

Table 2. Total utilization and mean expenses^a for inpatient stays by length of stay, 2010

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	29.85	1.146	\$13,131	\$476.3	\$328	\$26.6
1 night stays	6.36	0.396	\$8,478	\$606.4	\$351	\$73.3
2 night stays	5.54	0.304	\$8,045	\$446.7	\$221	\$35.9
3 night stays	4.83	0.320	\$11,406	\$777.7	\$405	\$78.1
4+ night stays	12.34	0.640	\$19,065	\$1,035.1	\$319	\$40.8

^a Includes hospital facility & separately billed doctor expenses.

^b Includes zero-night stays.