

Comparison of Hospitals and Records in the 2012 HCUP State Emergency Department Databases (SEDD) to the 2012 American Hospital Association (AHA) Survey of Hospitals

State	SEDD ED Treat-and-Release Visits (Includes only ED visits that do not result in admission to the same hospital)			SEDD Hospital Counts			AHA Counts for Community, Nonrehabilitation Hospitals ¹ (Hospital reported ED visits for the year to the AHA)				AHA All ED Visits (Includes ED visits that result and do not result in admission to the same hospital)			
	Total number of SEDD discharges	Number of SEDD discharges in community, nonrehabilitation hospitals ¹	Number of SEDD discharges from other types of hospitals ²	Total number of hospitals (DSHOSPID) ³	Number of hospitals (DSHOSID) that can be linked to the AHA Survey of Hospitals	Number of hospitals (DSHOSPID) that cannot be linked to the AHA Survey of Hospitals	Total number of hospitals (AHA ID) in the State ⁴	Number of hospitals (AHA ID) included in the SEDD	Number of hospitals (AHA ID) not included in the SEDD	Percentage of total hospitals (AHA ID) that are not included in the SEDD	Total number of AHA ED visits in the State	Number of AHA ED visits for hospitals included in the SEDD	Number of AHA ED visits for hospitals not included in the SEDD	Percentage of total AHA ED visits for hospitals that are not included in the SEDD
AZ	2,120,048	2,090,485	29,563	68	65	3	67	61	6	9.0%	2,357,660	2,300,176	57,484	2.4%
FL	7,386,014	7,386,014	0	211	211	0	187	186	1	0.5%	8,193,161	8,190,551	2,610	0.0%
GA	4,042,978	4,038,186	4,792	141	141	0	137	136	1	0.7%	4,211,812	4,210,846	966	0.0%
HI	381,474	379,205	2,269	22	22	0	21	21	0	0.0%	399,437	399,437	0	0.0%
IA	1,061,264	1,061,264	0	118	118	0	117	117	0	0.0%	1,297,129	1,297,129	0	0.0%
KY	2,136,069	2,136,069	0	107	107	0	101	100	1	1.0%	2,415,393	2,412,915	2,478	0.1%
MA	2,549,655	2,549,655	0	67	67	0	62	61	1	1.6%	3,164,871	3,155,195	9,676	0.3%
MD	2,297,779	2,212,180	85,599	51	48	3	45	45	0	0.0%	2,552,154	2,552,154	0	0.0%
ME	654,483	654,475	8	63	63	0	36	36	0	0.0%	790,258	790,258	0	0.0%
MN	1,553,287	1,553,287	0	130	130	0	130	127	3	2.3%	1,898,936	1,871,069	27,867	1.5%
NC	3,956,967	3,956,088	879	112	112	0	107	104	3	2.8%	4,638,240	4,619,401	18,839	0.4%
NE	475,365	475,365	0	84	84	0	89	84	5	5.6%	682,945	672,432	10,513	1.5%
NJ	3,124,655	3,078,104	46,551	74	73	1	66	63	3	4.5%	3,703,899	3,670,755	33,144	0.9%
NV	818,337	818,337	0	33	33	0	34	33	1	2.9%	909,949	906,387	3,562	0.4%
NY	6,814,944	6,725,007	89,937	215	212	3	169	167	2	1.2%	8,399,978	8,396,197	3,781	0.0%
RI	431,261	425,519	5,742	13	13	0	11	11	0	0.0%	578,431	578,431	0	0.0%
SC	2,022,460	2,019,852	2,608	61	61	0	58	58	0	0.0%	1,435,010	1,435,010	0	0.0%
UT	679,929	668,603	11,326	45	43	2	45	42	3	6.7%	895,150	890,032	5,118	0.6%
VT	247,906	247,906	0	14	14	0	14	14	0	0.0%	302,030	302,030	0	0.0%
WI	1,725,142	1,713,173	11,969	128	128	0	125	124	1	0.8%	2,192,468	2,109,321	83,147	3.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Center for Delivery, Organization, and Markets, Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP), State Emergency Department Databases (SEDD) and American Hospital Association (AHA) Survey of Hospitals, 2012.

Note: This table was created on November 19, 2020. Any SEDD updated after the creation date will not be reflected in this table.

¹ The AHA defines community hospitals as "all non-Federal, short-term, general, and other specialty hospitals." Included among community hospitals are specialty hospitals such as obstetrics-gynecology, ear-nose-throat, orthopedic, short-term rehabilitation hospitals and pediatric institutions. Also included are public hospitals and academic medical centers. The comparison is focused on community, nonrehabilitation hospitals because those are the types of hospitals consistently reported to HCUP.

² Other types of hospitals include noncommunity hospitals, rehabilitation hospitals, and hospitals reported by the State that cannot be linked to the AHA Survey. The types of other hospitals included in the SEDD vary greatly across States.

³ The HCUP data element DSHOSPID contains the State-specific hospital identifier and is used to count the number of hospitals identified by the State.

⁴ In the AHA survey, hospitals located at different sites may report as one single entity for various reasons.