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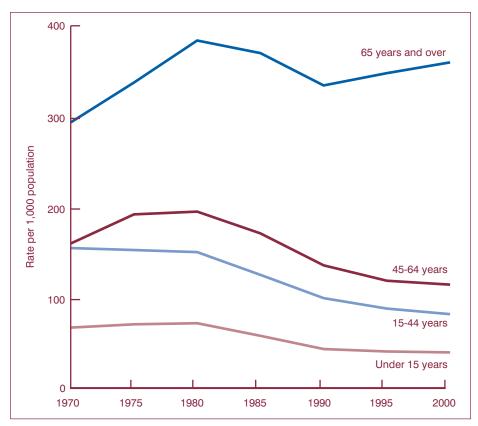
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This report presents the most current nationally representative data on inpatient care in the United States. Data are from the National Hospital Discharge Survey (NHDS), the longest continuously running nationally representative survey of hospital utilization.

The figure on the right presents data on the hospitalization rate for four age groups over the past 30 years. The rate of hospitalization for the elderly (those 65 years and over) increased by 23 percent over the entire period, despite a decrease during the 1980s. The rates for the other age groups declined overall, especially during the 1980s. Many advances in medical care (including cardiovascular interventions and drug therapies) occurred during this time, which may have decreased death rates but could also have resulted in a heightened risk of hospitalization for the elderly. The elderly comprised 20 percent of the hospital discharges and used a third of the days of care in 1970; in the year 2000 they made up close to 40 percent of the discharges and used almost one-half of the hospital days.

This report presents information about hospital utilization during 2000 as well as trend data for selected variables.

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Trends in the rate of hospitalization by age, United States 1970-2000

Additional information about hospital utilization is available from the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) Web site: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/

Individual-year public-use data files are available for download from the Web site, and a multi-year public-use data file for trend analysis is available on CD-ROM. These and other products can also be obtained by contacting the NCHS Data Dissemination Branch at 301.458.INFO or by email at NCHSquery@cdc.gov.

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Abstract

Objectives—This report presents national estimates of the use of non-Federal short-stay hospitals in the United States during 2000. Numbers and rates of discharges, diagnoses, and procedures are shown by age and sex. Discharges are also shown by geographic region of hospital. Average lengths of stay are presented for all discharges and for selected diagnostic categories by age and by sex. Trend data for selected variables are also provided.

Methods—The estimates are based on medical abstract data collected through the National Hospital Discharge Survey for 2000. The survey has been conducted annually by the National Center for Health Statistics since 1965. Diagnoses and procedures presented are coded according to the International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification, or ICD–9–CM.

Results—Trends in the utilization of non-Federal short-stay hospitals show that the rate of hospitalization of the elderly (those 65 years of age and over) increased over the entire period from 1970 to 2000, despite a decrease in the 1980s. The rates for the other age groups declined overall. In 2000, there were an estimated 31.7 million discharges of inpatients, excluding newborn infants, from non-Federal short-stay hospitals in the United States. The discharge rate was 1,140.1 per 10,000 population and the average length of stay was 4.9 days. There were 40 million procedures performed on hospital inpatients during 2000. Males had more cardiovascular procedures than females (3.4 million versus 2.5 million), while females had more operations on the digestive system than males (3.0 million versus 2.2 million). About one-quarter of all procedures performed on females were obstetrical.

Introduction

This report presents data from the 2000 National Hospital Discharge Survey (NHDS). The survey has been conducted continuously by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) since 1965. National estimates of hospital use derived from NHDS are published for each calendar year by

NCHS. This report provides an overview of the 2000 data, including the number and rate of discharges and average lengths of stay by the age and sex of patients and by geographic region of the hospital. Average lengths of stay are also presented for selected diagnostic categories. Estimates for the number and rate of selected procedures performed on hospital inpatients are shown by age and sex. More detailed data from the NHDS are published in Series 13 of *Vital and Health Statistics*, which includes two reports on trends in hospital use (1,2).

NHDS is the principal source for national data on the characteristics of patients discharged from non-Federal short-stay hospitals. Data from NHDS are used to examine important topics of interest in public health and health services research (3–19), and for a variety of activities by governmental, scientific, academic, and commercial institutions.

Estimates of the number of procedures shown in this report are for inpatients only. Data on ambulatory surgery are available from the National Survey of Ambulatory Surgery (NSAS), also conducted by NCHS. NSAS was conducted from 1994 through 1996 and covers hospital-based and freestanding ambulatory surgery centers. Data from the 3 years of this survey have been published (20–25).

Information on ambulatory procedures is also collected in two other NCHS surveys. The National Ambulatory Medical Care Survey obtains information on procedures ordered or performed during visits to physicians' offices (26). The National Hospital Ambulatory Medical Care Survey collects data on procedures ordered or performed during visits to hospital outpatient and emergency departments (27,28).

Highlights

Patient and hospital characteristics

• Trends in the utilization of non-Federal short-stay hospitals show that the rate of hospitalization of the elderly (those 65 years of age and

- over) increased over the entire period from 1970 to 2000, despite a decrease during the 1980s. For the other age groups the rates declined overall, especially during the 1980s.
- In the most recent decade, from 1990 to 2000, the discharge rate among persons 65 years of age and over increased 8 percent. During this period, the rate among the 15–44 year-olds decreased by 18 percent and the discharge rate among persons 45–64 years of age decreased by 16 percent. The rate for children under 15 years of age did not change significantly (figure 1).
- In 2000, there were an estimated 31.7 million discharges of inpatients, excluding newborn infants, from non-Federal short-stay hospitals in the United States (table 1).
- The discharge rate was 1,140.1 per 10,000 population and the average length of stay was 4.9 days in 2000.
- The discharge rate per 10,000 population was 920.2 for males and 1,350.5 for females (table 6). Males had an average length of stay of 5.3 days compared with 4.6 days for females (table 7).
- Persons 65 years of age and over accounted for 39.1 percent of all discharges.
- The discharge rate per 10,000 population ranged from 1,354.9 in the Northeast region to 853.7 in the West. The average length of stay ranged from 5.7 days in the Northeast region to 4.5 days in the Midwest and the West.

Diagnoses

- Over one-half of all first-listed diagnoses were in four ICD-9-CM chapters: diseases of the circulatory system, supplementary classifications (including females with deliveries), diseases of the respiratory system, and diseases of the digestive system (table 2).
- Six diagnostic categories each accounted for more than a million discharges. These were heart disease (4.4 million), delivery (3.7 million), pneumonia (1.3 million), malignant neoplasms (1.2 million), psychoses (1.4 million), and fractures (1.0

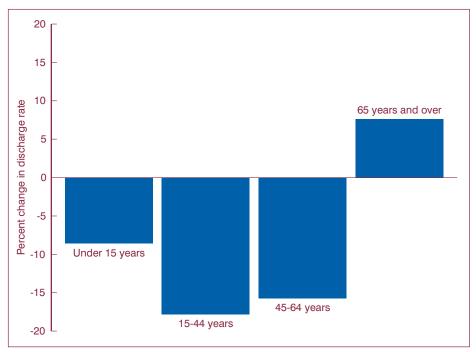


Figure 1. Percent change in discharge rate by age: United States, 1990-2000

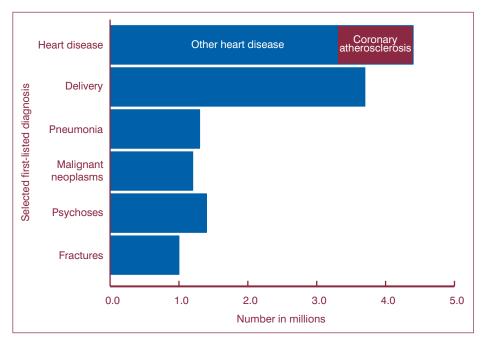


Figure 2. Number of selected first-listed diagnoses for hospital discharges: United States, 2000

- million). Coronary atherosclerosis accounted for 1.1 million discharges and over 25 percent of all heart disease diagnoses (figure 2).
- The average length of stay was 2.5 days for delivery, 4.7 days for heart disease, 5.8 days for fractures, 5.9 days for pneumonia, 6.7 days for malignant neoplasms, and 8.1 days for psychoses (table 4 and figure 3).
- For persons 65 years of age and over, there were 827.8 discharges per 10,000 population with a first-listed diagnosis of heart disease (table 3).
- The number and rate of coronary atherosclerosis diagnoses more than doubled during the 1990s. Among persons 65 years of age and over, the increases in the number and rate were particularly dramatic (figure 4).

• Nearly one-fifth of female discharges were for childbirth (table 5).

