**Supplemental Table 1 Disposition of Hospital Observation Stays, by Origin, 2009**

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|   | *Frequency* | **Observation: Disposition** |  |
|   | *Percent* |  |
|   | *Row %* |  |
|   | *Column %* | INP | SNF | NF | ER/TRT | HHA | COMM | Died | **TOTAL** |
| **blObservation: Origin** | Inpatient (INP) | 1,064 | 1,112 | 143 | 60 | 659 | 3,118 | 2 | **6,158** |
| 0.11 | 0.11 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.07 | 0.31 | 0 | **0.61** |
| 17.28 | 18.06 | 2.32 | 0.97 | 10.7 | 50.63 | 0.03 |  |
| 3.73 | 3.79 | 0.43 | 0.7 | 0.63 | 0.39 | 2.25 |  |
| Skilled nursing facility (SNF) | 738 | 18,257 | 621 | 36 | 536 | 1,119 | 8 | **21,315** |
| 0.07 | 1.81 | 0.06 | 0 | 0.05 | 0.11 | 0 | **2.12** |
| 3.46 | 85.65 | 2.91 | 0.17 | 2.51 | 5.25 | 0.04 |  |
| 2.59 | 62.26 | 1.88 | 0.42 | 0.51 | 0.14 | 8.99 |  |
| Nursing facility (NF) | 1,009 | 2,418 | 24,559 | 200 | 65 | 2,351 | 11 | **30,613** |
| 0.1 | 0.24 | 2.44 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.23 | 0 | **3.04** |
| 3.3 | 7.9 | 80.22 | 0.65 | 0.21 | 7.68 | 0.04 |  |
| 3.54 | 8.25 | 74.28 | 2.32 | 0.06 | 0.29 | 12.36 |  |
| Emergency/treatment room (ER/TRT) | 802 | 389 | 754 | 1,344 | 2,149 | 12,765 | 0 | **18,203** |
| 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.07 | 0.13 | 0.21 | 1.27 | 0 | **1.81** |
| 4.41 | 2.14 | 4.14 | 7.38 | 11.81 | 70.13 | 0 |  |
| 2.81 | 1.33 | 2.28 | 15.62 | 2.05 | 1.59 | 0 |  |
| Community, with home health (HHA) | 3,175 | 2,551 | 644 | 758 | 72,383 | 4,171 | 14 | **83,696** |
| 0.32 | 0.25 | 0.06 | 0.08 | 7.19 | 0.41 | 0 | **8.31** |
| 3.79 | 3.05 | 0.77 | 0.91 | 86.48 | 4.98 | 0.02 |  |
| 11.13 | 8.7 | 1.95 | 8.81 | 69.06 | 0.52 | 15.73 |  |
| Community, without home health (COMM) | 21,746 | 4,597 | 6,340 | 6,209 | 29,017 | 778,694 | 54 | **846,657** |
| 2.16 | 0.46 | 0.63 | 0.62 | 2.88 | 77.36 | 0.01 | **84.11** |
| 2.57 | 0.54 | 0.75 | 0.73 | 3.43 | 91.97 | 0.01 |  |
| 76.21 | 15.68 | 19.18 | 72.14 | 27.69 | 97.07 | 60.67 |  |
|  | **TOTAL** | **28,534** | **29,324** | **33,061** | **8,607** | **104,809** | **802,218** | **89** | **1,006,642** |
|  |  | **2.83** | **2.91** | **3.28** | **0.86** | **10.41** | **79.69** | **0.01** | **100** |

Sources: 100% Medicare inpatient, outpatient, hospice, SNF and home health claims and nursing home resident assessment Minimum Data Set, 2009.