Table 2. Total utilization and mean expenses[a] for inpatient stays by length of stay, 2009

Length of Stay	Number of Events (millions)		Total Expenses[a] per Stay		Out-of-Pocket Expenses[a] per Stay	
	Total	Std Error	Mean	Std Error	Mean	Std Error
All stays[b]	28.83	1.023	$12,818	$757.5	$464	$58.6
1 night stays	5.97	0.336	$8,019	$737.2	$343	$72.2
2 night stays	4.94	0.301	$9,132	$411.1	$412	$58.6
3 night stays	4.95	0.302	$9,950	$510.2	$462	$73.9
4+ night stays	11.92	0.555	$18,748	$1,503.6	$573	$128.8

[a] Includes hospital facility & separately billed doctor expenses.

[b] Includes zero-night stays.