Procedures

- During 2000, 40 million procedures were performed on hospital inpatients (table 8). Nationally, the rate of procedures was 1,437.7 per 10,000 population (table 9). For males, this rate was 1,151.1 and for females it was 1,711.8 (table 11) per 10,000 population.
- Almost three-fourths of all procedures were in four ICD–9–CM chapters: miscellaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, obstetrical procedures, operations on the cardiovascular system, and operations on the digestive system (figure 5).
- About one-quarter of all procedures performed on women were obstetrical (table 10).
- Males had more cardiovascular procedures than females (3.4 million versus 2.5 million), while females had more operations on the digestive system than males (3.0 million versus 2.2 million).
- Frequent procedures for males were arteriography and angiocardiography, cardiac catheterization, removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s), respiratory therapy, endoscopy of small intestine, diagnostic ultrasound, and coronary artery bypass graft.
- Frequent procedures for females were repair of current obstetric laceration, episiotomy, cesarean section, arteriography and angiocardiography, artificial rupture of membranes, hysterectomy, and endoscopy of small intestine.

Methods

Data source

NHDS collects data from a sample of inpatient records acquired from a national sample of hospitals. Since persons with multiple discharges during the year may be sampled more than once, estimates are for discharges, not persons. Only hospitals with an average length of stay of fewer than 30 days for all patients, general hospitals or children's general hospitals are included

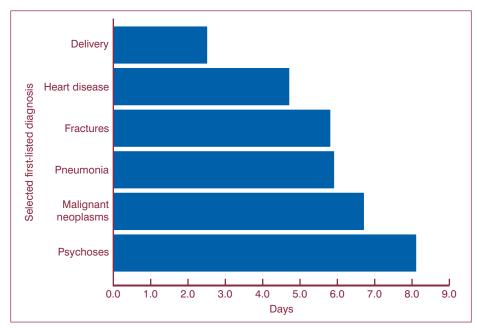


Figure 3. Average length of hospital stay for discharges with selected first-listed diagnoses: United States, 2000

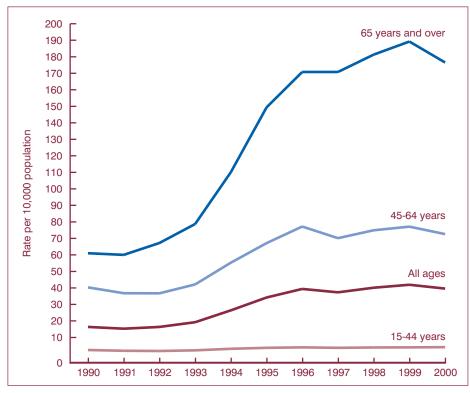


Figure 4. Rate of discharges for coronary atherosclerosis by age group, 1990-2000

in the survey. Federal, military, and Department of Veterans Affairs hospitals, as well as hospital units of institutions (such as prison hospitals), and hospitals with fewer than six beds staffed for patient use, are excluded.

Prior to 1988, NHDS utilized a two-stage design, but in 1988, the survey was redesigned (29). Under the

1988 design, the largest hospitals were included in the sample with certainty, while the remaining sample of hospitals was based on a stratified three-stage design. The first stage consisted of a selection of 112 primary sampling units (PSUs) that comprised a probability sample of PSUs used in the 1985–94 National Health Interview Survey (30).

The second stage consisted of a selection of noncertainty hospitals from the sampled PSUs. At the third stage, a sample of discharges within hospitals was selected by a systematic random sampling technique. The sampling frame for hospitals drawn under the new design has been the SMG Hospital Market Database (31).

For 2000, the sample consisted of 509 hospitals, of which 28 were found to be out-of-scope (ineligible) because they had gone out of business or otherwise failed to meet the criteria for the NHDS universe. Of the 481 in-scope (eligible) hospitals, 434 responded to the survey. Data were collected for approximately 313,000 discharges from the 434 responding hospitals.

Two data collection procedures were used in the survey. One was a manual system in which sample selection and medical transcription from the hospital records to abstract forms were performed by the hospital's staff or by staff of the U.S. Census Bureau on behalf of NCHS. Completed forms were sent to NCHS for coding, editing, and estimation.

The other data collection procedure was an automated system, in which NCHS purchased machine-readable medical record data from commercial organizations, State data systems, hospitals, or hospital associations. Records from these sources were systematically sampled by NCHS. In 2000, approximately 40 percent of respondent hospitals provided data through the automated system. A detailed report on the design and operation of the NHDS has been published (29).

The medical abstract form and the automated data contain items that relate to the personal characteristics of the patient. These items include birth date (or age), sex, race, ethnicity, marital status, ZIP Code, and expected sources of payment. Administrative items such as admission and discharge dates, discharge status, and medical record number were also included. The medical information about patients includes up to seven diagnoses, as many as four surgical and nonsurgical operations and procedures, and dates of surgery. (The medical record number, date of birth,

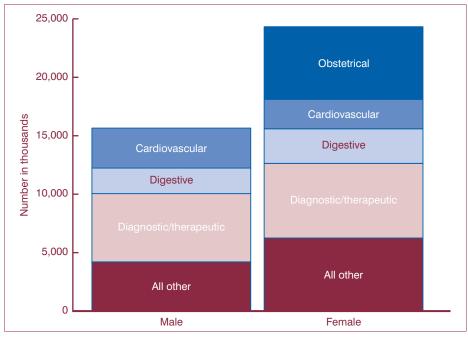


Figure 5. Number of all-listed inpatient procedures by sex: United States, 2000

and ZIP Code are confidential information not available to the public). Medical data are coded according to the *International Classification of Diseases*, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD–9–CM)(32).

For the manual data collection, an ongoing quality control program was undertaken on the coding and entering of data from abstracts to machine readable form. Approximately 10 percent of the abstracts are independently recoded by an NHDS coder, with discrepancies resolved by the chief coder. The overall error rate for records manually coded for the 2000 data year was 0.6 percent for medical (ICD–9–CM) coding and keying and 0.2 percent for demographic coding and keying.

Estimation

Because of the complex multistage design of NHDS, the survey data must be inflated or weighted in order to produce national estimates. The estimation procedure produces essentially unbiased national estimates and has three basic components:

- 1. Inflation by reciprocals of the probabilities of sample selection,
- 2. Adjustment for nonresponse, and
- 3. Population weighting ratio adjustments.

These three components of the final weight are described in more detail in another report (29).

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability that occurs by chance because only a sample rather than the entire universe is surveyed. Estimates of the sampling variability for this report were calculated with SUDAAN software, which takes into account the complex sample design. A description of the software and the approach it uses has been published (33). The standard errors of statistics presented in this report are included in each of the tables.

Use of tables

Discharges are reported by first-listed diagnosis. This is the principal diagnosis if it is specified on the medical record. If the principal diagnosis is not specified, the diagnosis listed first on the face sheet or discharge summary of the medical record is used. Estimates of procedures include surgical or nonsurgical operations, diagnostic procedures, and special treatments reported on the medical record. Up to four procedures were coded for each discharge. All-listed procedures include all occurrences of the procedure coded

regardless of the order on the medical record. Definitions of the terms used in this report have been published (29).

The diagnoses and procedures appear in separate tables of this report, presented by chapter of ICD-9-CM. Within these chapters, subcategories of diagnoses or procedures are shown. These specific categories were selected primarily because of their large estimates or because they are of special interest. Although diagnoses assigned ICD-9-CM codes E800-E999 (Supplementary classification of external causes of injury and poisoning) were included in NHDS, these diagnoses were excluded from this report. Data for newborn infants, defined as patients admitted to a hospital by birth, were also excluded from this report.

Because of low reliability, estimates with a relative standard error of more than 30 percent or that are based on a sample of fewer than 30 records are replaced by asterisks (*). Estimates based on 30–59 patient records are preceded by an asterisk to indicate that they also have low reliability.

Estimates have been rounded to the nearest thousand. Therefore, figures within tables do not always add to the totals. Rates and average lengths of stay were calculated from unrounded figures and may not precisely agree with rates or average lengths of stay calculated from rounded data.

Rates were computed using estimates of the civilian population of the United States as of July 1, 2000, based on the 1990 census. The data are from unpublished tabulations provided by the U.S. Census Bureau. These estimates have been adjusted for net underenumeration using the 1990 National Population Adjustment Matrix. Population estimates for the civilian population from the 2000 census were not available when this report was prepared.

Facilities are classified by location in one of the four geographic regions of the United States that correspond to those used by the U.S. Census Bureau.

