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Analysis of *Proposed* Hospice Medicare Payment Rates in 2027 Compared to 2026, After Reduction for Sequestration

CBSA	CBSA Name	2026 Payment						2027 <i>Proposed</i> Payment						Wage Index % Change	Average Rate % Change
		Routine High Rate	Routine Low Rate	Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	Inpatient Respite Care	General Inpatient Care	Wage Index	Routine High Rate	Routine Low Rate	Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	Inpatient Respite Care	General Inpatient Care	Wage Index		
10540	Albany, OR	\$ 232.92	\$ 183.58	\$ 70.68	\$ 536.12	\$1,209.39	1.0449	\$ 239.11	\$ 188.54	\$ 73.09	\$ 551.08	\$1,244.57	1.0476	0.3%	2.9%
13460	Bend, OR	\$ 254.95	\$ 200.95	\$ 78.26	\$ 583.11	\$1,319.60	1.1925	\$ 267.33	\$ 210.79	\$ 82.87	\$ 611.32	\$1,386.03	1.2320	3.3%	5.0%
18700	Corvallis, OR	\$ 240.59	\$ 189.63	\$ 73.32	\$ 552.48	\$1,247.77	1.0963	\$ 247.22	\$ 194.94	\$ 75.90	\$ 568.39	\$1,285.23	1.1006	0.4%	2.9%
21660	Eugene-Springfield, OR	\$ 256.06	\$ 201.83	\$ 78.64	\$ 585.46	\$1,325.12	1.1999	\$ 257.50	\$ 203.04	\$ 79.46	\$ 590.35	\$1,336.78	1.1678	-2.7%	0.8%
24420	Grants Pass, OR	\$ 269.57	\$ 212.48	\$ 83.30	\$ 614.27	\$1,392.70	1.2904	\$ 266.39	\$ 210.05	\$ 82.55	\$ 609.33	\$1,381.35	1.2259	-5.0%	-0.9%
32780	Medford, OR	\$ 262.73	\$ 207.09	\$ 80.94	\$ 599.69	\$1,358.50	1.2446	\$ 259.74	\$ 204.81	\$ 80.24	\$ 595.12	\$1,347.98	1.1824	-5.0%	-0.8%
38900	Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	\$ 252.83	\$ 199.28	\$ 77.53	\$ 578.59	\$1,308.99	1.1783	\$ 255.19	\$ 201.22	\$ 78.66	\$ 585.41	\$1,325.19	1.1527	-2.2%	1.2%
41420	Salem, OR	\$ 242.92	\$ 191.47	\$ 74.12	\$ 557.45	\$1,259.42	1.1119	\$ 249.53	\$ 196.76	\$ 76.70	\$ 573.33	\$1,296.81	1.1157	0.3%	2.9%
99938	Rural Oregon	\$ 229.33	\$ 180.76	\$ 69.44	\$ 528.48	\$1,191.47	1.0209	\$ 236.22	\$ 186.26	\$ 72.08	\$ 544.91	\$1,230.07	1.0287	0.8%	3.2%

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