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Understanding the PPS Rate

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Understanding the PPS Rate

- 1. Understand the PPS rate components
- 2. Differentiate how each component affects the rate
- 3. Recognize how the rate is calculated
- 4. Apply strategies for rate accuracy

Agenda

Understanding the PPS Rate

- Explain the rate breakdown by component
- Review upcoming FY 2025 rate revisions
- Describe the PPS rate components
- Explain how each component affects the rate
- Provide examples of how the rate is calculated
- Discuss strategies for rate accuracy
- Q&A

Proposed FY 2025 Updated SNF Payment Rates

- **Market Basket Update**

- Every year CMS updates the PPS rate based on changes in the Market Basket (the overall cost of goods and services that contribute to expenditures required to run and maintain a nursing facility). This is then adjusted by a forecast error adjustment and multi-factor productivity adjustment as applicable.
- For FY 2025, CMS has proposed an update to the Market Basket of 2.8% which has been adjusted upward to 4.5% due to a 1.7% forecast error adjustment (>0.5% threshold).

TABLE 2: Difference Between the Actual and Forecasted Market Basket Increases for FY 2023

Index	Forecasted FY 2023 Increase*	Actual FY 2023 Increase**	FY 2023 Difference
SNF	3.9	5.6	1.7

- Forecast data based on second quarter 2022 IGI forecast (2018-based SNF market basket).
- Actual data based on the fourth quarter 2023 IGI forecast (2018-based SNF market basket), with historical data through third quarter 2023.
- Finally, CMS has proposed reducing the FY 2025 Market Basket update to 4.1% due to a 0.4% productivity adjustment (the 10-year moving average of changes in annual economy-wide private nonfarm business multi-factor productivity).
- The overall economic impact of this proposed rule is an estimated increase of \$1.3 billion in aggregate payments to SNFs during FY 2025.

FY 2025 Proposed SNF Payment Rates

FY 2024 Corrected Base Rates

TABLE 3—FY 2024 UNADJUSTED FEDERAL RATE PER DIEM—URBAN

Rate component	PT	OT	SLP	Nursing	NTA	Non-case-mix
Per Diem Amount	\$70.26	\$65.40	\$26.23	\$122.47	\$92.40	\$109.68

TABLE 4—FY 2024 UNADJUSTED FEDERAL RATE PER DIEM—RURAL

Rate component	PT	OT	SLP	Nursing	NTA	Non-case-mix
Per Diem Amount	\$80.09	\$73.56	\$33.05	\$117.01	88.28	\$111.71

4.1%

FY 2025 Proposed Base Rates

TABLE 3: Proposed FY 2025 Unadjusted Federal Rate Per Diem—URBAN

Rate Component	PT	OT	SLP	Nursing	NTA	Non-Case-Mix
Per Diem Amount	\$73.16	\$68.10	\$27.31	\$127.52	\$96.21	\$114.20

TABLE 4: Proposed FY 2025 Unadjusted Federal Rate Per Diem—RURAL

Rate Component	PT	OT	SLP	Nursing	NTA	Non-Case-Mix
Per Diem Amount	\$83.39	\$76.59	\$34.41	\$121.83	\$91.92	\$116.31

FY 2025 Proposed Updates to the SNF Payment Rates

Urban Case Mix
Adjusted Rates and
Associated indexes

TABLE 5: PDPM Case-Mix Adjusted Federal Rates and Associated Indexes—URBAN

PDPM Group	PT CMI	PT Rate	OT CMI	OT Rate	SLP CMI	SLP Rate	Nursing CMG	Nursing CMI	Nursing Rate	NTA CMI	NTA Rate
A	1.45	\$106.08	1.41	\$96.02	0.64	\$17.48	ES3	3.84	\$489.68	3.06	\$294.40
B	1.61	\$117.79	1.54	\$104.87	1.72	\$46.97	ES2	2.90	\$369.81	2.39	\$229.94
C	1.78	\$130.22	1.60	\$108.96	2.52	\$68.82	ES1	2.77	\$353.23	1.74	\$167.41
D	1.81	\$132.42	1.45	\$98.75	1.38	\$37.69	HDE2	2.27	\$289.47	1.26	\$121.22
E	1.34	\$98.03	1.33	\$90.57	2.21	\$60.36	HDE1	1.88	\$239.74	0.91	\$87.55
F	1.52	\$111.20	1.51	\$102.83	2.82	\$77.01	HBC2	2.12	\$270.34	0.68	\$65.42
G	1.58	\$115.59	1.55	\$105.56	1.93	\$52.71	HBC1	1.76	\$224.44	-	-
H	1.10	\$80.48	1.09	\$74.23	2.7	\$73.74	LDE2	1.97	\$251.21	-	-
I	1.07	\$78.28	1.12	\$76.27	3.34	\$91.22	LDE1	1.64	\$209.13	-	-
J	1.34	\$98.03	1.37	\$93.30	2.83	\$77.29	LBC2	1.63	\$207.86	-	-
K	1.44	\$105.35	1.46	\$99.43	3.50	\$95.59	LBC1	1.35	\$172.15	-	-
L	1.03	\$75.35	1.05	\$71.51	3.98	\$108.69	CDE2	1.77	\$225.71	-	-
M	1.20	\$87.79	1.23	\$83.76	-	-	CDE1	1.53	\$195.11	-	-
N	1.40	\$102.42	1.42	\$96.70	-	-	CBC2	1.47	\$187.45	-	-
O	1.47	\$107.55	1.47	\$100.11	-	-	CA2	1.03	\$131.35	-	-
P	1.02	\$74.62	1.03	\$70.14	-	-	CBC1	1.27	\$161.95	-	-
Q	-	-	-	-	-	-	CA1	0.89	\$113.49	-	-
R	-	-	-	-	-	-	BAB2	0.98	\$124.97	-	-
S	-	-	-	-	-	-	BAB1	0.94	\$119.87	-	-
T	-	-	-	-	-	-	PDE2	1.48	\$188.73	-	-
U	-	-	-	-	-	-	PDE1	1.39	\$177.25	-	-
V	-	-	-	-	-	-	PBC2	1.15	\$146.65	-	-
W	-	-	-	-	-	-	PA2	0.67	\$85.44	-	-
X	-	-	-	-	-	-	PBC1	1.07	\$136.45	-	-
Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	PA1	0.62	\$79.06	-	-

