

All Vermont Acute Care Community Hospitals

Table 2A - Hospital Pricing of Top 2018 Outpatient Procedures - Gross Charges

These are hospital gross charges only. Physician charges are NOT included. Charges displayed include each community hospital's top outpatient surgical procedures by volume for the period of 10/1/2017 to 9/30/2018. 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 procedures having fewer than 15 cases are not shown. Blanks in the table indicate that the hospital has fewer than 15 cases for that procedure or the hospital does not perform that procedure. The hospital, however, may perform a similar procedure under a different code which may not be shown. Please call the hospital for more information. Note: the surgical cases shown include some anesthetic procedures for the treatment of pain not connected with surgery.

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* "Clinical Classification System" (CCS) groups similar CPT codes, such as all those affecting a given organ system of the body.

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

Outpatient Procedures		Hospital System		Vermont Community Hospitals - Charges Displayed Include Each Hospital's Top Outpatient Procedures By Volume														
CCS High-level Group ¹	CCS Single-level Category	System Number of Cases ²	System Average Gross Charges ³	Brattleboro Memorial Hospital	Central Vermont Medical Center	Copley Hospital	Gifford Medical Center	Grace Cottage Family Health & Hospital	Mt 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	
CCS 1: Operations on the nervous system																		
5	Insert cath, spinal stimulator, inject into spinal canal	4,103	\$2,312		\$887	\$1,346	\$2,462		\$2,042	\$3,083	\$2,266	\$714		\$1,739	\$2,736		\$3,088	
6	Decompression peripheral nerve	1,575	\$5,079	\$4,093	\$6,063	\$4,325	\$14,118			\$8,133	\$8,145	\$3,533	\$5,863	\$4,231	\$3,809	\$2,597	\$4,539	
7	Other diagnostic nervous system procedures	2,560	\$1,700									\$591		\$1,150			\$1,853	
8	Other non-OR or closed therapeutic nerv syst procs	2,108	\$4,098		\$1,910	\$1,587			\$4,809	\$3,796	\$1,924			\$1,810	\$3,202		\$5,210	
9	Other OR therapeutic nervous system procedures	1,723	\$7,092						\$7,353		\$5,318			\$4,718			\$7,531	
CCS 3: Operations on the eye																		
14	Glaucoma procedures	431	\$2,376		\$756									\$1,284			\$2,382	
15	Lens & cataract procedures	4,700	\$6,159	\$6,808	\$5,345	\$5,026	\$6,561		\$5,581	\$7,368	\$11,800	\$5,113	\$4,739	\$5,521		\$4,237	\$4,766	
21	Other extraocular muscle & orbit therapeutic procedures	134	\$8,371				\$13,590										\$5,192	
CCS 4: Operations on the ear																		
23	Myringotomy	861	\$3,756		\$5,027								\$5,430	\$1,999	\$4,185	\$3,076	\$3,694	
26	Other therapeutic ear procedures	2,287	\$1,995											\$277			\$4,765	
CCS 5: Operations on the nose, mouth, and pharynx																		
30	Tonsillectomy and/or adenoidectomy	572	\$7,059		\$8,419					\$8,047			\$9,494	\$6,872	\$5,616	\$6,732	\$6,098	
31	Diagnostic procedures on nose, mouth & pharynx	2,027	\$670				\$586		\$929					\$364	\$1,275		\$945	
33	Other OR therapeutic procedures on nose, mouth & pharynx	350	\$11,235		\$13,309								\$10,933	\$4,773			\$13,334	
CCS 6: Operations on the respiratory system																		
35	Tracheoscopy & laryngoscopy with biopsy	1,907	\$710		\$1,797									\$428			\$957	
38	Other diagnostic procedures on lung & bronchus	10,023	\$836	\$456	\$704	\$606	\$1,373		\$531	\$1,473	\$1,211	\$276	\$658	\$1,116	\$311	\$555	\$1,017	
CCS 7: Operations on the cardiovascular system																		
54	Other vascular catheterization, not heart	1,121	\$11,150	\$7,495	\$9,246					\$12,787	\$13,007			\$6,837	\$7,790		\$12,812	
62	Other diagnostic cardiovascular procedures	687	\$6,037	\$689	\$1,828		\$634							\$4,246	\$166		\$10,844	
63	Other non-OR therapeutic cardiovascular procedures	3,427	\$1,597	\$4,604	\$2,358	\$372				\$1,379	\$1,392	\$440	\$1,075	\$1,885	\$1,081	\$361	\$2,071	

