

Social Security Number Analyses, 2010-2014

Data Type	SSN-Unknown & Valid	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
Inpatient	777777777	320,344	12.13%	324,603	12.22%	328,210	12.29%	339,572	12.70%	359,061	13.09%
Inpatient	77777XXXX	124	0.00%	215	0.01%	297	0.01%	522	0.02%	1,031	0.04%
Inpatient	Valid SSNs	2,319,818	87.86%	2,331,439	87.77%	2,342,606	87.70%	2,333,371	87.28%	2,381,892	86.87%
Inpatient	Grand Total Discharges	2,640,286	100.00%	2,656,257	100.00%	2,671,113	100.00%	2,673,465	100.00%	2,741,984	100.00%
Data Type	Unknown SSN = 777777777	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
Inpatient	Age 0-2	236,013	8.94%	236,137	8.89%	235,729	8.83%	237,255	8.87%	241,856	8.82%
Inpatient	Age greater than 2	84,331	3.19%	88,466	3.33%	92,481	3.46%	102,317	3.83%	117,205	4.27%
Inpatient	Total All Ages	320,344	12.13%	324,603	12.22%	328,210	12.29%	339,572	12.70%	359,061	13.09%
Data Type	SSN = 77777XXXX	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
Inpatient	Age 0-2	8	0.00%	17	0.00%	25	0.00%	19	0.00%	91	0.00%
Inpatient	Age greater than 2	116	0.00%	198	0.01%	272	0.01%	503	0.02%	940	0.03%
Inpatient	Total All Ages	124	0.00%	215	0.01%	297	0.01%	522	0.02%	1,031	0.04%
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ED	777777777	740,724	11.23%	800,026	11.60%	905,155	12.47%	990,842	13.13%	1,132,509	14.06%
ED	77777XXXX	291	0.00%	253	0.00%	346	0.00%	497	0.01%	1,130	0.01%
ED	Valid SSNs	5,851,995	88.76%	6,096,617	88.40%	6,352,599	87.52%	6,557,164	86.87%	6,923,502	85.93%
ED	Grand Total Visits	6,593,010	100.00%	6,896,896	100.00%	7,258,100	100.00%	7,548,503	100.00%	8,057,141	100.00%
Data Type	Unknown SSN = 777777777	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
ED	Age 0-2	261,088	3.96%	280,749	4.07%	313,288	4.32%	340,081	4.51%	375,935	4.67%
ED	Age greater than 2	479,636	7.27%	519,277	7.53%	591,867	8.15%	650,761	8.62%	756,574	9.39%
ED	Total All Ages	740,724	11.23%	800,026	11.60%	905,155	12.47%	990,842	13.13%	1,132,509	14.06%
Data Type	SSN = 77777XXXX	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
ED	Age 0-2	38	0.00%	30	0.00%	35	0.00%	44	0.00%	71	0.00%
ED	Age greater than 2	253	0.00%	223	0.00%	311	0.00%	453	0.01%	1,059	0.01%
ED	Total All Ages	291	0.00%	253	0.00%	346	0.00%	497	0.01%	1,130	0.01%

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AMB	777777777	130,949	4.39%	149,602	5.10%	181,071	6.25%	228,748	7.89%	279,725	9.52%
AMB	77777XXXX	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
AMB	Valid SSNs	2,851,474	95.61%	2,771,579	94.56%	2,714,615	93.75%	2,670,576	92.11%	2,658,514	90.48%
AMB	Grand Total Visits	2,982,423	100.00%	2,930,972	100.00%	2,895,686	100.00%	2,899,324	100.00%	2,938,239	100.00%
Data Type	Unknown SSN = 777777777	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
AMB	Age 0-2	16,948	0.57%	16,331	0.56%	16,434	0.57%	17,666	0.61%	18,505	0.63%
AMB	Age greater than 2	114,001	3.82%	133,271	4.55%	165,637	5.72%	211,082	7.28%	261,220	8.89%
AMB	Total All Ages	130,949	4.39%	149,602	5.10%	182,071	6.29%	228,748	7.89%	279,725	9.52%
Data Type	SSN = 77777XXXX	CY 2010	% CY 2010	CY 2011	% CY 2011	CY 2012	% CY 2012	CY 2013	% CY 2013	CY 2014	% CY 2014
AMB	Age 0-2	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
AMB	Age greater than 2	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.45%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
AMB	Total All Ages	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.45%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%

The SSN is a nine digit number issued by the Social Security Administration used to facilitate retrieval of individual case records, track multiple patient discharges and for medical research. Reporting 777777777 is acceptable for those patients where efforts to obtain the SSN have been unsuccessful or the patient is under two (2) years of age and does not have a SSN or for patients who are non-U.S. citizens who have not been issued SSNs. A required entry.

77777XXXX – Use If only the last four digits of a patient’s SSN are known, report 77777XXXX where XXXX represents the last known four digits of the patient SSN.

(NOTE: This is a new format for this data element beginning first quarter 2010. Previously, reporting 000000000 was acceptable for newborns and infants up to two (2) years of age at admission who did not have an SSN. Also, reporting 777777777 had been acceptable for those patients where efforts to obtain the SSN had been unsuccessful and the patient was two (2) years of age or older and not known to be from a country other than the United States (U.S.). Previously, reporting 555555555 was acceptable for non-U.S. citizens who had not been issued SSNs.)