FY 2025 Proposed Updates to the SNF Payment Rates

Rural Case Mix
Adjusted Rates and
Associated indexes

TABLE 6: PDPM Case-Mix Adjusted Federal Rates and Associated Indexes—RURAL

PDPM Group	PT CMI	PT Rate	OT CMI	OT Rate	SLP CMI	SLP Rate	Nursing CMG	Nursing CMI	Nursing Rate	NTA CMI	NTA Rate
A	1.45	\$120.92	1.41	\$107.99	0.64	\$22.02	ES3	3.84	\$467.83	3.06	\$281.28
B	1.61	\$134.26	1.54	\$117.95	1.72	\$59.19	ES2	2.90	\$353.31	2.39	\$219.69
C	1.78	\$148.43	1.60	\$122.54	2.52	\$86.71	ES1	2.77	\$337.47	1.74	\$159.94
D	1.81	\$150.94	1.45	\$111.06	1.38	\$47.49	HDE2	2.27	\$276.55	1.26	\$115.82
E	1.34	\$111.74	1.33	\$101.86	2.21	\$76.05	HDE1	1.88	\$229.04	0.91	\$83.65
F	1.52	\$126.75	1.51	\$115.65	2.82	\$97.04	HBC2	2.12	\$258.28	0.68	\$62.51
G	1.58	\$131.76	1.55	\$118.71	1.93	\$66.41	HBC1	1.76	\$214.42	-	-
H	1.10	\$91.73	1.09	\$83.48	2.7	\$92.91	LDE2	1.97	\$240.01	-	-
I	1.07	\$89.23	1.12	\$85.78	3.34	\$114.93	LDE1	1.64	\$199.80	-	-
J	1.34	\$111.74	1.37	\$104.93	2.83	\$97.38	LBC2	1.63	\$198.58	-	-
K	1.44	\$120.08	1.46	\$111.82	3.50	\$120.44	LBC1	1.35	\$164.47	-	-
L	1.03	\$85.89	1.05	\$80.42	3.98	\$136.95	CDE2	1.77	\$215.64	-	-
M	1.20	\$100.07	1.23	\$94.21	-	-	CDE1	1.53	\$186.40	-	-
N	1.40	\$116.75	1.42	\$108.76	-	-	CBC2	1.47	\$179.09	-	-
O	1.47	\$122.58	1.47	\$112.59	-	-	CA2	1.03	\$125.48	-	-
P	1.02	\$85.06	1.03	\$78.89	-	-	CBC1	1.27	\$154.72	-	-
Q	-	-	-	-	-	-	CA1	0.89	\$108.43	-	-
R	-	-	-	-	-	-	BAB2	0.98	\$119.39	-	-
S	-	-	-	-	-	-	BAB1	0.94	\$114.52	-	-
T	-	-	-	-	-	-	PDE2	1.48	\$180.31	-	-
U	-	-	-	-	-	-	PDE1	1.39	\$169.34	-	-
V	-	-	-	-	-	-	PBC2	1.15	\$140.10	-	-
W	-	-	-	-	-	-	PA2	0.67	\$81.63	-	-
X	-	-	-	-	-	-	PBC1	1.07	\$130.36	-	-
Y	-	-	-	-	-	-	PA1	0.62	\$75.53	-	-

Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

- **Wage Index**

- CMS is required to adjust the Federal rates to account for differences in area wage levels, using a wage index that the Secretary determines appropriate.
- Since the inception of the SNF PPS, CMS has used hospital inpatient wage data in developing a wage index to be applied to SNFs. CMS will continue this practice for FY 2025,
- CMS continues to believe that in the absence of SNF-specific wage data, using the hospital inpatient wage index data is appropriate and reasonable for the SNF PPS.
- The proposed wage index data for FY 2025 can be found at:
<https://www.cms.gov/medicare/payment/prospective-payment-systems/skilled-nursing-facility-snf/wage-index>
- The applicable SNF PPS wage index is assigned to the labor related portion of the rate using the area hospital labor market.
- On July 21, 2023, OMB issued Bulletin No. 23-01 which updates CBSA data from Bulletin No. 20-01 based upon the 2020 Standards for Delineating Core Based Statistical Areas.

Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

- **Wage Index (cont.)**

- The revisions OMB published on July 21, 2023 contain a number of significant changes. For example, under the proposed revised OMB delineations, there would be new CBSAs, urban counties that would become rural, rural counties that would become urban, and existing CBSAs that would split apart.
- CMS recognizes that changes to the wage index have the potential to create instability and significant negative impacts on certain providers even when labor market areas do not change. In addition, year-to-year fluctuations in an area's wage index can occur due to external factors beyond a provider's control.
- In the FY 2023 final rule, CMS finalized a permanent 5 percent cap on any decreases to a provider's wage index from its wage index in the prior year, regardless of the circumstances causing the decline. **Subsequent year adjustments will be based on any applicable 5% cap from the prior year.**
- Additionally, CMS finalized a policy that a new SNF would be paid the wage index for the area in which it is geographically located for its first full or partial FY with no cap applied because a new SNF would not have a wage index in the prior FY.

Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

Impact of FY 2025 Proposed Wage Index Changes

Impact	Stats
All Counties (3222)	
Counties that changed from Urban to Rural or from Rural to Urban	108 or 3.3%
Urban Counties that would become Rural	54 or 1.7%
Rural Counties that would become Urban	54 or 1.7%
Counties that would experience a CBSA name change	360 or 11.0%
Counties that would change CBSAs	197 or 6.0%
5% Capped	195 or 6%
Negative WI change	1335 or 41%
Positive WI change	1887 or 59%
WI diff Spread	50.28% to -37.73
Urban Counties (1252)	
5% Capped	82 or 7%
Negative WI change	568 or 45%
Positive WI change	684 or 55%
WI diff Spread	50.28 to -20.17
Rural Counties (1970)	
5% Capped	113 or 6%
Negative WI change	767 or 39%
Positive WI change	1203 or 61%
WI diff Spread	16.25 to -37.73

Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

- **Labor Related Share of the Rate**

- The wage index adjusts the labor related portion of the case mix adjusted base rate.
- CMS defines the labor-related share (LRS) as those expenses that are labor-intensive and vary with, or are influenced by, the local labor market. Each year, CMS calculates a revised labor related share based on the relative importance of labor-related cost categories in the input price index.
- For FY 2025, CMS has proposed a labor-related share to reflect the relative importance of the 2022-based SNF market basket cost categories that they believe are labor-intensive and vary with, or are influenced by, the local labor market. These are:
 - (1) Wages and Salaries (including allocated contract labor costs as described above);
 - (2) Employee Benefits (including allocated contract labor costs as described above);
 - (3) Professional fees: Labor-related;
 - (4) Administrative and Facilities Support Services;
 - (5) Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Services;
 - (6) All Other: Labor-Related Services; and
 - (7) Capital-related expenses

