

Comparisons by Hospital Type, 2021

Summary Data	GMS	LTAC	PSYCH	REHAB	STATE
Number of Hospitals	133	4	13	3	2
Number of Discharges	518,442	1,090	23,703	2,228	4,758
Patient Days	2,440,163	38,442	147,942	28,913	118,137
Average Stay (days)	04.7	35.3	06.2	13.0	24.8
Average Charge per Stay	\$46,701	\$250,062	\$17,311	\$45,192	\$30,029

Length of Stay (of patients)*

0 - 7 days	85.5	6.1	76.6	16.6	49.2
8 - 14 days	9.7	9.6	18.4	51.2	20.2
15 - 21 days	2.6	14.6	2.6	22.7	8.5
22 - 28 days	1.0	17.7	1.1	7.0	4.7
29 - 100 days	1.2	48.9	1.2	2.5	12.8
Over 100 days	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	4.5
Total	100.0	99.9	99.9	100.0	99.9

Expected Primary Pay Source (of patients)*

Medicare	43.7	39.7	12.3	64.0	17.7
Medical Assistance	19.9	15.6	47.2	4.9	21.1
Other Government	2.4	3.0	1.4	0.0	0.4
Private Insurance	31.5	39.4	36.1	11.6	14.0
Self Pay	1.8	0.1	2.6	0.1	23.6
Other or unknown	0.7	2.2	0.5	19.3	23.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.1	99.9	99.9

*May not total 100% due to rounding.

Note: Except for the state-operated mental health institutes, hospitalizations with lengths of stay greater than 100 days were not included when computing the charge data above. These hospitalizations **were** included to compute the number of hospitalizations, patient days, average length of stay, and population-based rates. All hospitalizations of more than 999 days were excluded entirely from the data. During 2021 there were 32 such hospitalizations. Lengths of stay for inpatients who remained in the hospital less than 24 hours were counted as one-day stays.

Source: Inpatient Data, WHA Information Center, LLC.

**Group Comparisons
General Medical Surgical (GMS) Hospitals, 2021**

Analysis Areas¹	Number of Discharges	Average Stay (days)	Average Charge
1 - Southern	100,822	4.7	\$53,558
2A - Southeastern	84,965	4.3	\$41,011
2B - Milwaukee County	125,300	5.6	\$67,313
3 - Lake Winnebago	44,237	4.1	\$28,512
4 - Northeastern	50,270	4.4	\$37,472
5A - West Central	36,541	4.2	\$28,470
5B - Southwestern	25,346	4.2	\$31,581
6 - North Central	46,471	4.7	\$39,418
7 - Western Lake Superior	4,490	4.0	\$16,810
Total	518,442	4.7	\$46,701
Inpatient Volume Groups²	Number of Discharges	Average Stay (days)	Average Charge
1	2,638	4.3	\$16,797
2	9,395	4.0	\$20,126
3	28,021	3.5	\$20,279
4	40,706	3.4	\$29,978
5	120,146	4.4	\$38,982
6	317,536	5.1	\$55,131
Total	518,442	4.7	\$46,701

¹See Appendix 3 for a map of the Analysis Areas.

²Comparisons were not calculated for Volume Group 7 (Specialty Hospitals). See Appendix 4 for a listing of Inpatient Volume Groups by Hospital.

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