

Medicare Accelerated and Advance Payments Program COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Payment Data

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' expanded its Accelerated and Advance Payment (AAP) Program to increase cash flow to Medicare providers and suppliers impacted by the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Public Health Emergency. These payments are funded from the Hospital Insurance (Part A) and Supplementary Medical Insurance (Part B) trust funds, which are the same funds used to pay out Medicare claims each day. Accelerated and advance payments are loans that providers must pay back. In accordance with the *Continuing Appropriations Act, 2021 and Other Extensions Act* enacted on October 1, 2020, the tables below include information on the percentage of payments made from the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Supplementary Insurance Trust Fund. Also displayed is a breakout of payments by provider and supplier type. The data reflects payments made through and including October 6, 2020.

Program details are available at <https://www.cms.gov/files/document/accelerated-and-advanced-payments-fact-sheet.pdf>

Summary of Payments by Program and Medicare Trust Fund¹

Program Name	Dollars	Percent of Total
Accelerated Payment	\$ 98,172,293,348.21	92.02%
Advance Payment	\$ 8,511,134,635.75	7.98%
TOTAL	\$ 106,683,427,983.96	100.00%

Trust Fund Impact	Dollars	Percent of Total
Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund (HI)	\$ 69,344,228,189.60	65.00%
Federal Supplementary Insurance Trust Fund (SMI)	\$ 37,339,199,794.40	35.00%
TOTAL	\$ 106,683,427,984.00	100.00%

1. Accelerated Payments refer to payments made to Part A Providers, Advance Payments refer to payments made to Part B Suppliers. HI Trust Fund Impact is for Part A Services, SMI Trust Fund Impact is for Part B Services provided by both Part A Providers and Part B Suppliers.

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Payments by Provider and Supplier Type

Provider Types	Sum of Payment Amounts
Part A¹ (HI) Providers	
Hospitals: Short Stay	\$ 83,200,626,661
Skilled Nursing Facility	\$ 3,617,854,733
Hospitals: Critical Access	\$ 2,839,498,578
Home Health	\$ 1,783,379,811
End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD)	\$ 1,333,105,967
Hospice	\$ 1,277,179,853
Hospitals: Rehabilitation Units	\$ 1,062,166,333
Hospitals: Long Term Care	\$ 734,072,237
Hospitals: Swing Bed Units	\$ 597,011,965
Hospitals: Rehabilitation	\$ 531,062,303
Hospitals: Psychiatric Unit	\$ 493,704,163
Hospitals: Psychiatric	\$ 270,768,867
Rural Health Clinic (RHC)	\$ 258,152,027
Outpatient Physical Therapy and Speech Pathology	\$ 59,223,031
Hospitals: Other	\$ 44,062,172
Hospitals: Children's	\$ 43,524,538
Federally Qualified Health Centers	\$ 25,790,738
Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facility (CORF)	\$ 778,550
Community Mental Health Centers	\$ 330,825
Total	\$ 98,172,293,348

Part B ² (SMI) Providers/ Suppliers	Sum of Payment Amounts
SINGLE OR MULTISPECIALTY CLINIC OR GROUP PRACTICE	\$ 6,714,932,695
AMBULATORY SURGICAL CENTER	\$ 534,599,193
CLINICAL LABORATORY (BILLING INDEPENDENTLY)	\$ 267,839,154
AMBULANCE SERVICE SUPPLIER, E.G., PRIVATE AMBULANCE COMPANIES, FUNERAL HOMES	\$ 154,381,095
OPHTHALMOLOGY	\$ 127,260,217
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY NOT INCLUDED IN 51, 52, OR 53	\$ 93,223,214
PHYSICAL THERAPIST IN PRIVATE PRACTICE	\$ 79,794,466
INDEPENDENT DIAGNOSTIC TESTING FACILITY (IDTF)	\$ 63,284,631
INTERNAL MEDICINE	\$ 28,006,222

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DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY	\$ 27,788,304
DERMATOLOGY	\$ 27,522,673
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH RESPIRATORY THERAPIST	\$ 26,554,718
CARDIOLOGY	\$ 21,860,408
UROLOGY	\$ 19,936,833
EMERGENCY MEDICINE	\$ 17,030,109
FAMILY PRACTICE	\$ 16,452,142
PODIATRY	\$ 14,126,487
PHARMACY	\$ 13,599,205
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH ORTHOTIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 12,642,264
ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY	\$ 12,063,776
RHEUMATOLOGY	\$ 11,309,866
GASTROENTEROLOGY	\$ 11,084,622
OTOLARYNGOLOGY	\$ 8,430,029
ANESTHESIOLOGY	\$ 8,303,953
VASCULAR SURGERY	\$ 8,090,008
PORTABLE X-RAY SUPPLIER (BILLING INDEPENDENTLY)	\$ 8,063,794
INDIVIDUAL ORTHOTIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 7,686,114
INDIVIDUAL PROSTHETIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 6,894,575
RADIATION THERAPY CENTERS	\$ 6,680,896
HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY	\$ 6,129,164
OPTOMETRY	\$ 5,995,820
RADIATION ONCOLOGY	\$ 5,807,080
NEPHROLOGY	\$ 5,744,609
NEUROLOGY	\$ 4,068,081
PULMONARY DISEASE	\$ 3,939,555
PHYSICAL MEDICINE AND REHABILITATION	\$ 3,918,415
GENERAL SURGERY	\$ 3,756,208
PATHOLOGY	\$ 3,538,275
PEDIATRIC MEDICINE	\$ 3,393,698
ALL OTHER SUPPLIERS, E.G., DRUGSTORES	\$ 2,957,716
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH PROSTHETIC/ORTHOTIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 2,852,968
CARDIAC ELECTROPHYSIOLOGY	\$ 2,809,881