Wage Index Adjustments

Proposed FY 2025 Labor Related Share of the PPS Rate

TABLE 20: FY 2024 and FY 2025 SNF Labor-Related Share

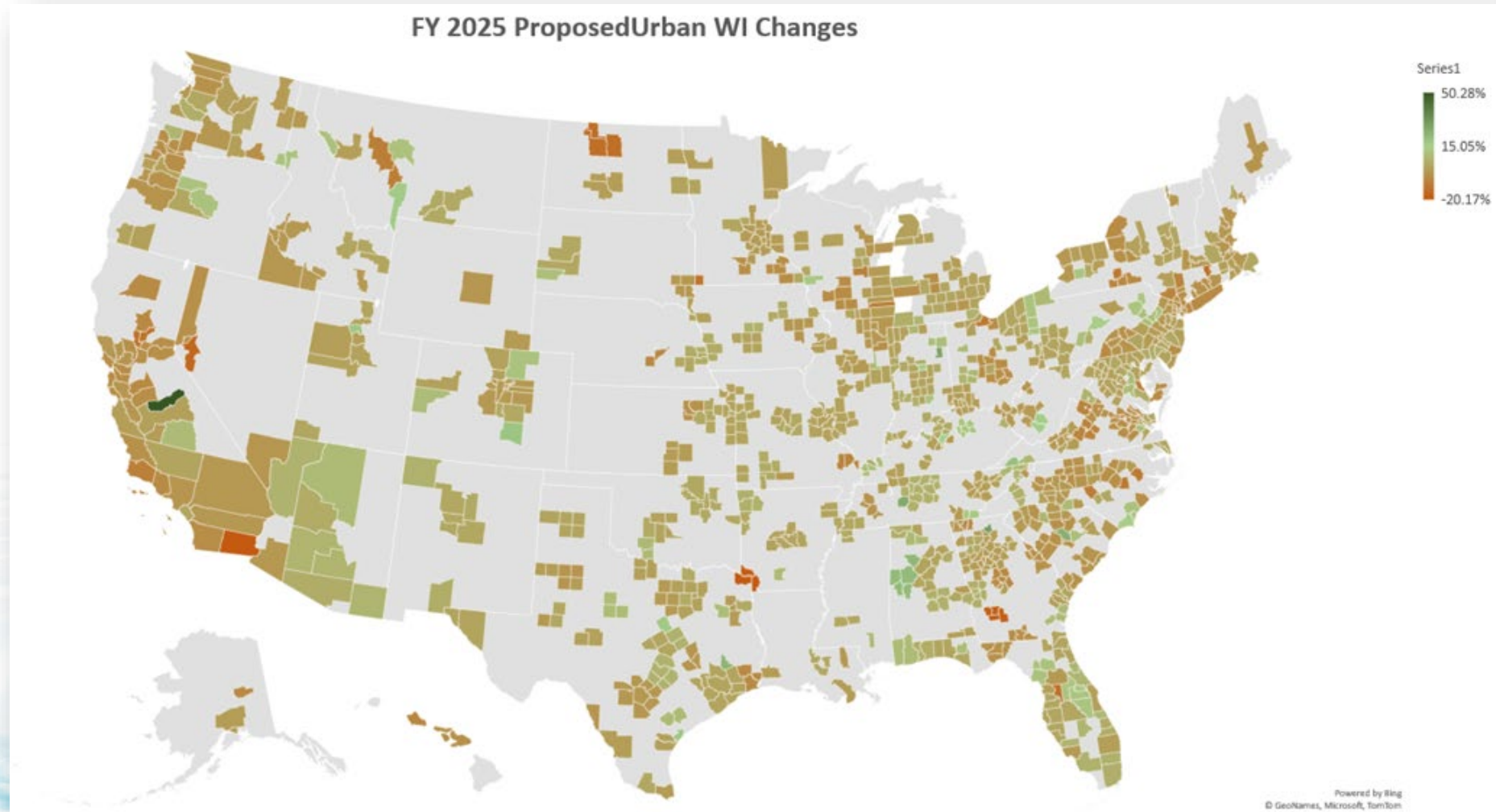
	Relative importance, labor-related share, FY 2024 23:2 forecast ¹	Relative importance, labor-related share, FY 2025 23:4 forecast ²
Wages and Salaries ³	52.5	53.2
Employee Benefits ³	9.3	9.1
Professional Fees: Labor-Related	3.4	3.5
Administrative & Facilities Support Services	0.6	0.4
Installation, Maintenance & Repair Services	0.4	0.5
All other: Labor-Related services	2.0	2.0
Capital-Related (.391)	2.9	3.2
Total	71.1	71.9

¹ Published in the **Federal Register** (88 FR 53213); based on the second quarter 2023 IHS Global Inc. forecast of the 2018-based SNF market basket, with historical data through first quarter 2023.

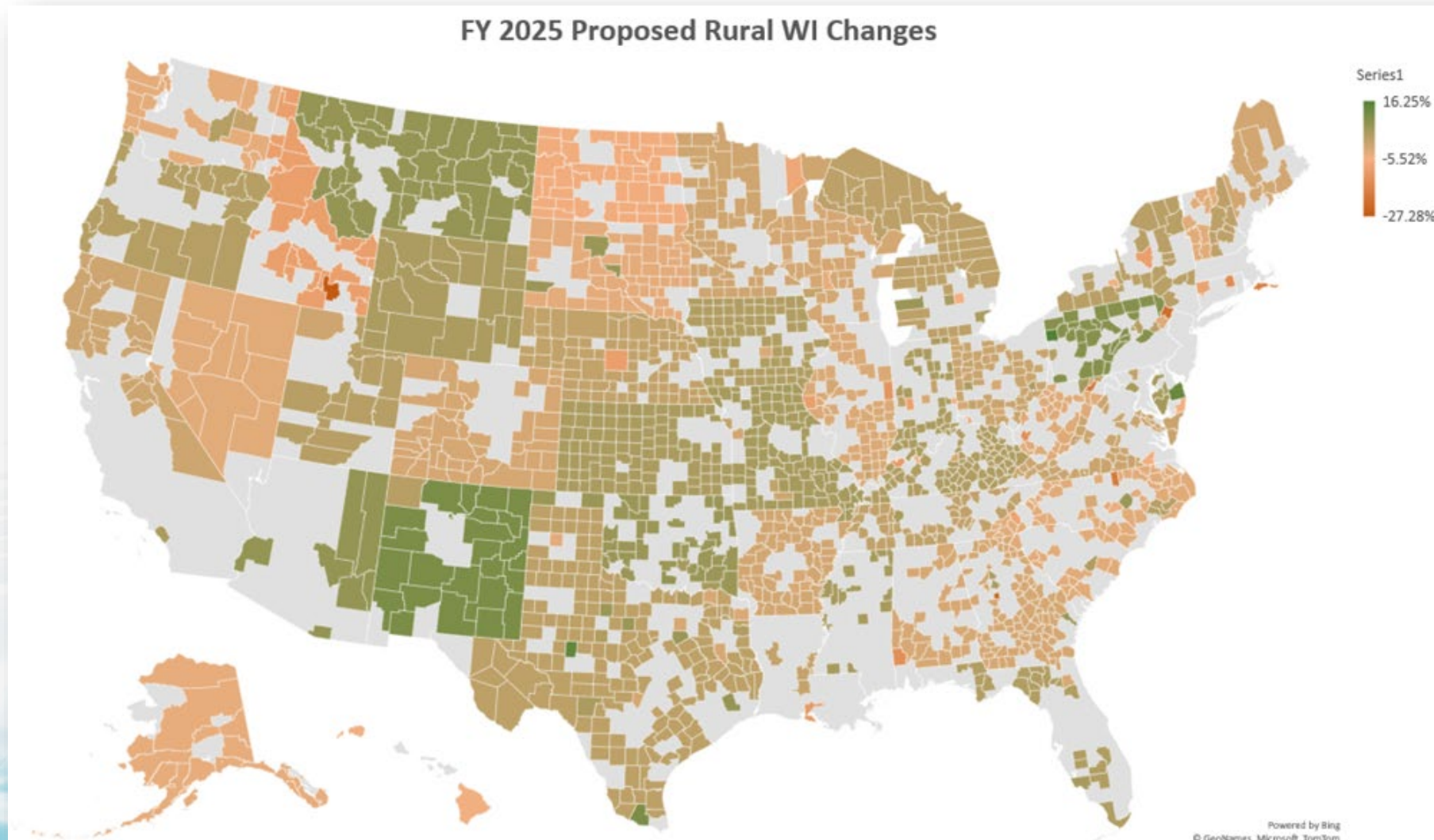
² Based on the fourth quarter 2023 IHS Global Inc. forecast of the proposed 2022-based SNF market basket, with historical data through third quarter 2023.

