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

CBSA	CBSA Name	2026 Payment: Routine High Rate	Routine Low Rate	Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	Inpatient Respite Care	General Inpatient Care	*Wage Index*	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: Routine High Rate	Routine Low Rate	Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	Inpatient Respite Care	General Inpatient Care	*Wage Index*	*Wage Index % Change*	*Average Rate % Change*
21420	Enid, OK	$ 202.70	$ 159.77	$ 60.27	$ 471.70	$1,058.26	*0.8425*	$ 206.90	$ 163.13	$ 61.93	$ 482.28	$1,083.06	*0.8383*	*-0.5%*	*2.3%*
22900	Fort Smith, AR-OK	$ 214.48	$ 169.05	$ 64.33	$ 496.81	$1,117.17	*0.9214*	$ 212.56	$ 167.59	$ 63.89	$ 494.36	$1,111.42	*0.8753*	*-5.0%*	*-0.6%*
30020	Lawton, OK	$ 195.04	$ 153.73	$ 57.63	$ 455.37	$1,019.96	*0.7912*	$ 199.60	$ 157.37	$ 59.39	$ 466.68	$1,046.43	*0.7905*	*-0.1%*	*2.5%*
36420	Oklahoma City, OK	$ 207.12	$ 163.25	$ 61.79	$ 481.12	$1,080.36	*0.8721*	$ 215.85	$ 170.18	$ 65.03	$ 501.38	$1,127.90	*0.8968*	*2.8%*	*4.3%*
46140	Tulsa, OK	$ 203.04	$ 160.04	$ 60.39	$ 472.43	$1,059.98	*0.8448*	$ 205.36	$ 161.92	$ 61.39	$ 478.99	$1,075.32	*0.8282*	*-2.0%*	*1.4%*
99937	Rural Oklahoma	$ 196.88	$ 155.18	$ 58.26	$ 459.28	$1,029.14	*0.8035*	$ 202.24	$ 159.46	$ 60.31	$ 472.33	$1,059.69	*0.8078*	*0.5%*	*2.9%*

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