

**Medicare Benefit Payments by Type of Benefit
Fiscal Years 2002 - 2004**

	Benefit Payment ¹			Percent Distribution
	2002	2003	2004	2004
	Amount in millions			
Total HI ²	\$144,140	\$153,566	\$161,226	100.0
Inpatient Hospital	102,130	109,923	116,495	72.3
Skilled Nursing Facility	14,699	13,670	14,107	8.7
Home Health Agency	4,931 ³	5,048	5,285	3.3
Hospice	4,516	5,870	6,258	3.9
Managed Care	17,865	19,054	19,081	11.8
Total SMI ²	108,068	117,598	122,542	100.0
Physician/Other Suppliers	60,669	66,106	69,587	56.8
Outpatient Hospital/Other Providers	21,350	23,576	24,147	19.7
Home Health Agency	5,108 ³	5,187	5,430	4.4
Laboratory	4,888	5,347	5,732	4.7
Managed Care	16,052	17,383	17,646	14.4

¹ Includes the effect of regulatory items and recent legislation but not proposed law. ² Excludes QIO expenditures.

³ Distribution of home health benefits between the trust funds reflects the actual outlays as reported by the Treasury.

NOTES: Based on FY 2004 Mid-Session Review. Benefits by type of service are estimated and are subject to change. Totals do not necessarily equal the sum of rounded components.

SOURCES: CMS/OACT/OFM

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