³ The Wages and Salaries and Employee Benefits cost weight reflect contract labor costs as described above.

Proposed FY 2024 to 2025 Urban WI Changes



Proposed FY 2024 to 2025 WI Rural Changes



Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

Proposed FY 2025 PDPM Variable Perdiem Adjustment Rate Table

County		CBSA	FY 25 WI	FY 2024 WI	24/25 Diff	5% Cap
MD, FREDERICK County		Urban	0.9918	0.9637	2.92%	
Non-CM	Labor	N-Labor	U Rate	WI Rate	ADR	Total \$\$
\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39
\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 2,140.78
\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 3,211.17
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 987.18	\$ 3,948.72
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 937.25	\$ 4,686.27
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 903.97	\$ 5,423.82
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 880.20	\$ 6,161.37
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 862.37	\$ 6,898.92
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 848.50	\$ 7,636.47
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 837.40	\$ 8,374.02
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 828.32	\$ 9,111.57
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 820.76	\$ 9,849.12
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 814.36	\$ 10,586.67
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 808.87	\$ 11,324.22
\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 804.12	\$ 12,061.77

HIPPS: NHNC1



FY 2024 WI Rate	FY 2024 ADR	FY 2024 Total \$\$	2024-2025 WI Daily Rate Diff:	2024-2025 Avg. DR Diff:	2024-2025 Daily Tot. \$\$ Diff:	2024-2025 % Rate Change
\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 62.98	\$ 62.98	\$ 62.98	6.25%
\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 2,014.82	\$ 62.98	\$ 62.98	\$ 125.96	6.25%
\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 3,022.23	\$ 62.98	\$ 62.98	\$ 188.94	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 929.10	\$ 3,716.38	\$ 43.40	\$ 58.09	\$ 232.34	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 882.11	\$ 4,410.53	\$ 43.40	\$ 55.15	\$ 275.74	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 850.78	\$ 5,104.68	\$ 43.40	\$ 53.19	\$ 319.14	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 828.40	\$ 5,798.83	\$ 43.40	\$ 51.79	\$ 362.54	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 811.62	\$ 6,492.98	\$ 43.40	\$ 50.74	\$ 405.94	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 798.57	\$ 7,187.13	\$ 43.40	\$ 49.93	\$ 449.34	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 788.13	\$ 7,881.28	\$ 43.40	\$ 49.27	\$ 492.74	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 779.58	\$ 8,575.43	\$ 43.40	\$ 48.74	\$ 536.14	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 772.47	\$ 9,269.58	\$ 43.40	\$ 48.30	\$ 579.54	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 766.44	\$ 9,963.73	\$ 43.40	\$ 47.92	\$ 622.94	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 761.28	\$ 10,657.88	\$ 43.40	\$ 47.60	\$ 666.34	6.25%
\$ 694.15	\$ 756.80	\$ 11,352.03	\$ 43.40	\$ 47.32	\$ 709.74	6.25%

Proposed FY 2025 PT Rate

Day	PT	OT	SLP	NSG	NTA
HIPPS	TN/N	SH/H	CBC2/N	NC/C	
1	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
2	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
3	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
4	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
5	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
6	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
7	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
8	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
9	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
10	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
11	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
12	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
13	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
14	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
15	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41

PT Clinical Categories	Section GG Function Score	PT Case-Mix Group	PT Case-Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery: (Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery)	0-5	TA	1.45	\$ 106.08	\$ 120.92
	6-9	TB	1.61	\$ 117.79	\$ 134.26
	10-23	TC	1.78	\$ 130.22	\$ 148.43
	24	TD	1.81	\$ 132.42	\$ 150.94
Other Orthopedic: (Non-Surgical Orthopedic/ Musculoskeletal, Orthopedic Surgery (Except Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery)	0-5	TE	1.34	\$ 98.03	\$ 111.74
	6-9	TF	1.52	\$ 111.20	\$ 126.75
	10-23	TG	1.58	\$ 115.59	\$ 131.76
	24	TH	1.1	\$ 80.48	\$ 91.73
Medical Management: (Medical Management, Acute Infections, Cancer, Pulmonary, Cardiovascular and Coagulations)	0-5	TI	1.07	\$ 78.28	\$ 89.23
	6-9	TJ	1.34	\$ 98.03	\$ 111.74
	10-23	TK	1.44	\$ 105.35	\$ 120.08
	24	TL	1.03	\$ 75.35	\$ 85.89
Non-Orthopedic Surgery And Acute Neurologic: (Non-Orthopedic Surgery , Acute Neurologic)	0-5	TM	1.2	\$ 87.79	\$ 100.07
	6-9	TN	1.4	\$ 102.42	\$ 116.75
	10-23	TO	1.47	\$ 107.55	\$ 122.58
	24	TP	1.02	\$ 74.62	\$ 85.06

