

Table 2A.7.1: Disposition of Healthcare Visits with Diagnoses of Back Pain from Inpatient and Emergency Department, by Sex, United States 2013

Disposition	Male					
	Emergency Department [1]		ED In-patient Transfers [1]		Hospital [2]	
	Discharges (in 1,000s)	% of Total Discharges	Discharges (in 1,000s)	% of Total Discharges	Discharges (in 1,000s)	% of Total Discharges
Routine discharge	4,209.3	82.4%	453.3	63.0%	838.8	64.2%
Discharge to short-term hospital	60.1	1.2%	19.9	2.8%	30.6	2.3%
Discharge to other care facility	40.8	0.8%	139.7	19.4%	226.2	17.3%
Discharge with home health care	10.0	0.2%	79.4	11.0%	171.3	13.1%
Admitted as in-patient to hospital	720.3	14.1%		0.0%		0.0%
Other disposition [3]	68.0	1.3%	27.7	3.8%	39.3	3.0%
Total Discharges	5,108.5	100.0%	720.0	100.0%	1,306.2	100.0%

Disposition	Female					
	Emergency Department [1]		ED In-patient Transfers [1]		Hospital [2]	
	(in 1,000s)	Discharges	(in 1,000s)	Discharges	(in 1,000s)	Discharges
Routine discharge	6,020.7	83.8%	515.9	55.8%	972.9	58.2%
Discharge to short-term hospital	64.4	0.9%	19.3	2.1%	29.7	1.8%
Discharge to other care facility	67.9	0.9%	233.6	25.3%	374.6	22.4%
Discharge with home health care	22.5	0.3%	132.8	14.4%	259.7	15.5%
Admitted as in-patient to hospital	924.9	12.9%		0.0%		0.0%
Other disposition [3]	80.7	1.1%	23.1	2.5%	33.6	2.0%
Total Discharges	7,181.1	100.0%	924.7	100.0%	1,670.5	100.0%

* Estimate does not meet standards for reliability

[1] Source: HCUP Nationwide Emergency Department Sample (NEDS). Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP). 2013. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville, MD. www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/nedsoverview.jsp

[2] Source: HCUP National Inpatient Sample (NIS). Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP). 2013. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville, MD. www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/nisoverview.jsp

[3] Died, left against medical advice, unknown.