

2017 Hospital Report Card

All Vermont Acute Care Community Hospitals

Table 1A - Hospital Pricing of Top 2015 Inpatient Diagnoses - Gross Charges

These are hospital gross charges only. Physician charges are NOT included. Charges displayed include each community hospital's top inpatient diagnoses by volume for the period of 10/1/2014 to 9/30/2015. Because each patient receives treatment based on their individual needs, the gross charge to each patient will vary. Hospital System Number of Cases and Average Gross Charges include all hospitals. For individual hospitals, charges for diagnoses having fewer than 15 cases are not shown. Blanks in the table indicate that the hospital has fewer than 15 cases for that diagnosis or the hospital does not admit patients with that particular diagnosis. The hospital, however, may admit patients with similar diagnoses under a different code which may not be shown. Treating a given diagnosis may entail more than one procedure. Please call the hospital for more information.

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* "Major Diagnostic Category" (MDC) is a grouping of similar MS-DRGs, such as all those affecting a given organ system of the body.

"No data" indicates that no diagnosis in that particular grouping meets the minimum limits based on the methodology described above.

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Inpatient Diagnosis		Hospital System		Vermont Community Hospitals - Charges Displayed Include Each Hospital's Top Diagnoses By Volume													
MDC and MS-DRG ¹	Diagnosis Description	System Number of Cases ²	System Average Gross Charges ³	*Brattleboro Memorial Hospital	Central Vermont Medical Center	Copley Hospital	*Gifford Medical Center	Grace Cottage Hospital	*Mount Ascutney Hospital	North Country Hospital	*Northeastern Vermont Regional Hospital	*Northwestern Medical Center	Porter Medical Center	Rutland Regional Medical Center	*Southwestern Vermont Medical Center	Springfield Hospital	University of Vermont Medical Center
MDC 1: Diseases and Disorders of the Nervous System																	
65	Stroke with CC	356	\$25,474	\$18,108	\$20,894							\$15,066		\$24,160			\$33,223
69	Transient ischemia	121	\$16,470		\$16,750									\$19,294			\$20,192
MDC 4: Diseases and Disorders of the Respiratory System																	
176	Pulmonary embolism w/o MCC	217	\$17,841											\$22,363	\$13,346		\$21,218
177	Resp infect/inflam w MCC	254	\$35,752		\$26,713							\$19,398		\$31,672	\$24,450		\$60,030
178	Respiratory infections & inflammation with C	241	\$29,864											\$18,398	\$15,702	\$17,911	\$47,687
189	Pulmonary edema & respiratory failure	811	\$23,973	\$16,400	\$22,629					\$21,230		\$18,627		\$25,434	\$19,641	\$18,868	\$28,450
190	Chronic lung disease (emphysema) with MC	534	\$16,836		\$19,371	\$11,230				\$19,555	\$14,534	\$12,723		\$23,958	\$15,005	\$15,919	\$18,904
191	Chronic lung disease (emphysema) with C	346	\$15,187	\$16,653	\$13,331	\$7,914	\$16,582			\$16,718		\$11,456	\$12,964	\$17,859	\$13,043	\$14,567	\$19,496
192	Chronic lung disease (emphysema) w/o C	255	\$11,585	\$9,154	\$9,090	\$7,080	\$9,285			\$14,563			\$14,348	\$12,431		\$13,371	\$11,586