Section GG Item		Item Score	Score Calc	Total
GG0130A1	Self-care: Eating	3	0-4	2
GG0130B1	Self-care: Oral Hygiene	2	0-4	1
GG0130C1	Self-care: Toileting Hygiene	4	0-4	3
GG0170B1	Mobility: Sit to lying	3	0-4 (average of 2 bed mobility items)	2
GG0170C1	Mobility: Lying to sitting on side of bed	2		1
GG0170D1	Mobility: Sit to stand	2	0-4 (average of 3 transfer items)	1
GG0170E1	Mobility: Chair/bed-to-chair transfer	3		2
GG0170F1	Mobility: Toilet transfer	3		2
GG0170J1	Mobility: Walk 50 feet with 2 turns	88	0-4 (Average of 2 walking items)	0
GG0170K1	Mobility: Walk 150 feet	88		0
Total				9

Proposed FY 2025 OT Rate

Day	PT	OT	SLP	NSG	NTA
HIPPS	TN/N	SH/H	CBC2/N	NC/C	
1	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
2	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
3	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
4	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
5	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
6	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
7	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
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9	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
10	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
11	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
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13	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
14	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
15	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41

OT Clinical Category	Section GG Function Score	OT Case-Mix Group	OT Case-Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery: (Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery)	0-5	TA	1.41	\$ 96.02	\$ 107.99
	6-9	TB	1.54	\$ 104.87	\$ 117.95
	10-23	TC	1.6	\$ 108.96	\$ 122.54
	24	TD	1.45	\$ 98.75	\$ 111.06
Other Orthopedic: (Non-Surgical Orthopedic/Musculoskeletal, Orthopedic Surgery (Except Major Joint Replacement or Spinal Surgery))	0-5	TE	1.33	\$ 90.57	\$ 101.86
	6-9	TF	1.51	\$ 102.83	\$ 115.65
	10-23	TG	1.55	\$ 105.56	\$ 118.71
	24	TH	1.09	\$ 74.23	\$ 83.48
Medical Management: (Medical Management, Acute Infections Cancer, Pulmonary, Cardiovascular and Coagulations)	0-5	TI	1.12	\$ 76.27	\$ 85.78
	6-9	TJ	1.37	\$ 93.30	\$ 104.93
	10-23	TK	1.46	\$ 99.43	\$ 111.82
	24	TL	1.05	\$ 71.51	\$ 80.42
Non-Orthopedic Surgery And Acute Neurologic: (Non-Orthopedic Surgery, Acute Neurologic)	0-5	TM	1.23	\$ 83.76	\$ 94.21
	6-9	TN	1.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 108.76
	10-23	TO	1.47	\$ 100.11	\$ 112.59
	24	TP	1.03	\$ 70.14	\$ 78.89

Section GG Item		Item Score	Score Calc	Total
GG0130A1	Self-care: Eating	3	0-4	2
GG0130B1	Self-care: Oral Hygiene	2	0-4	1
GG0130C1	Self-care: Toileting Hygiene	4	0-4	3
GG0170B1	Mobility: Sit to lying	3	0-4 (average of 2 bed mobility items)	2
GG0170C1	Mobility: Lying to sitting on side of bed	2		1
GG0170D1	Mobility: Sit to stand	2	0-4 (average of 3 transfer items)	1
GG0170E1	Mobility: Chair/bed-to-chair transfer	3		2
GG0170F1	Mobility: Toilet transfer	3		2
GG0170J1	Mobility: Walk 50 feet with 2 turns	88	0-4 (Average of 2 walking items)	0
GG0170K1	Mobility: Walk 150 feet	88		0
Total				9

Proposed FY 2025 SLP Rate

Day	PT	OT	SLP	NSG	NTA
HIPPS	TN/N		SH/H	CBC2/N	NC/C
1	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
2	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
3	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
4	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
5	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
6	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
7	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
8	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
9	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
10	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
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13	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41
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15	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41

1. Presence of Acute Neurologic Condition (ICD-10)	1. Swallowing Disorder (K0100A - K0100D) 2. Mechanically Altered Diet (K0520C3)	SLP Case-Mix Group	SLP Case-Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
2. SLP-Related Comorbidity (MDS Section I and O), 3. Cognitive Impairment (CFS Table)					
None	Neither	SA	0.64	\$ 17.48	\$ 22.02
None	Either	SB	1.72	\$ 46.97	\$ 59.19
None	Both	SC	2.52	\$ 68.82	\$ 86.71
Any One	Neither	SD	1.38	\$ 37.69	\$ 47.49
Any One	Either	SE	2.21	\$ 60.36	\$ 76.05
Any One	Both	SF	2.82	\$ 77.01	\$ 97.04
Any Two	Neither	SG	1.93	\$ 52.71	\$ 66.41
Any Two	Either	SH	2.7	\$ 73.74	\$ 92.91
Any Two	Both	SI	3.34	\$ 91.22	\$ 114.93
All Three	Neither	SJ	2.83	\$ 77.29	\$ 97.38
All Three	Either	SK	3.5	\$ 95.59	\$ 120.44
All Three	Both	SL	3.98	\$ 108.69	\$ 136.95

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

Day	PT	OT	SLP	NSG	NTA
HIPPS	TN/N		SH/H	CBC2/N	NC/C
1	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
2	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
3	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23
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15	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group	Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
ES3	Tracheostomy and Ventilator (both while a resident) (Note: if Nsg. function score is 15 or 16, skip to clinically complex)	-	-	0-14	3.84	\$ 489.68	\$ 467.83
ES2	Tracheostomy or Ventilator (both while a resident) (Note: if Nsg. function score is 15 or 16, skip to clinically complex)	-	-	0-14	2.9	\$ 369.81	\$ 353.31
ES1	Isolation for Active Infectious Disease (without tracheostomy care or ventilator care) (Note: if Nsg. function score is 15 or 16, skip to clinically complex)	-	-	0-14	2.77	\$ 353.23	\$ 337.47

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group	Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
HDE2	1. B0100, Section GG items Comatose and completely dependent or activity did not occur at admission (GG0130A1, GG0130C1, GG0170B1, GG0170C1, GG0170D1, GG0170E1, and GG0170F1, all equal 01, 09, or 88) 2. I2100 Septicemia 3. I2900, N0350A, B Diabetes with both of the following: Insulin injections (N0350A) for all 7 days Insulin order changes on 2 or more days (N0350B) 4. I5100, Quadriplegia with Nursing Function Score <= 11 5. I6200, J1100C Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and shortness of breath when lying flat 6. J1550A, Fever and one of the following; I2000 Pneumonia J1550B Vomiting, K0300 Weight loss (1 or 2), K0520B2 or K0520B3 Feeding tube* 7. K0520A2 or K0520A3 Parenteral/IV feedings 8. O0400D2 Respiratory therapy for all 7 days * Tube feeding classification requirements: (1) K0710A3 is 51% or more of total calories OR (2) K0710A3 is 26% to 50% of total calories and K0710B3 is 501 cc or more per day fluid enteral intake in the last 7 days.	Yes	-	0-5	2.27	\$ 289.47	\$ 276.55
HDE1		No	-	0-5	1.88	\$ 239.74	\$ 229.04
HBC2		Yes	-	6-14	2.12	\$ 270.34	\$ 258.28
HBC1		No	-	6-14	1.76	\$ 224.44	\$ 214.42