Region States included

Northeast Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, and

Pennsylvania

Midwest Michigan, Ohio, Illinois,
Indiana, Wisconsin,
Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri,
North Dakota, South Dakota,
Nebraska, and Kansas

South Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas

West Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, California, Alaska, and Hawaii

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Table 1. Number, rate, and average length of stay for discharges from short-stay hospitals by age, region, and sex: United States, 2000 [Discharges of inpatients from non-Federal hospitals. Excludes newborn infants]

	Both s	exes	Ma	e	Fema	ale
Selected characteristic	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹
			Number in t	housands		
Fotal	31,706	1,218	12,514	541	19,192	703
Age						
Jnder 15 years	2,383	328	1,333	187	1,050	142
5–44 years	9,969	405	2,680	161	7,289	28
15–64 years	6,958	290	3,424	153	3,534	145
5 years and over	12,396	555	5,077	234	7,319	329
Region						
lortheast	7,103	705	2,979	324	4,123	386
Midwest	7,207	623	2,857	280	4,351	352
South	12,016	689	4,621	286	7,395	42
Vest	5,380	363	2,057	168	3,323	218
			Rate per 10,00	0 population		
otal	1,140.1	43.8	920.2	39.7	1,350.5	49.
Age						
Inder 15 years	393.9	54.2	430.8	60.6	355.2	48.2
5–44 years	815.9	33.2	438.7	26.3	1,192.9	45.9
5–64 years	1,141.7	47.6	1,158.0	51.7	1,126.3	46.
5 years and over	3,595.5	161.1	3,528.3	162.8	3,643.7	163.
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Region						
Northeast	1,354.9	134.4	1,173.5	127.7	1,525.3	142.
lidwest	1,128.3	97.6	915.3	89.7	1,331.8	107.6
South	1,216.4	69.8	964.2	59.6	1,454.0	82.7
Vest	853.7	57.6	653.8	53.4	1,053.1	69.
			Average length	of stay in days		
otal	4.9	0.1	5.3	0.1	4.6	0.
Age						
Inder 15 years	4.5	0.2	4.7	0.3	4.3	0.2
5–44 years	3.7	0.1	4.9	0.2	3.2	0.
5–64 years	5.0	0.1	5.1	0.1	4.8	0.
5 years and over	6.0	0.1	5.9	0.1	6.0	0.
Region						
lortheast	5.7	0.2	6.0	0.3	5.4	0.2
1idwest	4.5	0.1	4.8	0.1	4.3	0.
South	4.9	0.1	5.3	0.1	4.6	0.
West	4.5	0.2	5.2	0.2	4.1	0.

¹SE is standard error.

Table 2. Number of discharges from short-stay hospitals by first-listed diagnosis and age: United States, 2000

	All aç	ges	Unde 15 yea		15–4 year		45–6 year		65 ye and o	
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE
				Nu	mber in the	ousan	ds			
All conditions	31,706	1,218	2,383	328	9,969	405	6,958	290	12,396	55
Infectious and parasitic diseases	787	42	160	26	173	12	150	10	305	1
Septicemia	326	20	16	3	32	5	62	6	216	1
Neoplasms	1,587	70	37	11	289	14	566	26	695	3
Malignant neoplasms	1,156	54	27	8	120	8	393	19	617	3
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	159	10	*	*	*7	*2	49	4	103	
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	139	9	*	*	8	2	43	4	87	
Malignant neoplasm of breast	108	8	*	*	12	2	40	4	56	
Benign neoplasms	390	20	*	*	163	10	161	11	58	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240-279	1,455	62	152	21	289	17	381	19	634	3
Diabetes mellitus	557	26	22	5	136	10	207	12	192	1
Volume depletion	485	29	111	16	54	7	59	6	261	1
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	392	27	70	13	91	8	83	8	149	1
Mental disorders	2,147	341	103	25	1,255	233	495	74	293	2
Psychoses	1,445	243	*	*	803	160	343	55	244	2
Alcohol dependence syndrome	146	34	*	*	92	23	49	12	6	
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	471	31	84	16	112	10	109	9	167	1
Diseases of the circulatory system	6,294	286	30	6	389	19	1,813	89	4,062	19
Heart disease	4,385	211	16	4	244	13	1,271	68	2,854	14
Acute myocardial infarction	781	44	*	*	38	4	242	15	499	3
Coronary atherosclerosis	1,102	77	*	*	50	5	442	33	609	4
Other ischemic heart disease 411–413,414.1–414.9	283	27	*	*	21	3	105	9	157	1
Cardiac dysrhythmias	716	36	8	2	43	4	157	10	508	2
Congestive heart failure	999	47	*	*	35	4	195	15	767	3
Cerebrovascular disease	981	46	*	*	37	4	229	14	711	3
Diseases of the respiratory system	3,444	159	699	95	394	19	648	32	1,703	8
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	285	34	201	33	13	2	19	3	52	
Pneumonia	1,282	60	173	20	128	9	218	12	763	4
Chronic bronchitis	495	32	*	*	18	4	147	13	328	2
Asthma	465	38	203	33	111	9	84	6	68	
Diseases of the digestive system	3,143	124	217	30	758	32	852	41	1,317	5
Appendicitis	273	18	68	9	145	11	43	5	16	
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	277	14	49	7	81	6	56	5	91	
Diverticula of intestine	264	15	*	*	30	4	70	6	164	1
Cholelithiasis	344	18	*	*	108	7	107	9	127	1
Diseases of the genitourinary system	1,743	80	83	14	574	29	436	23	650	3
Calculus of kidney and ureter	177	15	*	*	80	7	62	7	31	
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ² 630-677	504	29	*	*	503	29	*	*		
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	514	40	*	*	132	12	133	9	179	1
Cellulitis and abscess	353	18	28	5	96	8	106	8	124	
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue 710–739	1,530	92	37	7	322	24	497	29	674	4
Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	441	35	*	*	13	2	125	11	303	2
Intervertebral disc disorders	329	22	*	*	140	12	132	12	56	
Congenital anomalies	165	29	113	25	33	6	11	2	9	
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period 760–779	156	28	155	28	*	*	*	*	*	
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	267	17	56	8	93	8	74	7	44	
njury and poisoning	2,466	112	228	33	712	39	514	27	1,012	5
Fractures, all sites ³	982	56	74	12	223	17	164	12	521	3
Fracture of neck of femur ³	321	23	*	*	*6	*1	24	3	290	2
Poisonings	192	12	21	4	108	7	39	4	25	
Supplementary classifications	4,640	191	89	16	3,851	166	196	16	505	5
Females with deliveries	3,738	166	12	2	3,722	165	*3	*1		

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliablility or precision.

^{...} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error.

²First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

³Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 3. Rate of discharges from short-stay hospitals by age and first-listed diagnosis: United States, 2000

