

**2014-2024 Original Medicare Geographic Variation by National, State & County Data Dictionary**

| <b>Term Name</b>                      | <b>Variable Name</b>    | <b>Definition</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| Year                                  | YEAR                    | Year                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Geographic Level                      | BENE_GEO_LVL            | National, State or County                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| State or County                       | BENE_GEO_DESC           | Name of State or County                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| State and County FIPS Code            | BENE_GEO_CD             | State/County FIPS Code                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Age Level                             | BENE_AGE_LVL            | All Beneficiaries, Beneficiaries under 65, or Beneficiaries 65 or older                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Total Medicare Beneficiaries          | BENES_TOTAL_CNT         | Total count of Medicare beneficiaries. Includes beneficiaries who had both Part A and Part B coverage and were enrolled in a Medicare Advantage (MA) program at any point during the year, and beneficiaries with only Part A coverage or only Part B coverage at any point during the year. |
| Beneficiaries with Part A and Part B  | BENES_WTH_PTAPTB_CNT    | Count of Medicare beneficiaries who had both Part A and Part B coverage for all Medicare entitled months. New enrollees and beneficiaries that died during the year are included as long as they met the above criteria.                                                                     |
| Original Medicare (OM) Beneficiaries* | BENES_OM_CNT            | Count of Medicare beneficiaries who were enrolled in Part A and Part B, as well as Original Medicare coverage for all Medicare entitled months. New enrollees and beneficiaries that died during the year are included as long as they met the above criteria.                               |
| MA Beneficiaries                      | BENES_MA_CNT            | Count of beneficiaries who were enrolled in a Medicare Advantage (MA) program throughout the year. New enrollees and beneficiaries that died during the year are included.                                                                                                                   |
| MA Participation Rate                 | MA_PRTCPTN_RATE         | Percentage of beneficiaries who were enrolled in a Medicare Advantage (MA) program throughout the year. New enrollees and beneficiaries that died during the year are included.                                                                                                              |
| Average Age                           | BENE_AVG_AGE            | Average age of Original Medicare beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Percent Female                        | BENE_FEML_PCT           | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are female.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Percent Male                          | BENE_MALE_PCT           | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are male.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Percent Non-Hispanic White            | BENE_RACE_WHT_PCT       | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are Non-Hispanic White.                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Percent African American              | BENE_RACE_BLACK_PCT     | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are African American.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Percent Hispanic                      | BENE_RACE_HSPNC_PCT     | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are Hispanic.                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Percent Other/Unknown                 | BENE_RACE_OTHR_PCT      | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries whose race/ethnicity is other or unknown.                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Percent Eligible for Medicaid**       | BENE_DUAL_PCT           | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who are eligible for Medicaid for at least one month in the year.                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Total Actual Medicare Payment         | TOT_MDCR_PYMT_AMT       | Total actual Medicare payment for beneficiaries who had both Part A and Part B as well as Original Medicare coverage for all Medicare entitled months.                                                                                                                                       |
| Total Standardized Medicare Payment   | TOT_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT | Total Medicare payment for Original Medicare beneficiaries, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Actual Per Capita Medicare Payment    | TOT_MDCR_PYMT_PC        | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

