 (11.97%)
 - Largest increase - Rural
 - New Hampshire (CBSA 99930) 1.0652 (4.31%)

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- No HHA specific wage index
- Wage Index Reform possible in the future - BLS
- Link to wage index values
 - <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/HomeHealthPPS/Home-Health-Prospective-Payment-System-Regulations-and-Notices-Items/CMS-1672-P.html>
- Comparison of Wage Index Values by CBSA – Attachment 2
- Comparison of PPS Payment Rates by Payment Group – Attachment 3

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- National Standard Rate – Urban

<u>Full Update</u>		
– 2016	\$2,965.12	
– 2017	\$2,989.97	
– 2018	\$3,038.43	proposed
 <u>No Quality Reporting</u>		
– 2016	\$2,906.92	
– 2017	\$2,931.63	
– 2018	\$2,978.26	proposed

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

TABLE 9—PROPOSED CY 2018 60-DAY NATIONAL, STANDARDIZED 60-DAY EPISODE PAYMENT AMOUNT

CY 2017 national, standardized 60-day episode payment	Wage index budget neutrality factor	Case-mix weights budget neutrality factor	Nominal case-mix growth adjustment (1–0.0097)	Proposed CY 2018 HH payment update	Proposed CY 2018 national, standardized 60-day episode payment
\$2,989.97	× 1.0001	× 1.0159	× 0.9903	× 1.01	\$3,038.43



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- LUPA Rates – Urban

<u>Service</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
SNC	\$141.84	\$143.33
PT	\$155.05	\$156.68
OT	\$156.11	\$157.75
ST	\$168.52	\$170.29
MSS	\$227.36	\$229.75
HHA	\$ 64.23	\$ 64.90



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TABLE 11—PROPOSED CY 2018 NATIONAL PER-VISIT PAYMENT AMOUNTS FOR HHAS THAT DO SUBMIT THE REQUIRED QUALITY DATA

HH discipline type	CY 2017 per-visit payment	Wage index budget neutrality factor	Proposed CY 2018 HH payment update	Proposed CY 2018 per-visit payment
Home Health Aide	\$64.23	× 1.0005	× 1.01	\$64.90
Medical Social Services	227.36	× 1.0005	× 1.01	229.75
Occupational Therapy	156.11	× 1.0005	× 1.01	157.75
Physical Therapy	155.05	× 1.0005	× 1.01	156.68
Skilled Nursing	141.84	× 1.0005	× 1.01	143.33
Speech- Language Pathology	168.52	× 1.0005	× 1.01	170.29



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- LUPA Rates
 - Add-on replaced by intensity factor on SNC, PT, ST visit (started in 2014)
 - Applied to first visit in first episode
 - Based on increase in minutes



	<u>Non First Visit</u>	<u>Excess</u>	<u>Factor</u>
• SNC	44.10	37.27	1.8451
• PT	47.30	31.69	1.6700
• ST	50.37	31.56	1.6266

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- LUPA Rates – Urban (Add-On)

	<u>LUPA Amt</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>First Visit</u>
– SNC	\$143.33	1.8451	\$264.46
– PT	\$156.68	1.6700	\$261.66
– ST	\$170.29	1.6266	\$276.99



- Must be wage index adjusted

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Non Routine Supply Rates - Urban

<u>Level</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
S,1	\$ 14.16	\$ 14.31
T,2	\$ 51.15	\$ 51.66
U,3	\$140.24	\$141.65
V,4	\$208.35	\$210.45
W,5	\$321.29	\$324.53
X,6	\$552.58	\$558.16
conversion factor	\$ 52.50	\$ 53.03



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**TABLE 14: Proposed CY 2018 NRS Payment Amounts
for HHAs that DO Submit the Required Quality Data**

Severity Level	Points (Scoring)	Relative Weight	Proposed CY 2017 NRS Payment Amounts
1	0	0.2698	\$ 14.31
2	1 to 14	0.9742	\$ 51.66
3	15 to 27	2.6712	\$ 141.65
4	28 to 48	3.9686	\$ 210.45
5	49 to 98	6.1198	\$ 324.53
6	99+	10.5254	\$ 558.16



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Rural Add-On
 - Currently in effect until January 1, 2018
 - Pending legislation to extend for 5 years (Fall 2017)
 - Applies to episodes, LUPA's and non routine medical supply add on



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- National Standard Rate – Rural

Full Update

– 2016	\$3,054.07	
– 2017	\$3,079.67	
– 2018	\$3,038.43	same as Urban



No Quality Reporting

– 2016	\$2,994.13	
– 2017	\$3,019.58	
– 2018	\$2,978.26	same as Urban

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- LUPA Rates – Rural

<u>Service</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
SNC	\$146.10	\$143.33
PT	\$159.70	\$156.68
OT	\$160.79	\$157.75
ST	\$173.58	\$170.29
MSS	\$234.18	\$229.75
HHA	\$ 66.16	\$ 64.90

*Same as Urban



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- LUPA Rates – Rural

	<u>LUPA Amt</u>	<u>Factor</u>	<u>First Visit</u>
– SNC	\$143.33	1.8451	\$264.46
– PT	\$156.68	1.6700	\$261.66
– ST	\$170.29	1.6266	\$276.99
– Must be wage index adjusted			



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Non Routine Supply Rates - Rural

<u>Level</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
S,1	\$ 14.59	\$ 14.31
T,2	\$ 52.68	\$ 51.66
U,3	\$144.46	\$141.65
V,4	\$214.62	\$210.45
W,5	\$330.96	\$324.53
X,6	\$569.21	\$558.16
Conversion Factor	\$ 54.08	\$ 53.03



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*Same as Urban

Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Outlier Issues
 - Payment formula modified – better align cost and payment
 - CMS concerned about a higher number of visits of shorter duration
 - Fixed dollar ratio changed to 0.55
 - Higher ratio reduces the number of episodes that can receive outlier payments but makes it possible for higher loss sharing ratio therefore increases outlier payments



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Outlier Issues (con't)
 - Loss sharing ratio remains at 80%
 - Estimated to be at 2.47% for 2018
 - Change in calculation of wage adjusted imputed cost of the episode
 - Change from visits using the LUPA rates to 15 minute time units (CY 2017)



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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Outlier Issues (con't)
 - Aggregate of all disciplines
 - Limit of 8 hours or 32 units per day
 - Not a limit on care provided but time units
 - In 2015, the total number of outliers exceeding 8 hours per day was 17,505 (8,305 considered outlier under new formula) 

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Medicare PPS CY 2018 – Proposed Rule

- Outlier Issues (con't)

Outlier Payments - cost-unit payment rates for the calculation of outlier payments - 2018

Visit type	Per Visit Pymt Rate	Avg minutes per-visit	Cost per unit
Home Health Aide	\$ 64.90	63.0	\$ 15.45
Medical Social Service	\$ 229.75	56.5	\$ 61.00
Occupational Therapy	\$ 157.75	47.1	\$ 50.24
Physical Therapy	\$ 156.68	46.6	\$ 50.43
Skilled Nursing	\$ 143.33	44.8	\$ 47.99
Speech-language pathology	\$ 170.29	48.1	\$ 53.10



TABLE 20—DEFINITION OF THE 15-MINUTE UNITS

Unit	Time
1	<23 minutes.
2	= 23 minutes to <38 minutes.
3	= 38 minutes to <53 minutes.
4	= 53 minutes to <68 minutes.
5	= 68 minutes to <83 minutes.
6	= 83 minutes to <98 minutes.
7	= 98 minutes to <113 minutes.
8	= 113 minutes to <128 minutes.
9	= 128 minutes to <143 minutes.
10	= 143 minutes to <158 minutes.

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HHRG Management

- What is a HHRG?
 - 60 day episode of care
 - Outlier
 - LUPA
 - PEP
- How to calculate episode payment?



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HHRG Management – Sample Episode Calculation

Example of Medicare PPS Episode Payment Calculation - 2017

CBSA		New Orleans, LA	Rural LA
CBSA Code		35380	99919
Wage Index		0.8201	0.7050
OASIS Scores	Clinical	1	1
	Functional	2	2
	Service	4	4
Episode Timing		Initial (Early)	Initial (Early)
Therapy Visits		10	10
Non Routine Medical Supply Severity Weight		5	5
HIPPS Code		1AGNS	1AGNS
Case Mix Weight		1.0298	1.0298



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HHRG Management – Sample Episode Calculation

Computation of Medicare PPS Episode Payment

1 National Standard Rate	\$	2,989.97	\$	3,079.67
2 Times: Case Mix Weight		1.0298		1.0298
3 Subtotal: Case Mix Adjusted Payment (1x2)	\$	3,079.07	\$	3,171.44
4 Times: Labor Percent		0.78535		0.78535
5 Subtotal: Labor Portion (3x4)	\$	2,418.15	\$	2,490.69
6 Times: Wage Index		0.8201		0.705
7 Subtotal: Adjusted Labor Amount (5x6)	\$	1,983.12	\$	1,755.94



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HHRG Management – Sample Episode Calculation

8 Case Mix Adjusted Payment (line 3)	\$	3,079.07	\$	3,171.44
9 Times: Non Labor Percent		0.21465		0.21465
10 Subtotal: Non Labor Portion (8x9)	\$	660.92	\$	680.75
11 Subtotal: Wage Adjusted Base Payment (7+10)	\$	2,644.05	\$	2,436.69
12 Plus: Non Routine Supply Add-On	\$	14.16	\$	14.59
13 Total: PPS Episode Payment	\$	2,658.21	\$	2,451.28
14 RAP Percent		60%		60%
15 RAP Amount (13x14)	\$	1,594.92	\$	1,470.77



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HHGM Proposal

- What is HHGM?
 - Home Health Grouping Model
 - Access to care for vulnerable patients
 - Elimination of therapy utilization from payment
 - Proposed for CY 2019
 - CMS soliciting comments



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HHGM Proposal

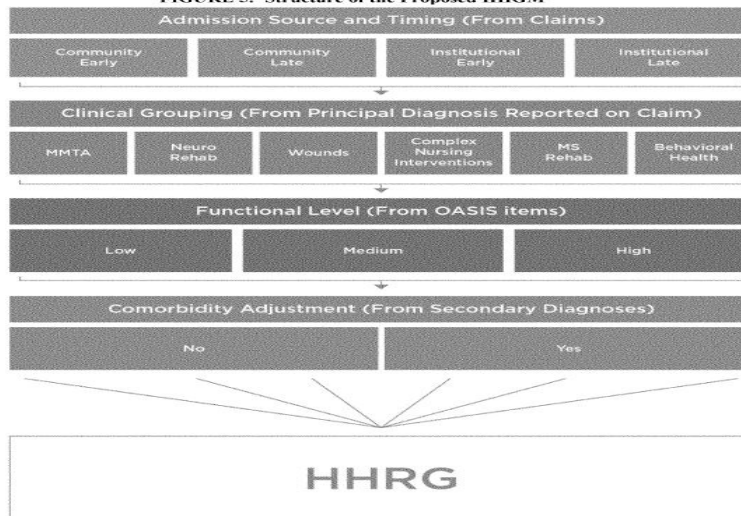
- HHGM
 - 144 payment groups (153 currently)
 - Episode timing – early and late
 - Admission source – community or institutional
 - Clinical groupings – 6
 - Functional level – 2 to 3 groups
 - Comorbidity adjustment – secondary diagnosis based



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HHGM Proposal

FIGURE 5: Structure of the Proposed HHGM



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Under the Home Health Groupings Model, an episode is grouped into one (and only one) subcategory under each larger colored category. An episode's combination of subcategories groups the episode into one of 144 different payment groups.

HHGM Proposal

- Therapy utilization eliminated
- Cost per minute + NRS approach to resource use
- 30 day payment periods within 60 day OASIS periods
- Admission source (Hospital or PAC 14 days prior to early episode)

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HHGM Proposal

- Episode periods
 - 2 - 30 day pymt periods with 60 day OASIS
 - First 30 days are early, all others late
 - Early period renews after 60 days of no service
 - 73% of episodes completed within one 60 day episode
 - 86% of episodes completed within two 60 day episodes
 - Visits are front loaded



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HHGM Proposal

- Admission Source
 - Community vs Institutional
 - Institutional – Hospital or PAC 14 days prior to early episode
 - Includes patients with acute hospital stay during the previous 30 day period and within 14 days to subsequent, contiguous period
 - PAC stays mid-period do not change admission source



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HHGM Proposal

- Outlier Formula
 - FDL ratio and 80% loss sharing - same
- RAP's
 - 60% RAP on initial 30 day period
 - 40% RAP on next 30 day period
 - 50% for initial subsequent periods
 - Requesting comments on dropping RAP's



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HHGM Proposal

- LUPA
 - Applies to each 30 day period
 - LUPA threshold at 10th percentile value of visits
 - Specific to patient grouping
 - At least 2 visits for each group
- PEP
 - Same as current process



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HHGM Proposal

- Payment Rates
 - Non-budget neutral vs. partial budget neutral
 - Cost per minute + NRS amount
 - Restarting / rebasing of rates using FY 2001 plus inflation
 - National, standardized 60 day episode payment amount + NRS divided by 2



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HHGM Proposal

- Effects of HHGM
 - HHA's providing high amount of therapy - \$ decreases
 - Non-budget neutral **−4.3% decrease**
 - Proprietary -5.7%
 - Vol/NP -1.0%
 - Freestanding -4.7%
 - Facility-based 0.0%
 - Partial budget neutral **−2.2%**
 - Proprietary -3.6%
 - Vol/NP +1.2%
 - Freestanding -2.6%
 - Facility-based +2.2%



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HHGM Proposal

- NEXT STEPS!
 - Effect will be agency specific – need to do deep dive into the data
 - Compare case mix weight recalibrations
 - Behavioral adjustments will be significant
 - Formal comments to CMS – September 25, 2017



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Value of PEPPER Reports

- What are PEPPER Reports
 - Program for Evaluating Payment Patterns Electronic Report
- How to use the reports
 - Retrieval rate for HH 6.6% as of 8/9/2017
- Review sample report
- <https://pepperresources.org/>
- PEPPER User Guide



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Value of PEPPER Reports - Definitions

Definitions for Home Health Agency PEPPER Target Areas



Home Health Target Area	Home Health Target Area Definition
Avg Case Mix	N: sum of case mix weight for all episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs (identified by Part A NCH HHA LUPA code) and PEPs (identified as patient discharge status code equal to '06') D: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs and PEPs
Nbr Episodes	N: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period D: count of unique beneficiaries served by the HHA during the report period
5 or 6 Visits	N: count of episodes with 5 or 6 visits paid to the HHA during the report period D: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period
NonLUPA	N: count of episodes paid to the HHA that did not have a LUPA payment during the report period D: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period
Hi Therapy Utiliz	N: count of episodes with 20+ therapy visits paid to the HHA during the report period (first digit of HHRG equal to '5') D: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period
Outlier	N: sum of dollar amount of outlier payments (identified by the amount where Value Code equal to '17') for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period D: sum of dollar amount of total payments for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period

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Value of PEPPER Reports - Compare

Target	Description	Target Count/ Amount	Percent/ Rate	Home Health Agency National %ile	Home Health Agency Jurisdict. %ile	Home Health Agency State %ile	Sum of Payments
Average Case Mix	Proportion of the sum of case mix weight for all episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs and PEPs, to the count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs and PEPs	8,789	1.05	61.1	47.7	85.5	Not Calculated
Average Number of Episodes	Proportion of the count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, to the count of unique beneficiaries served by the HHA during the report period	10,034	1.29	14.3	25.6	18.8	\$30,899,666
Episodes with 5 or 6 Visits	Proportion of the count of episodes with 5 or 6 visits paid to the HHA during the report period, to the count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period	1,106	11.0%	85.2	84.3	81.1	\$2,018,947
Non-LUPA Payments	Proportion of the count of episodes paid to the HHA that did not have a LUPA payment during the report period, to the count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period	8,776	87.5%	14.5	23.4	12.8	\$30,301,832
High Therapy Utilization Episodes	Proportion of the count of episodes with 20+ therapy visits paid to the HHA during the report period (first digit of HHRG equal to '5'), to the count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period	334	3.3%	15.3	11.4	43.2	\$2,167,852
Outlier Payments	Proportion of the dollar amount of outlier payments for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, to the dollar amount of total payments for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period	\$61,309	0.2%	6.8	8.9	3.7	Not Calculated

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Value of PEPPER Reports – Avg Case Mix

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Rate		1.08	1.10	1.05
Target Count: (Numerator: sum of case mix weight for all episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs (identified by Part A NCH HHA LUPA code) and PEPs (identified as patient discharge status code equal to '06'))		7,587	8,786	8,789
Denominator Count (Denominator: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period, excluding LUPAs and PEPs)		6,994	7,955	8,361
Denominator Average Length of Stay		41.8	41.8	36.3
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	1.16	1.16	1.16
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	1.20	1.21	1.21
	State 80th Percentile	1.03	1.02	1.02

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate a risk of potential overcoding of beneficiaries' clinical and functional status. The HHA should determine whether beneficiaries' clinical and functional status as reported on the OASIS is supported and consistent with medical record documentation.

