

**Estimated Change in Medicare Fee-for-Service Payments for 2004
Impact of 4.2% Cut on Medicare Allowed Charges
by state/area**

	<i>Change in 2004 Allowed Charges</i>	
	<i>Total (\$ millions)</i>	<i>per physician</i>
Alabama	-\$49	-\$6,100
Alaska	-\$2	-\$2,000
Arizona	-\$41	-\$4,400
Arkansas	-\$28	-\$6,000
California	-\$244	-\$3,300
Colorado	-\$22	-\$2,300
Connecticut	-\$41	-\$3,900
Delaware	-\$10	-\$6,200
District of Columbia	-\$35	-\$2,900
Florida	-\$264	-\$7,200
Georgia	-\$70	-\$4,700
Hawaii	-\$8	-\$2,600
Idaho	-\$8	-\$3,800
Illinois	-\$110	-\$4,100
Indiana	-\$60	-\$5,500
Iowa	-\$28	-\$6,000
Kansas	-\$24	-\$4,700
Kentucky	-\$43	-\$5,600
Louisiana	-\$43	-\$4,600
Maine	-\$13	-\$4,500
Maryland	-\$45	-\$4,600
Massachusetts	-\$64	-\$3,200
Michigan	-\$121	-\$6,400
Minnesota	-\$37	-\$3,300
Mississippi	-\$27	-\$6,200
Missouri	-\$55	-\$5,200
Montana	-\$8	-\$4,000
Nebraska	-\$16	-\$4,500
Nevada	-\$16	-\$4,800
New Hampshire	-\$11	-\$3,900
New Jersey	-\$117	-\$5,300
New Mexico	-\$11	-\$3,100
New York	-\$238	-\$4,200
North Carolina	-\$82	-\$5,100
North Dakota	-\$7	-\$4,800
Ohio	-\$112	-\$4,900
Oklahoma	-\$31	-\$5,800
Oregon	-\$19	-\$2,500
Pennsylvania	-\$138	-\$4,600
Puerto Rico	-\$30	-\$3,900
Rhode Island	-\$10	-\$3,500
South Carolina	-\$42	-\$5,500
South Dakota	-\$8	-\$5,200
Tennessee	-\$66	-\$5,400
Texas	-\$177	-\$4,900
Utah	-\$13	-\$3,300
Vermont	-\$5	-\$3,100
Virgin Islands	-\$0.3	-\$1,800
Virginia	-\$53	-\$4,700

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Washington	-\$43	-\$3,200
West Virginia	-\$20	-\$6,000
Wisconsin	-\$47	-\$4,100
Wyoming	-\$3	-\$3,400
Total	-\$2,813	-\$4,500

Note: Totals for DC include Maryland and Virginia counties included in the DC payment locality. These counties are excluded from the Maryland and Virginia totals.

Source: American Medical Association, Center for Health Policy Research, April 2003