	All ag	ges	Und 15 y		15- yea		45–6 year		65 ye and c	
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹
				Rate	e per 10,	000 po	pulation			
All conditions	1,140.1	43.8	393.9	54.2	815.9	33.2	1,141.7	47.6	3,595.5	161.
Infectious and parasitic diseases	28.3	1.5	26.5	4.4	14.1	1.0	24.6	1.7	88.3	5.5
Septicemia	11.7	0.7	2.6	0.5	2.6	0.4	10.1	1.0	62.7	4.
Neoplasms	57.1	2.5	6.1	1.8	23.7	1.1	92.9	4.3	201.7	10.
Malignant neoplasms	41.6	1.9	4.5	1.3	9.8	0.6	64.4	3.2	178.8	9.
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	5.7	0.3	*	*	*0.6	*0.1	8.0	0.7	29.8	2.
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	5.0	0.3	*	*	0.6	0.1	7.0	0.6	25.1	2.
Malignant neoplasm of breast	3.9	0.3	*	*	1.0	0.1	6.6	0.6	16.2	1.
Benign neoplasms	14.0	0.7	*	*	13.3	0.8	26.5	1.8	16.9	1.
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240–279	52.3	2.2	25.1	3.4	23.6	1.4	62.4	3.1	183.8	8.
Diabetes mellitus	20.0	0.9	3.7	0.8	11.1	0.8	33.9	2.0	55.7	3.
Volume depletion	17.4	1.1	18.3	2.6	4.4	0.6	9.6	1.0	75.8	5.
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	14.1	1.0	11.5	2.2	7.4	0.7	13.6	1.3	43.1	4.
Mental disorders 290–319 Psychoses 290–299	77.2 52.0	12.3 8.8	17.0	4.1	102.7 65.7	19.1 13.1	81.3 56.3	12.1 9.0	85.1 70.7	8. 7.
Alcohol dependence syndrome	5.3	1.2	*	*	7.5	1.9	8.0	1.9	1.6	0.
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	16.9	1.1	13.9	2.7	9.1	0.8	17.9	1.5	48.3	3.
Diseases of the circulatory system	226.3	10.3	5.0	1.1	31.8	1.6	297.5	14.6	1,178.3	55.
Heart disease	157.7	7.6	2.6	0.6	20.0	1.1	208.6	11.1	827.8	40.
Acute myocardial infarction	28.1	1.6	*	*	3.1	0.3	39.7	2.5	144.9	8
Coronary atherosclerosis	39.6	2.8	*	*	4.1	0.4	72.6	5.5	176.5	12
Other ischemic heart disease	10.2	1.0	*	*	1.8	0.2	17.2	1.4	45.5	5
Cardiac dysrhythmias	25.7	1.3	1.3	0.3	3.5	0.4	25.7	1.7	147.3	7.
Congestive heart failure	35.9	1.7	*	*	2.9	0.3	32.0	2.4	222.4	10.
Cerebrovascular disease	35.3	1.7	*	*	3.0	0.3	37.6	2.3	206.3	10.
Diseases of the respiratory system	123.8	5.7	115.6	15.8	32.2	1.6	106.3	5.2	493.8	24.
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	10.3	1.2	33.3	5.5	1.1	0.2	3.1	0.5	15.2	1.
Pneumonia	46.1	2.2	28.6	3.3	10.5	0.7	35.8	2.0	221.2	12.
Chronic bronchitis	17.8	1.2	*	*	1.5	0.3	24.2	2.2	95.2	6.
Asthma	16.7	1.4	33.6	5.4	9.1	0.7	13.7	1.0	19.6	2
Diseases of the digestive system	113.0	4.5	35.8	4.9	62.0	2.7	139.8	6.7	381.9	17.
Appendicitis	9.8	0.7	11.3	1.4	11.9	0.9	7.1	0.8	4.7	0.
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	10.0 9.5	0.5 0.5	8.0	1.2	6.6 2.5	0.5 0.3	9.2 11.4	0.7 1.0	26.5 47.7	2.
Diverticula of intestine	12.4	0.5	*	*	8.8	0.6	17.5	1.5	36.9	2.
Diseases of the genitourinary system	62.7	2.9	13.7	2.3	47.0	2.4	71.5	3.8	188.6	10.
Calculus of kidney and ureter	6.3	0.5	*	*	6.6	0.6	10.1	1.1	9.1	1.
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ² 630–677	18.1	1.0	*	*	41.1	2.4	*	*		
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	18.5	1.5	*	*	10.8	1.0	21.8	1.4	51.9	3.
Cellulitis and abscess	12.7	0.6	4.6	0.8	7.9	0.7	17.4	1.3	35.8	2.
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue 710–739	55.0	3.3	6.2	1.2	26.3	2.0	81.6	4.7	195.4	13
Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	15.9	1.3	*	*	1.1	0.2	20.5	1.8	87.9	7
Intervertebral disc disorders	11.8	0.8	*	*	11.4	1.0	21.7	1.9	16.3	1.
Congenital anomalies	5.9	1.0	18.7	4.2	2.7	0.5	1.8	0.3	2.6	0.
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period 760–779	5.6	1.0	25.6	4.6	*	*	*	*	*	
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions 780–799	9.6	0.6	9.3	1.4	7.6	0.6	12.1	1.1	12.8	1.
njury and poisoning	88.7	4.0	37.7	5.5	58.3	3.2	84.4	4.4	293.5	15.
Fractures, all sites ³	35.3	2.0	12.3	2.0	18.3	1.4	26.8	2.0	151.2	9.
Fracture of neck of femur ³	11.6	0.8	*	*	*0.5	*0.1	3.9	0.6	84.0	6.
Poisonings	6.9	0.4	3.4	0.6	8.8	0.6	6.5	0.7	7.2	1.
Supplementary classifications	166.8	6.9	14.6	2.6	315.1	13.6	32.2	2.6	146.3	16.
Females with deliveries	134.4	6.0	2.0	0.3	304.6	13.5	*0.5	*0.1		

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliablility or precision.

^{..} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error of rate.

²First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

³Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 4. Average length of stay for discharges from short-stay hospitals by age and first-listed diagnosis: United States, 2000

	All aç	ges	Und 15 ye		15– yea		45–6 yea		65 ye and c	
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	ALOS ¹	SE ²								
All conditions	4.9	0.1	4.5	0.2	3.7	0.1	5.0	0.1	6.0	0.1
Infectious and parasitic diseases	6.3	0.2	3.3	0.2	6.6	0.5	6.5	0.3	7.5	0.3
Septicemia	8.0	0.3	5.5	0.9	9.6	1.4	8.3	0.6	7.8	0.3
Neoplasms	5.8	0.1	6.5	0.6	4.2	0.2	5.3	0.2	7.0	0.2
Malignant neoplasms	6.7	0.1	7.6	0.7	6.4	0.4	6.2	0.2	7.2	0.2
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	8.6	0.3	*	*	*7.2	*0.9	7.4	0.4	9.2	0.4
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	6.7	0.2	*	*	7.2	1.3	6.2	0.3	6.9	0.3
Malignant neoplasm of breast	2.9	0.5	*	*	2.3	0.2	2.1	0.1	3.7	0.9
Benign neoplasms	3.2	0.1	3.0	0.5	2.5	0.1	3.1	0.1	5.2	0.3
			2.8	0.2	3.6			0.1	5.1	0.2
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240–279	4.5	0.1				0.1	4.8			
Diabetes mellitus	5.2	0.2	3.1	0.2	3.8	0.2	5.6	0.3	5.9	0.3
Volume depletion	4.0	0.2	2.2	0.1	3.1	0.2	3.8	0.3	5.0	0.2
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	4.4	0.2	4.0	0.2	4.7	0.2	4.5	0.3	4.5	0.3
Mental disorders	7.3	0.4	12.4	2.8	6.5	0.3	7.5	0.4	8.8	0.4
Psychoses	8.1	0.4	11.5	3.3	7.3	0.4	8.3	0.4	9.6	0.4
Alcohol dependence syndrome	5.7	0.5	*	*	5.8	0.6	5.7	0.6	4.6	8.0
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	4.8	0.2	3.9	0.2	4.5	0.3	4.3	0.3	5.7	0.3
Diseases of the circulatory system	4.8	0.1	5.6	0.9	3.9	0.1	4.2	0.1	5.2	0.1
Heart disease	4.7	0.1	5.4	1.0	3.6	0.1	3.9	0.1	5.1	0.1
Acute myocardial infarction	5.7	0.1	*	*	3.8	0.2	4.8	0.2	6.2	0.2
Coronary atherosclerosis	3.9	0.1	*	*	2.9	0.2	3.3	0.1	4.4	0.2
Other ischemic heart disease 411–413,414.1–414.9	2.7	0.1	*	*	2.1	0.3	2.3	0.1	3.1	0.1
Cardiac dysrhythmias	3.7	0.1	3.5	0.6	2.4	0.2	2.9	0.1	4.1	0.1
Congestive heart failure	5.5	0.1	*	*	4.4	0.4	4.9	0.3	5.6	0.2
Cerebrovascular disease	5.4	0.2	*	*	6.4	0.9	5.3	0.3	5.3	0.2
Diseases of the respiratory system	5.4	0.1	3.3	0.3	4.5	0.2	5.6	0.1	6.4	0.1
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	3.4	0.1	3.1	0.2	3.8	0.4	3.0	0.2	4.8	0.3
Pneumonia	5.9	0.1	3.4	0.2	5.3	0.4	5.9	0.2	6.5	0.2
Chronic bronchitis	5.2	0.2	*	*	4.6	0.7	5.1	0.3	5.2	0.2
Asthma	3.0	0.1	2.2	0.1	2.9	0.1	3.9	0.2	4.9	0.3
Diseases of the digestive system	4.7	0.1	3.3	0.2	3.8	0.1	4.7	0.1	5.5	0.1
Appendicitis	3.3	0.2	3.0	0.2	3.1	0.3	3.6	0.3	5.1	0.5
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	4.6	0.2	2.3	0.2	4.5	0.4	4.7	0.4	5.8	0.4
Diverticula of intestine	5.5	0.2	*	*	4.4	0.4	4.8	0.2	6.0	0.3
Cholelithiasis	3.8	0.1	*	*	2.9	0.2	3.4	0.2	5.0	0.2
Diseases of the genitourinary system	3.8	0.1	3.3	0.2	2.9	0.2	3.4	0.1	4.8	0.1
Calculus of kidney and ureter	2.4	0.2	*	*	2.0	0.1	2.7	0.5	2.8	0.1
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ³ 630–677	2.5	0.2	*	*	2.5	0.1	*	*		
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	5.5	0.1	2.1	0.1	4.4	0.1	6.0	0.4	7.0	0.3
Cellulitis and abscess	5.3	0.2	3.1 3.2		4.4	0.3	5.4	0.4	6.5	0.3
		0.2	4.4	0.3	3.0	0.2	3.4		4.9	0.3
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	4.1		4.4 *	0.5				0.1		
Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	4.5	0.1	*		3.7	0.2	4.1	0.1	4.7	0.2
Intervertebral disc disorders	3.0	0.1	^ A	0.7	2.3	0.1	2.8	0.2	4.9	0.6
Congenital anomalies	5.7	0.6	6.4	0.7	3.9	0.5	4.7	1.0	5.0	0.9
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	10.1	0.8	10.2	0.8						
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	2.4	0.1	2.1	0.1	1.9	0.1	2.1	0.2	4.2	0.5
Injury and poisoning	5.4	0.2	4.1	0.5	4.4	0.2	5.5	0.2	6.4	0.3
Fractures, all sites ⁴	5.8	0.2	3.1	0.3	4.8	0.4	5.6	0.4	6.6	0.4
Fracture of neck of femur ⁴	7.0	0.3	*	*	*5.1	*0.8	6.3	0.5	7.1	0.3
Poisonings	2.9	0.3	1.8	0.2	2.5	0.2	3.0	0.3	*	*
Supplementary classifications	3.9	0.2	5.5	0.9	2.6	0.0	8.5	0.5	11.6	0.4
Females with deliveries	2.5	0.0	2.4	0.2	2.5	0.0	*2.9	*0.3		

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliablility or precision.