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Value of PEPPER Reports – Number of Episodes

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Rate		1.36	1.36	1.29
Target Count: (Numerator: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		8,186	9,528	10,034
Denominator Count (Denominator: count of unique beneficiaries served by the HHA during the report period)		5,998	6,986	7,769
Target (Numerator) Average Length of Stay		38.8	38.7	33.6
Target (Numerator) Average Payment		\$3,157	\$3,272	\$3,079
Target (Numerator) Sum of Payments		\$25,842,348	\$31,175,997	\$30,899,666
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	2.72	2.75	2.65
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	1.81	1.80	1.75
	State 80th Percentile	2.13	2.20	2.18

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate that the HHA is continuing treatment beyond the point where services are necessary. The HHA should review documentation for beneficiaries with a high number of episodes to ensure that it clearly substantiates that skilled services were reasonable and necessary to the treatment of the patient's illness or injury within the context of the patient's unique medical condition. If the individualized assessment of the patient does not demonstrate the need for skilled care, such as instances where skilled care could safely and effectively be performed by the patient or unskilled caregivers, such services are not covered under the home health benefit. The HHA should review plans of care for appropriateness and assess appropriateness of discharge plans.

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Value of PEPPER Reports – 5 or 6 Visits

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Percent		8.9%	8.5%	11.0%
Target Count: (Numerator: count of episodes with 5 or 6 visits paid to the HHA during the report period)		726	807	1,106
Denominator Count (Denominator: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		8,186	9,528	10,034
Target (Numerator) Average Length of Stay		24.9	25.7	24.0
Denominator Average Length of Stay		38.8	38.7	33.6
Target (Numerator) Average Payment		\$1,633	\$1,692	\$1,825
Target (Numerator) Sum of Payments		\$1,185,882	\$1,365,135	\$2,018,947
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	10.3%	10.1%	10.1%
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	10.5%	10.2%	10.2%
	State 80th Percentile	11.0%	10.9%	10.8%

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate that the HHA is considering the minimum number of visits (5) to obtain an HHRG payment instead of a LUPA payment when there are less than 5 visits. The HHA should review documentation for episodes with 5 or 6 visits to ensure that it clearly substantiates that skilled services were reasonable and necessary to the treatment of the patient's illness or injury within the context of the patient's unique medical condition. If the individualized assessment of the patient does not demonstrate the need for skilled care, such as instances where skilled care could safely and effectively be performed by the patient or unskilled caregivers, such services are not covered under the home health benefit. The HHA should review plans of care to ensure they are individualized and appropriate for the beneficiaries' condition.

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Value of PEPPER Reports – Non LUPA

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Percent		88.5%	87.6%	87.5%
Target Count: (Numerator: count of episodes paid to the HHA that did not have a LUPA payment during the report period)		7,248	8,347	8,776
Denominator Count (Denominator: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		8,186	9,528	10,034
Target (Numerator) Average Length of Stay		41.3	41.1	35.8
Denominator Average Length of Stay		38.8	38.7	33.6
Target (Numerator) Average Payment		\$3,507	\$3,670	\$3,453
Target (Numerator) Sum of Payments		\$25,415,375	\$30,636,159	\$30,301,832
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	97.6%	97.4%	97.6%
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	94.4%	94.6%	94.6%
	State 80th Percentile	98.4%	98.6%	98.8%

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate that the HHA is considering the minimum number of visits (5) to obtain an HHRG payment instead of a LUPA payment where there are less than 5 visits. The HHA should review documentation to ensure that it clearly substantiates that skilled services were reasonable and necessary to the treatment of the patient's illness or injury within the context of the patient's unique medical condition. If the individualized assessment of the patient does not demonstrate the need for skilled care, such as instances where skilled care could safely and effectively be performed by the patient or unskilled caregivers, such services are not covered under the home health benefit. The HHA should review plans of care to ensure they are individualized and appropriate for the beneficiaries' condition.

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Value of PEPPER Reports – High Therapy Util

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Percent		6.9%	8.2%	3.3%
Target Count: (Numerator: count of episodes with 20+ therapy visits paid to the HHA during the report period (first digit of HHRG equal to '5'))		566	779	334
Denominator Count (Denominator: count of episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		8,186	9,528	10,034
Target (Numerator) Average Length of Stay		53.9	52.9	51.6
Denominator Average Length of Stay		38.8	38.7	33.6
Target (Numerator) Average Payment		\$6,410	\$6,707	\$6,491
Target (Numerator) Sum of Payments		\$3,628,089	\$5,224,746	\$2,167,852
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	12.7%	13.8%	14.2%
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	15.5%	16.0%	16.8%
	State 80th Percentile	6.6%	7.4%	7.4%

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate that the HHA is improperly billing for therapy services. The HHA should review documentation for episodes with 20+ therapy visits to ensure that it clearly substantiates that skilled therapy services were reasonable and necessary. This includes ensuring that the specialized judgement, knowledge and skills of a qualified therapist ("skilled care") were necessary to prevent deterioration and/or to preserve the beneficiary's existing capabilities. The HHA should ensure that the amount of therapy reported is supported by documentation in the medical record.

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Value of PEPPER Reports - Outlier

YOUR HOME HEALTH AGENCY		1/1/14 – 12/31/14	1/1/15 – 12/31/15	1/1/16 – 12/31/16
Target Area Percent		0.7%	0.6%	0.2%
Target Count: (Numerator: sum of dollar amount of outlier payments (identified by the amount where Value Code equal to '17') for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		\$171,792	\$182,165	\$61,309
Denominator Count (Denominator: sum of dollar amount of total payments for episodes paid to the HHA during the report period)		\$25,842,348	\$31,175,997	\$30,899,666
Target (Numerator) Average Length of Stay		57.8	55.8	54.8
Denominator Average Length of Stay		38.8	38.7	33.6
*Data not available when numerator count less than 11				
COMPARATIVE DATA				
Note: State and/or jurisdiction percentiles are zero if there are fewer than 11 providers with reportable data for the target area in the state and/or jurisdiction.	National 80th Percentile	9.0%	7.9%	7.5%
	Jurisdiction 80th Percentile	6.7%	5.5%	5.1%
	State 80th Percentile	9.4%	8.2%	8.4%

SUGGESTED INTERVENTIONS WHEN ABOVE 80th PERCENTILE: This could indicate that the HHA is providing costly services to beneficiaries when they are not medically necessary. Claims with outlier payments should be reviewed to ensure treatment provided was medically necessary.

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Rural Health

- Rural Health areas continues to be under severe pressure
 - 80 Rural Hospitals have closed since 2010 (64 since 2013)
 - Many more rural hospitals are in danger of closing
 - CAHs are very vulnerable
 - Reductions in payments
 - Hard nosed Medicare cost report audits



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What to Do Now?

- First and foremost agencies need to plan NOW for the future
 - Prepare a financial budget
 - Project impact of Medicare revenue changes
 - Project impact of case mix weight changes on OASIS assessments
 - Bottom line impact – revenue enhancement AND cost reduction
 - Industry benchmarks to evaluate performance



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What to Do Now?

- Many moving parts at the same time
- Standard rate increased by \$48.46 for Urban and decreased by \$41.32 for Rural
- Case mix weights – mostly decreased (4.43% highest)
- Wage index changes
- HHGM is coming down the pike
- HHVBP
- Pre Claim Review



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Questions?



Thank You!



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Attachment 1

Comparison of Case-Mix Weights CY 2017 to CY 2018 By Payment Group Number



Comparison of Case-Mix Weights -- CY 2017 to CY 2018 Proposed - By Payment Group Number

Payment group	Description	Therapy Visits	HIPPS Code	Clinical, Functional, and Service Levels	2017 Final HH PPS Case-Mix Weights	2018 Proposed HH PPS Case-Mix Weights	2018 P vs 2017 F	Percent
10111	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1AFK	C1F1S1	0.5857	0.5617	-0.0240	-4.10%
10112	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1AFL	C1F1S2	0.7168	0.6925	-0.0243	-3.39%
10113	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1AFM	C1F1S3	0.8479	0.8232	-0.0247	-2.91%
10114	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1AFN	C1F1S4	0.9790	0.9539	-0.0251	-2.56%
10115	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1AFP	C1F1S5	1.1100	1.0846	-0.0254	-2.29%
10121	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1AGK	C1F2S1	0.6896	0.6662	-0.0234	-3.39%
10122	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1AGL	C1F2S2	0.8030	0.7845	-0.0185	-2.30%
10123	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1AGM	C1F2S3	0.9164	0.9027	-0.0137	-1.49%
10124	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1AGN	C1F2S4	1.0298	1.0209	-0.0089	-0.86%
10125	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1AGP	C1F2S5	1.1433	1.1392	-0.0041	-0.36%
10131	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1AHK	C1F3S1	0.7460	0.7157	-0.0303	-4.06%
10132	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1AHL	C1F3S2	0.8630	0.8311	-0.0319	-3.70%
10133	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1AHM	C1F3S3	0.9800	0.9464	-0.0336	-3.43%
10134	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1AHN	C1F3S4	1.0970	1.0618	-0.0352	-3.21%
10135	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1AHP	C1F3S5	1.2140	1.1772	-0.0368	-3.03%
10211	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1BFK	C2F1S1	0.6193	0.5975	-0.0218	-3.52%
10212	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1BFL	C2F1S2	0.7526	0.7343	-0.0183	-2.43%
10213	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1BFM	C2F1S3	0.8860	0.8711	-0.0149	-1.68%
10214	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1BFN	C2F1S4	1.0193	1.0078	-0.0115	-1.13%
10215	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1BFP	C2F1S5	1.1526	1.1446	-0.0080	-0.69%
10221	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1BGK	C2F2S1	0.7232	0.702	-0.0212	-2.93%
10222	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1BGL	C2F2S2	0.8389	0.8263	-0.0126	-1.50%
10223	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1BGM	C2F2S3	0.9545	0.9506	-0.0039	-0.41%
10224	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1BGN	C2F2S4	1.0702	1.0749	0.0047	0.44%
10225	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1BGP	C2F2S5	1.1858	1.1991	0.0133	1.12%
10231	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1BHK	C2F3S1	0.7796	0.7514	-0.0282	-3.62%
10232	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1BHL	C2F3S2	0.8988	0.8729	-0.0259	-2.88%
10233	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1BHM	C2F3S3	1.0181	0.9943	-0.0238	-2.34%
10234	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1BHN	C2F3S4	1.1373	1.1157	-0.0216	-1.90%
10235	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1BHP	C2F3S5	1.2565	1.2372	-0.0193	-1.54%
10311	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1CFK	C3F1S1	0.6643	0.6412	-0.0231	-3.48%
10312	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1CFL	C3F1S2	0.8204	0.7929	-0.0275	-3.35%
10313	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1CFM	C3F1S3	0.9765	0.9446	-0.0319	-3.27%
10314	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1CFN	C3F1S4	1.1325	1.0963	-0.0362	-3.20%
10315	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1CFP	C3F1S5	1.2886	1.248	-0.0406	-3.15%
10321	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1CGK	C3F2S1	0.7682	0.7457	-0.0225	-2.93%
10322	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1CGL	C3F2S2	0.9066	0.885	-0.0216	-2.38%
10323	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1CGM	C3F2S3	1.0450	1.0242	-0.0208	-1.99%
10324	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1CGN	C3F2S4	1.1834	1.1634	-0.0200	-1.69%
10325	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1CGP	C3F2S5	1.3218	1.3026	-0.0192	-1.45%
10331	1st and 2nd Episodes	0 to 5	1CHK	C3F3S1	0.8246	0.7952	-0.0294	-3.57%
10332	1st and 2nd Episodes	6	1CHL	C3F3S2	0.9666	0.9315	-0.0351	-3.63%
10333	1st and 2nd Episodes	7 to 9	1CHM	C3F3S3	1.1086	1.0679	-0.0407	-3.67%
10334	1st and 2nd Episodes	10	1CHN	C3F3S4	1.2505	1.2043	-0.0462	-3.69%
10335	1st and 2nd Episodes	11 to 13	1CHP	C3F3S5	1.3925	1.3406	-0.0519	-3.73%
21111	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2AFK	C1F1S1	1.2411	1.2154	-0.0257	-2.07%
21112	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2AFL	C1F1S2	1.4125	1.378	-0.0345	-2.44%
21113	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2AFM	C1F1S3	1.5838	1.5406	-0.0432	-2.73%
21121	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2AGK	C1F2S1	1.2567	1.2574	0.0007	0.06%
21122	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2AGL	C1F2S2	1.4388	1.4176	-0.0212	-1.47%
21123	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2AGM	C1F2S3	1.6209	1.5779	-0.0430	-2.65%
21131	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2AHK	C1F3S1	1.3310	1.2926	-0.0384	-2.89%
21132	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2AHL	C1F3S2	1.5089	1.4558	-0.0531	-3.52%
21133	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2AHM	C1F3S3	1.6868	1.6189	-0.0679	-4.03%
21211	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2BFK	C2F1S1	1.2859	1.2814	-0.0045	-0.35%
21212	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2BFL	C2F1S2	1.4769	1.4573	-0.0196	-1.33%
21213	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2BFM	C2F1S3	1.6679	1.6332	-0.0347	-2.08%
21221	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2BGK	C2F2S1	1.3014	1.3234	0.0220	1.69%
21222	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2BGL	C2F2S2	1.5032	1.497	-0.0062	-0.41%
21223	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2BGM	C2F2S3	1.7049	1.6705	-0.0344	-2.02%
21231	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2BHK	C2F3S1	1.3757	1.3586	-0.0171	-1.24%
21232	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2BHL	C2F3S2	1.5733	1.5351	-0.0382	-2.43%
21233	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2BHM	C2F3S3	1.7708	1.7116	-0.0592	-3.34%
21311	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2CFK	C3F1S1	1.4446	1.3997	-0.0449	-3.11%
21312	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2CFL	C3F1S2	1.6636	1.6178	-0.0458	-2.75%
21313	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2CFM	C3F1S3	1.8826	1.8359	-0.0467	-2.48%
21321	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2CGK	C3F2S1	1.4602	1.4418	-0.0184	-1.26%

