

Workers' Compensation Market Basket Comparison



The workers' compensation market basket is the sum of maximum payment for five physical medicine procedure codes in an outpatient practice setting. It is developed for comparison purposes only. **In no way is it intended to reflect how much a practitioner will be paid for any given date of service.** Market basket data is provided for each state workers' compensation fee schedule, for the Medicare fee schedule in that state, and is further reported as a percentage of Medicare for each state. National averages also are reported to enable states to compare with national averages. The procedure codes used to develop the market basket are 97001, 97110, 97112, 97140, and 97530. Additional information influencing payment per visit is included in each state's regulatory summary under the question "Are there limits on payment per visit for outpatient therapy services?"

Workers' compensation market basket data is not provided for seven states that have no mandated fee schedule (Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Virginia, and Wisconsin) and for Rhode Island, whose fee schedule is based on state-specific local codes.

Market Basket							
State	Workers' Compensation	Medicare*	% of Medicare	State	Workers' Compensation	Medicare*	% of Medicare
Alabama	\$ 308.68	\$ 185.33	167%	Montana	\$ 336.85	\$ 198.76	169%
Alaska	\$ 527.13	\$ 254.26	207%	Nebraska	\$ 265.26	\$ 187.31	142%
Arizona	\$ 286.00	\$ 196.42	146%	Nevada	\$ 129.99	\$ 204.61	64%
Arkansas	\$ 263.02	\$ 184.02	143%	New Hampshire		\$ 202.17	
California	\$ 213.41	\$ 237.61	90%	New Jersey		\$ 220.56	
Colorado	\$ 218.30	\$ 198.43	110%	New Mexico	\$ 274.76	\$ 190.50	144%
Connecticut	\$ 261.69	\$ 211.96	123%	New York	\$ 230.86	\$ 224.60	103%
District of Columbia	\$ 251.38	\$ 222.46	113%	North Carolina	\$ 173.74	\$ 190.62	91%
Delaware	\$ 383.32	\$ 202.79	189%	North Dakota	\$ 367.59	\$ 196.69	187%
Florida	\$ 208.00	\$ 209.09	99%	Ohio	\$ 270.68	\$ 192.29	141%
Georgia	\$ 292.97	\$ 199.90	147%	Oklahoma	\$ 206.74	\$ 184.05	112%
Hawaii	\$ 232.06	\$ 212.05	109%	Oregon	\$ 345.48	\$ 201.94	171%
Idaho	\$ 275.89	\$ 187.22	147%	Pennsylvania	\$ 266.26	\$ 207.32	128%
Illinois	\$ 276.95	\$ 209.92	132%	Rhode Island		\$ 205.63	
Indiana		\$ 190.00		South Carolina	\$ 267.00	\$ 188.40	142%
Iowa		\$ 186.13		South Dakota	\$ 236.80	\$ 196.69	120%
Kansas	\$ 249.18	\$ 188.30	132%	Tennessee	\$ 243.57	\$ 187.36	130%
Kentucky	\$ 234.67	\$ 185.51	126%	Texas	\$ 325.87	\$ 200.44	163%
Louisiana	\$ 290.00	\$ 195.94	148%	Utah	\$ 250.80	\$ 190.83	131%
Maine	\$ 300.00	\$ 199.71	150%	Vermont	\$ 226.28	\$ 197.82	114%
Maryland	\$ 261.40	\$ 210.94	124%	Virginia		\$ 222.46	
Massachusetts	\$ 179.70	\$ 213.25	84%	Washington	\$ 317.10	\$ 214.18	148%
Michigan	\$ 265.67	\$ 205.33	129%	West Virginia	\$ 246.94	\$ 182.92	135%
Minnesota	\$ 307.30	\$ 197.37	156%	Wisconsin		\$ 193.28	
Mississippi	\$ 300.80	\$ 185.07	163%	Wyoming	\$ 236.43	\$ 199.15	119%
Missouri		\$ 195.25					
				National Avg.	\$ 270.26	\$ 200.88	138%

*Medicare data is based on the maximum payment value without application of the multiple procedure payment reduction policy. In states with multiple geographic zones for either Medicare or the workers' compensation fee schedule, or both, the larger metropolitan areas were selected and the same geographic areas were used for both Medicare and workers' compensation where possible.

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