

Cost Estimate for the Protecting Access to Medicare Act of 2014

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2019 2024

CHANGES IN DIRECT SPENDING (OUTLAYS)

TITLE I—EXTENDERS

Section	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2014-2019	2014-2024
101. Physician Payment Update	5.2	6.0	2.1	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	14.7	15.8
102. Extension of Work Geographic Cost-of-Practice Indices Floor	0.2	0.1	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3	0.3
103. Extension of Therapy Cap Exceptions Process	0.3	0.6	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.8	0.8
104. Extension of Ambulance Add-ons	*	0.1	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
105. Extension of Increased Inpatient Hospital Payment Adjustment for Certain Low-Volume Hospitals	0	0.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3	0.3
106. Extension of the Medicare-Dependent Hospital Program	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
107. Extension for Specialized Medicare Advantage Plans for Special Needs Individuals	0	0	0.2	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.2	0.2
108. Extension of Reasonable Cost Contracts	0	0	0.1	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
109. Extension of Funding for Quality Measure Endorsement, Input, and Selection	0	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
110. Extension of Funding Outreach and Assistance for Low-Income Programs	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
111. Extension of Two-Midnight Rule	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
112. Technical Changes to Medicare LTCH Amendments	*	*	0.1	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1

TITLE II—OTHER HEALTH PROVISIONS

Section	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2014-2019	2014-2024
201. Extension of the Qualifying Individual Program	0.4	0.4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0.8	0.8
202. Temporary Extension of Transitional Medical Assistance	0.1	0.3	-0.3	-0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
203. Extension of Medicaid and CHIP Express Lane Option	0	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
204. Extension of Special Diabetes Programs	0	0.3	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3	0.3
205. Extension of Abstinence Education	0	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
206. Extension of Personal Responsibility Education Program	0	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
207. Extension of Funding for Family-to-Family Health Information Centers	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
208. Extension of Health Workforce Demonstration Project for Low-Income Individuals	0	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1
209. Extension of Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Programs	0	*	0.1	0.2	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.4	0.4
210. Pediatric Quality Measures	*	*	*	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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211. Delay of Effective Date for Medicaid Amendments Relating to Beneficiary Liability Settlements	0	0.1	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.2	0.2
212. Delay in Transition from ICD-9 to ICD-10 Code Sets	*	*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
213. Elimination of Limitation on Deductibles for Employer-Sponsored Health Plans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
214. GAO Report on the Children’s Hospital Graduate Medical Education Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
215. Skilled Nursing Facility Value-Based Purchasing Program	*	*	*	*	*	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.2	-2.0
216. Improving Medicare Policies for Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Tests	0	0	0	-0.1	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-1.0	-2.5
217. Revisions under the Medicare ESRD Prospective Payment System	*	*	*	0.1	*	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.1	-1.8
218. Quality Incentives for Computed Tomography Diagnostic Imaging and Promoting Evidence-Based Care	0	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	-0.2
219. Using Funding from Transitional Fund for SGR Reform	0	0	0	-1.8	-0.6	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2.3	-2.3
220. Ensuring Accurate Valuation of Services Under the Physician Fee Schedule	*	*	*	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.5	-0.6	-0.7	-0.7	-0.8	-0.6	-4.0
221. Medicaid Disproportionate Share Hospital	0	0	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.8	-0.7	-4.4	2.9	-4.4
222. Realignment of the Medicare Sequester for Fiscal Year 2024	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-4.9	0	-4.9
223. Demonstration Programs to Improve Community Mental Health Services	*	*	*	*	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0	0	0.6	1.1
224. Assisted Outpatient Treatment Grant Program for Individuals with Serious Mental Illness	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
225. Exclusion from PAYGO Scorecards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Independent Payment Advisory Board interaction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	*	*	0	*
TOTAL, CHANGES IN DIRECT SPENDING OUTLAYS	6.1	8.3	2.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	-1.8	-2.0	-2.2	-2.2	-10.7	17.7	-1.2

Notes:

Components may not sum to totals because of rounding; * = changes in direct spending that are between \$50 million and -\$50 million. All Medicare provisions include interactions with Medicare Advantage payments, the effect on Medicare Part A and B premiums, and TRICARE.

CHIP = Children's Health Insurance Program; ESRD = End Stage Renal Disease; GAO = Government Accountability Office; ICD = International Classification of Diseases; LTCH = Long-Term Acute Care Hospital; PAYGO = Pay-As-You-Go (which refers to changes in direct spending and revenues); SGR = Sustainable Growth Rate; TRICARE = the health plan operated by the Department of Defense.