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Payment group	Description	Therapy Visits	HIPPS Code	Clinical, Functional, and Service Levels	2017 Final HH PPS Case-Mix Weights	2018 Proposed HH PPS Case-Mix Weights	2018 P vs 2017 F	Percent
21322	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2CGL	C3F2S2	1.6899	1.6575	-0.0324	-1.92%
21323	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2CGM	C3F2S3	1.9197	1.8732	-0.0465	-2.42%
21331	1st and 2nd Episodes	14 to 15	2CHK	C3F3S1	1.5345	1.477	-0.0575	-3.75%
21332	1st and 2nd Episodes	16 to 17	2CHL	C3F3S2	1.7601	1.6956	-0.0645	-3.66%
21333	1st and 2nd Episodes	18 to 19	2CHM	C3F3S3	1.9856	1.9142	-0.0714	-3.60%
22111	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4AFK	C1F1S1	1.2523	1.23	-0.0223	-1.78%
22112	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4AFL	C1F1S2	1.4200	1.3877	-0.0323	-2.27%
22113	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4AFM	C1F1S3	1.5876	1.5455	-0.0421	-2.65%
22121	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4AGK	C1F2S1	1.2523	1.2549	0.0026	0.21%
22122	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4AGL	C1F2S2	1.4359	1.4159	-0.0200	-1.39%
22123	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4AGM	C1F2S3	1.6195	1.577	-0.0425	-2.62%
22131	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4AHK	C1F3S1	1.3315	1.3037	-0.0278	-2.09%
22132	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4AHL	C1F3S2	1.5093	1.4632	-0.0461	-3.05%
22133	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4AHM	C1F3S3	1.6870	1.6226	-0.0644	-3.82%
22211	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4BFK	C2F1S1	1.3117	1.2852	-0.0265	-2.02%
22212	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4BFL	C2F1S2	1.4941	1.4598	-0.0343	-2.30%
22213	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4BFM	C2F1S3	1.6765	1.6345	-0.0420	-2.51%
22221	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4BGK	C2F2S1	1.3117	1.31	-0.0017	-0.13%
22222	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4BGL	C2F2S2	1.5100	1.488	-0.0220	-1.46%
22223	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4BGM	C2F2S3	1.7083	1.666	-0.0423	-2.48%
22231	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4BHK	C2F3S1	1.3909	1.3588	-0.0321	-2.31%
22232	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4BHL	C2F3S2	1.5834	1.5352	-0.0482	-3.04%
22233	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4BHM	C2F3S3	1.7759	1.7117	-0.0642	-3.62%
22311	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4CFK	C3F1S1	1.5203	1.4954	-0.0249	-1.64%
22312	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4CFL	C3F1S2	1.7141	1.6816	-0.0325	-1.90%
22313	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4CFM	C3F1S3	1.9079	1.8678	-0.0401	-2.10%
22321	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4CGK	C3F2S1	1.5203	1.5202	-0.0001	-0.01%
22322	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4CGL	C3F2S2	1.7300	1.7098	-0.0202	-1.17%
22323	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4CGM	C3F2S3	1.9398	1.8993	-0.0405	-2.09%
22331	3rd+ Episodes	14 to 15	4CHK	C3F3S1	1.5995	1.569	-0.0305	-1.91%
22332	3rd+ Episodes	16 to 17	4CHL	C3F3S2	1.8034	1.757	-0.0464	-2.57%
22333	3rd+ Episodes	18 to 19	4CHM	C3F3S3	2.0073	1.9449	-0.0624	-3.11%
30111	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3AFK	C1F1S1	0.4785	0.4628	-0.0157	-3.28%
30112	3rd+ Episodes	6	3AFL	C1F1S2	0.6333	0.6163	-0.0170	-2.68%
30113	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3AFM	C1F1S3	0.7880	0.7697	-0.0183	-2.32%
30114	3rd+ Episodes	10	3AFN	C1F1S4	0.9428	0.9232	-0.0196	-2.08%
30115	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3AFP	C1F1S5	1.0976	1.0766	-0.0210	-1.91%
30121	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3AGK	C1F2S1	0.5578	0.5455	-0.0123	-2.21%
30122	3rd+ Episodes	6	3AGL	C1F2S2	0.6967	0.6874	-0.0093	-1.33%
30123	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3AGM	C1F2S3	0.8356	0.8293	-0.0063	-0.75%
30124	3rd+ Episodes	10	3AGN	C1F2S4	0.9745	0.9711	-0.0034	-0.35%
30125	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3AGP	C1F2S5	1.1134	1.113	-0.0004	-0.04%
30131	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3AHK	C1F3S1	0.6039	0.5903	-0.0136	-2.25%
30132	3rd+ Episodes	6	3AHL	C1F3S2	0.7494	0.733	-0.0164	-2.19%
30133	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3AHM	C1F3S3	0.8949	0.8757	-0.0192	-2.15%
30134	3rd+ Episodes	10	3AHN	C1F3S4	1.0405	1.0183	-0.0222	-2.13%
30135	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3AHP	C1F3S5	1.1860	1.161	-0.0250	-2.11%
30211	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3BFK	C2F1S1	0.4955	0.4835	-0.0120	-2.42%
30212	3rd+ Episodes	6	3BFL	C2F1S2	0.6587	0.6438	-0.0149	-2.26%
30213	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3BFM	C2F1S3	0.8220	0.8041	-0.0179	-2.18%
30214	3rd+ Episodes	10	3BFN	C2F1S4	0.9852	0.9645	-0.0207	-2.10%
30215	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3BFP	C2F1S5	1.1485	1.1248	-0.0237	-2.06%
30221	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3BGK	C2F2S1	0.5748	0.5662	-0.0086	-1.50%
30222	3rd+ Episodes	6	3BGL	C2F2S2	0.7222	0.7149	-0.0073	-1.01%
30223	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3BGM	C2F2S3	0.8695	0.8637	-0.0058	-0.67%
30224	3rd+ Episodes	10	3BGN	C2F2S4	1.0169	1.0125	-0.0044	-0.43%
30225	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3BGP	C2F2S5	1.1643	1.1612	-0.0031	-0.27%
30231	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3BHK	C2F3S1	0.6208	0.611	-0.0098	-1.58%
30232	3rd+ Episodes	6	3BHL	C2F3S2	0.7748	0.7605	-0.0143	-1.85%
30233	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3BHM	C2F3S3	0.9288	0.9101	-0.0187	-2.01%
30234	3rd+ Episodes	10	3BHN	C2F3S4	1.0829	1.0597	-0.0232	-2.14%
30235	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3BHP	C2F3S5	1.2369	1.2093	-0.0276	-2.23%
30311	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3CFK	C3F1S1	0.6140	0.5993	-0.0147	-2.39%
30312	3rd+ Episodes	6	3CFL	C3F1S2	0.7953	0.7785	-0.0168	-2.11%
30313	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3CFM	C3F1S3	0.9765	0.9577	-0.0188	-1.93%
30314	3rd+ Episodes	10	3CFN	C3F1S4	1.1578	1.1369	-0.0209	-1.81%
30315	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3CFP	C3F1S5	1.3391	1.3162	-0.0229	-1.71%

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30321	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3CGK	C3F2S1	0.6933	0.682	-0.0113	-1.63%
30322	3rd+ Episodes	6	3CGL	C3F2S2	0.8587	0.8496	-0.0091	-1.06%
30323	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3CGM	C3F2S3	1.0241	1.0173	-0.0068	-0.66%
30324	3rd+ Episodes	10	3CGN	C3F2S4	1.1895	1.1849	-0.0046	-0.39%
30325	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3CGP	C3F2S5	1.3549	1.3526	-0.0023	-0.17%
30331	3rd+ Episodes	0 to 5	3CHK	C3F3S1	0.7393	0.7268	-0.0125	-1.69%
30332	3rd+ Episodes	6	3CHL	C3F3S2	0.9114	0.8952	-0.0162	-1.78%
30333	3rd+ Episodes	7 to 9	3CHM	C3F3S3	1.0834	1.0637	-0.0197	-1.82%
30334	3rd+ Episodes	10	3CHN	C3F3S4	1.2554	1.2321	-0.0233	-1.86%
30335	3rd+ Episodes	11 to 13	3CHP	C3F3S5	1.4275	1.4006	-0.0269	-1.88%
40111	All Episodes	20+	5AFK	C1F1S1	1.7552	1.7032	-0.0520	-2.96%
40121	All Episodes	20+	5AGK	C1F2S1	1.8030	1.7381	-0.0649	-3.60%
40131	All Episodes	20+	5AHK	C1F3S1	1.8648	1.7821	-0.0827	-4.43%
40211	All Episodes	20+	5BFK	C2F1S1	1.8588	1.8091	-0.0497	-2.67%
40221	All Episodes	20+	5BGK	C2F2S1	1.9067	1.844	-0.0627	-3.29%
40231	All Episodes	20+	5BHK	C2F3S1	1.9684	1.8881	-0.0803	-4.08%
40311	All Episodes	20+	5CFK	C3F1S1	2.1016	2.0539	-0.0477	-2.27%
40321	All Episodes	20+	5CGK	C3F2S1	2.1495	2.0889	-0.0606	-2.82%
40331	All Episodes	20+	5CHK	C3F3S1	2.2112	2.1329	-0.0783	-3.54%

Attachment 2

Comparison of Medicare Home Health Wage Index Values – By CBSA CY 2017 to CY 2018



CY 2017 vs 2018 Home Health Wage Index

CBSA Code	CBSA Name	2017	2018	Change	Percent
		Wage Index FR	Wage Index PR		
10180	Abilene, TX	0.8209	0.8343	0.0134	1.63%
10380	Aguadilla-Isabela, PR	0.3607	0.3436	(0.0171)	-4.74%
10420	Akron, OH	0.8337	0.8274	(0.0063)	-0.76%
10500	Albany, GA	0.9267	0.8879	(0.0388)	-4.19%
10540	Albany, OR	1.0658	1.0845	0.0187	1.75%
10580	Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	0.8217	0.8179	(0.0038)	-0.46%
10740	Albuquerque, NM	0.9131	0.9089	(0.0042)	-0.46%
10780	Alexandria, LA	0.7948	0.8370	0.0422	5.31%
10900	Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	0.9176	0.9228	0.0052	0.57%
11020	Altoona, PA	1.0620	1.0705	0.0085	0.80%
11100	Amarillo, TX	0.8216	0.8363	0.0147	1.79%
11180	Ames, IA	0.9335	0.9279	(0.0056)	-0.60%
11244	Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA	1.2153	1.2379	0.0226	1.86%
11260	Anchorage, AK	1.3162	1.2565	(0.0597)	-4.54%
11460	Ann Arbor, MI	0.9909	0.9916	0.0007	0.07%
11500	Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville, AL	0.7259	0.6859	(0.0400)	-5.51%
11540	Appleton, WI	0.9276	0.9466	0.0190	2.05%
11640	Arecibo, PR	0.3926	0.4245	0.0319	8.13%
11700	Asheville, NC	0.8678	0.8669	(0.0009)	-0.10%
12020	Athens-Clarke County, GA	0.9063	0.8602	(0.0461)	-5.09%
12060	Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	0.9322	0.9385	0.0063	0.68%
12100	Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	1.1931	1.1839	(0.0092)	-0.77%
12220	Auburn-Opelika, AL	0.7422	0.7465	0.0043	0.58%
12260	Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	0.8805	0.9069	0.0264	3.00%
12420	Austin-Round Rock, TX	0.9675	0.9900	0.0225	2.33%
12540	Bakersfield, CA	1.1899	1.2021	0.0122	1.03%
12580	Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	0.9583	0.9523	(0.0060)	-0.63%
12620	Bangor, ME	0.9990	1.0079	0.0089	0.89%
12700	Barnstable Town, MA	1.2727	1.3271	0.0544	4.27%
12940	Baton Rouge, LA	0.7974	0.7684	(0.0290)	-3.64%
12980	Battle Creek, MI	1.0134	0.9018	(0.1116)	-11.01%
13020	Bay City, MI	0.9841	0.9904	0.0063	0.64%
13140	Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	0.8389	0.8577	0.0188	2.24%
13220	Beckley, WV	0.7630	0.7825	0.0195	2.56%
13380	Bellingham, WA	1.3037	1.2098	(0.0939)	-7.20%
13460	Bend-Redmond, OR	1.1980	1.1877	(0.0103)	-0.86%
13740	Billings, MT	0.8855	0.8816	(0.0039)	-0.44%
13780	Binghamton, NY	0.8521	0.8408	(0.0113)	-1.33%
13820	Birmingham-Hoover, AL	0.8118	0.8180	0.0062	0.76%
13900	Bismarck, ND	0.7820	0.7911	0.0091	1.16%
13980	Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford, VA	0.8388	0.8414	0.0026	0.31%
14010	Bloomington, IL	0.9226	0.9271	0.0045	0.49%
14020	Bloomington, IN	0.8881	0.8576	(0.0305)	-3.43%
14100	Bloomsburg-Berwick, PA	0.9462	0.8798	(0.0664)	-7.02%
14260	Boise City, ID	0.9085	0.8890	(0.0195)	-2.15%
14454	Boston, MA	1.3086	1.2920	(0.0166)	-1.27%
14500	Boulder, CO	1.0303	1.0226	(0.0077)	-0.75%
14540	Bowling Green, KY	0.8297	0.8244	(0.0053)	-0.64%
14740	Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	1.1197	1.1034	(0.0163)	-1.46%
14860	Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT	1.3223	1.2948	(0.0275)	-2.08%
15180	Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	0.8228	0.8469	0.0241	2.93%
15260	Brunswick, GA	0.8213	0.7995	(0.0218)	-2.65%
15380	Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY	1.0506	1.0614	0.0108	1.03%
15500	Burlington, NC	0.8462	0.8479	0.0017	0.20%