193	Pneumonia with MC	630	\$20,827		\$21,166	\$10,490			\$11,885			\$15,412	\$18,037	\$27,995	\$17,318	\$19,834	\$27,631
194	Pneumonia with C	846	\$15,535	\$12,039	\$14,522	\$7,799	\$18,230		\$10,630	\$19,030	\$17,191	\$12,441	\$14,077	\$20,742	\$13,307	\$17,583	\$16,896
195	Pneumonia w/o C	318	\$11,723			\$8,252	\$13,253	\$8,293		\$15,292		\$9,407	\$12,540	\$13,975	\$11,743	\$13,483	\$14,389
MDC 5: Diseases and Disorders of the Circulatory System																	
291	Heart failure with MC	535	\$22,335		\$26,219					\$15,744	\$21,262	\$17,779		\$23,810	\$18,687	\$19,236	\$25,861
292	Heart failure with C	580	\$16,010	\$14,480	\$16,663	\$6,686	\$18,139		\$10,896	\$19,074	\$15,597	\$12,778		\$18,869	\$11,540	\$13,458	\$19,087
293	Heart failure w/o C	197	\$12,097			\$6,552			\$10,162	\$12,068							\$13,270
309	Heart rhythm disturbances with C	392	\$14,161		\$13,008					\$15,200		\$13,278		\$15,523	\$13,534		\$13,622
310	Heart rhythm disturbances w/o C	458	\$10,322		\$13,080	\$4,172	\$12,223			\$17,895	\$11,591			\$10,376	\$9,797		\$9,613
312	Syncope & collapse	177	\$13,987		\$13,418	\$6,462	\$15,654							\$16,684		\$15,840	\$15,778
313	Chest pain	143	\$11,421		\$12,305		\$13,038							\$11,186		\$10,875	\$11,933
MDC 6: Diseases and Disorders of the Digestive System																	
330	Major small & large bowel procedures with C	309	\$45,608									\$34,776		\$47,264	\$35,451		\$41,639
378	Bleeding from the stomach or intestine with C	452	\$16,931	\$16,696	\$14,346	\$6,031	\$20,963			\$14,614	\$16,642	\$16,837		\$19,501	\$14,861		\$18,983
389	G.I. obstruction with C	204	\$15,080		\$15,224							\$10,908		\$14,119			\$18,828
390	G.I. obstruction w/o C	228	\$10,994		\$12,016						\$9,953	\$9,012		\$11,758	\$9,149		\$12,751
392	Irritation or ulcer of the esophagus or stomach w/o MC	889	\$12,948	\$12,391	\$13,473	\$5,864	\$11,130		\$9,295	\$13,686	\$12,986	\$10,103	\$11,625	\$13,037	\$12,637	\$15,093	\$15,579
MDC 7: Hepatobiliary System and Pancreas																	
439	Disorders of pancreas except malignancy with C	222	\$15,990		\$17,225									\$15,665		\$12,798	\$18,010
MDC 8: Diseases and Disorders of the Musculoskeletal System and Connective Tissue																	
460	Fusion of spinal vertebra of the chest or low back w/o MC	361	\$63,851		\$56,180							\$43,649		\$70,868	\$50,728		\$82,217
462	Bilateral or multiple major joint procs of lower extremity w/o MCC	153	\$62,548	\$39,859										\$65,970		\$55,501	\$68,748
470	Hip or knee replacement or reattachment of feet or legs w/o MC	2,131	\$42,898	\$28,238	\$32,913	\$49,051	\$59,459			\$43,764	\$61,851	\$35,518	\$58,450	\$41,997	\$38,284	\$40,443	\$41,886
481	Hip & femur procedures except major joint w CC	273	\$41,345	\$32,702	\$27,991									\$41,452	\$31,358		\$51,035
483	Upper extrem major joint & limb reattachment	184	\$54,904			\$58,336								\$46,317			\$58,733
536	Fractures of hip & pelvis w/o MCC	146	\$13,582												\$11,340		\$17,919
552	Medical back problems w/o MC	252	\$15,870		\$13,526							\$12,522		\$18,538	\$11,695	\$14,416	\$21,502
563	FX, sprn, strn & disl except femur, hip, pelvis & thigh w/o MCC	139	\$15,121											\$19,264			\$19,295