^{. .} Category not applicable.

¹ALOS is average length of stay.

²SE is standard error of average length of stay.

³First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

⁴Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 5. Number of discharges from short-stay hospitals by sex and first-listed diagnosis: United States, 2000

	Both sexes		Mal	е	Female		
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	
			Number in th	ousands			
All conditions	31,706	1,218	12,514	541	19,192	703	
	787	42	389	24	398	22	
nfectious and parasitic diseases							
Septicemia	326	20	154	12	172	11	
Neoplasms	1,587	70	586	30	1,002	43	
Malignant neoplasms	1,156	54	528	28	629	31	
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	159	10	80	6	79	6	
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	139	9	72	5	66	6	
Malignant neoplasm of breast	108	8	*	*	108	8	
Benign neoplasms	390	20	40	4	350	19	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240–279	1,455	62	625	31	830	36	
Diabetes mellitus	557	26	279	15	278	16	
Volume depletion	485	29	206	16	279	16	
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	392	27	163	14	229	17	
Mental disorders	2,147	341	1,104	181	1,043	162	
Psychoses	1,445	243	712	128	733	117	
•	1,445	34	107	25	40	10	
Alcohol dependence syndrome							
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	471	31	196	15	275	19	
Diseases of the circulatory system	6,294	286	3,115	147	3,179	144	
Heart disease	4,385	211	2,243	114	2,142	102	
Acute myocardial infarction	781	44	453	28	328	19	
Coronary atherosclerosis	1,102	77	676	47	425	32	
Other ischemic heart disease	283	27	145	12	139	17	
Cardiac dysrhythmias	716	36	336	18	380	22	
Congestive heart failure	999	47	418	23	581	28	
Cerebrovascular disease	981	46	428	22	553	28	
Diseases of the respiratory system	3,444	159	1,603	83	1,841	82	
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	285	34	145	19	140	18	
Pneumonia	1,282	60	583	28	699	37	
Chronic bronchitis	495	32	215	15	280	20	
Asthma	465	38	198	24	267	18	
Diseases of the digestive system	3,143	124	1,376	59	1,767	74	
Appendicitis	273	18	156	11	117	9	
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	277	14	105	8	172	11	
Diverticula of intestine	264	15	105	8	159	10	
Cholelithiasis	344	18	111	9	233	13	
Diseases of the genitourinary system	1,743	80	533	33	1,211	53	
Calculus of kidney and ureter	177	15	104	9	73	8	
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ²	504	29			504	29	
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	514	40	259	21	255	21	
Cellulitis and abscess	353	18	184	11	169	10	
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	1,530	92	666	41	865	54	
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Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	441	35			267	21	
Intervertebral disc disorders	329	22	175	12	154	12	
Congenital anomalies	165	29	94	17	71	13	
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	156	28	86	16	69	12	
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	267	17	127	10	139	10	
njury and poisoning	2,466	112	1,214	57	1,252	61	
Fractures, all sites ³	982	56	413	25	569	36	
Fracture of neck of femur ³	321	23	81	7	240	19	
Poisonings	192	12	72	6	120	9	
Supplementary classifications	4,640	191	378	32	4,261	178	
Supplementary classifications							

 $^{^{\}star}$ Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

^{. .} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error.

²First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

³Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 6. Rate of discharges from short-stay hospitals by sex and first-listed diagnosis: United States, 2000

	Both sexes		Ma	le	Fema	ale
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹
			Rate per 10,0	00 population	1	
All conditions	1,140.1	43.8	920.2	39.7	1,350.5	49.5
nfectious and parasitic diseases	28.3	1.5	28.6	1.7	28.0	1.6
Septicemia	11.7	0.7	11.3	0.9	12.1	0.8
Neoplasms	57.1	2.5	43.1	2.2	70.5	3.0
Malignant neoplasms	41.6	1.9	38.8	2.0	44.2	2.2
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	5.7	0.3	5.9	0.5	5.5	0.4
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	5.0	0.3	5.3	0.4	4.7	0.4
Malignant neoplasm of breast	3.9	0.3	*	*	7.6	0.6
Benign neoplasms	14.0	0.7	2.9	0.3	24.6	1.3
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240–279	52.3	2.2	46.0	2.3	58.4	2.5
Diabetes mellitus	20.0	0.9	20.5	1.1	19.6	1.1
Volume depletion	17.4	1.1	15.2	1.2	19.6	1.1
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	14.1	1.0	12.0	1.0	16.1	1.2
Mental disorders	77.2	12.3	81.2	13.3	73.4	11.4
Psychoses	52.0	8.8	52.4	9.4	51.6	8.3
Alcohol dependence syndrome	5.3	1.2	7.8	1.8	2.8	0.7
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	16.9	1.1	14.4	1.1	19.4	1.0
Diseases of the circulatory system	226.3	10.3	229.1	10.8	223.7	10.
Heart disease	157.7	7.6	165.0	8.4	150.7	7.2
Acute myocardial infarction	28.1	1.6	33.3	2.1	23.1	1.4
Coronary atherosclerosis	39.6	2.8	49.7	3.5	29.9	2.3
Other ischemic heart disease	10.2	1.0	10.6	0.9	9.8	1.2
Cardiac dysrhythmias	25.7	1.3	24.7	1.3	26.8	1.5
Congestive heart failure	35.9	1.7	30.7	1.7	40.9	1.9
Cerebrovascular disease	35.3	1.7	31.5	1.6	38.9	2.
Diseases of the respiratory system	123.8	5.7	117.9	6.1	129.5	5.8
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	10.3	1.2	10.7	1.4	9.9	1.2
Pneumonia	46.1	2.2	42.9	2.1	49.2	2.0
Chronic bronchitis	17.8	1.2	15.8	1.1	19.7	1.4
Asthma	16.7	1.4	14.5	1.8	18.8	1.3
Diseases of the digestive system	113.0	4.5	101.2	4.3	124.4	5.2
Appendicitis	9.8	0.7	11.5	0.8	8.3	0.7
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	10.0	0.5	7.7	0.6	12.1	0.7
Diverticula of intestine	9.5	0.5	7.7	0.6	11.2	0.7
Cholelithiasis	12.4	0.7	8.2	0.7	16.4	0.9
Diseases of the genitourinary system	62.7	2.9	39.2	2.4	85.2	3.7
Calculus of kidney and ureter	6.3	0.5	7.6	0.7	5.1	0.6
complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ² 630–677	18.1	1.0	7.0		35.5	2.0
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	18.5	1.5	19.1	1.6	17.9	1.5
Cellulitis and abscess	12.7	0.6	13.6	0.8	11.9	0.7
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	55.0	3.3	49.0	3.0	60.8	3.8
Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	15.9	1.3	12.8	1.1	18.8	1.5
Intervertebral disc disorders	11.8	0.8	12.9	0.9	10.9	0.9
Congenital anomalies	5.9	1.0	6.9	1.2	5.0	0.9
ertain conditions originating in the perinatal period	5.6	1.0	6.3	1.2	4.9	0.9
symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	9.6	0.6	9.4	0.7	9.8	0.3
njury and poisoning	88.7	4.0	89.3	4.2	9.6 88.1	4.3
Fractures, all sites ³	35.3	2.0	30.4	1.8	40.0	2.5
Fractures, all sites		0.8	6.0	0.5		2.3 1.3
Poisonings	11.6				16.9	
•	6.9	0.4	5.3	0.4	8.5	0.6
Supplementary classifications	166.8	6.9	27.8	2.4	299.9	12.
Females with deliveries	134.4	6.0			263.0	11.

 $^{^{\}star}$ Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

^{..} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error of rate.