CY 2017 vs 2018 Home Health Wage Index

CBSA Code	CBSA Name	2017	2018	Change	Percent
		Wage Index FR	Wage Index PR		
15540	Burlington-South Burlington, VT	1.0256	1.0061	(0.0195)	-1.90%
15680	California-Lexington Park, MD	0.9083	0.9216	0.0133	1.46%
15764	Cambridge-Newton-Framingham, MA	1.1011	1.0968	(0.0043)	-0.39%
15804	Camden, NJ	1.0997	1.0850	(0.0147)	-1.34%
15940	Canton-Massillon, OH	0.8407	0.8310	(0.0097)	-1.15%
15980	Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	0.9403	0.9202	(0.0201)	-2.14%
16020	Cape Girardeau, MO-IL	0.8324	0.8461	0.0137	1.65%
16060	Carbondale-Marion, IL	0.8398	0.8424	0.0026	0.31%
16180	Carson City, NV	1.0526	1.0761	0.0235	2.23%
16220	Casper, WY	1.0221	1.0367	0.0146	1.43%
16300	Cedar Rapids, IA	0.8619	0.8748	0.0129	1.50%
16540	Chambersburg-Waynesboro, PA	1.0861	1.1039	0.0178	1.64%
16580	Champaign-Urbana, IL	0.9246	0.8866	(0.0380)	-4.11%
16620	Charleston, WV	0.8181	0.8280	0.0099	1.21%
16700	Charleston-North Charleston, SC	0.8889	0.8978	0.0089	1.00%
16740	Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	0.9115	0.9247	0.0132	1.45%
16820	Charlottesville, VA	0.9453	0.9816	0.0363	3.84%
16860	Chattanooga, TN-GA	0.8636	0.8596	(0.0040)	-0.46%
16940	Cheyenne, WY	0.9489	0.9642	0.0153	1.61%
16974	Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL	1.0460	1.0563	0.0103	0.98%
17020	Chico, CA	1.1646	1.1371	(0.0275)	-2.36%
17140	Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	0.9387	0.9529	0.0142	1.51%
17300	Clarksville, TN-KY	0.7361	0.7689	0.0328	4.46%
17420	Cleveland, TN	0.7485	0.7370	(0.0115)	-1.54%
17460	Cleveland-Elyria, OH	0.9183	0.9064	(0.0119)	-1.30%
17660	Coeur d'Alene, ID	0.9742	0.9005	(0.0737)	-7.57%
17780	College Station-Bryan, TX	0.8958	0.8976	0.0018	0.20%
17820	Colorado Springs, CO	1.0060	0.9541	(0.0519)	-5.16%
17860	Columbia, MO	0.8234	0.8337	0.0103	1.25%
17900	Columbia, SC	0.8266	0.8303	0.0037	0.45%
17980	Columbus, GA-AL	0.8254	0.8086	(0.0168)	-2.04%
18020	Columbus, IN	0.9799	1.0272	0.0473	4.83%
18140	Columbus, OH	0.9605	0.9803	0.0198	2.06%
18580	Corpus Christi, TX	0.8575	0.9268	0.0693	8.08%
18700	Corvallis, OR	1.0731	1.0712	(0.0019)	-0.18%
18880	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	0.8888	0.8826	(0.0062)	-0.70%
19060	Cumberland, MD-WV	0.7417	0.8408	0.0991	13.36%
19124	Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX	0.9895	0.9864	(0.0031)	-0.31%
19140	Dalton, GA	0.8338	0.8409	0.0071	0.85%
19180	Danville, IL	0.9327	0.8689	(0.0638)	-6.84%
19300	Daphne-Fairhope-Foley, AL	0.7246	0.7580	0.0334	4.61%
19340	Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	0.9466	0.9456	(0.0010)	-0.11%
19380	Dayton, OH	0.9023	0.8866	(0.0157)	-1.74%
19460	Decatur, AL	0.6782	0.6896	0.0114	1.68%
19500	Decatur, IL	0.8054	0.8161	0.0107	1.33%
19660	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	0.8014	0.8174	0.0160	2.00%
19740	Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	1.0334	1.0374	0.0040	0.39%
19780	Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	0.9384	0.9284	(0.0100)	-1.07%
19804	Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI	0.9016	0.8963	(0.0053)	-0.59%
20020	Dothan, AL	0.6776	0.6643	(0.0133)	-1.96%
20100	Dover, DE	1.0234	1.0770	0.0536	5.24%
20220	Dubuque, IA	0.8571	0.9016	0.0445	5.19%
20260	Duluth, MN-WI	1.0098	1.0200	0.0102	1.01%
20500	Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	0.9702	0.9738	0.0036	0.37%

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20524	Dutchess County-Putnam County, NY	1.1330	1.1225	(0.0105)	-0.93%
20700	East Stroudsburg, PA	0.9175	0.9038	(0.0137)	-1.49%
20740	Eau Claire, WI	0.9727	0.9983	0.0256	2.63%
20940	El Centro, CA	0.8690	0.8825	0.0135	1.55%
20994	Elgin, IL	1.0323	1.0061	(0.0262)	-2.54%
21060	Elizabethtown-Fort Knox, KY	0.7004	0.6972	(0.0032)	-0.46%
21140	Elkhart-Goshen, IN	0.9301	0.9053	(0.0248)	-2.67%
21300	Elmira, NY	0.8794	0.8517	(0.0277)	-3.15%
21340	El Paso, TX	0.7979	0.7921	(0.0058)	-0.73%
21420	Enid, OK	0.8673	0.9174	0.0501	5.78%
21500	Erie, PA	0.8024	0.7915	(0.0109)	-1.36%
21660	Eugene, OR	1.1640	1.1528	(0.0112)	-0.96%
21780	Evansville, IN-KY	0.8967	0.9002	0.0035	0.39%
21820	Fairbanks, AK	1.0667	1.1018	0.0351	3.29%
22020	Fargo, ND-MN	0.7848	0.7908	0.0060	0.76%
22140	Farmington, NM	0.9334	0.9104	(0.0230)	-2.46%
22180	Fayetteville, NC	0.8250	0.8030	(0.0220)	-2.67%
22220	Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	0.8458	0.8460	0.0002	0.02%
22380	Flagstaff, AZ	1.1723	1.1837	0.0114	0.97%
22420	Flint, MI	1.1258	1.1046	(0.0212)	-1.88%
22500	Florence, SC	0.7741	0.7916	0.0175	2.26%
22520	Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	0.6916	0.6923	0.0007	0.10%
22540	Fond du Lac, WI	0.8963	0.9138	0.0175	1.95%
22660	Fort Collins, CO	1.0368	1.0107	(0.0261)	-2.52%
22744	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach,	0.9771	0.9650	(0.0121)	-1.24%
22900	Fort Smith, AR-OK	0.7339	0.7023	(0.0316)	-4.31%
23060	Fort Wayne, IN	0.8813	0.7706	(0.1107)	-12.56%
23104	Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	0.9485	0.9606	0.0121	1.28%
23420	Fresno, CA	1.1097	1.0917	(0.0180)	-1.62%
23460	Gadsden, AL	0.7157	0.6938	(0.0219)	-3.06%
23540	Gainesville, FL	1.0124	0.9087	(0.1037)	-10.24%
23580	Gainesville, GA	0.9124	0.9033	(0.0091)	-1.00%
23844	Gary, IN	0.9357	0.9635	0.0278	2.97%
23900	Gettysburg, PA	1.0372	1.0606	0.0234	2.26%
24020	Glens Falls, NY	0.8042	0.8371	0.0329	4.09%
24140	Goldsboro, NC	0.8721	0.8630	(0.0091)	-1.04%
24220	Grand Forks, ND-MN	0.7274	0.7881	0.0607	8.34%
24260	Grand Island, NE	0.8766	0.9111	0.0345	3.94%
24300	Grand Junction, CO	0.9298	0.9623	0.0325	3.50%
24340	Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	0.9200	0.8846	(0.0354)	-3.85%
24420	Grants Pass, OR	1.0603	0.9887	(0.0716)	-6.75%
24500	Great Falls, MT	0.7770	0.7842	0.0072	0.93%
24540	Greeley, CO	0.9153	0.9320	0.0167	1.82%
24580	Green Bay, WI	0.9482	0.9248	(0.0234)	-2.47%
24660	Greensboro-High Point, NC	0.8503	0.8409	(0.0094)	-1.11%
24780	Greenville, NC	0.9351	0.9263	(0.0088)	-0.94%
24860	Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin, SC	0.9375	0.9178	(0.0197)	-2.10%
25020	Guayama, PR	0.3523	0.3797	0.0274	7.78%
25060	Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula, MS	0.7635	0.8221	0.0586	7.68%
25180	Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	0.8895	0.8912	0.0017	0.19%
25220	Hammond, LA	0.8627	0.8447	(0.0180)	-2.09%
25260	Hanford-Corcoran, CA	1.1158	1.0769	(0.0389)	-3.49%
25420	Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	0.9380	0.9329	(0.0051)	-0.54%
25500	Harrisonburg, VA	0.8955	0.8990	0.0035	0.39%

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25540	Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT	1.0889	1.0961	0.0072	0.66%
25620	Hattiesburg, MS	0.7916	0.7784	(0.0132)	-1.67%
25860	Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	0.8545	0.8492	(0.0053)	-0.62%
25940	Hilton Head Island-Bluffton-Beaufort, SC	0.8536	0.8097	(0.0439)	-5.14%
25980	Hinesville-Fort Stewart, GA	0.8615	0.8478	(0.0137)	-1.59%
26140	Homosassa Springs, FL	0.6952	0.7426	0.0474	6.82%
26300	Hot Springs, AR	0.8461	0.8493	0.0032	0.38%
26380	Houma-Thibodaux, LA	0.7138	0.6997	(0.0141)	-1.98%
26420	Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	0.9687	0.9760	0.0073	0.75%
26580	Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	0.8535	0.8604	0.0069	0.81%
26620	Huntsville, AL	0.8468	0.8000	(0.0468)	-5.53%
26820	Idaho Falls, ID	0.8990	0.9015	0.0025	0.28%
26900	Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN	1.0234	1.0168	(0.0066)	-0.64%
26980	Iowa City, IA	0.9542	0.9587	0.0045	0.47%
27060	Ithaca, NY	0.9455	0.9436	(0.0019)	-0.20%
27100	Jackson, MI	0.8992	0.8878	(0.0114)	-1.27%
27140	Jackson, MS	0.7902	0.8164	0.0262	3.32%
27180	Jackson, TN	0.7267	0.7661	0.0394	5.42%
27260	Jacksonville, FL	0.9078	0.8971	(0.0107)	-1.18%
27340	Jacksonville, NC	0.7428	0.8241	0.0813	10.95%
27500	Janesville-Beloit, WI	0.8680	0.9099	0.0419	4.83%
27620	Jefferson City, MO	0.8538	0.8495	(0.0043)	-0.50%
27740	Johnson City, TN	0.7235	0.7386	0.0151	2.09%
27780	Johnstown, PA	0.8861	0.8394	(0.0467)	-5.27%
27860	Jonesboro, AR	0.7792	0.7869	0.0077	0.99%
27900	Joplin, MO	0.7969	0.7759	(0.0210)	-2.64%
27980	Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, HI	1.1123	1.1601	0.0478	4.30%
28020	Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	1.0092	0.9619	(0.0473)	-4.69%
28100	Kankakee, IL	0.9327	0.8956	(0.0371)	-3.98%
28140	Kansas City, MO-KS	0.9326	0.9276	(0.0050)	-0.54%
28420	Kennewick-Richland, WA	0.9466	0.9815	0.0349	3.69%
28660	Killeen-Temple, TX	0.9145	0.9023	(0.0122)	-1.33%
28700	Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	0.6988	0.7040	0.0052	0.74%
28740	Kingston, NY	0.9106	0.8889	(0.0217)	-2.38%
28940	Knoxville, TN	0.7248	0.7370	0.0122	1.68%
29020	Kokomo, IN	0.9048	0.9403	0.0355	3.92%
29100	La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN	0.9467	0.9167	(0.0300)	-3.17%
29180	Lafayette, LA	0.7820	0.7788	(0.0032)	-0.41%
29200	Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN	0.9765	0.9817	0.0052	0.53%
29340	Lake Charles, LA	0.7541	0.7461	(0.0080)	-1.06%
29404	Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI	1.0367	1.0386	0.0019	0.18%
29420	Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	0.9200	0.9319	0.0119	1.29%
29460	Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	0.7990	0.8046	0.0056	0.70%
29540	Lancaster, PA	0.9365	0.9537	0.0172	1.84%
29620	Lansing-East Lansing, MI	1.0520	1.0370	(0.0150)	-1.43%
29700	Laredo, TX	0.7795	0.7918	0.0123	1.58%
29740	Las Cruces, NM	0.8684	0.8717	0.0033	0.38%
29820	Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV	1.2097	1.2207	0.0110	0.91%
29940	Lawrence, KS	0.9049	0.9041	(0.0008)	-0.09%
30020	Lawton, OK	0.8049	0.7302	(0.0747)	-9.28%
30140	Lebanon, PA	0.8224	0.8582	0.0358	4.35%
30300	Lewiston, ID-WA	0.9410	0.8815	(0.0595)	-6.32%
30340	Lewiston-Auburn, ME	0.8439	0.8542	0.0103	1.22%
30460	Lexington-Fayette, KY	0.9195	0.8919	(0.0276)	-3.00%

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30620	Lima, OH	0.9004	0.9109	0.0105	1.17%
30700	Lincoln, NE	0.9542	0.9739	0.0197	2.06%
30780	Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	0.8094	0.8323	0.0229	2.83%
30860	Logan, UT-ID	0.8790	0.8740	(0.0050)	-0.57%
30980	Longview, TX	0.8200	0.8013	(0.0187)	-2.28%
31020	Longview, WA	1.1001	1.0385	(0.0616)	-5.60%
31084	Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA	1.2721	1.2804	0.0083	0.65%
31140	Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN	0.8859	0.8704	(0.0155)	-1.75%
31180	Lubbock, TX	0.8579	0.8704	0.0125	1.46%
31340	Lynchburg, VA	0.9178	0.8852	(0.0326)	-3.55%
31420	Macon-Bibb County, GA	0.9192	0.9131	(0.0061)	-0.66%
31460	Madera, CA	0.7759	0.7534	(0.0225)	-2.90%
31540	Madison, WI	1.0956	1.1058	0.0102	0.93%
31700	Manchester-Nashua, NH	0.9865	0.9946	0.0081	0.82%
31740	Manhattan, KS	0.8273	0.8473	0.0200	2.42%
31860	Mankato-North Mankato, MN	0.9293	0.9748	0.0455	4.90%
31900	Mansfield, OH	0.7956	0.8230	0.0274	3.44%
32420	Mayagüez, PR	0.3679	0.3542	(0.0137)	-3.72%
32580	McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	0.8078	0.8343	0.0265	3.28%
32780	Medford, OR	1.1131	1.0599	(0.0532)	-4.78%
32820	Memphis, TN-MS-AR	0.8791	0.8840	0.0049	0.56%
32900	Merced, CA	1.3375	1.3471	0.0096	0.72%
33124	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL	0.9519	0.9366	(0.0153)	-1.61%
33140	Michigan City-La Porte, IN	0.9693	0.9502	(0.0191)	-1.97%
33220	Midland, MI	0.9127	0.9540	0.0413	4.53%
33260	Midland, TX	0.9123	0.9130	0.0007	0.08%
33340	Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	0.9893	0.9831	(0.0062)	-0.63%
33460	Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	1.1147	1.1313	0.0166	1.49%
33540	Missoula, MT	0.9246	0.9501	0.0255	2.76%
33660	Mobile, AL	0.7534	0.7313	(0.0221)	-2.93%
33700	Modesto, CA	1.3051	1.2769	(0.0282)	-2.16%
33740	Monroe, LA	0.7707	0.8156	0.0449	5.83%
33780	Monroe, MI	0.8121	0.8242	0.0121	1.49%
33860	Montgomery, AL	0.7471	0.7323	(0.0148)	-1.98%
33874	Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County	1.0124	1.0109	(0.0015)	-0.15%
34060	Morgantown, WV	0.8044	0.7923	(0.0121)	-1.50%
34100	Morristown, TN	0.7328	0.7100	(0.0228)	-3.11%
34580	Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	0.9341	0.9461	0.0120	1.28%
34620	Muncie, IN	1.0056	1.0085	0.0029	0.29%
34740	Muskegon, MI	0.9218	0.9335	0.0117	1.27%
34820	Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	0.8366	0.8403	0.0037	0.44%
34900	Napa, CA	1.5840	1.5181	(0.0659)	-4.16%
34940	Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL	0.8461	0.8607	0.0146	1.73%
34980	Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	0.9296	0.8976	(0.0320)	-3.44%
35004	Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY	1.2701	1.2762	0.0061	0.48%
35084	Newark, NJ-PA	1.1082	1.1380	0.0298	2.69%
35100	New Bern, NC	0.8539	0.5988	(0.2551)	-29.87%
35300	New Haven-Milford, CT	1.2189	1.1835	(0.0354)	-2.90%
35380	New Orleans-Metairie, LA	0.8201	0.8305	0.0104	1.27%
35614	New York-Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ	1.2888	1.2825	(0.0063)	-0.49%
35660	Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	0.8012	0.8243	0.0231	2.88%
35840	North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton, FL	0.9708	0.9904	0.0196	2.02%
35980	Norwich-New London, CT	1.1762	1.2065	0.0303	2.58%
36084	Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley, CA	1.7894	1.7119	(0.0775)	-4.33%