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| Standardized Per Capita Medicare Payment                                     | TOT_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for beneficiaries, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                                                  |
| IP Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | IP_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services, which are comprised of Inpatient Prospective Payment System (IPPS), Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), Inpatient Psychiatric Facility (IPF) services, and other inpatient Part A services.            |
| IP Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | IP_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services as a percent of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                                                                                                              |
| IP Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | IP_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services.                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| IP Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | IP_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services.                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| IP Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | IP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                                                      |
| IP Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | IP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                   |
| IP Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | IP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                                           |
| IP Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | IP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Hospital Inpatient services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                                             |
| IP Users (with a covered stay)                                               | BENES_IP_CVRD_STAY_CNT       | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospital Inpatient services with at least one covered stay.                                                                                                                                                           |
| % of Beneficiaries Using IP                                                  | BENES_IP_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospital Inpatient services with at least one covered stay.                                                                                                                                                       |
| IP Covered Stays Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                     | IP_CVRD_STAYS_PER_1000_BENES | Number of Hospital Inpatient covered stays per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| IP Covered Days Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                      | IP_CVRD_DAYS_PER_1000_BENES  | Number of Hospital Inpatient covered days per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Number of All-Cause Hospital Readmissions                                    | ACUTE_HOSP_READMSN_CNT       | Total count of inpatient readmissions within 30 days of an acute hospital stay during the reference period, where the reference period refers to an inpatient hospital stay during the calendar year, regardless of whether the readmission was planned or unplanned. |
| All-Cause Hospital 30-Day Readmission Rate                                   | ACUTE_HOSP_READMSN_PCT       | Percentage of inpatient readmissions within 30 days of an acute hospital stay during the reference period, regardless of whether the readmission was planned or unplanned.                                                                                            |
| Emergency Room (ER) Visits                                                   | BENES_ER_VISITS_CNT          | Total count of inpatient or hospital outpatient Emergency Room (ER) visits.                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Emergency Room (ER) Visits per 1,000 Beneficiaries                           | ER_VISITS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of inpatient or hospital outpatient Emergency Room (ER) visits per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                     |
| % of Beneficiaries with an ER Visit                                          | BENES_ER_VISITS_PCT          | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries who had at least one Emergency Room (ER) visit during the year.                                                                                                                                                         |

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| OP Actual Medicare Payment                                                    | OP_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services, which are comprised of hospitals reimbursed under the Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS) and Critical Access Hospital (CAH) outpatient department services. |
| OP Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment              | OP_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                                                                            |
| OP Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                         | OP_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services.                                                                                                                                                            |
| OP Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                           | OP_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services.                                                                                                                                                              |
| OP Standardized Medicare Payment                                              | OP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                        |
| OP Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment  | OP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                     |
| OP Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                   | OP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                             |
| OP Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                     | OP_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Hospital Outpatient department services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                               |
| # OP Users                                                                    | BENES_OP_CNT                 | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospital Outpatient department services.                                                                                                                                                            |
| % of Beneficiaries Using OP                                                   | BENES_OP_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospital Outpatient department services.                                                                                                                                                        |
| OP Visits Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                             | OP_VISITS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of Hospital Outpatient department visits per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                                                                         |
| ASC Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | ASC_MDCR_PYMT_AMT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services.                                                                                                                                                                      |
| ASC Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | ASC_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                                                                           |
| ASC Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | ASC_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services.                                                                                                                                                           |
| ASC Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | ASC_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services.                                                                                                                                                             |
| ASC Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | ASC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                                       |
| ASC Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | ASC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                    |
| ASC Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | ASC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                            |
| ASC Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | ASC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                                              |
| # ASC Users                                                                   | BENES_ASC_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services.                                                                                                                                                           |

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| % of Beneficiaries Using ASC                                                  | BENES_ASC_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) services.                                                                                            |
| ASC Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                            | ASC_EVENTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) events per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                             |
| SNF Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | SNF_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Post-acute care Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services.                                                                                            |
| SNF Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | SNF_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services as a percent of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                     |
| SNF Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | SNF_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services.                                                                                                 |
| SNF Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | SNF_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services.                                                                                                   |
| SNF Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | SNF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                             |
| SNF Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | SNF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.          |
| SNF Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | SNF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                  |
| SNF Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | SNF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| # SNF Users (with a covered stay)                                             | BENES_SNF_CNT                 | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services with at least one covered stay.                                                                  |
| % of Beneficiaries Using SNF                                                  | BENES_SNF_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services with at least one covered stay.                                                              |
| SNF Covered Stays Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                     | SNF_CVRD_STAYS_PER_1000_BENES | Number of Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) covered stays per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                       |
| SNF Covered Days Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                      | SNF_CVRD_DAYS_PER_1000_BENES  | Number of Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) covered days per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                        |
| IRF Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | IRF_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services.                                                                                                   |
| IRF Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | IRF_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services as a percent of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                            |
| IRF Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | IRF_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services.                                                                                        |
| IRF Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | IRF_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services.                                                                                          |
| IRF Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | IRF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| IRF Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | IRF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| IRF Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | IRF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| IRF Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | IRF_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |

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| # IRF Users (with a covered stay)                                              | BENES_IRF_CNT                  | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services with at least one covered stay.                                                |
| % of Beneficiaries Using IRF                                                   | BENES_IRF_PCT                  | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) services with at least one covered stay.                                            |
| IRF Covered Stays Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                      | IRF_CVRD_STAYS_PER_1000_BENES  | Number of Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) covered stays per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                     |
| IRF Covered Days Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                       | IRF_CVRD_DAYS_PER_1000_BENES   | Number of Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) covered days per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                      |
| LTCH Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | LTCH_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services.                                                                                                   |
| LTCH Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | LTCH_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services as a percent of total actual Medicare payment.                                                     |
| LTCH Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | LTCH_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services.                                                                                        |
| LTCH Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | LTCH_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services.                                                                                          |
| LTCH Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | LTCH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| LTCH Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | LTCH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| LTCH Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | LTCH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| LTCH Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | LTCH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |
| LTCH Users (with a covered stay)                                               | BENES_LTCH_CNT                 | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services with at least one covered stay.                                                         |
| % of Beneficiaries Using LTCH                                                  | BENES_LTCH_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) services with at least one covered stay.                                                     |
| LTCH Covered Stays Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                     | LTCH_CVRD_STAYS_PER_1000_BENES | Number of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) covered stays per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                              |
| LTCH Covered Days Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                      | LTCH_CVRD_DAYS_PER_1000_BENES  | Number of Long-Term Care Hospital (LTCH) covered days per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                               |
| HH Actual Medicare Payment                                                     | HH_MDCR_PYMT_AMT               | Actual Original Medicare payment for Home Health services.                                                                                                                      |
| HH Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment               | HH_MDCR_PYMT_PCT               | Actual Original Medicare payment for Home Health services, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                           |
| HH Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                          | HH_MDCR_PYMT_PC                | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Home Health services.                                                                                                           |
| HH Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                            | HH_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER          | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Home Health services.                                                                                                             |
| HH Standardized Medicare Payment                                               | HH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT         | Original Medicare payment for Home Health services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                       |
| HH Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment   | HH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT         | Original Medicare payment for Home Health services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                    |

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| HH Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                       | HH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC           | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Home Health services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                         |
| HH Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                         | HH_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER     | Per user Original Medicare payment for Home Health services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                           |
| # HH Users                                                                        | BENES_HH_CNT                    | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Home Health services.                                                                                                        |
| % of Beneficiaries Using HH                                                       | BENES_HH_PCT                    | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Home Health services.                                                                                                    |
| HH Episodes Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                               | HH_EPISODES_PER_1000_BENES      | Number of Home Health episodes per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                   |
| HH Visits Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                                 | HH_VISITS_PER_1000_BENES        | Number of Home Health visits per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                     |
| Hospice Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | HOSPC_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospice services.                                                                                                                       |
| Hospice Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | HOSPC_MDCR_PYMT_PCT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for Hospice services as a percent of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                                |
| Hospice Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | HOSPC_MDCR_PYMT_PC              | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospice services.                                                                                                            |
| Hospice Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | HOSPC_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER        | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Hospice services.                                                                                                              |
| Hospice Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | HOSPC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospice services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                        |
| Hospice Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | HOSPC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT       | Original Medicare payment for Hospice services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                     |
| Hospice Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | HOSPC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC        | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Hospice services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                             |
| Hospice Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | HOSPC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER  | Per user Original Medicare payment for Hospice services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                               |
| # Hospice Users (with a covered stay)                                             | BENES_HOSPC_CNT                 | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospice services with at least one covered stay.                                                                             |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Hospice                                                  | BENES_HOSPC_PCT                 | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Hospice services with at least one covered stay.                                                                         |
| Hospice Covered Stays Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                     | HOSPC_CVRD_STAYS_PER_1000_BENES | Number of Hospice covered stays per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                  |
| Hospice Covered Days Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                      | HOSPC_CVRD_DAYS_PER_1000_BENES  | Number of Hospice covered days per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                   |
| E&M Actual Medicare Payment                                                       | EM_MDCR_PYMT_AMT                | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                           |
| E&M Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment                 | EM_MDCR_PYMT_PCT                | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment. |
| E&M Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                            | EM_MDCR_PYMT_PC                 | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                |
| E&M Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                              | EM_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER           | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                  |

