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### Analysis of Home Health Medicare Payment Rates in 2026 Compared to 2025 Before Application of Provider-Specific Value-Based Purchasing (VBP) Adjustment and Patient-Specific Case-Mix Weight

CBSA	CBSA Name	2025 Payment				2026 Payment				% Change
		30-Day Payment Rate	Wage Index	Sequest-ration	Adjusted Rate	30-Day Payment Rate	Wage Index	Sequest-ration	Adjusted Rate	
15980	Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9075	2%	\$ 1,876.51	\$ 2,038.22	0.9189	2%	\$ 1,876.12	0.0%
18880	Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9182	2%	\$ 1,892.67	\$ 2,038.22	0.8723	2%	\$ 1,806.40	-4.6%
19660	Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8552	2%	\$ 1,797.53	\$ 2,038.22	0.8772	2%	\$ 1,813.74	0.9%
22744	Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise, FL	\$ 2,057.35	1.0202	2%	\$ 2,046.70	\$ 2,038.22	0.9693	2%	\$ 1,951.52	-4.7%
23540	Gainesville, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9464	2%	\$ 1,935.26	\$ 2,038.22	0.8991	2%	\$ 1,846.50	-4.6%
26140	Homosassa Springs, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8581	2%	\$ 1,801.91	\$ 2,038.22	0.8569	2%	\$ 1,783.36	-1.0%
27260	Jacksonville, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8739	2%	\$ 1,825.77	\$ 2,038.22	0.8753	2%	\$ 1,810.89	-0.8%
29460	Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8492	2%	\$ 1,788.47	\$ 2,038.22	0.8715	2%	\$ 1,805.21	0.9%
33124	Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9717	2%	\$ 1,973.47	\$ 2,038.22	0.9669	2%	\$ 1,947.94	-1.3%
34940	Naples-Marco Island, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8832	2%	\$ 1,839.81	\$ 2,038.22	0.9223	2%	\$ 1,881.21	2.3%
35840	North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9375	2%	\$ 1,921.82	\$ 2,038.22	0.9439	2%	\$ 1,913.52	-0.4%
36100	Ocala, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8877	2%	\$ 1,846.61	\$ 2,038.22	0.8715	2%	\$ 1,805.21	-2.2%
36740	Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9613	2%	\$ 1,957.76	\$ 2,038.22	0.9674	2%	\$ 1,948.68	-0.5%
37340	Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8723	2%	\$ 1,823.36	\$ 2,038.22	0.9484	2%	\$ 1,920.25	5.3%
37460	Panama City-Panama City Beach, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9019	2%	\$ 1,868.06	\$ 2,038.22	0.8568	2%	\$ 1,783.21	-4.5%
37860	Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.7992	2%	\$ 1,712.96	\$ 2,038.22	0.8065	2%	\$ 1,707.95	-0.3%
38940	Port St. Lucie, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9130	2%	\$ 1,884.81	\$ 2,038.22	0.9145	2%	\$ 1,869.54	-0.8%
39460	Punta Gorda, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8931	2%	\$ 1,854.77	\$ 2,038.22	0.8793	2%	\$ 1,816.87	-2.0%
41304	St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8895	2%	\$ 1,849.33	\$ 2,038.22	0.8805	2%	\$ 1,818.66	-1.7%
42680	Sebastian-Vero Beach-West Vero Corridor, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8470	2%	\$ 1,785.15	\$ 2,038.22	1.0152	2%	\$ 2,020.19	13.2%
42700	Sebring, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8884	2%	\$ 1,847.66	\$ 2,038.22	0.9382	2%	\$ 1,904.99	3.1%
45220	Tallahassee, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.7605	2%	\$ 1,654.52	\$ 2,038.22	0.7398	2%	\$ 1,608.17	-2.8%
45294	Tampa, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.8986	2%	\$ 1,863.07	\$ 2,038.22	0.8981	2%	\$ 1,845.00	-1.0%
48424	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.9024	2%	\$ 1,868.81	\$ 2,038.22	0.9189	2%	\$ 1,876.12	0.4%
48680	Wildwood-The Villages, FL	\$ 2,057.35	0.7172	2%	\$ 1,589.13	\$ 2,038.22	0.9601	2%	\$ 1,937.75	21.9%
99910	Rural Florida	\$ 2,057.35	0.8523	2%	\$ 1,793.16	\$ 2,038.22	0.8363	2%	\$ 1,752.54	-2.3%

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