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36100	Ocala, FL	0.8298	0.8301	0.0003	0.04%
36140	Ocean City, NJ	1.0856	1.1032	0.0176	1.62%
36220	Odessa, TX	0.9138	0.9274	0.0136	1.49%
36260	Ogden-Clearfield, UT	0.9144	0.9207	0.0063	0.69%
36420	Oklahoma City, OK	0.9084	0.9105	0.0021	0.23%
36500	Olympia-Tumwater, WA	1.1716	1.1731	0.0015	0.13%
36540	Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	0.9571	0.9438	(0.0133)	-1.39%
36740	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	0.9025	0.9038	0.0013	0.14%
36780	Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	0.9349	0.9439	0.0090	0.96%
36980	Owensboro, KY	0.7935	0.8244	0.0309	3.89%
37100	Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	1.3360	1.3283	(0.0077)	-0.58%
37340	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	0.8645	0.8815	0.0170	1.97%
37460	Panama City, FL	0.8304	0.8094	(0.0210)	-2.53%
37620	Parkersburg-Vienna, WV	0.7128	0.6970	(0.0158)	-2.22%
37860	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	0.7915	0.8330	0.0415	5.24%
37900	Peoria, IL	0.8918	0.9082	0.0164	1.84%
37964	Philadelphia, PA	1.1145	1.0932	(0.0213)	-1.91%
38060	Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	1.0136	1.0089	(0.0047)	-0.46%
38220	Pine Bluff, AR	0.7931	0.7696	(0.0235)	-2.96%
38300	Pittsburgh, PA	0.8670	0.8754	0.0084	0.97%
38340	Pittsfield, MA	1.0627	1.0700	0.0073	0.69%
38540	Pocatello, ID	0.9666	0.8802	(0.0864)	-8.94%
38660	Ponce, PR	0.4054	0.4064	0.0010	0.25%
38860	Portland-South Portland, ME	1.0203	1.0096	(0.0107)	-1.05%
38900	Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	1.2216	1.2085	(0.0131)	-1.07%
38940	Port St. Lucie, FL	0.9408	0.9114	(0.0294)	-3.13%
39140	Prescott, AZ	1.0909	1.0408	(0.0501)	-4.59%
39300	Providence-Warwick, RI-MA	1.0578	1.0702	0.0124	1.17%
39340	Provo-Orem, UT	0.9607	0.9611	0.0004	0.04%
39380	Pueblo, CO	0.8267	0.8545	0.0278	3.36%
39460	Punta Gorda, FL	0.8785	0.8814	0.0029	0.33%
39540	Racine, WI	0.9042	0.8877	(0.0165)	-1.82%
39580	Raleigh, NC	0.9411	0.9307	(0.0104)	-1.11%
39660	Rapid City, SD	0.8352	0.8597	0.0245	2.93%
39740	Reading, PA	0.9627	0.9443	(0.0184)	-1.91%
39820	Redding, CA	1.4968	1.4776	(0.0192)	-1.28%
39900	Reno, NV	0.9548	0.9472	(0.0076)	-0.80%
40060	Richmond, VA	0.9348	0.9311	(0.0037)	-0.40%
40140	Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	1.1724	1.1849	0.0125	1.07%
40220	Roanoke, VA	0.9034	0.8865	(0.0169)	-1.87%
40340	Rochester, MN	1.0959	1.1158	0.0199	1.82%
40380	Rochester, NY	0.8491	0.8798	0.0307	3.62%
40420	Rockford, IL	0.9997	1.0015	0.0018	0.18%
40484	Rockingham County--Strafford County, NH	0.9865	0.9820	(0.0045)	-0.46%
40580	Rocky Mount, NC	0.9007	0.8582	(0.0425)	-4.72%
40660	Rome, GA	0.8723	0.8893	0.0170	1.95%
40900	Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade, CA	1.6601	1.6454	(0.0147)	-0.89%
40980	Saginaw, MI	0.8803	0.8787	(0.0016)	-0.18%
41060	St. Cloud, MN	0.9923	0.9881	(0.0042)	-0.42%
41100	St. George, UT	0.9543	0.9473	(0.0070)	-0.73%
41140	St. Joseph, MO-KS	0.9540	0.9527	(0.0013)	-0.14%
41180	St. Louis, MO-IL	0.9214	0.9242	0.0028	0.30%
41420	Salem, OR	1.0489	1.0673	0.0184	1.75%
41500	Salinas, CA	1.7225	1.7175	(0.0050)	-0.29%

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41540	Salisbury, MD-DE	0.9942	0.9508	(0.0434)	-4.37%
41620	Salt Lake City, UT	0.9579	0.9652	0.0073	0.76%
41660	San Angelo, TX	0.8455	0.7812	(0.0643)	-7.60%
41700	San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	0.8596	0.8537	(0.0059)	-0.69%
41740	San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	1.2605	1.2542	(0.0063)	-0.50%
41884	San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, (1.7676	1.7841	0.0165	0.93%
41900	San Germán, PR	0.4636	0.4655	0.0019	0.41%
41940	San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	1.7934	1.7953	0.0019	0.11%
41980	San Juan-Carolina-Caguas, PR	0.4241	0.4275	0.0034	0.80%
42020	San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande, CA	1.3197	1.3489	0.0292	2.21%
42034	San Rafael, CA	1.7876	1.7928	0.0052	0.29%
42100	Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	1.8787	1.8708	(0.0079)	-0.42%
42140	Santa Fe, NM	1.0135	1.0997	0.0862	8.51%
42200	Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA	1.3095	1.3668	0.0573	4.38%
42220	Santa Rosa, CA	1.6635	1.6746	0.0111	0.67%
42340	Savannah, GA	0.8352	0.8010	(0.0342)	-4.09%
42540	Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA	0.8350	0.8383	0.0033	0.40%
42644	Seattle-Bellevue--Everett, WA	1.1549	1.1621	0.0072	0.62%
42680	Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	0.8645	0.8527	(0.0118)	-1.36%
42700	Sebring, FL	0.7785	0.7920	0.0135	1.73%
43100	Sheboygan, WI	0.9518	0.9341	(0.0177)	-1.86%
43300	Sherman-Denison, TX	0.8993	0.9224	0.0231	2.57%
43340	Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	0.9278	0.8689	(0.0589)	-6.35%
43420	Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	0.8795	0.9080	0.0285	3.24%
43524	Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville, MD	0.9797	0.9886	0.0089	0.91%
43580	Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	0.8753	0.8470	(0.0283)	-3.23%
43620	Sioux Falls, SD	0.8068	0.8199	0.0131	1.62%
43780	South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	0.9565	0.9208	(0.0357)	-3.73%
43900	Spartanburg, SC	0.8387	0.8520	0.0133	1.59%
44060	Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	1.1301	1.1393	0.0092	0.81%
44100	Springfield, IL	0.9233	0.9241	0.0008	0.09%
44140	Springfield, MA	1.0017	0.9993	(0.0024)	-0.24%
44180	Springfield, MO	0.8143	0.8424	0.0281	3.45%
44220	Springfield, OH	0.8668	0.9144	0.0476	5.49%
44300	State College, PA	1.0123	1.0220	0.0097	0.96%
44420	Staunton-Waynesboro, VA	0.8512	0.8616	0.0104	1.22%
44700	Stockton-Lodi, CA	1.4510	1.4444	(0.0066)	-0.45%
44940	Sumter, SC	0.7088	0.6840	(0.0248)	-3.50%
45060	Syracuse, NY	0.9899	1.0039	0.0140	1.41%
45104	Tacoma-Lakewood, WA	1.1998	1.1781	(0.0217)	-1.81%
45220	Tallahassee, FL	0.8403	0.8303	(0.0100)	-1.19%
45300	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	0.9044	0.9048	0.0004	0.04%
45460	Terre Haute, IN	0.9277	0.9575	0.0298	3.21%
45500	Texarkana, TX-AR	0.7773	0.8320	0.0547	7.04%
45540	The Villages, FL	0.8122	0.8047	(0.0075)	-0.92%
45780	Toledo, OH	0.8961	0.8991	0.0030	0.33%
45820	Topeka, KS	0.8649	0.9053	0.0404	4.67%
45940	Trenton, NJ	0.9738	1.0320	0.0582	5.98%
46060	Tucson, AZ	0.8778	0.8579	(0.0199)	-2.27%
46140	Tulsa, OK	0.7982	0.8315	0.0333	4.17%
46220	Tuscaloosa, AL	0.7583	0.7556	(0.0027)	-0.36%
46340	Tyler, TX	0.8373	0.7898	(0.0475)	-5.67%
46520	Urban Honolulu, HI	1.2308	1.2767	0.0459	3.73%
46540	Utica-Rome, NY	0.9100	0.9338	0.0238	2.62%

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		Wage Index FR	Wage Index PR		
46660	Valdosta, GA	0.7784	0.7304	(0.0480)	-6.17%
46700	Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	1.7457	1.7102	(0.0355)	-2.03%
47020	Victoria, TX	0.8522	0.8539	0.0017	0.20%
47220	Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ	1.0678	1.0510	(0.0168)	-1.57%
47260	Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	0.8991	0.9025	0.0034	0.38%
47300	Visalia-Porterville, CA	0.9550	0.9530	(0.0020)	-0.21%
47380	Waco, TX	0.8254	0.8472	0.0218	2.64%
47460	Walla Walla, WA	1.0892	1.0834	(0.0058)	-0.53%
47580	Warner Robins, GA	0.7538	0.7294	(0.0244)	-3.24%
47664	Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI	0.9419	0.9470	0.0051	0.54%
47894	Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	1.0325	1.0384	0.0059	0.57%
47940	Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	0.8340	0.8238	(0.0102)	-1.22%
48060	Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	0.9224	0.9072	(0.0152)	-1.65%
48140	Wausau, WI	0.8770	0.8978	0.0208	2.37%
48260	Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	0.7506	0.7873	0.0367	4.89%
48300	Wenatchee, WA	1.0047	1.0094	0.0047	0.47%
48424	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL	0.9203	0.9166	(0.0037)	-0.40%
48540	Wheeling, WV-OH	0.6604	0.6729	0.0125	1.89%
48620	Wichita, KS	0.8618	0.8620	0.0002	0.02%
48660	Wichita Falls, TX	0.8882	0.9032	0.0150	1.69%
48700	Williamsport, PA	0.8537	0.8479	(0.0058)	-0.68%
48864	Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ	1.0873	1.0939	0.0066	0.61%
48900	Wilmington, NC	0.8751	0.8643	(0.0108)	-1.23%
49020	Winchester, VA-WV	0.8410	0.9007	0.0597	7.10%
49180	Winston-Salem, NC	0.8531	0.8665	0.0134	1.57%
49340	Worcester, MA-CT	1.1459	1.1783	0.0324	2.83%
49420	Yakima, WA	0.9952	0.9980	0.0028	0.28%
49620	York-Hanover, PA	0.9931	0.9867	(0.0064)	-0.64%
49660	Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	0.7825	0.7824	(0.0001)	-0.01%
49700	Yuba City, CA	1.2072	1.2829	0.0757	6.27%
49740	Yuma, AZ	1.0471	1.0137	(0.0334)	-3.19%
99901	ALABAMA	0.6873	0.6841	(0.0032)	-0.47%
99902	ALASKA	1.4366	1.3467	(0.0899)	-6.26%
99903	ARIZONA	0.8892	0.8918	0.0026	0.29%
99904	ARKANSAS	0.7263	0.7170	(0.0093)	-1.28%
99905	CALIFORNIA	1.3015	1.3012	(0.0003)	-0.02%
99906	COLORADO	1.0003	1.0138	0.0135	1.35%
99907	CONNECTICUT	1.1145	1.0980	(0.0165)	-1.48%
99908	DELAWARE ¹	-----	-----		
99910	FLORIDA	0.8146	0.8257	0.0111	1.36%
99911	GEORGIA	0.7420	0.7368	(0.0052)	-0.70%
99912	HAWAII	1.1143	1.1401	0.0258	2.32%
99913	IDAHO	0.7320	0.7595	0.0275	3.76%
99914	ILLINOIS	0.8524	0.8522	(0.0002)	-0.02%
99915	INDIANA	0.8167	0.8035	(0.0132)	-1.62%
99916	IOWA	0.8254	0.8381	0.0127	1.54%
99917	KANSAS	0.7688	0.7740	0.0052	0.68%
99918	KENTUCKY	0.7905	0.7814	(0.0091)	-1.15%
99919	LOUISIANA	0.7050	0.6985	(0.0065)	-0.92%
99920	MAINE	0.8406	0.8477	0.0071	0.84%
99921	MARYLAND	0.8738	0.8909	0.0171	1.96%
99922	MASSACHUSETTS	1.0836	1.1083	0.0247	2.28%

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99923	MICHIGAN	0.8382	0.8415	0.0033	0.39%
99924	MINNESOTA	0.9042	0.9018	(0.0024)	-0.27%
99925	MISSISSIPPI	0.7500	0.7485	(0.0015)	-0.20%
99926	MISSOURI	0.7776	0.7769	(0.0007)	-0.09%
99927	MONTANA	0.9293	0.8969	(0.0324)	-3.49%
99928	NEBRASKA	0.8859	0.8837	(0.0022)	-0.25%
99929	NEVADA	0.8979	0.7904	(0.1075)	-11.97%
99930	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1.0212	1.0652	0.0440	4.31%
99931	NEW JERSEY ¹	-----	-----		
99932	NEW MEXICO	0.8483	0.8411	(0.0072)	-0.85%
99933	NEW YORK	0.8408	0.8503	0.0095	1.13%
99934	NORTH CAROLINA	0.7958	0.7779	(0.0179)	-2.25%
99935	NORTH DAKOTA	0.7698	0.7955	0.0257	3.34%
99936	OHIO	0.8251	0.8050	(0.0201)	-2.44%
99937	OKLAHOMA	0.7838	0.7742	(0.0096)	-1.22%
99938	OREGON	1.0499	1.0524	0.0025	0.24%
99939	PENNSYLVANIA	0.8048	0.7961	(0.0087)	-1.08%
99940	PUERTO RICO	0.4047	0.4047	0.0000	0.00%
99941	RHODE ISLAND ¹	-----	-----		
99942	SOUTH CAROLINA	0.8181	0.8113	(0.0068)	-0.83%
99943	SOUTH DAKOTA	0.8213	0.7754	(0.0459)	-5.59%
99944	TENNESSEE	0.7252	0.7220	(0.0032)	-0.44%
99945	TEXAS	0.7783	0.7809	0.0026	0.33%
99946	UTAH	0.9130	0.9004	(0.0126)	-1.38%
99947	VERMONT	0.9641	0.9912	0.0271	2.81%
99948	VIRGIN ISLANDS	0.7108	0.6746	(0.0362)	-5.09%
99949	VIRGINIA	0.7593	0.7703	0.0110	1.45%
99950	WASHINGTON	1.0644	1.0526	(0.0118)	-1.11%
99951	WEST VIRGINIA	0.7303	0.7363	0.0060	0.82%
99952	WISCONSIN	0.9301	0.9090	(0.0211)	-2.27%
99953	WYOMING	0.9179	0.9432	0.0253	2.76%
99965	GUAM	0.9611	0.9611	0.0000	0.00%

¹There are no rural areas in the State.

