

MEDICARE: CBO SCORING*(FY 1998-2002, in billions of dollars)*

	HOUSE	SENATE	CONF
MANAGED CARE	-18.3	-25.8	-21.7
HOSPITALS			
Reduce Update for PPS Hospitals	-14.0	-14.5	-16.9
PPS Capital	-4.7	-4.3	-5.3
Reduce PPS-Exempt Hospitals	-5.5	-3.5	-3.9
PPS-Exempt Capital			-0.5
Hospital Depreciation	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Bad Debt	-0.6	-0.6	-0.5
Puerto Rico Standardized Amount	0.0	0.0	0.0
Grandfathers for LTC Hospitals	0.0	0.1	0.1
Retroactive Designation of Cancer Hospitals	0.0	0.2	0.0
Expand Centers of Excellence	-0.3	0.0	0.0
Lower Indirect Medical Education	-6.7	-5.7	-5.6
Graduate Medical Education Pass-Through Payments	-1.2	-0.6	-0.9
Eliminates IME / DSH Adjustment to Outliers	-2.2	-2.1	-2.2
DSH Reductions	-0.1	-2.4	-0.6
Recalibrate DRGs for Transfers	-3.7	-1.1	-1.4
Sole Community Hospitals Rebasing	0.0	0.7	0.0
Rural Referral Centers	0.0	0.0	0.0
Miscellaneous Rural	0.1	0.7	0.3
Medicare Dependent Small Rural Hospital Extension	0.2	0.2	0.2
Payment of Med. Education [& DSH] removed from AAPCCs	0.0	6.4	4.0
PPS for Rehab Hospitals	0.3	0.4	0.3
Outpatient Prospective Payment System	-7.2	-7.2	-7.2
SUBTOTAL	-45.9	-33.6	-40.4
HOME HEALTH			
Home Health Policy	-15.7	-15.6	-16.2
PHYSICIANS AND OTHER PRACTITIONERS			
Physician Payment System	-5.3	-5.3	-5.3
High Cost Medical Staffs	0.0	0.0	0.0
Direct Payments to PAs and NPs	0.5	0.5	0.5
Reduce Payments to Select Pharmaceuticals	-0.4	-0.7	-0.6
Eliminate X-Ray Requirement for Chiropractors	0.6	0.0	0.3
SUBTOTAL	-4.6	-5.5	-5.1
SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES			
Skilled Nursing Facility Cost Limits & Per-Diem PPS	-9.8	-8.2	-9.7

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FRAUD AND ABUSE			
Medicare Secondary Payer Extension	-7.5	-7.5	-7.5
Medicare Secondary Payer Authority and Reporting	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
Advisory Opinions Regarding Self-Referral	0.2	0.0	0.2
Misc. Fraud and Abuse Provisions	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3
SUBTOTAL	-7.9	-8.1	-8.0
OTHER PROVIDERS			
Hospice	-0.2	0.0	-0.2
DME, P&O, Lab Competitive Bids and Rate Reduction	-0.8	-0.6	-0.8
Lab Updates	-2.5	-1.5	-1.9
ASC Update	-0.4	-0.4	-0.3
Oxygen	-1.6	-2.3	-2.1
Outpatient Therapy Providers	-2.1	0.0	-1.7
Ambulance	0.0	-0.1	0.0
Coverage of Oral Anti-emetics	0.1	0.0	0.0
Veterans Administration Subvention	0.0	0.2	0.1
PACE Program	0.0	0.0	0.0
Social HMO Demonstration	0.2	0.2	0.2
Medical Liability Reform	-0.2	0.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL	-7.5	-4.5	-6.7
PREMIUMS & BENEFICIARY CONTRIBUTIONS			
Maintain Part B Premium at 25%	-12.9	-12.4	-15.0
Income-Related Premium	0.0	-3.9	0.0
Part A Premium Interaction	1.1	1.0	1.1
State / Local Buy-In	0.8	0.0	0.6
Copayment on Home Health Services	0.0	-4.7	0.0
Age Eligibility Extension	0.0	0.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL	-11.0	-20.0	-13.3
BENEFICIARY INVESTMENTS			
Colorectal Cancer Screening	0.6	0.6	0.6
Prostate Screening	1.0	0.0	0.6
Diabetes Self-Management Training and Supplies	2.4	2.4	2.1
Working Disabled Demonstration	0.0	0.0	0.0
Annual Mammography Screening	0.2	0.3	0.2
Screening Pap Smears and Pelvic Exams	0.1	0.0	0.1
Bone Mass Measurement	0.3	0.3	0.3
Low-Income Premium Assistance	0.0	1.5	0.0
Reduce Part B Late Enrollment Penalty	1.0	0.0	0.1
Payment to states for coverage of premium interaction	1.1	1.9	1.3
SUBTOTAL	6.7	7.0	5.3
TOTAL MEDICARE SAVINGS	-114.0	-114.3	-115.8