

**Table 10.10: Distribution of Total and Incremental Aggregate Direct Costs for Musculoskeletal Diseases by Age, United States 1996-2011**

	% Total Aggregate Cost (in 2011 \$ )			
	<u>&lt;18</u>	<u>18-44</u>	<u>45-64</u>	<u>65+</u>
1996-1998	5%	24%	30%	42%
1997-1999	5%	23%	31%	42%
1998-2000	5%	22%	32%	40%
1999-2001	5%	21%	35%	39%
2000-2002	5%	21%	36%	39%
2001-2003	4%	20%	38%	38%
2002-2004	4%	19%	39%	38%
2003-2005	4%	18%	40%	38%
2004-2006	4%	18%	39%	39%
2005-2007	4%	17%	41%	38%
2006-2008	4%	17%	42%	37%
2007-2009	4%	16%	42%	37%
2008-2010	4%	17%	42%	38%
2009-2011	3%	17%	42%	37%

  

	% Incremental Aggregate Cost (in 2011 \$)			
	<u>&lt;18</u>	<u>18-44</u>	<u>45-64</u>	<u>65+</u>
1996-1998	8%	30%	28%	34%
1997-1999	10%	32%	32%	26%
1998-2000	10%	29%	36%	25%
1999-2001	10%	28%	40%	22%
2000-2002	8%	26%	39%	27%
2001-2003	6%	23%	46%	25%
2002-2004	6%	19%	45%	30%
2003-2005	7%	18%	48%	27%
2004-2006	8%	19%	43%	29%
2005-2007	8%	19%	48%	25%
2006-2008	7%	18%	50%	25%
2007-2009	7%	18%	51%	25%
2008-2010	7%	17%	48%	28%
2009-2011	6%	22%	47%	25%

Source: Medical Expenditures Panel Survey (MEPS), Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 1996-2011. <http://meps.ahrq.gov/mepsweb/>