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| E&M Standardized Medicare Payment                                                    | EM_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT          | Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| E&M Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment        | EM_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT          | Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| E&M Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                         | EM_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC           | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| E&M Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                           | EM_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER     | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |
| # E&M Users                                                                          | BENES_EM_CNT                    | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| % of Beneficiaries Using E&M                                                         | BENES_EM_PCT                    | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                   |
| E&M Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                                   | EM_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES         | Number of events in the Evaluation and Management (E&M) category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                    |
| Procedures Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | PRCDRS_MDCR_PYMT_AMT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                                       |
| Procedures Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | PRCDRS_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                                             |
| Procedures Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | PRCDRS_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                            |
| Procedures Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | PRCDRS_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                              |
| Procedures Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | PRCDRS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                         |
| Procedures Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | PRCDRS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                      |
| Procedures Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | PRCDRS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                              |
| Procedures Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | PRCDRS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                |
| # Procedure Users                                                                    | BENES_PRCDRS_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Procedures category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                            |

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| % of Beneficiaries Using Procedures                                             | BENES_PRCDRS_PCT               | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Procedures category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                              |
| Procedure Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                        | PRCDR_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of events in the Procedures category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                               |
| Tests Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | TESTS_MDCR_PYMT_AMT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                  |
| Tests Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | TESTS_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                        |
| Tests Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | TESTS_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| Tests Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | TESTS_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                         |
| Tests Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | TESTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| Tests Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | TESTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| Tests Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | TESTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| Tests Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | TESTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |
| # Test Users                                                                    | BENES_TESTS_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Tests category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Tests                                                  | BENES_TESTS_PCT                | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Tests category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                   |
| Test Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                             | TESTS_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of events in the Tests category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                    |
| Imaging Actual Medicare Payment                                                 | IMGNG_MDCR_PYMT_AMT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                |
| Imaging Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment           | IMGNG_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                      |
| Imaging Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                      | IMGNG_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                     |
| Imaging Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                        | IMGNG_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| Imaging Standardized Medicare Payment                                           | IMGNG_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                  |

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| Imaging Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | IMGNG_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                         |
| Imaging Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | IMGNG_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                 |
| Imaging Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | IMGNG_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                   |
| # Imaging Users                                                                   | BENES_IMGNG_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Imaging category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                               |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Imaging                                                  | BENES_IMGNG_PCT                | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Imaging category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                           |
| Imaging Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                            | IMGNG_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of events in the Imaging category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                            |
| DME Actual Medicare Payment                                                       | DME_MDCR_PYMT_AMT              | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                  |
| DME Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment                 | DME_MDCR_PYMT_PCT              | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                        |
| DME Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                            | DME_MDCR_PYMT_PC               | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| DME Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                              | DME_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER         | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                         |
| DME Standardized Medicare Payment                                                 | DME_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT        | Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| DME Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment     | DME_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT        | Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| DME Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                      | DME_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC         | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| DME Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                        | DME_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER   | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |
| # DME Users                                                                       | BENES_DME_CNT                  | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| % of Beneficiaries Using DME                                                      | BENES_DME_PCT                  | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                   |
| DME Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                                | DME_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES       | Number of events in the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                    |