Attachment 3

Comparison of
PPS Payment Rate
by Payment Group
CY 2017 to CY 2018
Urban and Rural



**Medicare Home Health Prospective Payment
Comparison of PPS Payment Rates - URBAN**

Pymt Group	Clinical	Functional	Service	1st 4 positions HIPPS	Episode Timing	Therapy Visits	Proposed 2018 Case Mix Weight	Proposed 2018 Pymt Amount	2017 Case Mix Weight	2017 Pymt Amount	Difference
10111	C1	F1	S1	1AFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.5617	\$ 1,672.55	0.5857	\$ 1,716.20	\$ (43.65)
10112	C1	F1	S2	1AFL	1 and 2	6	0.6925	\$ 2,062.03	0.7168	\$ 2,100.35	\$ (38.32)
10113	C1	F1	S3	1AFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.8232	\$ 2,451.21	0.8479	\$ 2,484.49	\$ (33.28)
10114	C1	F1	S4	1AFN	1 and 2	10	0.9539	\$ 2,840.39	0.9790	\$ 2,868.64	\$ (28.25)
10115	C1	F1	S5	1AFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.0846	\$ 3,229.57	1.1100	\$ 3,252.49	\$ (22.92)
10121	C1	F2	S1	1AGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.6662	\$ 1,983.72	0.6896	\$ 2,020.65	\$ (36.93)
10122	C1	F2	S2	1AGL	1 and 2	6	0.7845	\$ 2,335.98	0.8030	\$ 2,352.93	\$ (16.95)
10123	C1	F2	S3	1AGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9027	\$ 2,687.93	0.9164	\$ 2,685.21	\$ 2.73
10124	C1	F2	S4	1AGN	1 and 2	10	1.0209	\$ 3,039.89	1.0298	\$ 3,017.49	\$ 22.40
10125	C1	F2	S5	1AGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1392	\$ 3,392.15	1.1433	\$ 3,350.06	\$ 42.09
10131	C1	F3	S1	1AHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7157	\$ 2,131.11	0.7460	\$ 2,185.91	\$ (54.80)
10132	C1	F3	S2	1AHL	1 and 2	6	0.8311	\$ 2,474.73	0.8630	\$ 2,528.74	\$ (54.00)
10133	C1	F3	S3	1AHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9464	\$ 2,818.06	0.9800	\$ 2,871.57	\$ (53.51)
10134	C1	F3	S4	1AHN	1 and 2	10	1.0618	\$ 3,161.68	1.0970	\$ 3,214.40	\$ (52.72)
10135	C1	F3	S5	1AHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1772	\$ 3,505.30	1.2140	\$ 3,557.23	\$ (51.92)
10211	C2	F1	S1	1BFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.5975	\$ 1,779.15	0.6193	\$ 1,814.65	\$ (35.50)
10212	C2	F1	S2	1BFL	1 and 2	6	0.7343	\$ 2,186.50	0.7526	\$ 2,205.25	\$ (18.75)
10213	C2	F1	S3	1BFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.8711	\$ 2,593.84	0.8860	\$ 2,596.13	\$ (2.29)
10214	C2	F1	S4	1BFN	1 and 2	10	1.0078	\$ 3,000.89	1.0193	\$ 2,986.72	\$ 14.16
10215	C2	F1	S5	1BFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1446	\$ 3,408.23	1.1526	\$ 3,377.31	\$ 30.92
10221	C2	F2	S1	1BGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7020	\$ 2,090.32	0.7232	\$ 2,119.10	\$ (28.78)
10222	C2	F2	S2	1BGL	1 and 2	6	0.8263	\$ 2,460.44	0.8389	\$ 2,458.12	\$ 2.32
10223	C2	F2	S3	1BGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9506	\$ 2,830.56	0.9545	\$ 2,796.85	\$ 33.72
10224	C2	F2	S4	1BGN	1 and 2	10	1.0749	\$ 3,200.69	1.0702	\$ 3,135.87	\$ 64.82
10225	C2	F2	S5	1BGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1991	\$ 3,570.51	1.1858	\$ 3,474.60	\$ 95.92
10231	C2	F3	S1	1BHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7514	\$ 2,237.41	0.7796	\$ 2,284.36	\$ (46.95)
10232	C2	F3	S2	1BHL	1 and 2	6	0.8729	\$ 2,599.20	0.8988	\$ 2,633.64	\$ (34.44)
10233	C2	F3	S3	1BHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9943	\$ 2,960.69	1.0181	\$ 2,983.21	\$ (22.52)
10234	C2	F3	S4	1BHN	1 and 2	10	1.1157	\$ 3,322.18	1.1373	\$ 3,332.48	\$ (10.31)
10235	C2	F3	S5	1BHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.2372	\$ 3,683.96	1.2565	\$ 3,681.76	\$ 2.20
10311	C3	F1	S1	1CFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.6412	\$ 1,909.28	0.6643	\$ 1,946.51	\$ (37.24)
10312	C3	F1	S2	1CFL	1 and 2	6	0.7929	\$ 2,360.99	0.8204	\$ 2,403.91	\$ (42.92)
10313	C3	F1	S3	1CFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9446	\$ 2,812.70	0.9765	\$ 2,861.31	\$ (48.61)
10314	C3	F1	S4	1CFN	1 and 2	10	1.0963	\$ 3,264.41	1.1325	\$ 3,318.42	\$ (54.01)
10315	C3	F1	S5	1CFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.2480	\$ 3,716.12	1.2886	\$ 3,775.82	\$ (59.70)
10321	C3	F2	S1	1CGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7457	\$ 2,220.44	0.7682	\$ 2,250.96	\$ (30.51)
10322	C3	F2	S2	1CGL	1 and 2	6	0.8850	\$ 2,635.23	0.9066	\$ 2,656.49	\$ (21.26)
10323	C3	F2	S3	1CGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	1.0242	\$ 3,049.72	1.0450	\$ 3,062.03	\$ (12.31)
10324	C3	F2	S4	1CGN	1 and 2	10	1.1634	\$ 3,464.21	1.1834	\$ 3,467.56	\$ (3.35)
10325	C3	F2	S5	1CGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.3026	\$ 3,878.70	1.3218	\$ 3,873.10	\$ 5.60
10331	C3	F3	S1	1CHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7952	\$ 2,367.84	0.8246	\$ 2,416.22	\$ (48.38)
10332	C3	F3	S2	1CHL	1 and 2	6	0.9315	\$ 2,773.69	0.9666	\$ 2,832.30	\$ (58.61)
10333	C3	F3	S3	1CHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	1.0679	\$ 3,179.84	1.1086	\$ 3,248.39	\$ (68.54)
10334	C3	F3	S4	1CHN	1 and 2	10	1.2043	\$ 3,586.00	1.2505	\$ 3,664.18	\$ (78.18)
10335	C3	F3	S5	1CHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.3406	\$ 3,991.85	1.3925	\$ 4,080.26	\$ (88.41)
21111	C1	F1	S1	2AFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2154	\$ 3,619.05	1.2411	\$ 3,636.63	\$ (17.59)
21112	C1	F1	S2	2AFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.3780	\$ 4,103.22	1.4125	\$ 4,138.87	\$ (35.65)
21113	C1	F1	S3	2AFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.5406	\$ 4,587.39	1.5838	\$ 4,640.80	\$ (53.42)
21121	C1	F2	S1	2AGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2574	\$ 3,744.11	1.2567	\$ 3,682.35	\$ 61.77
21122	C1	F2	S2	2AGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4176	\$ 4,221.13	1.4388	\$ 4,215.93	\$ 5.20
21123	C1	F2	S3	2AGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.5779	\$ 4,698.45	1.6209	\$ 4,749.51	\$ (51.06)
21131	C1	F3	S1	2AHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2926	\$ 3,848.93	1.3310	\$ 3,900.06	\$ (51.13)
21132	C1	F3	S2	2AHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4558	\$ 4,334.88	1.5089	\$ 4,421.33	\$ (86.45)
21133	C1	F3	S3	2AHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6189	\$ 4,820.54	1.6868	\$ 4,942.61	\$ (122.08)
21211	C2	F1	S1	2BFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2814	\$ 3,815.58	1.2859	\$ 3,767.91	\$ 47.67
21212	C2	F1	S2	2BFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4573	\$ 4,339.35	1.4769	\$ 4,327.57	\$ 11.78
21213	C2	F1	S3	2BFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6332	\$ 4,863.12	1.6679	\$ 4,887.23	\$ (24.11)
21221	C2	F2	S1	2BGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3234	\$ 3,940.64	1.3014	\$ 3,813.32	\$ 127.31
21222	C2	F2	S2	2BGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4970	\$ 4,457.56	1.5032	\$ 4,404.63	\$ 52.93
21223	C2	F2	S3	2BGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6705	\$ 4,974.18	1.7049	\$ 4,995.65	\$ (21.46)
21231	C2	F3	S1	2BHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3586	\$ 4,045.45	1.3757	\$ 4,031.04	\$ 14.42
21232	C2	F3	S2	2BHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.5351	\$ 4,571.01	1.5733	\$ 4,610.04	\$ (39.03)
21233	C2	F3	S3	2BHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.7116	\$ 5,096.57	1.7708	\$ 5,188.75	\$ (92.18)
21311	C3	F1	S1	2CFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3997	\$ 4,167.83	1.4446	\$ 4,232.92	\$ (65.09)
21312	C3	F1	S2	2CFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6178	\$ 4,817.26	1.6636	\$ 4,874.63	\$ (57.37)
21313	C3	F1	S3	2CFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.8359	\$ 5,466.69	1.8826	\$ 5,516.34	\$ (49.65)
21321	C3	F2	S1	2CGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.4418	\$ 4,293.19	1.4602	\$ 4,278.64	\$ 14.56
21322	C3	F2	S2	2CGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6575	\$ 4,935.47	1.6899	\$ 4,951.70	\$ (16.22)
21323	C3	F2	S3	2CGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.8732	\$ 5,577.76	1.9197	\$ 5,625.05	\$ (47.29)
21331	C3	F3	S1	2CHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.4770	\$ 4,398.01	1.5345	\$ 4,496.35	\$ (98.34)
21332	C3	F3	S2	2CHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6956	\$ 5,048.92	1.7601	\$ 5,157.39	\$ (108.47)
21333	C3	F3	S3	2CHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.9142	\$ 5,699.84	1.9856	\$ 5,818.15	\$ (118.31)
22111	C1	F1	S1	4AFK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2300	\$ 3,662.52	1.2523	\$ 3,669.45	\$ (6.93)
22112	C1	F1	S2	4AFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.3877	\$ 4,132.10	1.4200	\$ 4,160.84	\$ (28.74)
22113	C1	F1	S3	4AFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.5455	\$ 4,601.98	1.5876	\$ 4,651.94	\$ (49.96)
22121	C1	F2	S1	4AGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2549	\$ 3,736.67	1.2523	\$ 3,669.45	\$ 67.21
22122	C1	F2	S2	4AGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4159	\$ 4,216.07	1.4359	\$ 4,207.43	\$ 8.64
22123	C1	F2	S3	4AGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.5770	\$ 4,695.77	1.6195	\$ 4,745.41	\$ (49.64)
22131	C1	F3	S1	4AHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3037	\$ 3,881.98	1.3315	\$ 3,901.52	\$ (19.54)
22132	C1	F3	S2	4AHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4632	\$ 4,356.91	1.5093	\$ 4,422.51	\$ (65.59)
22133	C1	F3	S3	4AHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6226	\$ 4,831.55	1.6870	\$ 4,943.20	\$ (111.64)
22211	C2	F1	S1	4BFK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2852	\$ 3,826.89	1.3117	\$ 3,843.50	\$ (16.61)
22212	C2	F1	S2	4BFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4598	\$ 4,346.79	1.4941	\$ 4,377.97	\$ (31.18)

