## BKD/SHP Benchmark Leaders: Analyzing Cost Trends



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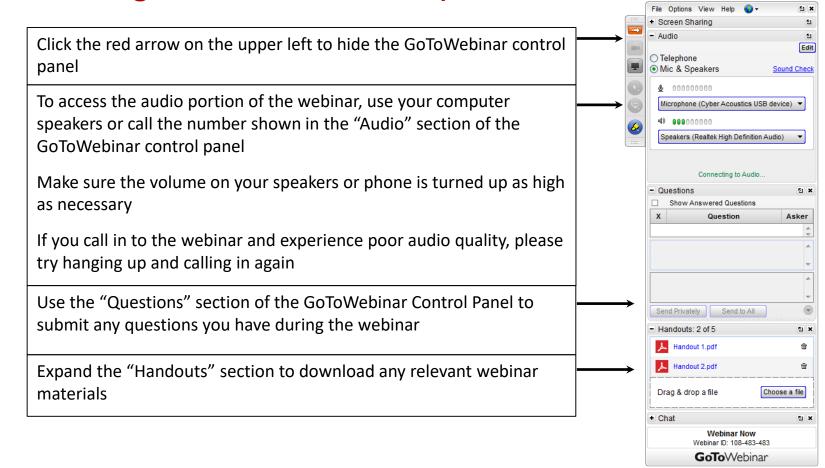




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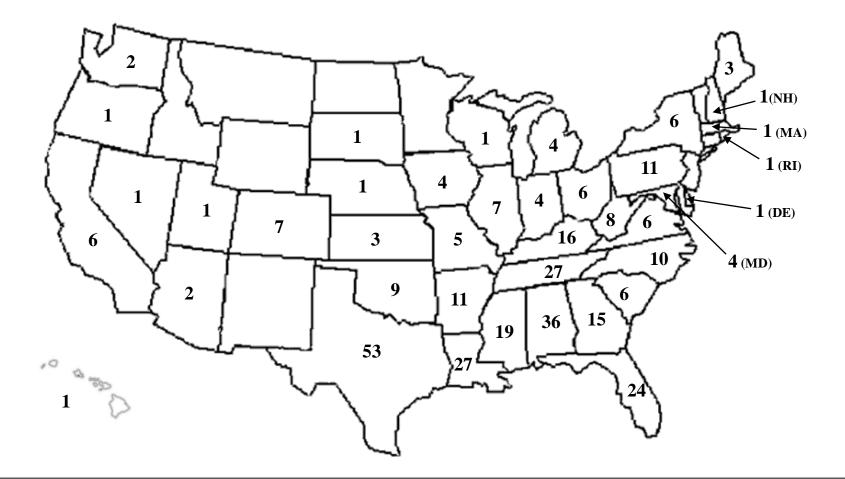


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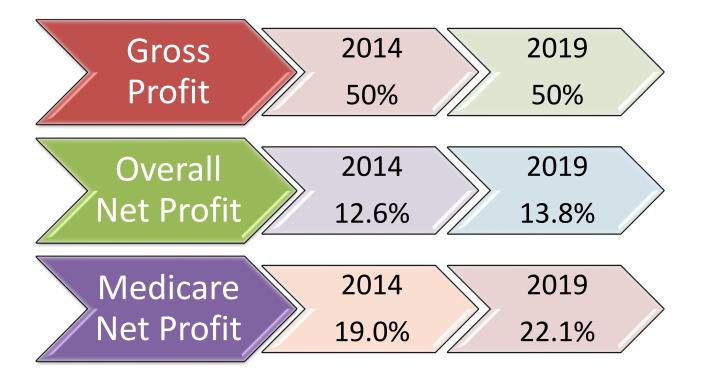
### **BKD Home Health Benchmarks**

	Total Database 2014 2019		BKD/SHP Leaders 2014 2019	
Total Agencies	9,823	8,215	215	352
Freestanding	89%	91%	90%	95%
Provider-Based	11%	9%	10%	5%
Urban	80%	80%	62%	64%
Rural	20%	20%	38%	36%
Median Revenue Size	\$1.4M	\$1.9M	\$3.5M	\$4.7M
Median Medicare Mix	80%	73%	72%	69%