²First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

³Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 7. Average length of stay for discharges from short-stay hospitals by sex and first-listed diagnosis: United States, 2000

	Both s	exes	Ма	le	Female		
Category of first-listed diagnosis and ICD-9-CM code	ALOS ¹	SE ²	ALOS ¹	SE ²	ALOS ¹	SE ²	
All conditions	4.9	0.1	5.3	0.1	4.6	0.1	
Infectious and parasitic diseases	6.3	0.2	6.2	0.3	6.3	0.2	
Septicemia	8.0	0.3	7.6	0.4	8.3	0.4	
Neoplasms	5.8	0.1	7.0	0.2	5.2	0.1	
Malignant neoplasms	6.7	0.1	7.2	0.2	6.4	0.2	
Malignant neoplasm of large intestine and rectum	8.6	0.3	9.0	0.5	8.1	0.4	
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus, and lung 162,176.4,197.0,197.3	6.7	0.2	6.3	0.3	7.0	0.3	
Malignant neoplasm of breast	2.9	0.5	*	*	2.9	0.5	
Benign neoplasms	3.2	0.1	4.5	0.4	3.0	0.1	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders 240–279	4.5	0.1	4.6	0.2	4.4	0.1	
Diabetes mellitus	5.2	0.2	5.4	0.3	5.0	0.2	
Volume depletion	4.0	0.2	3.9	0.2	4.1	0.2	
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	4.4	0.2	4.3	0.2	4.5	0.2	
Mental disorders	7.3	0.4	7.2	0.4	7.5	0.4	
Psychoses	8.1	0.4	8.2	0.5	8.1	0.4	
Alcohol dependence syndrome	5.7	0.5	5.4	0.6	6.7	0.8	
Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs	4.8	0.2	5.2	0.3	4.5	0.2	
Diseases of the circulatory system	4.8	0.1	4.7	0.1	5.0	0.1	
Heart disease	4.7	0.1	4.5	0.1	4.9	0.1	
Acute myocardial infarction	5.7	0.1	5.2	0.1	6.3	0.2	
Coronary atherosclerosis	3.9	0.1	3.8	0.1	4.0	0.2	
Other ischemic heart disease	2.7	0.1	2.6	0.1	2.8	0.1	
Cardiac dysrhythmias	3.7	0.1	3.6	0.1	3.8	0.1	
Congestive heart failure	5.5	0.1	5.6	0.3	5.4	0.2	
Cerebrovascular disease	5.4	0.1	5.0	0.3	5.5	0.1	
Diseases of the respiratory system	5.4	0.2	5.2	0.2	5.5	0.2	
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	3.4	0.1	3.2	0.2	3.7	0.1	
Pneumonia	5.9	0.1	5.6	0.1	6.1	0.3	
Chronic bronchitis	5.2 3.0	0.2 0.1	5.2 2.6	0.2 0.1	5.2 3.4	0.2 0.1	
Asthma	4.7	0.1	4.7	0.1	4.8	0.1	
Diseases of the digestive system	3.3	0.1	3.3	0.1	3.2	0.1	
Appendicitis							
Noninfectious enteritis and colitis	4.6	0.2	4.0	0.2	4.9	0.3	
Diverticula of intestine	5.5	0.2	4.9	0.2	5.9	0.3	
Cholelithiasis	3.8	0.1	4.4	0.3	3.6	0.1	
Diseases of the genitourinary system	3.8	0.1	4.1	0.1	3.6	0.1	
Calculus of kidney and ureter	2.4	0.2	2.0	0.1	2.9	0.5	
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium ³ 630–677	2.5	0.1			2.5	0.1	
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	5.5	0.2	5.5	0.3	5.6	0.3	
Cellulitis and abscess	5.3	0.2	5.1	0.2	5.4	0.2	
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue 710–739	4.1	0.1	4.0	0.1	4.3	0.1	
Osteoarthrosis and allied disorders	4.5	0.1	4.5	0.2	4.5	0.1	
Intervertebral disc disorders	3.0	0.1	2.6	0.1	3.3	0.2	
Congenital anomalies	5.7	0.6	5.4	0.5	6.1	0.8	
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	10.1	0.8	11.5	1.4	8.4	0.8	
Symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions	2.4	0.1	2.3	0.2	2.5	0.2	
Injury and poisoning	5.4	0.2	5.4	0.2	5.4	0.1	
Fractures, all sites ⁴	5.8	0.2	5.9	0.5	5.6	0.2	
Fracture of neck of femur ⁴	7.0	0.3	7.3	0.4	6.9	0.3	
Poisonings	2.9	0.3	2.7	0.2	3.0	0.4	
Supplementary classifications	3.9	0.2	9.2	0.5	3.4	0.1	
Females with deliveries	2.5	0.0			2.5	0.0	

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

^{...} Category not applicable.

¹ALOS is average length of stay.

²SE is standard error of average length of stay.

³First-listed diagnosis for females with deliveries is coded V27, shown under "Supplementary classifications."

⁴Excludes fractures coded as 733.1, pathologic fracture.

Table 8. Number of all-listed procedures for discharges from short-stay hospitals by procedure category and age: United States, 2000

Procedure category and ICD-9-CM code All procedures Operations on the nervous system Operations on the endocrine system Operations on the eye Operations on the ear Operations on the ear Operations on the respiratory system Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s) Coronary artery bypass graft ² Cardiac catheterization Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device Hemodialysis Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system 37.7–37.8 Hemodialysis Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system 40-41 Operations on the digestive system 42-54 Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy 45.71 All Fares intestine 46.7	1,000 296 90 80 37 261 969 248 5,939 1,025 519	SE ¹ 1,855 77 25 6 11 5 18 49 18 339 83 41 101 22 31 18	1,951 210 131 * 9 22 56 57 * 154 * 8 *		Number in the 13,518 309 70 27 20 8 89 164 42 549 62 17 96		9,775 238 47 37 20 *4 57 271 73 2,113	500 18 5 5 4 *1 6 17 7	Number 14,737 242 48 23 32 *4 59 477 116 3,123	807 19 4 3 6 *-
Operations on the nervous system .01–05 Spinal tap .03.31 Operations on the endocrine system .06–07 Operations on the eye .08–16 Operations on the ear .18–20 Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx .21–29 Operations on the respiratory system .30–34 Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy .33.21–33.24,33.27 Operations on the cardiovascular system .35–39 Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s) .36.0 Coronary artery bypass graft² .36.1 Cardiac catheterization .37.21–37.23 Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device .37.7–37.8 Hemodialysis .39.95 Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system .40–41 Operations on the digestive system .45.11–45.14,45.16 Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy .45.11–45.14,45.16 Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy .45.21–45.25	1,000 296 90 80 37 261 969 248 5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	77 25 6 11 5 18 49 18 339 83 41 101 22 31	210 131 * 9 22 56 57 * 154	323 41 22 * 2 5 10 14 *	13,518 309 70 27 20 8 89 164 42 549 62 17	612 38 7 3 4 2 8 14 5 30 8	9,775 238 47 37 20 *4 57 271 73 2,113	18 5 5 4 *1 6 17	242 48 23 32 *4 59 477 116	19
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Operations on the ear	37 261 969 248 5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	5 18 49 18 339 83 41 101 22 31	22 56 57 * 154 *	5 10 14 * 31 *	8 89 164 42 549 62 17	2 8 14 5 30 8	*4 57 271 73 2,113	*1 6 17 7	*4 59 477 116	30
Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx 21–29 Operations on the respiratory system 30–34 Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy 33.21–33.24,33.27 Operations on the cardiovascular system 35–39 Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s) 36.0 Coronary artery bypass graft ² 36.1 Cardiac catheterization 37.21–37.23 Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device 37.7–37.8 Hemodialysis 39.95 Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system 40–41 Operations on the digestive system 42–54 Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy 45.11–45.14,45.16 Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy 45.21–45.25	261 969 248 5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	18 49 18 339 83 41 101 22 31	56 57 * 154 *	10 14 * 31 *	89 164 42 549 62 17	8 14 5 30 8	57 271 73 2,113	6 17 7	59 477 116	30
Operations on the respiratory system	969 248 5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	49 18 339 83 41 101 22 31	57 * 154 *	14 * 31 *	164 42 549 62 17	14 5 30 8	271 73 2,113	17 7	477 116	30
Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy	248 5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	18 339 83 41 101 22 31	* 154 * *	31 * *	42 549 62 17	5 30 8	73 2,113	7	116	
Operations on the cardiovascular system	5,939 1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	339 83 41 101 22 31	*	31	549 62 17	30 8	2,113			
Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s)	1,025 519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	83 41 101 22 31	*	*	62 17	8		131	3 123	10
Coronary artery bypass graft ²	519 1,221 327 456 315 5,145	41 101 22 31	* * 8	*	17				0,120	18
Cardiac catheterization	1,221 327 456 315 5,145	101 22 31	* 8 *			3	437	32	524	5
Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device	327 456 315 5,145	22 31	8	2	96	_	216	19	286	23
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Hemodialysis	456 315 5,145	31			+=	+4	45	_	074	
Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system	315 5,145				*5	*1	45	7	274	19
Operations on the digestive system	5,145		*	*	65	6	164	14	226	18
Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy 45.11–45.14,45.16 Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy 45.21–45.25	,		000		49	4	108	8	135	1
Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy		207 40	208 11	39 3	1,136 120	51 8	1,404 231	65	2,397 553	109
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	541 236	27 14	*	*	65 27	6 4	125 73	10 6	346 134	19
Partial excision of large intestine	303	19	71	9	167	11	50	5	16	:
Cholecystectomy	419	21	*	*	138	9	129	9	149	10
Lysis of peritoneal adhesions	307	17	4	1	123	9	94	7	85	
Operations on the urinary system	962	55	35	9	235	20	291	19	401	2
Cystoscopy with or without biopsy	181	12	*	*	33	4	47	4	97	
Operations on the male genital organs	258	18	19	5	14	3	68	6	157	12
Prostatectomy	184	16	*	*	*	*	48	5	134	12
Operations on the female genital organs	2,061	94	6	1	1,192	58	638	34	225	13
Oophorectomy and salpingo-oophorectomy 65.3–65.6		27	*	*	205	14	230	14	57	(
Bilateral destruction or occlusion of fallopian tubes		19	*	*	315	19	*	*	*	
Hysterectomy	633	33	*	*	317	20	254	14	62	Ę
Obstetrical procedures	6,209	296	19	3	6,185	295	*5	*1		
Episiotomy with or without forceps or vacuum										
extraction	944	57	*	*	940	57	*	*		
Artificial rupture of membranes	833	61	*	*	830	61	*	*		
Cesarean section	855	43	*	*	853	43	*	*		
Repair of current obstetric laceration	1,136	59	*4	*1	1,130	59	*	*		
Operations on the musculoskeletal system	3,171	182	172	31	836	49	918	63	1,245	84
Partial excision of bone	209	17	11	3	70	6	77	9	51	(
Reduction of fracture		41	51	8	187	15	125	10	265	20
Open reduction of fracture with internal fixation	423	28	15	3	117	10	87	7	203	1:
Excision or destruction of intervertebral disc		23	*	*	126	11	128	11	41	
Total hip replacement	152	12	*	*	13	2	51	6	88	
Total knee replacement		28	*	*	*6	*1	82	9	211	2
Operations on the integumentary system	1,264	87	*	*	355	25	378	21	407	2
Debridement of wound, infection, or burn		20	17	4	84	8	105	10	120	4.4
Miscellaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures		932	837	147	2,349	248	3,226	239	5,812	44
Computerized axial tomography 87.03,87.41,87.71,88.01,88.38		94	39	10	150	22	182	23	383	54
Arteriography and angiocardiography using contrast material 88.4–88.5		146	11	3	175	14	821	64	998	7
Diagnostic ultrasound		96	37	10	143	18	232	25	474	59
Respiratory therapy		89	206	61 9	129	14	215	18	440	_
Insertion of endotracheal tube	429	23	40 48	ч	61	5	103	7	226	3- 1:

