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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	2026 Payment: Routine Low Rate	2026 Payment: Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	2026 Payment: Inpatient Respite Care	2026 Payment: General Inpatient Care	2026 Payment: *Wage Index*	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: Routine High Rate	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: Routine Low Rate	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: Continuous Home Care (Hourly)	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: Inpatient Respite Care	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: General Inpatient Care	2027 *Final Corrected* Payment: *Wage Index*	*Wage Index % Change*	*Average Rate % Change*
39660	Rapid City, SD	$ 208.94	$ 164.69	$ 62.42	$ 485.00	$1,089.47	*0.8843*	$ 212.58	$ 167.60	$ 63.89	$ 494.39	$1,111.50	*0.8754*	*-1.0%*	*2.0%*
43580	Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	$ 206.16	$ 162.50	$ 61.46	$ 479.08	$1,075.58	*0.8657*	$ 207.42	$ 163.54	$ 62.11	$ 483.39	$1,085.67	*0.8417*	*-2.8%*	*0.9%*
43620	Sioux Falls, SD-MN	$ 196.35	$ 154.77	$ 58.08	$ 458.17	$1,026.53	*0.8000*	$ 202.88	$ 159.96	$ 60.53	$ 473.70	$1,062.91	*0.8120*	*1.5%*	*3.5%*
99943	Rural South Dakota	$ 199.00	$ 156.85	$ 58.99	$ 463.80	$1,039.74	*0.8177*	$ 201.05	$ 158.52	$ 59.90	$ 469.78	$1,053.71	*0.8000*	*-2.2%*	*1.3%*

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