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| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | OP_DLYS_MDCR_PYMT_AMT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services.                                                                                                   |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | OP_DLYS_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services, as a percentage of total actual Medicare payment.                                                 |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | OP_DLYS_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services.                                                                                        |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | OP_DLYS_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services.                                                                                          |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | OP_DLYS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | OP_DLYS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | OP_DLYS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                    | OP_DLYS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for Outpatient Dialysis Facility services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                           |
| # Outpatient Dialysis Facility Users                                                                   | BENES_OP_DLYS_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Outpatient Dialysis Facility services.                                                                                        |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Outpatient Dialysis Facility                                                  | BENES_OP_DLYS_PCT                | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using Outpatient Dialysis Facility services.                                                                                    |
| Outpatient Dialysis Facility Visits Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                            | OP_DLYS_VISITS_PER_1000_BENES    | Number of Outpatient Dialysis Facility visits per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                     |
| FQHC/RHC Actual Medicare Payment                                                                       | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_PYMT_AMT           | Actual Original Medicare payment for Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) / Rural Health Center (RHC) services.                                                           |
| FQHC/RHC Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment                                 | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_PYMT_PCT           | Actual Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services, as a percentage of total actual Medicare payment.                                                                     |
| FQHC/RHC Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                                            | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_PYMT_PC            | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services.                                                                                                            |
| FQHC/RHC Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                                              | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER      | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services.                                                                                                              |
| FQHC/RHC Standardized Medicare Payment                                                                 | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT     | Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                        |
| FQHC/RHC Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment                     | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT     | Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                     |
| FQHC/RHC Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                                      | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC      | Per capita Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                             |
| FQHC/RHC Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                                        | FQHC_RHC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PU      | Per user Original Medicare payment for FQHC/RHC services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                               |
| # FQHC/RHC Users                                                                                       | BENES_FQHC_RHC_CNT               | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using FQHC/RHC services.                                                                                                            |
| % of Beneficiaries Using FQHC/RHC                                                                      | BENES_FQHC_RHC_PCT               | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using FQHC/RHC services.                                                                                                        |
| FQHC/RHC Visits Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                                                | FQHC_RHC_VISITS_PER_1000_BENES   | Number of FQHC/RHC visits per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                                         |
| Ambulance Actual Medicare Payment                                                                      | AMBLNC_MDCR_PYMT_AMT             | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                  |

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| Ambulance Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment              | AMBLNC_MDCR_PYMT_PCT            | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                         |
| Ambulance Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                         | AMBLNC_MDCR_PYMT_PC             | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                        |
| Ambulance Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                           | AMBLNC_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER       | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                          |
| Ambulance Standardized Medicare Payment                                              | AMBLNC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                     |
| Ambulance Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment  | AMBLNC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT      | Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.  |
| Ambulance Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                   | AMBLNC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC       | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                          |
| Ambulance Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                                     | AMBLNC_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                            |
| # Ambulance Users                                                                    | BENES_AMBLNC_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Ambulance category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                        |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Ambulance                                                   | BENES_AMBLNC_PCT                | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Ambulance category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                    |
| Ambulance Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                                             | AMBLNC_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of events in the Ambulance category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                     |
| Treatments Actual Medicare Payment                                                   | TRTMNTS_MDCR_PYMT_AMT           | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                  |
| Treatments Actual Medicare Payment as % of Total Actual Medicare Payment             | TRTMNTS_MDCR_PYMT_PCT           | Actual Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total actual Original Medicare payment.                                        |
| Treatments Per Capita Actual Medicare Payment                                        | TRTMNTS_MDCR_PYMT_PC            | Actual per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                       |
| Treatments Per User Actual Medicare Payment                                          | TRTMNTS_MDCR_PYMT_PER_USER      | Actual per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                         |
| Treatments Standardized Medicare Payment                                             | TRTMNTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_AMT     | Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                    |
| Treatments Standardized Medicare Payment as % of Total Standardized Medicare Payment | TRTMNTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PCT     | Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, as a percentage of total Original Medicare payment adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates. |
| Treatments Per Capita Standardized Medicare Payment                                  | TRTMNTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PC      | Per capita Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                         |