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

^{...} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error.

 $^{^2\}mbox{The number of discharges with a coronary artery bypass graft was 314,000.$

Table 9. Rate of all-listed procedures for discharges from short-stay hospitals by procedure category and age: United States, 2000

	All ag	es	Unde 15 yea		15–4 year		45–6 year		65 ye and c	
Procedure category and ICD-9-CM code	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹
				Rate	per 10,00	00 рор	ulation			
All procedures	1,437.7	66.7	322.5	53.4	1,106.3	50.1	1,603.9	82.0	4,274.7	234.2
Operations on the nervous system	35.9	2.8	34.8	6.7	25.3	3.1	39.1	2.9	70.3	5.6
Spinal tap	10.6	0.9	21.6	3.7	5.8	0.5	7.8	0.8	13.8	1.3
Operations on the endocrine system	3.2	0.2	*	*	2.2	0.3	6.1	0.7	6.5	0.8
Operations on the eye	2.9	0.4	1.5	0.3	1.6	0.3	3.2	0.6	9.3	1.7
Operations on the ear	1.3	0.2	3.6	8.0	0.6	0.1	*0.6	*0.1	*1.1	*0.3
Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx	9.4	0.7	9.2	1.6	7.3	0.6	9.4	0.9	17.0	2.0
Operations on the respiratory system	34.8	1.8	9.4	2.3	13.4	1.1	44.4	2.7	138.3	8.7
Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy	8.9	0.7	*	*	3.5	0.4	12.1	1.2	33.7	2.9
Operations on the cardiovascular system	213.5	12.2	25.4	5.2	44.9	2.5	346.8	21.4	905.9	54.9
Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s) 36.0	36.9	3.0	*	*	5.1	0.6	71.7	5.2	152.0	14.7
Coronary artery bypass graft ²	18.7	1.5			1.4	0.2	35.4	3.2	82.9	6.8
Cardiac catheterization	43.9	3.6	1.4	0.3	7.8	0.8	85.4	7.0	173.0	14.8
Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device	11.8	0.8	*	*	*0.4	*0.1	7.4	1.2	79.4	5.5
Hemodialysis	16.4	1.1	*	*	5.3	0.5	26.9	2.3	65.5	5.3
Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system	11.3	0.7	*	*	4.0	0.4	17.7	1.3	39.1	3.
Operations on the digestive system	185.0	7.4	34.4	6.5	93.0	4.2	230.3	10.7	695.2	31.
Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy 45.11–45.14,45.16	32.9	1.5	1.8	0.5	9.8	0.7	37.9	2.1	160.5	8.0
Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy 45.21–45.25	19.4	1.0	*	*	5.3	0.5	20.5	1.6	100.5	5.0
Partial excision of large intestine	8.5	0.5	*	*	2.2	0.3	11.9	1.0	38.8	2.0
Appendectomy, excluding incidental	10.9	0.7	11.7	1.4	13.6	0.9	8.2	0.9	4.7	0.
Cholecystectomy	15.1	0.7	*	*	11.3	0.7	21.2	1.5	43.3	3.0
Lysis of peritoneal adhesions	11.0	0.6	0.7	0.2	10.1	0.7	15.5	1.1	24.8	2.5
Operations on the urinary system	34.6	2.0	5.8	1.5	19.3	1.6	47.7	3.1	116.3	8.2
Cystoscopy with or without biopsy	6.5	0.4	*	*	2.7	0.3	7.8	0.7	28.0	2.3
Operations on the male genital organs	9.3	0.6	3.2	0.8	1.2	0.2	11.1	1.1	45.5	3.0
Prostatectomy	6.6	0.6	*	*	*	*	7.9	0.9	38.9	3.
Operations on the female genital organs	74.1	3.4	0.9	0.2	97.5	4.8	104.7	5.6	65.3	4.8
Oophorectomy and salpingo-oophorectomy	17.8	1.0	*	*	16.8	1.1	37.8	2.3	16.6	1.0
Bilateral destruction or occlusion of fallopian tubes	11.3 22.8	0.7 1.2	*	*	25.8 26.0	1.5 1.6	41.7	2.4	17.9	1.4
Hysterectomy. .68.3–68.7,68.9 Obstetrical procedures .72–75	223.3	10.6	3.1	0.5	506.2	24.1	*0.8	*0.2	17.9	
Episiotomy with or without forceps or vacuum	220.0	10.0	5.1	0.5	300.2	24.1	0.0	0.2		
extraction	33.9	2.0	*	*	76.9	4.6	*	*		
Artificial rupture of membranes	30.0	2.2	*	*	67.9	5.0	*	*		
Cesarean section	30.8	1.6	*	*	69.8	3.5	*	*		
Repair of current obstetric laceration	40.9	2.1	*0.7	*0.2	92.5	4.8	*	*		
Operations on the musculoskeletal system	114.0	6.6	28.4	5.1	68.4	4.0	150.6	10.3	361.1	24.
Partial excision of bone	7.5	0.6	1.9	0.5	5.7	0.5	12.7	1.4	14.7	1.0
Reduction of fracture	22.6	1.5	8.5	1.4	15.3	1.2	20.5	1.7	76.8	5.
Open reduction of fracture with internal fixation	15.2	1.0	2.5	0.5	9.5	8.0	14.3	1.2	58.9	4.
Excision or destruction of intervertebral disc	10.6	0.8	*	*	10.3	0.9	21.0	1.9	12.0	1.4
Total hip replacement	5.5	0.4	*	*	1.0	0.2	8.3	1.0	25.7	2.
Total knee replacement	10.8	1.0	*	*	*0.5	*0.1	13.5	1.5	61.2	6.0
Operations on the integumentary system	45.4	3.1			29.1	2.0	62.0	3.4	118.0	7.
Debridement of wound, infection, or burn	11.7	0.7	2.9	0.6	6.8	0.6	17.2	1.7	34.7	2.0
Miscellaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures	439.5	33.5	138.3	24.3	192.3	20.3	529.3	39.2	1,685.7	130. 15.
Arteriography and angiocardiography using contrast material	27.1 72.1	5.3	6.5 1.8	0.4	12.3 14.3	1.8	29.8 134.6	3.8 10.5	111.0 289.5	21.
Diagnostic ultrasound	31.9	3.5	6.1	1.6	11.7	1.5	38.1	4.1	137.6	17.0
Respiratory therapy	35.6	3.2	34.1	10.0	10.6	1.1	35.2	3.0	127.7	9.8
		0.8	6.5					1.1	65.5	4.
Insertion of endotracheal tube	15.4	() A		1.4	5.0	0.4	16.9	1 1		

^{*} Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

^{...} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error of rate.