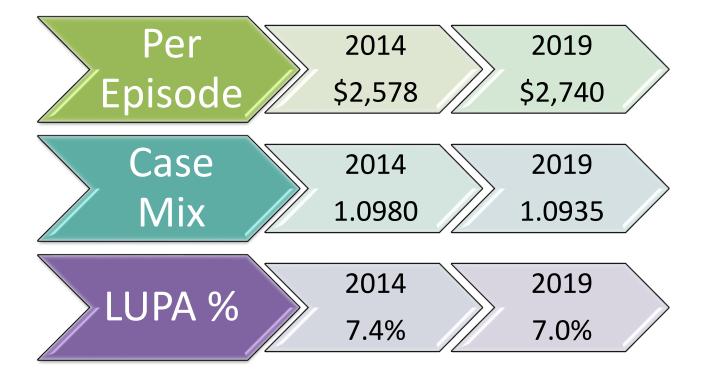
### Location of BKD/SHP Benchmark Leaders



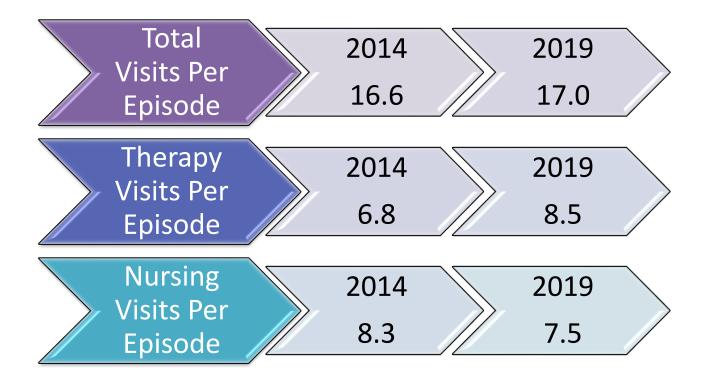
### **Profit Margins**



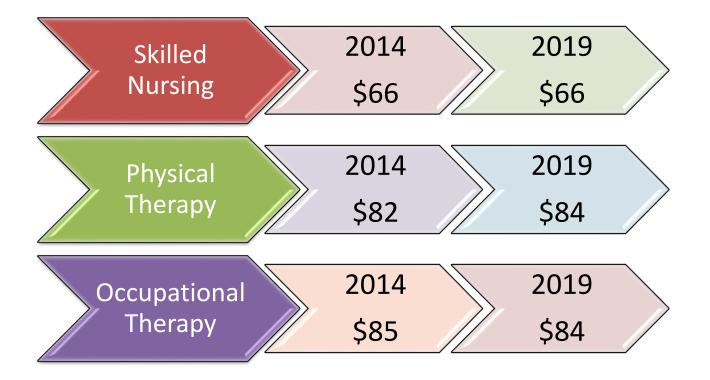
### **Medicare Payments**



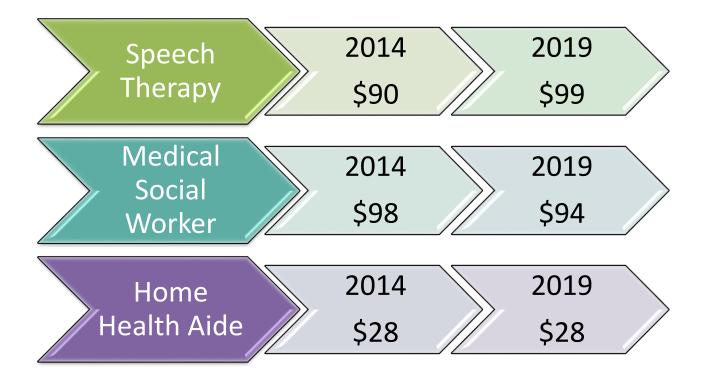
### Utilization



### **Direct Cost Per Visit**



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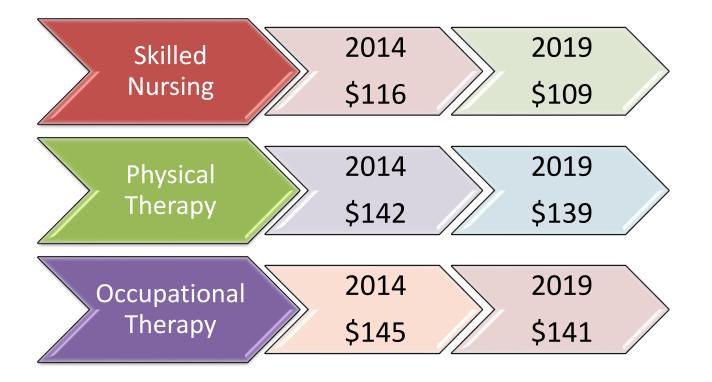