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group	Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
LDE2	1. I4400, Cerebral palsy, with Nursing Function Score <=11 2. I5200, Multiple sclerosis, with Nursing Function Score <=11 3. I5300, Parkinson's disease, with Nursing Function Score <=11 4. I6300, O0110C1b Respiratory failure and oxygen therapy while a resident 5. K0520B2 or K0520B3 Feeding tube* 6. M0300B1 Two or more stage 2 pressure ulcers with two or more selected skin treatments** 7. M0300C1,D1,F1 Any stage 3 or 4 pressure ulcer with two or more selected skin treatments** 8. M1030 Two or more venous/arterial ulcers with two or more selected skin treatments** 9. M0300B1, M1030 1 stage 2 pressure ulcer and 1 venous/arterial ulcer with 2 or more selected skin treatments** 10. M1040A,B,C; M1200I Foot infection, diabetic foot ulcer or other open lesion of foot with application of dressings to the feet 11. O0110B1b Radiation treatment while a resident 12. O0110J1b Dialysis treatment while a resident	Yes	-	0-5	1.97	\$ 251.21	\$ 240.01
LDE1	11. O0110B1b Radiation treatment while a resident 12. O0110J1b Dialysis treatment while a resident *Tube feeding classification requirements: (1) K0710A3 is 51% or more of total calories OR (2) K0710A3 is 26% to 50% of total calories and K0710B3 is 501 cc or more per day fluid enteral intake in the last 7 days.	No	-	0-5	1.64	\$ 209.13	\$ 199.80
LBC2	**Selected skin treatments: M1200A,B# Pressure relieving chair and/or bed M1200C Turning/repositioning M1200D Nutrition or hydration intervention M1200E Pressure ulcer care M1200G Application of dressings (not to feet) M1200H Application of ointments (not to feet) #Count as one treatment even if both provided	Yes	-	6-14	1.63	\$ 207.86	\$ 198.58
LBC1	(Note: if Nsg. function score is 15 or 16, skip to clinically complex)	No	-	6-14	1.35	\$ 172.15	\$ 164.47

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group	Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
CDE2	1. I2000 Pneumonia 2. I4900, Hemiplegia/hemiparesis with Nursing Function Score <= 11 3. M1040D,E Open lesions (other than ulcers, rashes, and cuts) with any selected skin treatment* or surgical wounds 4. M1040F Burns 5. O0110A1b Chemotherapy while a resident 6. O0110C1b Oxygen Therapy while a resident 7. O0110H1b IV Medications while a resident 8. O0100I1b Transfusions while a resident *Selected Skin Treatments: M1200F Surgical wound care, M1200G Application of nonsurgical dressing (other than to feet), M1200H Application of ointments/medications (other than to feet)	Yes	-	0-5	1.77	\$ 225.71	\$ 215.64
CDE1		No	-	0-5	1.53	\$ 195.11	\$ 186.40
CBC2		Yes	-	6-14	1.47	\$ 187.45	\$ 179.09
CA2		Yes	-	15-16	1.03	\$ 131.35	\$ 125.48
CBC1		No	-	6-14	1.27	\$ 161.95	\$ 154.72
CA1		No	-	15-16	0.89	\$ 113.49	\$ 108.43

Section GG Item		Item Score	Score Calculation	Total
GG0130A1	Self-care: Eating	3	0-4	2
GG0130C1	Self-care: Toileting Hygiene	4	0-4	3
GG0170B1	Mobility: Sit to lying	3	0-4 (average of 2 items)	2
GG0170C1	Mobility: Lying to sitting on side of bed	2		1
GG0170D1	Mobility: Sit to stand	2	0-4 (average of 3 items)	1
GG0170E1	Mobility: Chair/bed-to-chair transfer	3		2
GG0170F1	Mobility: Toilet transfer	3		2
Total				8

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group		Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
BAB2	<p>Step 1. Determine the resident's PDPM Nursing Function Score. If the resident's PDPM Nursing Function Score is 11 or greater, go to Step 2. If the PDPM Nursing Function Score is less than 11, skip to the Reduced Physical Function Category now.</p> <p>Step 2. Determine the resident's cognitive status based on resident interview using the BIMS. If the resident interview using the BIMS was not conducted, skip the remainder of this step and proceed to Step #3 to check staff assessment for cognitive impairment. If the resident's Summary Score is less than or equal to 9, he or she classifies in the Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance category. Skip to step #5. If the resident's summary score is greater than 9 but not 99, proceed to Step #4 to check behavioral symptoms. If the resident's Summary Score is 99 or the Summary Score is blank or the Summary Score has a dash value, proceed to Step #3 to check staff assessment for cognitive impairment.</p> <p>Step 3. Determine the resident's cognitive status based on the staff assessment rather than on resident interview. Check if one of the three following conditions exists: 1. B0100 Coma (B0100 = 1) and completely dependent or activity did not occur at admission (GG0130A1, GG0130C1, GG0170B1, GG0170C1, GG0170D1, GG0170E1, and GG0170F1 all equal 01, 09, or 88). 2. C1000 Severely impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making (C1000 = 3) 3. B0700, C0700, C1000 Two or more of the following impairment indicators are present: B0700 > 0 Usually, sometimes, or rarely/never understood, C0700 = 1 Short-term memory problem, C1000 > 0 Impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making and One or more of the following severe impairment indicators are present: B0700 >= 2 Sometimes or rarely/never makes self understood, C1000 >= 2 Moderately or severely impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making. If the resident meets one of the three above conditions, then he or she classifies in Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance. Skip to Step #5. If he or she does not meet any of the three conditions, proceed to Step #4.</p> <p>Step 4. Determine whether the resident presents with one of the following behavioral symptoms: E0100A Hallucinations E0100B Delusions, E0200A Physical behavioral symptoms directed toward others (2 or 3), E0200B Verbal behavioral symptoms directed toward others (2 or 3), E0200C Other behavioral symptoms not directed toward others (2 or 3), E0800 Rejection of care (2 or 3) E0900 Wandering (2 or 3), If the resident presents with one of the symptoms above, then he or she classifies in Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance. Proceed to Step #5. If he or she does not present with behavioral symptoms, skip to the Reduced Physical Function Category.</p>		-	2 or more	11-16	0.98	\$ 124.97	\$ 119.39
BAB1	<p>Step 5. Determine Restorative Nursing Count. Count the number of the following services provided for 15 or more minutes a day for 6 or more of the last 7 days: H0200C, H0500** Urinary toileting program and/or bowel toileting program O0500A,B** Passive and/or active range of motion O0500C Splint or brace assistance. O0500D,F** Bed mobility and/or walking training. O0500E Transfer training. O0500G Dressing and/or grooming training. O0500H Eating and/or swallowing training O0500I Amputation/prostheses care. O0500J Communication training **Count as one service even if both provided</p>		-	0 or 1	11-16	0.94	\$ 119.87	\$ 114.52