**Medicare Home Health Prospective Payment
Comparison of PPS Payment Rates - URBAN**

Pymt Group	Clinical	Functional	Service	1st 4 positions HIPPS	Episode Timing	Therapy Visits	Proposed 2018 Case Mix Weight	Proposed 2018 Pymt Amount	2017 Case Mix Weight	2017 Pymt Amount	Difference
22213	C2	F1	S3	4BFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6345	\$ 4,866.99	1.6765	\$ 4,912.43	\$ (45.44)
22221	C2	F2	S1	4BGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3100	\$ 3,900.74	1.3117	\$ 3,843.50	\$ 57.23
22222	C2	F2	S2	4BGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4880	\$ 4,430.76	1.5100	\$ 4,424.56	\$ 6.20
22223	C2	F2	S3	4BGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6660	\$ 4,960.78	1.7083	\$ 5,005.61	\$ (44.83)
22231	C2	F3	S1	4BHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3588	\$ 4,046.05	1.3909	\$ 4,075.57	\$ (29.53)
22232	C2	F3	S2	4BHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.5352	\$ 4,571.31	1.5834	\$ 4,639.63	\$ (68.33)
22233	C2	F3	S3	4BHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.7117	\$ 5,096.86	1.7759	\$ 5,203.69	\$ (106.83)
22311	C3	F1	S1	4CFK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.4954	\$ 4,452.79	1.5203	\$ 4,454.74	\$ (1.94)
22312	C3	F1	S2	4CFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.6816	\$ 5,007.24	1.7141	\$ 5,022.61	\$ (15.37)
22313	C3	F1	S3	4CFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.8678	\$ 5,561.68	1.9079	\$ 5,590.47	\$ (28.80)
22321	C3	F2	S1	4CGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.5202	\$ 4,526.64	1.5203	\$ 4,454.74	\$ 71.90
22322	C3	F2	S2	4CGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.7098	\$ 5,091.21	1.7300	\$ 5,069.20	\$ 22.01
22323	C3	F2	S3	4CGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.8993	\$ 5,655.47	1.9398	\$ 5,683.94	\$ (28.47)
22331	C3	F3	S1	4CHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.5690	\$ 4,671.95	1.5995	\$ 4,686.81	\$ (14.86)
22332	C3	F3	S2	4CHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.7570	\$ 5,231.75	1.8034	\$ 5,284.27	\$ (52.52)
22333	C3	F3	S3	4CHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.9449	\$ 5,791.25	2.0073	\$ 5,881.73	\$ (90.48)
30111	C1	F1	S1	3AFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.4628	\$ 1,378.06	0.4785	\$ 1,402.09	\$ (24.02)
30112	C1	F1	S2	3AFL	3rd +	6	0.6163	\$ 1,835.13	0.6333	\$ 1,855.68	\$ (20.54)
30113	C1	F1	S3	3AFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.7697	\$ 2,291.91	0.7880	\$ 2,308.97	\$ (17.07)
30114	C1	F1	S4	3AFN	3rd +	10	0.9232	\$ 2,748.98	0.9428	\$ 2,762.56	\$ (13.59)
30115	C1	F1	S5	3AFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.0766	\$ 3,205.75	1.0976	\$ 3,216.16	\$ (10.40)
30121	C1	F2	S1	3AGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5455	\$ 1,624.31	0.5578	\$ 1,634.45	\$ (10.13)
30122	C1	F2	S2	3AGL	3rd +	6	0.6874	\$ 2,046.84	0.6967	\$ 2,041.45	\$ 5.39
30123	C1	F2	S3	3AGM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8293	\$ 2,469.37	0.8356	\$ 2,448.45	\$ 20.92
30124	C1	F2	S4	3AGN	3rd +	10	0.9711	\$ 2,891.61	0.9745	\$ 2,855.45	\$ 36.16
30125	C1	F2	S5	3AGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1130	\$ 3,314.14	1.1134	\$ 3,262.45	\$ 51.69
30131	C1	F3	S1	3AHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5903	\$ 1,757.71	0.6039	\$ 1,769.53	\$ (11.82)
30132	C1	F3	S2	3AHL	3rd +	6	0.7330	\$ 2,182.63	0.7494	\$ 2,195.87	\$ (13.24)
30133	C1	F3	S3	3AHM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8757	\$ 2,607.54	0.8949	\$ 2,622.21	\$ (14.67)
30134	C1	F3	S4	3AHN	3rd +	10	1.0183	\$ 3,032.15	1.0405	\$ 3,048.84	\$ (16.69)
30135	C1	F3	S5	3AHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1610	\$ 3,457.06	1.1860	\$ 3,475.18	\$ (18.12)
30211	C2	F1	S1	3BFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.4835	\$ 1,439.70	0.4955	\$ 1,451.90	\$ (12.20)
30212	C2	F1	S2	3BFL	3rd +	6	0.6438	\$ 1,917.02	0.6587	\$ 1,930.10	\$ (13.08)
30213	C2	F1	S3	3BFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8041	\$ 2,394.34	0.8220	\$ 2,408.60	\$ (14.26)
30214	C2	F1	S4	3BFN	3rd +	10	0.9645	\$ 2,871.95	0.9852	\$ 2,886.80	\$ (14.85)
30215	C2	F1	S5	3BFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1248	\$ 3,349.27	1.1485	\$ 3,365.30	\$ (16.03)
30221	C2	F2	S1	3BGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5662	\$ 1,685.95	0.5748	\$ 1,684.26	\$ 1.69
30222	C2	F2	S2	3BGL	3rd +	6	0.7149	\$ 2,128.73	0.7222	\$ 2,116.17	\$ 12.56
30223	C2	F2	S3	3BGM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8637	\$ 2,571.81	0.8695	\$ 2,547.78	\$ 24.02
30224	C2	F2	S4	3BGN	3rd +	10	1.0125	\$ 3,014.88	1.0169	\$ 2,979.69	\$ 35.19
30225	C2	F2	S5	3BGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1612	\$ 3,457.66	1.1643	\$ 3,411.60	\$ 46.06
30231	C2	F3	S1	3BHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.6110	\$ 1,819.35	0.6208	\$ 1,819.05	\$ 0.30
30232	C2	F3	S2	3BHL	3rd +	6	0.7605	\$ 2,264.51	0.7748	\$ 2,270.30	\$ (5.78)
30233	C2	F3	S3	3BHM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.9101	\$ 2,709.97	0.9288	\$ 2,721.54	\$ (11.57)
30234	C2	F3	S4	3BHN	3rd +	10	1.0597	\$ 3,155.43	1.0829	\$ 3,173.08	\$ (17.65)
30235	C2	F3	S5	3BHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.2093	\$ 3,600.89	1.2369	\$ 3,624.33	\$ (23.44)
30311	C3	F1	S1	3CFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5993	\$ 1,784.51	0.6140	\$ 1,799.12	\$ (14.61)
30312	C3	F1	S2	3CFL	3rd +	6	0.7785	\$ 2,318.11	0.7953	\$ 2,330.36	\$ (12.26)
30313	C3	F1	S3	3CFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.9577	\$ 2,851.71	0.9765	\$ 2,861.31	\$ (9.61)
30314	C3	F1	S4	3CFN	3rd +	10	1.1369	\$ 3,385.30	1.1578	\$ 3,392.55	\$ (7.25)
30315	C3	F1	S5	3CFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.3162	\$ 3,919.20	1.3391	\$ 3,923.79	\$ (4.59)
30321	C3	F2	S1	3CGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.6820	\$ 2,030.77	0.6933	\$ 2,031.49	\$ (0.72)
30322	C3	F2	S2	3CGL	3rd +	6	0.8496	\$ 2,529.82	0.8587	\$ 2,516.14	\$ 13.68
30323	C3	F2	S3	3CGM	3rd +	7 to 9	1.0173	\$ 3,029.17	1.0241	\$ 3,000.79	\$ 28.39
30324	C3	F2	S4	3CGN	3rd +	10	1.1849	\$ 3,528.23	1.1895	\$ 3,485.44	\$ 42.79
30325	C3	F2	S5	3CGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.3526	\$ 4,027.58	1.3549	\$ 3,970.09	\$ 57.50
30331	C3	F3	S1	3CHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.7268	\$ 2,164.16	0.7393	\$ 2,166.28	\$ (2.11)
30332	C3	F3	S2	3CHL	3rd +	6	0.8952	\$ 2,665.60	0.9114	\$ 2,670.56	\$ (4.95)
30333	C3	F3	S3	3CHM	3rd +	7 to 9	1.0637	\$ 3,167.34	1.0834	\$ 3,174.55	\$ (7.21)
30334	C3	F3	S4	3CHN	3rd +	10	1.2321	\$ 3,668.78	1.2554	\$ 3,678.54	\$ (9.76)
30335	C3	F3	S5	3CHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.4006	\$ 4,170.51	1.4275	\$ 4,182.82	\$ (12.31)
40111	C1	F1	S1	5AFK	All	20+	1.7032	\$ 5,071.55	1.7552	\$ 5,143.04	\$ (71.48)
40121	C1	F2	S1	5AGK	All	20+	1.7381	\$ 5,175.47	1.8030	\$ 5,283.10	\$ (107.62)
40131	C1	F3	S1	5AHK	All	20+	1.7821	\$ 5,306.49	1.8648	\$ 5,464.18	\$ (157.69)
40211	C2	F1	S1	5BFK	All	20+	1.8091	\$ 5,386.89	1.8588	\$ 5,446.60	\$ (59.71)
40221	C2	F2	S1	5BGK	All	20+	1.8440	\$ 5,490.81	1.9067	\$ 5,586.96	\$ (96.15)
40231	C2	F3	S1	5BHK	All	20+	1.8881	\$ 5,622.12	1.9684	\$ 5,767.75	\$ (145.63)
40311	C3	F1	S1	5CFK	All	20+	2.0539	\$ 6,115.82	2.1016	\$ 6,158.05	\$ (42.23)
40321	C3	F2	S1	5CGK	All	20+	2.0889	\$ 6,220.04	2.1495	\$ 6,298.40	\$ (78.36)
40331	C3	F3	S1	5CHK	All	20+	2.1329	\$ 6,351.05	2.2112	\$ 6,479.19	\$ (128.14)

Based on Wage Index of 1.0000 / Amounts are at 98% (net of sequestration) / does not include reimbursement for non routine medical supplies

**Medicare Home Health Prospective Payment
Comparison of PPS Payment Rates - RURAL**

Pymt Group	Clinical	Functional	Service	1st 4 positions HPPS	Episode Timing	Therapy Visits	Proposed 2018 Case Mix Weight	Proposed 2018 Pymt Amount	2017 Case Mix Weight	2017 Pymt Amount	Difference
10111	C1	F1	S1	1AFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.5617	\$ 1,672.55	0.5857	\$ 1,767.69	\$ (95.14)
10112	C1	F1	S2	1AFL	1 and 2	6	0.6925	\$ 2,062.03	0.7168	\$ 2,163.36	\$ (101.33)
10113	C1	F1	S3	1AFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.8232	\$ 2,451.21	0.8479	\$ 2,559.03	\$ (107.82)
10114	C1	F1	S4	1AFN	1 and 2	10	0.9539	\$ 2,840.39	0.9790	\$ 2,954.70	\$ (114.31)
10115	C1	F1	S5	1AFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.0846	\$ 3,229.57	1.1100	\$ 3,350.07	\$ (120.49)
10121	C1	F2	S1	1AGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.6662	\$ 1,983.72	0.6896	\$ 2,081.27	\$ (97.55)
10122	C1	F2	S2	1AGL	1 and 2	6	0.7845	\$ 2,335.98	0.8030	\$ 2,423.52	\$ (87.54)
10123	C1	F2	S3	1AGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9027	\$ 2,687.93	0.9164	\$ 2,765.77	\$ (77.83)
10124	C1	F2	S4	1AGN	1 and 2	10	1.0209	\$ 3,039.89	1.0298	\$ 3,108.02	\$ (68.12)
10125	C1	F2	S5	1AGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1392	\$ 3,392.15	1.1433	\$ 3,450.57	\$ (58.42)
10131	C1	F3	S1	1AHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7157	\$ 2,131.11	0.7460	\$ 2,251.49	\$ (120.37)
10132	C1	F3	S2	1AHL	1 and 2	6	0.8311	\$ 2,474.73	0.8630	\$ 2,604.60	\$ (129.87)
10133	C1	F3	S3	1AHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9464	\$ 2,818.06	0.9800	\$ 2,957.72	\$ (139.66)
10134	C1	F3	S4	1AHN	1 and 2	10	1.0618	\$ 3,161.68	1.0970	\$ 3,310.83	\$ (149.15)
10135	C1	F3	S5	1AHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1772	\$ 3,505.30	1.2140	\$ 3,663.94	\$ (158.64)
10211	C2	F1	S1	1BFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.5975	\$ 1,779.15	0.6193	\$ 1,869.09	\$ (89.94)
10212	C2	F1	S2	1BFL	1 and 2	6	0.7343	\$ 2,186.50	0.7526	\$ 2,271.40	\$ (84.91)
10213	C2	F1	S3	1BFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.8711	\$ 2,593.84	0.8860	\$ 2,674.02	\$ (80.18)
10214	C2	F1	S4	1BFN	1 and 2	10	1.0078	\$ 3,000.89	1.0193	\$ 3,076.33	\$ (75.44)
10215	C2	F1	S5	1BFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1446	\$ 3,408.23	1.1526	\$ 3,478.64	\$ (70.40)
10221	C2	F2	S1	1BGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7020	\$ 2,090.32	0.7232	\$ 2,182.67	\$ (92.35)
10222	C2	F2	S2	1BGL	1 and 2	6	0.8263	\$ 2,460.44	0.8389	\$ 2,531.86	\$ (71.42)
10223	C2	F2	S3	1BGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9506	\$ 2,830.56	0.9545	\$ 2,880.75	\$ (50.19)
10224	C2	F2	S4	1BGN	1 and 2	10	1.0749	\$ 3,200.69	1.0702	\$ 3,229.95	\$ (29.26)
10225	C2	F2	S5	1BGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.1991	\$ 3,570.51	1.1858	\$ 3,578.84	\$ (8.32)
10231	C2	F3	S1	1BHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7514	\$ 2,237.41	0.7796	\$ 2,352.89	\$ (115.48)
10232	C2	F3	S2	1BHL	1 and 2	6	0.8729	\$ 2,599.20	0.8988	\$ 2,712.65	\$ (113.45)
10233	C2	F3	S3	1BHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9943	\$ 2,960.69	1.0181	\$ 3,072.70	\$ (112.02)
10234	C2	F3	S4	1BHN	1 and 2	10	1.1157	\$ 3,322.18	1.1373	\$ 3,432.46	\$ (110.28)
10235	C2	F3	S5	1BHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.2372	\$ 3,683.96	1.2565	\$ 3,792.21	\$ (108.25)
10311	C3	F1	S1	1CFK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.6412	\$ 1,909.28	0.6643	\$ 2,004.91	\$ (95.63)
10312	C3	F1	S2	1CFL	1 and 2	6	0.7929	\$ 2,360.99	0.8204	\$ 2,476.03	\$ (115.04)
10313	C3	F1	S3	1CFM	1 and 2	7 to 9	0.9446	\$ 2,812.70	0.9765	\$ 2,947.15	\$ (134.45)
10314	C3	F1	S4	1CFN	1 and 2	10	1.0963	\$ 3,264.41	1.1325	\$ 3,417.97	\$ (153.56)
10315	C3	F1	S5	1CFP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.2480	\$ 3,716.12	1.2886	\$ 3,889.09	\$ (172.97)
10321	C3	F2	S1	1CGK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7457	\$ 2,220.44	0.7682	\$ 2,318.49	\$ (98.04)
10322	C3	F2	S2	1CGL	1 and 2	6	0.8850	\$ 2,635.23	0.9066	\$ 2,736.19	\$ (100.96)
10323	C3	F2	S3	1CGM	1 and 2	7 to 9	1.0242	\$ 3,049.72	1.0450	\$ 3,153.89	\$ (104.17)
10324	C3	F2	S4	1CGN	1 and 2	10	1.1634	\$ 3,464.21	1.1834	\$ 3,571.59	\$ (107.38)
10325	C3	F2	S5	1CGP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.3026	\$ 3,878.70	1.3218	\$ 3,989.29	\$ (110.59)
10331	C3	F3	S1	1CHK	1 and 2	0 to 5	0.7952	\$ 2,367.84	0.8246	\$ 2,488.71	\$ (120.87)
10332	C3	F3	S2	1CHL	1 and 2	6	0.9315	\$ 2,773.69	0.9666	\$ 2,917.27	\$ (143.58)
10333	C3	F3	S3	1CHM	1 and 2	7 to 9	1.0679	\$ 3,179.84	1.1086	\$ 3,345.84	\$ (166.00)
10334	C3	F3	S4	1CHN	1 and 2	10	1.2043	\$ 3,586.00	1.2505	\$ 3,774.10	\$ (188.11)
10335	C3	F3	S5	1CHP	1 and 2	11 to 13	1.3406	\$ 3,991.85	1.3925	\$ 4,202.67	\$ (210.82)
21111	C1	F1	S1	2AFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2154	\$ 3,619.05	1.2411	\$ 3,745.73	\$ (126.69)
21112	C1	F1	S2	2AFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.3780	\$ 4,103.22	1.4125	\$ 4,263.03	\$ (159.82)
21113	C1	F1	S3	2AFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.5406	\$ 4,587.39	1.5838	\$ 4,780.03	\$ (192.64)
21121	C1	F2	S1	2AGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2574	\$ 3,744.11	1.2567	\$ 3,792.82	\$ (48.71)
21122	C1	F2	S2	2AGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4176	\$ 4,221.13	1.4388	\$ 4,342.41	\$ (121.28)
21123	C1	F2	S3	2AGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.5779	\$ 4,698.45	1.6209	\$ 4,892.00	\$ (193.55)
21131	C1	F3	S1	2AHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2926	\$ 3,848.93	1.3310	\$ 4,017.06	\$ (168.13)
21132	C1	F3	S2	2AHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4558	\$ 4,334.88	1.5089	\$ 4,553.98	\$ (219.10)
21133	C1	F3	S3	2AHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6189	\$ 4,820.54	1.6868	\$ 5,090.89	\$ (270.36)
21211	C2	F1	S1	2BFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.2814	\$ 3,815.58	1.2859	\$ 3,880.94	\$ (65.37)
21212	C2	F1	S2	2BFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4573	\$ 4,339.35	1.4769	\$ 4,457.40	\$ (118.05)
21213	C2	F1	S3	2BFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6332	\$ 4,863.12	1.6679	\$ 5,033.85	\$ (170.73)
21221	C2	F2	S1	2BGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3234	\$ 3,940.64	1.3014	\$ 3,927.72	\$ 12.91
21222	C2	F2	S2	2BGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.4970	\$ 4,457.56	1.5032	\$ 4,536.77	\$ (79.21)
21223	C2	F2	S3	2BGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.6705	\$ 4,974.18	1.7049	\$ 5,145.52	\$ (171.34)
21231	C2	F3	S1	2BHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3586	\$ 4,045.45	1.3757	\$ 4,151.97	\$ (106.52)
21232	C2	F3	S2	2BHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.5351	\$ 4,571.01	1.5733	\$ 4,748.34	\$ (177.33)
21233	C2	F3	S3	2BHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.7116	\$ 5,096.57	1.7708	\$ 5,344.41	\$ (247.84)
21311	C3	F1	S1	2CFK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.3997	\$ 4,167.83	1.4446	\$ 4,359.91	\$ (192.08)
21312	C3	F1	S2	2CFL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6178	\$ 4,817.26	1.6636	\$ 5,020.87	\$ (203.61)
21313	C3	F1	S3	2CFM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.8359	\$ 5,466.69	1.8826	\$ 5,681.83	\$ (215.14)
21321	C3	F2	S1	2CGK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.4418	\$ 4,293.19	1.4602	\$ 4,407.00	\$ (113.80)
21322	C3	F2	S2	2CGL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6575	\$ 4,935.47	1.6899	\$ 5,100.25	\$ (164.77)
21323	C3	F2	S3	2CGM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.8732	\$ 5,577.76	1.9197	\$ 5,793.80	\$ (216.05)
21331	C3	F3	S1	2CHK	1 and 2	14 to 15	1.4770	\$ 4,398.01	1.5345	\$ 4,631.24	\$ (233.23)
21332	C3	F3	S2	2CHL	1 and 2	16 to 17	1.6956	\$ 5,048.92	1.7601	\$ 5,312.12	\$ (263.19)
21333	C3	F3	S3	2CHM	1 and 2	18 to 19	1.9142	\$ 5,699.84	1.9856	\$ 5,992.69	\$ (292.85)
22111	C1	F1	S1	4AFK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2300	\$ 3,662.52	1.2523	\$ 3,779.54	\$ (117.01)
22112	C1	F1	S2	4AFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.3877	\$ 4,132.10	1.4200	\$ 4,285.67	\$ (153.57)
22113	C1	F1	S3	4AFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.5455	\$ 4,601.98	1.5876	\$ 4,791.50	\$ (189.52)
22121	C1	F2	S1	4AGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2549	\$ 3,736.67	1.2523	\$ 3,779.54	\$ (42.87)
22122	C1	F2	S2	4AGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4159	\$ 4,216.07	1.4359	\$ 4,333.66	\$ (117.59)
22123	C1	F2	S3	4AGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.5770	\$ 4,695.77	1.6195	\$ 4,887.78	\$ (192.00)
22131	C1	F3	S1	4AHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3037	\$ 3,881.98	1.3315	\$ 4,018.57	\$ (136.59)
22132	C1	F3	S2	4AHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4632	\$ 4,356.91	1.5093	\$ 4,555.18	\$ (198.27)
22133	C1	F3	S3	4AHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6226	\$ 4,831.55	1.6870	\$ 5,091.50	\$ (259.94)
22211	C2	F1	S1	4BFL	3rd +	14 to 15	1.2852	\$ 3,826.89	1.3117	\$ 3,958.81	\$ (131.92)