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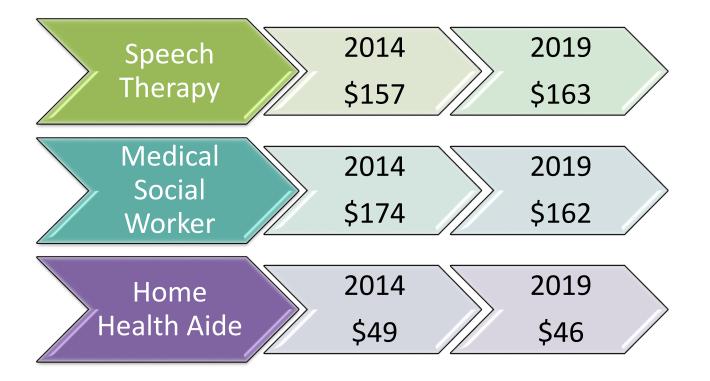
	<u>Benchma</u>	Benchmark Leaders		<u>All Others</u>	
	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	
Nursing	\$66	\$56	\$72	\$52	
PT	84	78	86	73	
OT	84	78	83	67	



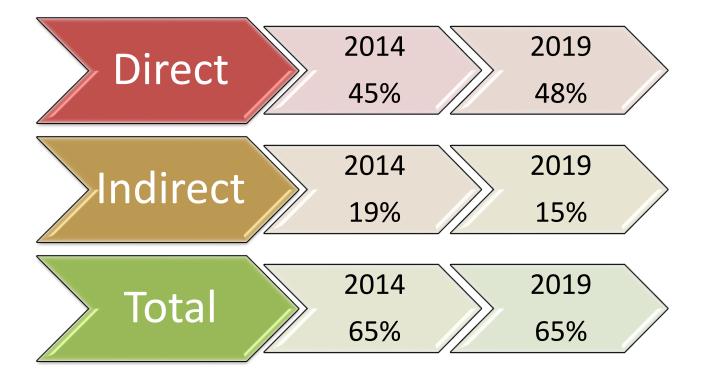
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### Labor Costs as a % of Revenue

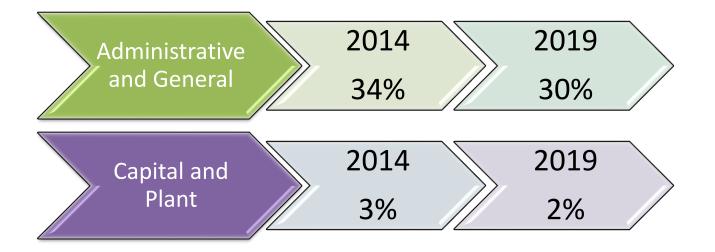


### Direct Costs as a % of Revenue

	<u>Benchma</u>	Benchmark Leaders		All Others	
	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	
Direct labor	48%	43%	48%	37%	
Transportation	2.6%	1.8%	2.9%	1.3%	

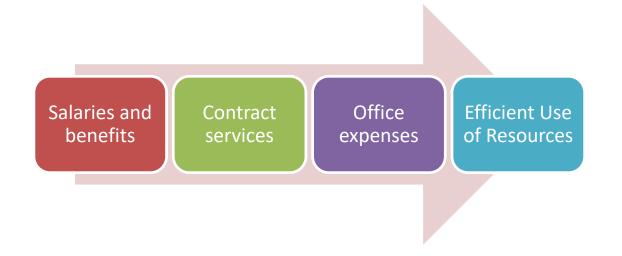
Labor	<ul> <li>Compensation approach</li> <li>Productivity</li> <li>Benefits package</li> <li>Contract rates</li> </ul>
Travel	<ul> <li>Mileage, zone payment or fleet</li> <li>GPS technology</li> <li>Market appropriate</li> </ul>

### Indirect Costs as a % of Revenue



### Administrative Costs as a % of Revenue

	<u>Benchma</u>	Benchmark Leaders		All Others	
	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Best 25%</u>	
Admin labor costs	15%	11%	25%	16%	
Total admin costs	30%	21%	39%	30%	



### **Hours Per Visit**



### Summary

# // Trends of top performers are both expected and surprising

- // Margins improving significantly
- // Payment per episode increased
- // Visits per episode increased slightly, but reflecting a slightly
  changing service mix
- // Direct cost per visit has stayed relatively flat
- // Total cost per visit is decreasing
- // Indirect costs decreasing
- // Productivity improving





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