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CCS 9: Operations on the digestive system																	
69	Esophageal dilatation	432	\$4,707	\$3,165	\$4,528					\$5,980		\$3,294		\$5,076	\$2,200		\$5,707
70	Upper gastrointestinal endoscopy, biopsy	5,165	\$3,519	\$2,899	\$3,886	\$2,213	\$4,382		\$3,314	\$5,999	\$4,878	\$2,060	\$3,902	\$4,572	\$1,975	\$2,494	\$3,881
76	Colonoscopy & biopsy	22,468	\$3,999	\$3,203	\$4,819	\$2,193	\$6,903		\$2,777	\$5,742	\$5,337	\$1,628	\$4,034	\$5,092	\$2,699	\$2,463	\$4,534
77	Proctoscopy & anorectal biopsy	612	\$1,870	\$2,407	\$2,426	\$1,086				\$5,491		\$1,127		\$1,677	\$1,620	\$2,333	\$1,673
84	Cholecystectomy & common duct exploration	931	\$13,399	\$10,643	\$14,772	\$13,255	\$26,184		\$18,315	\$19,738	\$25,554	\$9,853	\$28,074	\$9,701	\$10,603	\$11,574	\$11,892
85	Inguinal & femoral hernia repair	1,093	\$12,960	\$7,605	\$11,528	\$14,611	\$29,452		\$17,875	\$22,289	\$20,703	\$9,062	\$22,947	\$11,231	\$12,232	\$8,902	\$10,520
86	Other hernia repair	835	\$12,555	\$8,450	\$10,951	\$13,121			\$21,473	\$17,916	\$24,401	\$7,622	\$16,171	\$13,677	\$10,217	\$10,104	\$11,918
88	Abdominal paracentesis	356	\$2,258	\$3,813	\$1,429									\$2,488	\$2,252		\$1,894
91	Peritoneal dialysis	2,587	\$11,946												\$38,042		\$10,919
CCS 10: Operations on the urinary system																	
100	Endoscopy & endoscopic biopsy of the urinary tract	1,230	\$2,701		\$6,800						\$8,943	\$6,147		\$2,013		\$5,435	\$1,890
101	Transurethral excision, drainage, rem urinary obstruction	679	\$7,467	\$8,717	\$9,530		\$11,283			\$12,660	\$14,197	\$5,896	\$15,471	\$5,643	\$8,022	\$8,141	\$6,202
106	Genitourinary incontinence procedures	206	\$15,051				\$17,787							\$11,691			\$16,194
107	Extracorporeal lithotripsy, urinary	893	\$14,657	\$9,795	\$15,620	\$7,850	\$10,247			\$21,483	\$24,326	\$6,617	\$18,924	\$18,149	\$16,193	\$10,095	\$13,626
109	Procedures on the urethra	198	\$6,017										\$10,580	\$1,646			\$6,862
112	Other OR therapeutic procedures of urinary tract	336	\$9,544		\$8,961		\$11,826						\$11,287	\$7,532	\$7,262	\$6,518	\$10,388
CCS 11: Operations on the male genital organs																	
115	Circumcision	259	\$4,296		\$2,030					\$3,319		\$1,193	\$856		\$1,557		\$7,703
116	Diagnostic procedures, male genital	375	\$2,953							\$4,283				\$5,406		\$1,794	\$2,517
118	Other OR therapeutic procedures, male genital	442	\$12,194								\$13,327			\$15,683		\$14,027	\$12,181
CCS 12: Operations on the female genital organs																	
119	Oophorectomy, unilateral & bilateral	394	\$13,090	\$10,809						\$14,467	\$20,648	\$7,922	\$17,643	\$10,894	\$13,581	\$12,485	\$12,668
124	Hysterectomy, abdominal & vaginal	618	\$22,969	\$15,563		\$19,560	\$43,566			\$28,254	\$46,720	\$13,436	\$33,307	\$18,721	\$17,869		\$22,873
125	Other excision of cervix & uterus	346	\$9,046	\$6,709		\$9,996					\$18,870	\$5,631	\$7,950	\$10,966	\$9,049		\$9,726
130	Other diagnostic procedures, female organs	2,912	\$2,067	\$7,473	\$1,016	\$4,851	\$9,803			\$5,881	\$10,826	\$4,605	\$7,196	\$1,587	\$770	\$5,646	\$5,882
131	Other non-OR therapeutic procedures, female organs	616	\$2,113											\$3,121			\$921
132	Other OR therapeutic procedures, female organs	404	\$10,761	\$8,937						\$21,328		\$6,880		\$6,630	\$11,307		\$10,513