**Medicare Home Health Prospective Payment
Comparison of PPS Payment Rates - RURAL**

Pymt Group	Clinical	Functional	Service	1st 4 positions HPPS	Episode Timing	Therapy Visits	Proposed 2018 Case Mix Weight	Proposed 2018 Pymt Amount	2017 Case Mix Weight	2017 Pymt Amount	Difference
22212	C2	F1	S2	4BFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4598	\$ 4,346.79	1.4941	\$ 4,509.31	\$ (162.52)
22213	C2	F1	S3	4BFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6345	\$ 4,866.99	1.6765	\$ 5,059.81	\$ (192.82)
22221	C2	F2	S1	4BGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3100	\$ 3,900.74	1.3117	\$ 3,958.81	\$ (58.07)
22222	C2	F2	S2	4BGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.4880	\$ 4,430.76	1.5100	\$ 4,557.30	\$ (126.54)
22223	C2	F2	S3	4BGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.6660	\$ 4,960.78	1.7083	\$ 5,155.78	\$ (195.00)
22231	C2	F3	S1	4BHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.3588	\$ 4,046.05	1.3909	\$ 4,197.84	\$ (151.80)
22232	C2	F3	S2	4BHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.5352	\$ 4,571.31	1.5834	\$ 4,778.82	\$ (207.52)
22233	C2	F3	S3	4BHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.7117	\$ 5,096.86	1.7759	\$ 5,359.80	\$ (262.94)
22311	C3	F1	S1	4CFK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.4954	\$ 4,452.79	1.5203	\$ 4,588.38	\$ (135.59)
22312	C3	F1	S2	4CFL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.6816	\$ 5,007.24	1.7141	\$ 5,173.29	\$ (166.05)
22313	C3	F1	S3	4CFM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.8678	\$ 5,561.68	1.9079	\$ 5,758.19	\$ (196.51)
22321	C3	F2	S1	4CGK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.5202	\$ 4,526.64	1.5203	\$ 4,588.38	\$ (61.74)
22322	C3	F2	S2	4CGL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.7098	\$ 5,091.21	1.7300	\$ 5,221.27	\$ (130.07)
22323	C3	F2	S3	4CGM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.8993	\$ 5,655.47	1.9398	\$ 5,854.46	\$ (198.99)
22331	C3	F3	S1	4CHK	3rd +	14 to 15	1.5690	\$ 4,671.95	1.5995	\$ 4,827.41	\$ (155.46)
22332	C3	F3	S2	4CHL	3rd +	16 to 17	1.7570	\$ 5,231.75	1.8034	\$ 5,442.80	\$ (211.05)
22333	C3	F3	S3	4CHM	3rd +	18 to 19	1.9449	\$ 5,791.25	2.0073	\$ 6,058.19	\$ (266.93)
30111	C1	F1	S1	3AFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.4628	\$ 1,378.06	0.4785	\$ 1,444.15	\$ (66.09)
30112	C1	F1	S2	3AFL	3rd +	6	0.6163	\$ 1,835.13	0.6333	\$ 1,911.35	\$ (76.22)
30113	C1	F1	S3	3AFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.7697	\$ 2,291.91	0.7880	\$ 2,378.24	\$ (86.34)
30114	C1	F1	S4	3AFN	3rd +	10	0.9232	\$ 2,748.98	0.9428	\$ 2,845.44	\$ (96.47)
30115	C1	F1	S5	3AFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.0766	\$ 3,205.75	1.0976	\$ 3,312.64	\$ (106.89)
30121	C1	F2	S1	3AGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5455	\$ 1,624.31	0.5578	\$ 1,683.48	\$ (59.17)
30122	C1	F2	S2	3AGL	3rd +	6	0.6874	\$ 2,046.84	0.6967	\$ 2,102.69	\$ (55.85)
30123	C1	F2	S3	3AGM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8293	\$ 2,469.37	0.8356	\$ 2,521.90	\$ (52.53)
30124	C1	F2	S4	3AGN	3rd +	10	0.9711	\$ 2,891.61	0.9745	\$ 2,941.12	\$ (49.51)
30125	C1	F2	S5	3AGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1130	\$ 3,314.14	1.1134	\$ 3,360.33	\$ (46.19)
30131	C1	F3	S1	3AHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5903	\$ 1,757.71	0.6039	\$ 1,822.62	\$ (64.90)
30132	C1	F3	S2	3AHL	3rd +	6	0.7330	\$ 2,182.63	0.7494	\$ 2,261.75	\$ (79.12)
30133	C1	F3	S3	3AHM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8757	\$ 2,607.54	0.8949	\$ 2,700.88	\$ (93.34)
30134	C1	F3	S4	3AHN	3rd +	10	1.0183	\$ 3,032.15	1.0405	\$ 3,140.31	\$ (108.16)
30135	C1	F3	S5	3AHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1610	\$ 3,457.06	1.1860	\$ 3,579.44	\$ (122.37)
30211	C2	F1	S1	3BFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.4835	\$ 1,439.70	0.4955	\$ 1,495.46	\$ (55.76)
30212	C2	F1	S2	3BFL	3rd +	6	0.6438	\$ 1,917.02	0.6587	\$ 1,988.01	\$ (70.99)
30213	C2	F1	S3	3BFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8041	\$ 2,394.34	0.8220	\$ 2,480.86	\$ (86.52)
30214	C2	F1	S4	3BFN	3rd +	10	0.9645	\$ 2,871.95	0.9852	\$ 2,973.41	\$ (101.45)
30215	C2	F1	S5	3BFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1248	\$ 3,349.27	1.1485	\$ 3,466.26	\$ (116.99)
30221	C2	F2	S1	3BGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5662	\$ 1,685.95	0.5748	\$ 1,734.79	\$ (48.84)
30222	C2	F2	S2	3BGL	3rd +	6	0.7149	\$ 2,128.73	0.7222	\$ 2,179.65	\$ (50.92)
30223	C2	F2	S3	3BGM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.8637	\$ 2,571.81	0.8695	\$ 2,624.22	\$ (52.41)
30224	C2	F2	S4	3BGN	3rd +	10	1.0125	\$ 3,014.88	1.0169	\$ 3,069.08	\$ (54.20)
30225	C2	F2	S5	3BGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.1612	\$ 3,457.66	1.1643	\$ 3,513.95	\$ (56.29)
30231	C2	F3	S1	3BHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.6110	\$ 1,819.35	0.6208	\$ 1,873.62	\$ (54.27)
30232	C2	F3	S2	3BHL	3rd +	6	0.7605	\$ 2,264.51	0.7748	\$ 2,338.41	\$ (73.89)
30233	C2	F3	S3	3BHM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.9101	\$ 2,709.97	0.9288	\$ 2,803.19	\$ (93.22)
30234	C2	F3	S4	3BHN	3rd +	10	1.0597	\$ 3,155.43	1.0829	\$ 3,268.28	\$ (112.85)
30235	C2	F3	S5	3BHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.2093	\$ 3,600.89	1.2369	\$ 3,733.06	\$ (132.17)
30311	C3	F1	S1	3CFK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.5993	\$ 1,784.51	0.6140	\$ 1,853.10	\$ (68.59)
30312	C3	F1	S2	3CFL	3rd +	6	0.7785	\$ 2,318.11	0.7953	\$ 2,400.28	\$ (82.17)
30313	C3	F1	S3	3CFM	3rd +	7 to 9	0.9577	\$ 2,851.71	0.9765	\$ 2,947.15	\$ (95.45)
30314	C3	F1	S4	3CFN	3rd +	10	1.1369	\$ 3,385.30	1.1578	\$ 3,494.33	\$ (109.03)
30315	C3	F1	S5	3CFP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.3162	\$ 3,919.20	1.3391	\$ 4,041.51	\$ (122.31)
30321	C3	F2	S1	3CGK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.6820	\$ 2,030.77	0.6933	\$ 2,092.43	\$ (61.67)
30322	C3	F2	S2	3CGL	3rd +	6	0.8496	\$ 2,529.82	0.8587	\$ 2,591.62	\$ (61.80)
30323	C3	F2	S3	3CGM	3rd +	7 to 9	1.0173	\$ 3,029.17	1.0241	\$ 3,090.81	\$ (61.64)
30324	C3	F2	S4	3CGN	3rd +	10	1.1849	\$ 3,528.23	1.1895	\$ 3,590.00	\$ (61.77)
30325	C3	F2	S5	3CGP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.3526	\$ 4,027.58	1.3549	\$ 4,089.19	\$ (61.61)
30331	C3	F3	S1	3CHK	3rd +	0 to 5	0.7268	\$ 2,164.16	0.7393	\$ 2,231.26	\$ (67.10)
30332	C3	F3	S2	3CHL	3rd +	6	0.8952	\$ 2,665.60	0.9114	\$ 2,750.68	\$ (85.07)
30333	C3	F3	S3	3CHM	3rd +	7 to 9	1.0637	\$ 3,167.34	1.0834	\$ 3,269.78	\$ (102.45)
30334	C3	F3	S4	3CHN	3rd +	10	1.2321	\$ 3,668.78	1.2554	\$ 3,788.89	\$ (120.12)
30335	C3	F3	S5	3CHP	3rd +	11 to 13	1.4006	\$ 4,170.51	1.4275	\$ 4,308.30	\$ (137.79)
40111	C1	F1	S1	5AFK	All	20+	1.7032	\$ 5,071.55	1.7552	\$ 5,297.33	\$ (225.78)
40121	C1	F2	S1	5AGK	All	20+	1.7381	\$ 5,175.47	1.8030	\$ 5,441.59	\$ (266.12)
40131	C1	F3	S1	5AHK	All	20+	1.7821	\$ 5,306.49	1.8648	\$ 5,628.11	\$ (321.62)
40211	C2	F1	S1	5BFK	All	20+	1.8091	\$ 5,386.89	1.8588	\$ 5,610.00	\$ (223.11)
40221	C2	F2	S1	5BGK	All	20+	1.8440	\$ 5,490.81	1.9067	\$ 5,754.57	\$ (263.76)
40231	C2	F3	S1	5BHK	All	20+	1.8881	\$ 5,622.12	1.9684	\$ 5,940.78	\$ (318.66)
40311	C3	F1	S1	5CFK	All	20+	2.0539	\$ 6,115.82	2.1016	\$ 6,342.79	\$ (226.97)
40321	C3	F2	S1	5CGK	All	20+	2.0889	\$ 6,220.04	2.1495	\$ 6,487.36	\$ (267.32)
40331	C3	F3	S1	5CHK	All	20+	2.1329	\$ 6,351.05	2.2112	\$ 6,673.57	\$ (322.52)

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