

**WEST VIRGINIA HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY**

100 Dee Drive  
Charleston, WV 25311

**REQUEST FOR HOSPITAL INPATIENT UNIFORM BILLING DATA**

*Note: Omissions or misrepresentation regarding intended use of the data may result in denial of this and future requests.*

**IDENTIFICATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
 Billing Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

PURPOSE  A. Consulting  CON  Rate  Other  
 B. Research (Attach Protocol)  Student  School \_\_\_\_\_  
 C. Other \_\_\_\_\_

INTENT TO DISCLOSE  
 Resell/Publish Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Third Party Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

A third party is any entity other than the submitor, including vendors, contractors, and consultants.

**DESCRIPTION OF AVAILABLE DATA**

**DATA FIELDS:** The following fields are available without restriction

1	Admission date	16	MDC
2	Birth month	17	Refined MDC
3	Bill Type	18	Primary Payor**
4	County of Residence	18	Principal Diagnosis
5	DRG/MSDRG	20	Principal Procedure
6	DRG/MSDRG Version	21	Patient Discharge Status
7	DRG/MSDRG -Refined *	22	Revenue Codes (45)
8	DRG/MSDRG Relative Weight	23	Revenue Units (45)
9	Discharge date	24	Revenue Charges (45)
10	E-Code	25	Secondary Diagnoses
11	FEIN	26	Secondary Procedures
12	HMO Indicator	27	Source of Admission
13	HCA Hospital ID	28	State of Residence
14	Hospital Medicare Provider numbers	29	Service (Acute, Rehab, LTC, State Psych)
15	Length of Stay in Days	30	Total Charges

Age (31), sex (32) and zipcode(33) are protected. Age is typically reported in cohorts such as 0-14, 15-44, 45-64-, 65+; otherwise it, sex and zipcode are released only when minimum cell size is 30 or greater; other instances are suppressed. Data otherwise suppressed may be made available for research under special agreement.

• APS through 2006, APR 2007- present

\*\*See next page for standard groupings

## PAYOR GROUPINGS

The three most common payor groupings are shown below; others may be requested.

I	Medicare	Medicaid	PEIA	All Other	II	Medicare	Medicaid	PEIA	Non-Govt	All Other
III	Medicare	Medicaid	PEIA	Workers'Comp	Commercial	Other State Govt	Other States' Govt			
	Other Fed Govt	Nonprofit		Employer/Union	Charity/Self Pay	All Other				

## AGGREGATED DATASETS

Four subsets of the statewide UB database have been created annually since 1990. All four files are aggregated after sorting on discharges, days of stay, total charges, and DRG or MSDRG caseweight. Files PTDRG and PTZIP for 2007 data are split by grouper version 24 (DRG) and 25 (MSDRG). Available in SAS or text delimited format.

- PTDRG** Data are sorted by hospital by state by county by four payor groups (Medicare, Medicaid, PEIA, Other) and DRG, then aggregated into four age cohorts ( 0-14, 15-44, 45-64, 65 and over); the number of discharges in each cohort is reported with no restriction on minimum cell size.
- PTPC** Data are sorted by hospital by state by county by four payor groups by principal procedure; the total number of discharges for each procedure is reported with no restriction on minimum cell size.
- PTDX** Data are sorted by hospital by state by county by four payor groups by principal diagnosis; the total number of discharges for each diagnosis is reported with no restriction on minimum cell size.
- PTZIP** Zipcodes with fewer than 30 discharges are set to blanks. Data are then sorted by hospital by state by county by zip by four payor groups by drg by into four age cohorts ( 0-14, 15-44, 45-64, 65 and over); the total number of discharges for each procedure is reported with no restriction on minimum cell size.

## STANDARD REPORTS

These reports include acute care data only, excluding state psychiatric hospitals, rehab hospitals and units, and long-term care units of hospitals including swing beds.

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| Patient Origin          | Discharges by hospital by state and county of residence          |
| Cardiac Catheterization | Procedures and discharges by procedure by hospital and by county |
| Open-heart Surgery      | Procedures by hospital and by state and county of residence      |