Proposed FY 2025 Nursing Rate

PDPM Nursing Case Mix Group	Clinical Condition/Extensive Service	Depression (PHQ-9 >= 10)	Restorative (2 or More)	GG Based Function Score	Nursing Case- Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
PDE2	Step 1. Residents who do not meet the conditions of any of the previous categories, including those who would meet the criteria for the Behavioral Symptoms and Cognitive Performance category but have a PDPM Nursing Function Score less than 11, are placed in this category. Step 2. Determine Restorative Nursing Count: Count the number of the following services provided for 15 or more minutes a day for 6 or more of the last 7 days: H0200C, H0500** Urinary toileting program and/or bowel toileting program, O0500A,B** Passive and/or active range of motion, O0500C Splint or brace assistance, O0500D,F** Bed mobility and/or walking training, O0500E Transfer training, O0500G Dressing and/or grooming training, O0500H Eating and/or swallowing training, O0500I Amputation/prostheses care, O0500J Communication training. **Count as one service even if both provided	-	2 or more	0-5	1.48	\$ 188.73	\$ 180.31
PDE1		-	0 or 1	0-5	1.39	\$ 177.25	\$ 169.34
PBC2		-	2 or more	6-14	1.15	\$ 146.65	\$ 140.10
PA2		-	2 or more	15-16	0.67	\$ 85.44	\$ 81.63
PBC1		-	0 or 1	6-14	1.07	\$ 136.45	\$ 130.36
PA1		-	0 or 1	15-16	0.62	\$ 79.06	\$ 75.53

Proposed FY 2025 NTA

Condition/Extensive Service	Source	Points
SNF Claims		
HIV/AIDS	SNF Claim ICD-10 B20	8
Section H		
Bladder and Bowel Appliances: Intermittent catheterization	H0100D	1
Bladder and Bowel Appliances: Ostomy	H0100C	1
Section I - Gastrointestinal		
Inflammatory Bowel Disease	I1300	1
Section I - Infections		
Wound Infection Code	I2500	2
Active Diagnoses: Multi-Drug Resistant Organism (MDRO) Code	I1700	1
Section I - Metabolic		
Active Diagnoses: Diabetes Mellitus (DM) Code	I2900	2
Section I - Neurologic		
Active Diagnoses: Multiple Sclerosis Code	I5200	2
Section I - Nutritional		
Active Diagnoses: Malnutrition Code	I5600	1
Section I - Pulmonary		
Active Diagnoses: Asthma COPD Chronic Lung Disease Code	I6200	2

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Condition/Extensive Service	Source	Points
Section I - Other Additional Active Diagnoses I8000		
Lung Transplant Status	I8000	3
Major Organ Transplant Status, Except Lung	I8000	2
Opportunistic Infections	I8000	2
Bone/Joint/Muscle Infections/Necrosis - Except: Aseptic Necrosis of Bone	I8000	2
Chronic Myeloid Leukemia	I8000	2
Endocarditis	I8000	1
Immune Disorders	I8000	1
Disorders of Immunity - Except: RxCC97: Immune Disorders	I8000	1
End-Stage Liver Disease	I8000	1
Narcolepsy and Cataplexy	I8000	1
Cystic Fibrosis	I8000	1
Specified Hereditary Metabolic/Immune Disorders	I8000	1
Morbid Obesity	I8000	1
Psoriatic Arthropathy and Systemic Sclerosis	I8000	1
Chronic Pancreatitis	I8000	1
Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy and Vitreous Hemorrhage	I8000	1
Diabetic Retinopathy - Except : Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy and Vitreous Hemorrhage	I8000	1
Complications of Specified Implanted Device or Graft	I8000	1
Aseptic Necrosis of Bone	I8000	1
Cardio-Respiratory Failure and Shock	I8000	1
Myelodysplastic Syndromes and Myelofibrosis	I8000	1
Systemic Lupus Erythematosus, Other Connective Tissue Disorders, and Inflammatory Spondylopathies	I8000	1
Severe Skin Burn or Condition	I8000	1
Intractable Epilepsy	I8000	1
Cirrhosis of Liver	I8000	1
Respiratory Arrest	I8000	1
Pulmonary Fibrosis and Other Chronic Lung Disorders	I8000	1

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Condition/Extensive Service	Source	Points
Section K		
Parenteral IV Feeding: Level High	K0510A2 K0710A2	7
Parenteral IV feeding: Level Low	K0510A2 K0710A2 K0710B2	3
Nutritional Approaches While a Resident: Feeding Tube	K0510B2	1
Section M		
Other Foot Skin Problems: Foot Infection Code, Diabetic Foot Ulcer Code, Other Open Lesion on Foot Code	M1040A, M1040B, M1040C	1
Stage 4 Unhealed Pressure Ulcer Currently Present	M0300D1	1
Section O		
Special Treatments/Programs: Intravenous Medication Post-admit Code	O0110H1b	5
Special Treatments/Programs: Ventilator or Respirator Post-admit Code	O0110F1b	4
Special Treatments/Programs: Transfusion Post-admit Code	O0110I1b	2
Special Treatments/Programs: Tracheostomy Post-admit Code	O0110E1b	1
Special Treatments/Programs: Suctioning Post-admit Code	O0110D1b	1
Special Treatments/Programs: Isolation Post-admit Code	O0110M1b	1
Special Treatments/Programs: Radiation Post-admit Code	O0110B1b	1

Proposed FY 2025 NTA

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NTA Score Range	NTA Case Mix Group	NTA Case Mix Index	Urban Rate	Rural Rate
12+	NA	3.06	\$ 294.40	\$ 281.28
9-11	NB	2.39	\$ 229.94	\$ 219.69
6-8	NC	1.74	\$ 167.41	\$ 159.94
3-5	ND	1.26	\$ 121.22	\$ 115.82
1-2	NE	0.91	\$ 87.55	\$ 83.65
0	NF	0.68	\$ 65.42	\$ 62.51