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MDC 9: Diseases and Disorders of the Skin, Subcutaneous Tissue and Breast																		
603	A deep infection of the skin w/o MC	630	\$12,427	\$12,605	\$12,370	\$5,395	\$14,837		\$10,787	\$12,777		\$10,884	\$11,021	\$13,023	\$12,624	\$15,325	\$13,651	
MDC 10: Endocrine, Nutritional and Metabolic Diseases and Disorders																		
638	Diabetes with CC	216	\$15,361		\$11,993									\$15,605	\$14,547		\$19,028	
641	Dehydration w/o MC	396	\$13,736		\$12,362	\$5,510	\$13,172			\$11,411		\$8,744		\$12,856	\$12,055	\$15,632	\$17,587	
MDC 11: Diseases and Disorders of the Kidney and Urinary Tract																		
683	Renal failure with C	422	\$15,430		\$13,669	\$5,530				\$14,155		\$10,966		\$17,561	\$15,023		\$17,782	
689	Kidney or urinary tract infection with MC	167	\$21,961		\$17,430							\$16,115	\$15,566	\$56,192			\$20,559	
690	Kidney or urinary tract infection w/o MC	502	\$12,845	\$12,732	\$13,014	\$5,934	\$13,347		\$9,824	\$12,113	\$15,187	\$12,600		\$13,948	\$11,357	\$13,258	\$16,136	
MDC 14: Pregnancy, Childbirth, and the Puerperium																		
765	Cesarean section with C	632	\$19,118	\$15,544	\$12,329	\$19,472				\$19,207	\$24,000	\$11,597	\$21,229	\$19,190	\$17,100	\$17,105	\$20,760	
766	Cesarean section w/o C	790	\$15,480	\$13,581	\$12,635	\$18,396	\$26,419			\$18,534	\$20,324	\$11,362	\$18,222	\$17,677	\$14,598	\$16,570	\$15,612	
774	Vaginal delivery (normal birth) with C	699	\$10,888	\$8,502	\$10,884	\$6,472	\$16,667			\$9,005	\$10,986	\$6,018	\$9,120	\$10,073	\$11,037	\$8,029	\$11,841	
775	Vaginal delivery (normal birth) w/o C	3,245	\$8,563	\$7,228	\$9,990	\$5,546	\$16,532			\$7,783	\$9,773	\$4,859	\$7,715	\$9,442	\$8,698	\$6,984	\$9,089	
MDC 15: Newborns and Other Neonates with Conditions Originating in the Perinatal Period																		
789	Neonates died or transferred to an Oth acute care facility	183	\$13,240	\$2,960	\$3,197							\$2,730	\$2,576		\$3,641		\$62,880	
793	A full-term baby with major problems	543	\$16,990	\$8,874	\$14,896	\$4,251						\$5,935		\$10,479	\$7,304		\$21,516	
794	Newborn with medical problems	1,372	\$4,984	\$3,508	\$3,821	\$2,746	\$3,648			\$5,226	\$5,878	\$3,223	\$2,843	\$6,021	\$3,872	\$5,157	\$6,614	
795	Normal newborn	3,386	\$2,920	\$2,881	\$3,015	\$2,102	\$2,814			\$4,476	\$3,595	\$3,011	\$2,465	\$4,353	\$3,011	\$3,223	\$2,631	
MDC 18: Infectious and Parasitic Diseases (Systemic or Unspecified Sites)																		
871	Blood infection (w/o ventilator support) for 96+ hours with MC	1,320	\$29,808	\$20,946	\$25,671					\$22,500	\$27,845	\$17,826	\$18,775	\$33,780	\$20,960		\$35,967	
872	Blood infection (w/o ventilator support) for 96+ hours w/o MC	658	\$18,318	\$18,670	\$16,031	\$8,997				\$15,499		\$14,070	\$12,251	\$16,908	\$15,616		\$21,647	
MDC 19: Mental Diseases and Disorders																		
881	Depression	175	\$11,778		\$10,211									\$8,874		\$8,184	\$19,158	
882	Neuroses exc depressive	150	\$11,572		\$12,782									\$8,459		\$8,717	\$21,289	
883	Dis of personality/impulse control	96	\$19,235		\$15,947												\$31,697	
885	Psychoses (such as schizophrenia)	1,218	\$31,105		\$21,724						\$7,016			\$35,893		\$11,115	\$44,977	
MDC 20: Alcohol/Drug Use and Alcohol/Drug Induced Organic Mental																		
897	Untreated alcohol or drug abuse w/o MC	453	\$11,949		\$11,562		\$11,261					\$9,776	\$10,590	\$11,353	\$14,088	\$11,120	\$16,735	
MDC 21: Injuries, Poisonings, and Toxic Effects of Drugs																		
918	Poisoning and other adverse effects from a medication w/o MC	250	\$12,191		\$10,142					\$12,115			\$8,753	\$14,123			\$15,025	
MDC 23: Factors Influencing Health Status and Other Contacts with Health Services																		
945	Rehabilitation with C	1,078	\$37,911				\$14,415		\$26,784								\$50,643	
946	Rehabilitation w/o C	291	\$24,104				\$8,162		\$16,593								\$29,251	
948	Signs & symptoms w/o MCC	216	\$14,929			\$7,478	\$13,545	\$8,481		\$13,770				\$12,593	\$11,334	\$14,244	\$21,208	

* These hospitals did not validate their data.

Sorted by MDC and MS-DRG codes and alphabetically by Hospital.

Data source: the Vermont Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Sets as of June 2016. Please see the Act 53 Pricing FAQs for more information.

1. Based on "Medicare Severity - Diagnostic Related Group" (MS-DRG), a code that defines an inpatient diagnosis. Treating a given diagnosis may entail more than one procedure.

Major Diagnostic Category (MDC) is a grouping of similar MS DRGs, such as all those affecting a given organ system of the body.

2. System Number of Cases includes the number of cases for all hospitals with charges. Records with zero charges are not included.

3. System Average Gross Charge is an average based on all hospital cases with charges.