

MEDICARE

	1998-2002
Current Law	
Federal Spending (billions)	1,230
Spending Growth per Beneficiary*	7.5%
Spending as a Percent of GDP (last year of period)	3.2%
President's Budget	
Federal Spending (billions)	1,130
Federal Savings (billions)	-100
Federal Savings as % of Baseline	-8.1%
Spending Growth per Beneficiary*	5.0%
Spending as a Percent of GDP (last year of period)	2.9%
Private Premium Growth	4.7%

Note: This reflects the \$100 billion plan. These are Administration staff estimates.

We expect CBO 10-year scoring by the end of April.

*Represents average annual growth in the net Medicare spending per Part A enrollee.

CBO baseline and CBO projections of private health insurance spending.

Fiscal years

NOTE: IF WE SHOW GROSS SAVINGS (w/o Investments)

Savings 2002 = 36.5 b

98-02 = 116.5 b

Growth (Fed) 4.6%