Proposed FY 2025 Wage Index Adjustments

Proposed FY 2025 PDPM

Variable Per Diem Adjustment Rate Table

						County		CBSA	FY 25 WI	FY 2024 WI	24/25 Diff	5% Cap			
Day	PT	OT	SLP	NSG	NTA	MD, FREDERICK County		Urban	0.9918	0.9637	2.92%				
HIPPS	TN/N		SH/H	CBC2/N	NC/C	Non-CM	Labor	N-Labor	U Rate	WI Rate	ADR	Total \$\$	FY 2024 WI Rate	FY 2024 ADR	FY 2024 Total \$\$
1	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23	\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41
2	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23	\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 2,140.78	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 2,014.82
3	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 502.23	\$ 114.20	\$ 774.18	\$ 302.56	\$ 1,076.74	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 1,070.39	\$ 3,211.17	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 1,007.41	\$ 3,022.23
4	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 987.18	\$ 3,948.72	\$ 694.15	\$ 929.10	\$ 3,716.38
5	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 937.25	\$ 4,686.27	\$ 694.15	\$ 882.11	\$ 4,410.53
6	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 903.97	\$ 5,423.82	\$ 694.15	\$ 850.78	\$ 5,104.68
7	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 880.20	\$ 6,161.37	\$ 694.15	\$ 828.40	\$ 5,798.83
8	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 862.37	\$ 6,898.92	\$ 694.15	\$ 811.62	\$ 6,492.98
9	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 848.50	\$ 7,636.47	\$ 694.15	\$ 798.57	\$ 7,187.13
10	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 837.40	\$ 8,374.02	\$ 694.15	\$ 788.13	\$ 7,881.28
11	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 828.32	\$ 9,111.57	\$ 694.15	\$ 779.58	\$ 8,575.43
12	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 820.76	\$ 9,849.12	\$ 694.15	\$ 772.47	\$ 9,269.58
13	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 814.36	\$ 10,586.67	\$ 694.15	\$ 766.44	\$ 9,963.73
14	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 808.87	\$ 11,324.22	\$ 694.15	\$ 761.28	\$ 10,657.88
15	\$ 102.42	\$ 96.70	\$ 73.74	\$ 187.45	\$ 167.41	\$ 114.20	\$ 533.44	\$ 208.48	\$ 741.92	\$ 737.55	\$ 804.12	\$ 12,061.77	\$ 694.15	\$ 756.80	\$ 11,352.03

Additional Impacts on the Rate

- **Sequestration: 2%**
- **SNF Value Based Purchasing (SNF VBP): 2%**
 - The SNF VBP Program is a Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) program that awards incentive payments to skilled nursing facilities (SNFs) to encourage SNFs to improve the quality of care they provide to patients.
 - The SNF VBP Program currently uses the SNF 30-Day All-Cause Readmission Measure (SNFRM), which evaluates the risk-standardized readmission rate (RSRR) of unplanned, all-cause hospital readmissions.
 - CMS withholds 2% of SNFs' Medicare FFS Part A payments to fund the Program. CMS redistributes 60% of the withhold to SNFs as incentive payments, and the remaining 40% of the withhold is retained in the Medicare Trust Fund.
 - CMS calculates an incentive payment multiplier that accounts for both the 2% payment withhold used to fund the Program and any incentive payments earned through performance on the SNFRM.
 - This incentive payment multiplier is applied to your SNF's adjusted federal per diem rate for services provided during the applicable SNF VBP Program year.

Additional Impacts to the Rate

- **SNF Quality Reporting Program (SNF QRP): 2% off Annual payment Update (APU)/Market Basket Update for reporting noncompliance.**
- 100% of MDS data necessary for QRP QM calculation and SPADEs on 90% of MDS' submitted to IQIES.
- 100% of data submitted to NHSN for vaccine reporting.

TABLE 28: Quality Measures Currently Adopted for the SNF QRP

Short Name	Measure Name & Data Source
Resident Assessment Instrument Minimum Data Set (Assessment-Based)	
Pressure Ulcer/Injury	Changes in Skin Integrity Post-Acute Care: Pressure Ulcer/Injury
Application of Falls	Application of Percent of Residents Experiencing One or More Falls with Major Injury (Long Stay)
Discharge Mobility Score	Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Discharge Mobility Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients
Discharge Self-Care Score	Application of IRF Functional Outcome Measure: Discharge Self-Care Score for Medical Rehabilitation Patients
DRR	Drug Regimen Review Conducted With Follow-Up for Identified Issues—Post Acute Care (PAC) Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
TOH-Provider	Transfer of Health (TOH) Information to the Provider Post-Acute Care (PAC)
TOH-Patient	Transfer of Health (TOH) Information to the Patient Post-Acute Care (PAC)
DC Function	Discharge Function Score
Patient/Resident COVID-19 Vaccine	COVID-19 Vaccine: Percent of Patients/Residents Who Are Up to Date
Claims-Based	
MSPB SNF	Medicare Spending Per Beneficiary (MSPB)—Post Acute Care (PAC) Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
DTC	Discharge to Community (DTC)—Post Acute Care (PAC) Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
PPR	Potentially Preventable 30-Day Post-Discharge Readmission Measure for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Quality Reporting Program (QRP)
SNF HAI	SNF Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Requiring Hospitalization
National Healthcare Safety Network	
HCP COVID-19 Vaccine	COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel (HCP)
HCP Influenza Vaccine	Influenza Vaccination Coverage among Healthcare Personnel (HCP)

Strategies for Rate Accuracy

- MDS Accuracy is Paramount. An accurate picture of the resident in the MDS is the foundation for an accurate PPS rate.
- Supporting documentation is Key, i.e., from the hospital or other providers and day to day in the SNF.
- Use available tools like Document Navigator™ and PDPM Navigator®.
- Validate the HIPPS.
- Know your wage index and CBSA designation, Urban or Rural.
- Review your Confidential feedback reports, provider preview reports, and SNF QRP threshold reports in IQIES.
- Know the SNF QRP data collection and submission deadlines.
- Understand your SNF VBP incentive multiplier details.

References

- **MDS 3.0 RAI User's Manual:** <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/quality/nursing-home-improvement/resident-assessment-instrument-manual>
- **SNF QRP:** <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/quality/snf-quality-reporting-program/measures-and-technical-information>
- **SNF VBP:** <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/quality/nursing-home-improvement/value-based-purchasing>
- **SNF PPS FY 2025 Proposed Rule:** <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/04/03/2024-06812/medicare-program-prospective-payment-system-and-consolidated-billing-for-skilled-nursing-facilities>

QUESTIONS?