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CCS 13: Obstetrical procedures																		
139	Fetal monitoring	4,043	\$799	\$481	\$689	\$529	\$866			\$701	\$658		\$1,087	\$1,712	\$955	\$459	\$1,026	
CCS 14: Operations on the musculoskeletal system																		
142	Partial excision bone	451	\$11,003	\$8,115	\$11,424	\$10,271	\$17,939				\$18,364	\$4,754		\$10,566	\$8,933		\$10,672	
143	Bunionectomy or repair of toe deformities	483	\$12,199		\$13,709	\$18,538	\$18,547				\$13,758	\$6,976	\$16,345	\$19,960	\$14,368		\$8,329	
145	Treatment, fracture or disloc of radius & ulna	450	\$14,183	\$10,841	\$15,815	\$18,962				\$22,479	\$14,233	\$8,090	\$19,395	\$5,929	\$13,489		\$14,472	
147	Treatment, fracture or disloc of lower extremity	520	\$15,827	\$11,754	\$17,610	\$17,524				\$30,388		\$9,648		\$10,231	\$14,666		\$15,323	
148	Other fracture & dislocation procedure	545	\$16,595		\$15,218	\$18,211				\$18,744	\$18,727	\$11,724	\$26,672	\$9,263	\$15,650		\$16,505	
151	Excision of semilunar cartilage of knee	979	\$9,046	\$5,151	\$10,059	\$10,313	\$17,784			\$15,510	\$20,191	\$6,965	\$15,906	\$6,942	\$6,435		\$9,048	
152	Arthroplasty knee	157	\$31,046			\$27,922						\$38,610		\$27,443			\$21,123	
155	Arthrocentesis	5,704	\$735	\$1,485						\$1,015	\$1,940		\$195	\$774			\$658	
156	Injections & aspirations of muscles, tendons, etc.	1,438	\$1,236		\$1,739	\$1,242					\$515			\$721	\$2,074		\$1,335	
160	Other therapeutic procedures on muscles & tendons	2,627	\$10,376	\$7,504	\$10,228	\$15,741	\$31,549			\$12,411	\$15,346	\$6,438	\$15,142	\$7,656	\$12,672	\$4,549	\$9,699	
161	Other OR therapeutic procedures on bone	584	\$11,869	\$5,784	\$9,695	\$8,922					\$14,101	\$6,498	\$10,163	\$9,612	\$9,803		\$14,101	
162	Other OR therapeutic procedures on joints	1,060	\$14,160	\$7,643	\$14,567	\$16,132				\$15,430	\$19,062	\$10,118	\$24,137	\$10,318	\$11,021	\$11,324	\$14,858	
CCS 15: Operations on the integumentary system																		
165	Breast biopsy & other diagnostic procedures on breast	1,277	\$4,456	\$7,534	\$4,484		\$7,307		\$5,650			\$1,542	\$2,006	\$3,369	\$3,278	\$3,220	\$5,250	
166	Lumpectomy, quadrantectomy of breast	492	\$11,233	\$11,444	\$13,792							\$6,279		\$12,234	\$8,239	\$11,547	\$10,386	
169	Debridement of wound, infection or burn	305	\$1,565	\$1,028										\$990			\$946	
170	Excision of skin lesion	4,689	\$2,461	\$3,096	\$5,498	\$1,912	\$6,475		\$8,976	\$6,861	\$10,958	\$1,720	\$8,855	\$3,906	\$5,255	\$4,980	\$2,034	
172	Skin graft	657	\$7,717	\$4,886										\$10,783	\$10,744		\$7,617	
173	Other diagnostic proc on skin & subcutaneous tissue	286	\$1,166											\$1,098	\$721		\$1,063	
174	Other non-OR therapeutic procedures on skin & breast	3,730	\$543			\$40					\$280			\$1,658			\$860	
Sorted by CCS procedure groups and alphabetically by Hospital. Data source: the Vermont Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Sets as of January 2020. Please see the Act 53 Pricing FAQs for more information. Grace Cottage Hospital has no procedures with 15 or more cases. ¹ Based on "Current Procedural Terminology" (CPT) codes that define outpatient procedures for the period October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018. ² "Clinical Classification System" (CCS) groups similar CPT codes, such as all those affecting a given organ system of the body. ³ 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.																		