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PSYCHIATRY	\$ 2,494,668
NEUROSURGERY	\$ 2,286,647
CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETIST (CRNA)	\$ 2,029,943
ALLERGY/IMMUNOLOGY	\$ 1,864,991
INTERVENTIONAL PAIN MANAGEMENT	\$ 1,847,192
THORACIC SURGERY	\$ 1,826,555
OBSTETRICS/GYNECOLOGY	\$ 1,703,440
INDIVIDUAL PROSTHETIC/ORTHOTIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 1,695,628
GENERAL PRACTICE	\$ 1,564,385
PAIN MANAGEMENT	\$ 1,547,189
PLASTIC AND RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY	\$ 1,275,253
ENDOCRINOLOGY	\$ 1,078,407
INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY	\$ 760,417
COLORECTAL SURGERY (FORMERLY PROCTOLOGY)	\$ 753,567
NUCLEAR MEDICINE	\$ 675,005
INFECTIOUS DISEASE	\$ 659,127
CHIROPRACTIC	\$ 654,754
HAND SURGERY	\$ 626,286
NURSE PRACTITIONER	\$ 622,203
HEMATOLOGY	\$ 562,022
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH PROSTHETIC PERSONNEL CERTIFIED BY AN ACCREDITING ORGANIZATION	\$ 523,312
PUBLIC HEALTH OR WELFARE AGENCIES (FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL)	\$ 311,528
OXYGEN/OXYGEN RELATED EQUIPMENT	\$ 269,822
CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST	\$ 259,718
GYNECOLOGICAL/ONCOLOGY	\$ 253,862
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT	\$ 204,194
MEDICAL ONCOLOGY	\$ 181,309
ORAL SURGERY (DENTISTS ONLY)	\$ 154,263
GERIATRIC MEDICINE	\$ 152,112
LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER	\$ 147,108
INTERVENTIONAL CARDIOLOGY	\$ 142,054
INTENSIVE CARDIAC REHABILITATION	\$ 136,317
PROSTHETIC PERSONNEL	\$ 123,976
OSTEOPATHIC MANIPULATIVE MEDICINE	\$ 114,419

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Part B ² (SMI) Providers/ Suppliers	Sum of Payment Amounts
PERIPHERAL VASCULAR DISEASE	\$ 109,342
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH PEDORTHIC PERSONNEL	\$ 106,143
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST IN PRIVATE PRACTICE	\$ 88,185
HOSPITAL	\$ 85,685
SURGICAL ONCOLOGY	\$ 76,757
CRITICAL CARE (INTENSIVISTS)	\$ 69,552
OPIOID TREATMENT PROGRAM	\$ 63,070
NEUROPSYCHIATRY	\$ 48,738
PSYCHOLOGIST (BILLING INDEPENDENTLY)	\$ 43,916
CARDIAC SURGERY	\$ 41,136
UNKNOWN PHYSICIAN SPECIALTY	\$ 30,811
AUDIOLOGIST (BILLING INDEPENDENTLY)	\$ 30,195
CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIFE (EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1988)	\$ 28,212
MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY	\$ 20,060
MASS IMMUNIZATION ROSTER BILLERS (MASS IMMUNIZERS HAVE TO ROSTER BILL ASSIGNED CLAIMS AND CAN ONLY BILL FOR IMMUNIZATIONS)	\$ 17,632
SLIDE PREPARATION FACILITIES	\$ 11,108
SLEEP MEDICINE	\$ 5,324
MAMMOGRAPHY SCREENING CENTER	\$ 3,867
OPTICIAN	\$ 3,369
OCULARIST	\$ 2,205
IN-PERSON MDPP SUPPLIERS	\$ 1,497
MEDICAL SUPPLY COMPANY WITH REGISTERED PHARMACIST	\$ 1,324
Part B - No specialty code in HIGLAS	\$ 76,391,699
Total	\$ 8,511,134,636

Grand Total	\$ 106,683,427,984
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- 1) Many providers offer both Part A and Part B services. The Part A data includes total expenditures (Part A and B) for any provider that furnishes Part A services. The Part B data includes total expenditures for providers who received Part B payment only.

- 2) The Part B providers listed here are grouped by specialty codes. The specialty codes may be found here: <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/MedicareProviderSupEnroll/Downloads/taxonomy.pdf>. If a provider is not associated with a specialty code, they will be included in the “specialty undefined” category.