 $^{^2\}mathrm{The}$ rate per 10,000 population of discharges with a coronary artery bypass graft was 11.3.

Table 10. Number of all-listed procedures for discharges from short-stay hospitals by procedure category and sex: United States, 2000 [Discharges of inpatients from non-Federal hospitals. Excludes newborn infants. Procedure groupings and code numbers are based on the *International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification* (ICD-9-CM)]

		exes	Mal	e	Female		
Procedure category and ICD-9-CM code	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	Number	SE ¹	
			Number in the	housands			
All procedures	39,981	1,855	15,654	852	24,328	1,047	
Operations on the nervous system	1,000	77	458	37	542	49	
Spinal tap	296	25	156	16	141	12	
Operations on the endocrine system	90	6	23	2	67	6	
Operations on the eye	80	11	43	7	37	5	
Operations on the ear	37	5	24	4	13	2	
Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx	261	18	158	12	103	8	
Operations on the respiratory system	969	49	526	32	443	24	
Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy	248	18	145	13	103	8	
Operations on the cardiovascular system	5,939	339	3,420	209	2,519	135	
Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s)	1,025	83	655	54	370	31	
Coronary artery bypass graft ²	519	41	371	31	148	11	
Cardiac catheterization	1,221	101	732	61	490	41	
Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device 37.7–37.8	327	22	162	12	165	16	
Hemodialysis	456	31	224	20	232	16	
Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system	315	18	160	11	155	9	
Operations on the digestive system	5,145	207	2,180	98	2,965	121	
Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy 45.11–45.14,45.16	915	40	408	21	508	25	
Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy	541	27	210	12	331	19	
Partial excision of large intestine	236	14	107	8	129	10	
Appendectomy, excluding incidental	303	19	163	12	140	9	
Cholecystectomy	419	21	134	9	284	15	
Lysis of peritoneal adhesions	307	17	61	5	246	14	
Operations on the urinary system	962	55	450	28	511	34	
Cystoscopy with or without biopsy	181	12	96	8	85	7	
Operations on the male genital organs	258	18	258	18			
Prostatectomy	184	16	184	16			
Operations on the female genital organs	2,061	94			2,061	94	
Oophorectomy and salpingo-oophorectomy	494	27			494	27	
Bilateral destruction or occlusion of fallopian tubes	315	19			315	19	
Hysterectomy	633	33			633	33	
Obstetrical procedures	6,209	296			6,209	296	
Episiotomy with or without forceps or vacuum extraction 72.1,72.21,72.31,72.71,73.6	944	57			944	57	
Artificial rupture of membranes	833	61			833	61	
Cesarean section	855	43			855	43	
Repair of current obstetric laceration	1,136	59			1,136	59	
Operations on the musculoskeletal system	3,171	182	1,546	87	1,624	101	
Partial excision of bone	209	17	111	9	98	10	
Reduction of fracture	628	41	285	21	344	23	
Open reduction of fracture with internal fixation	423	28	177	14	246	17	
Excision or destruction of intervertebral disc	296	23	162	13	134	12	
Total hip replacement	152	12	69	6	83	7	
Total knee replacement	299	28	115	12	185	17	
Operations on the integumentary system	1,264	87	567	47	697	45	
Debridement of wound, infection, or burn	325	20	189	14	136	9	
Miscellaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures	12,223	932	5,841	442	6,382	497	
Computerized axial tomography	754	94	345	45	409	52	
Arteriography and angiocardiography using contrast material 88.4–88.5	2,005	146	1,157	87	848	63	
Diagnostic ultrasound	886	96	385	42	501	56	
Respiratory therapy	991	89	507	48	484	43	
Insertion of endotracheal tube	429	23	221	13	209	12	
Injection or infusion of cancer chemotherapeutic substance	199	20	115	15	85	9	

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^{. .} Category not applicable.

¹SE is standard error.

²The number of discharges with a coronary artery bypass graft was 314,000.

Table 11. Rate of all-listed procedures for discharges from short-stay hospitals by procedure category and sex: United States, 2000

	Both s	exes	Mal	е	Female		
Procedure category and ICD-9-CM code	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	Rate	SE ¹	
		F	Rate per 10,00	0 population	n		
All procedures	1,437.7	66.7	1,151.1	62.6	1,711.8	73.7	
Operations on the nervous system	35.9	2.8	33.7	2.7	38.1	3.4	
Spinal tap	10.6	0.9	11.4	1.2	9.9	0.8	
Operations on the endocrine system	3.2	0.2	1.7	0.2	4.7	0.4	
Operations on the eye	2.9	0.4	3.2	0.5	2.6	0.4	
Operations on the ear	1.3	0.2	1.7	0.3	0.9	0.2	
Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx	9.4	0.7	11.6	0.9	7.2	0.6	
Operations on the respiratory system	34.8	1.8	38.7	2.3	31.2	1.7	
Bronchoscopy with or without biopsy	8.9	0.7	10.6	1.0	7.3	0.6	
Operations on the cardiovascular system	213.5	12.2	251.5	15.4	177.2	9.5	
Removal of coronary artery obstruction and insertion of stent(s)	36.9	3.0	48.2	4.0	26.0	2.2	
Coronary artery bypass graft ²	18.7	1.5	27.3	2.3	10.4	0.8	
Cardiac catheterization	43.9	3.6	53.8	4.5	34.4	2.9	
Insertion, replacement, removal, and revision of pacemaker leads or device 37.7–37.8	11.8	0.8	11.9	0.9	11.6	1.1	
Hemodialysis	16.4	1.1	16.4	1.4	16.3	1.1	
Operations on the hemic and lymphatic system	11.3	0.7	11.7	0.8	10.9	0.7	
Operations on the digestive system	185.0	7.4	160.3	7.2	208.6	8.5	
Endoscopy of small intestine with or without biopsy	32.9	1.5	30.0	1.5	35.7	1.7	
Endoscopy of large intestine with or without biopsy	19.4	1.0	15.5	0.9	23.3	1.3	
Partial excision of large intestine	8.5	0.5	7.9	0.6	9.1	0.7	
Appendectomy, excluding incidental	10.9	0.7	12.0	0.8	9.8	0.7	
Cholecystectomy	15.1	0.7	9.9	0.6	20.0	1.1	
Lysis of peritoneal adhesions	11.0	0.6	4.5	0.4	17.3	1.0	
Operations on the urinary system	34.6	2.0	33.1	2.0	36.0	2.4	
Cystoscopy with or without biopsy	6.5	0.4	7.1	0.6	6.0	0.5	
Operations on the male genital organs	9.3	0.6	18.9	1.3			
Prostatectomy	6.6	0.6	13.5	1.2			
	74.1	3.4			145.0	6.6	
Operations on the female genital organs	17.8	1.0			34.7	1.9	
Oophorectomy and salpingo-oophorectomy		0.7			22.2		
Bilateral destruction or occlusion of fallopian tubes	11.3 22.8	1.2				1.3 2.3	
Hysterectomy					44.6		
Disterrical procedures	223.3	10.6		• • • •	436.9	20.8	
Episiotomy with or without forceps or vacuum extraction 72.1,72.21,72.31,72.71,73.6	33.9	2.0			66.4	4.0	
Artificial rupture of membranes	30.0	2.2			58.6	4.3	
Cesarean section	30.8	1.6		• • • •	60.2	3.0	
Repair of current obstetric laceration	40.9	2.1			79.9	4.1	
Operations on the musculoskeletal system	114.0	6.6	113.7	6.4	114.3	7.1	
Partial excision of bone	7.5	0.6	8.2	0.7	6.9	0.7	
Reduction of fracture	22.6	1.5	20.9	1.5	24.2	1.6	
Open reduction of fracture with internal fixation	15.2	1.0	13.0	1.0	17.3	1.2	
Excision or destruction of intervertebral disc	10.6	0.8	11.9	0.9	9.4	0.8	
Total hip replacement	5.5	0.4	5.1	0.5	5.8	0.5	
Total knee replacement	10.8	1.0	8.4	0.9	13.0	1.2	
Operations on the integumentary system	45.4	3.1	41.7	3.5	49.0	3.1	
Debridement of wound, infection, or burn	11.7	0.7	13.9	1.0	9.6	0.6	
Aiscellaneous diagnostic and therapeutic procedures	439.5	33.5	429.6	32.5	449.1	35.0	
Computerized axial tomography	27.1	3.4	25.3	3.3	28.8	3.7	
Arteriography and angiocardiography using contrast material 88.4–88.5	72.1	5.3	85.1	6.4	59.6	4.4	
Diagnostic ultrasound	31.9	3.5	28.3	3.1	35.3	4.0	
Respiratory therapy	35.6	3.2	37.3	3.5	34.0	3.1	
Insertion of endotracheal tube	15.4	0.8	16.2	1.0	14.7	8.0	
Injection or infusion of cancer chemotherapeutic substance	7.2	0.7	8.4	1.1	6.0	0.6	

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