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| Treatments Per User Standardized Medicare Payment                       | TRTMNTS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT_PER_USER | Per user Original Medicare payment for services in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                     |
| # Treatments Users                                                      | BENES_TRTMNTS_CNT                | Number of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Treatments category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                                 |
| % of Beneficiaries Using Treatments                                     | BENES_TRTMNTS_PCT                | Percentage of Original Medicare beneficiaries using services in the Treatments category, as defined by RBCS.                                                                                             |
| Treatments Events Per 1,000 Beneficiaries                               | TRTMNTS_EVNTS_PER_1000_BENES     | Number of events in the Treatments category as defined by RBCS, per 1,000 OM beneficiaries.                                                                                                              |
| Other Services Actual Medicare Payment                                  | PTB_OTHR_SRVCS_MDCR_PYMT_AMT     | Actual Original Medicare payment for Other Part B services.                                                                                                                                              |
| Other Services Standardized Medicare Payment                            | PTB_OTHR_SRVCS_MDCR_STDZD_PYMT   | Original Medicare payment for Other Part B services, adjusted for geographic differences in payment rates.                                                                                               |
| Total Population Based Payment Reduction Medicare Payment***            | TOT_PBPMT_RDCTN_AMT              | Total Population-Based Payment (PBP) Reduction payment for Original Medicare beneficiaries.                                                                                                              |
| Total Population Based Payment Reduction Per Capita Medicare Payment*** | TOT_PBPMT_RDCTN_PCC              | Per capita Population-Based Payment (PBP) Reduction payment for Original Medicare beneficiaries.                                                                                                         |
| PQI03 Diabetes LT Complication Admission Rate (age < 65)                | PQI03_DBTS_AGE_LT_65             | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 3: Hospital admissions for Diabetes Long-Term complications for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                       |
| PQI03 Diabetes LT Complication Admission Rate (age 65-74)               | PQI03_DBTS_AGE_65_74             | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 3: Hospital admissions for Diabetes Long-Term complications for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                              |
| PQI03 Diabetes LT Complication Admission Rate (age 75+)                 | PQI03_DBTS_AGE_GE_75             | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 3: Hospital admissions for Diabetes Long-Term complications for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                       |
| PQI05 COPD or Asthma in Older Adults Admission Rate (age 40-64)         | PQI05_COPD_ASTHMA_AGE_40_64      | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 5: Hospital admissions for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) or Asthma for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 40-64 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.        |
| PQI05 COPD or Asthma in Older Adults Admission Rate (age 65-74)         | PQI05_COPD_ASTHMA_AGE_65_74      | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 5: Hospital admissions for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) or Asthma for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.        |
| PQI05 COPD or Asthma in Older Adults Admission Rate (age 75+)           | PQI05_COPD_ASTHMA_AGE_GE_75      | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 5: Hospital admissions for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) or Asthma for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries. |
| PQI07 Hypertension Admission Rate (age < 65)                            | PQI07_HYPRTNSN_AGE_LT_65         | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 7: Hospital admissions for Hypertension for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                                           |

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| PQI07 Hypertension Admission Rate (age 65-74)               | PQI07_HYPRTNSN_AGE_65_74         | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 7: Hospital admissions for Hypertension for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                           |
| PQI07 Hypertension Admission Rate (age 75+)                 | PQI07_HYPRTNSN_AGE_GE_75         | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 7: Hospital admissions for Hypertension for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                    |
| PQI08 CHF Admission Rate (age < 65)                         | PQI08_CHF_AGE_LT_65              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 8: Hospital admissions for Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) in Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.   |
| PQI08 CHF Admission Rate (age 65-74)                        | PQI08_CHF_AGE_65_74              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 8: Hospital admissions for Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) in Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.          |
| PQI08 CHF Admission Rate (age 75+)                          | PQI08_CHF_AGE_GE_75              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 8: Hospital admissions for Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) in Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.   |
| PQI11 Bacterial Pneumonia Admission Rate (age < 65)         | PQI11_BCTRL_PNA_AGE_LT_65        | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 11: Hospital admissions for Bacterial Pneumonia for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.            |
| PQI11 Bacterial Pneumonia Admission Rate (age 65-74)        | PQI11_BCTRL_PNA_AGE_65_74        | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 11: Hospital admissions for Bacterial Pneumonia for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                   |
| PQI11 Bacterial Pneumonia Admission Rate (age 75+)          | PQI11_BCTRL_PNA_AGE_GE_75        | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 11: Hospital admissions for Bacterial Pneumonia for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.            |
| PQI12 UTI Admission Rate (age < 65)                         | PQI12_UTI_AGE_LT_65              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 12: Hospital admissions for Urinary Tract Infections (UTI) for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries. |
| PQI12 UTI Admission Rate (age 65-74)                        | PQI12_UTI_AGE_65_74              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 12: Hospital admissions for Urinary Tract Infections (UTI) for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.        |
| PQI12 UTI Admission Rate (age 75+)                          | PQI12_UTI_AGE_GE_75              | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 12: Hospital admissions for Urinary Tract Infections (UTI) for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries. |
| PQI15 Asthma in Younger Adults Admission Rate (age < 40)    | PQI15_ASTHMA_AGE_LT_40           | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 15: Hospital admissions for Asthma for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 40 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.                         |
| PQI16 Lower Extremity Amputation Admission Rate (age < 65)  | PQI16_LWRXTRMTY_AMPUTN_AGE_LT_65 | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 16: Hospital admissions for Lower Extremity Amputation of Original Medicare beneficiaries ages less than 65 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.      |
| PQI16 Lower Extremity Amputation Admission Rate (age 65-74) | PQI16_LWRXTRMTY_AMPUTN_AGE_65_74 | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 16: Hospital admissions for Lower Extremity Amputation of Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 65-74 per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.             |
| PQI16 Lower Extremity Amputation Admission Rate (age 75+)   | PQI16_LWRXTRMTY_AMPUTN_AGE_GE_75 | Prevention Quality Indicator (PQI) 16: Hospital admissions for Lower Extremity Amputation for Original Medicare beneficiaries ages 75 and older per 100,000 OM beneficiaries.     |

**Notes:**

All variables are suppressed where the count of beneficiaries or count of users is less than 11. Suppressed variables are marked with "\*\*\*".

\*Original Medicare (OM) refers to the traditional Medicare Fee-for-Service (FFS) program covering Part A and Part B.

\*\*Data is suppressed for Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and all other U.S. territories.

\*\*\*Data is only available for 2017-2024.

**List of Acronyms:**

ASC - Ambulatory Surgery Center

CHF - Congestive Heart Failure

COPD - Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

DME - Durable Medical Equipment

E&M - Evaluation and Management

ED - Emergency Department

FFS - Fee-for-Service

FQHC - Federally Qualified Health Center

HH - Home Health

IP - Inpatient

IRF - Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility

LTCH - Long-Term Care Hospital

MA - Medicare Advantage

OM - Original Medicare

OP - Outpatient

PAC - Post-Acute Care

PQI - Prevention Quality Indicator

RHC - Rural Health Center

SNF - Skilled Nursing Facility

UTI - Urinary Tract Infection