

Considerations

Medicare Reference Based Pricing

- County and DOI information is based on 2018 claims in the CO APCD, and trend information compares 2017 to 2018 results by hospital.
- Data represents hospital-based claims for the majority of fully insured and small group covered lives in Colorado, and approximately 25% of self-insured covered lives (see [CO APCD Insights Dashboard](#) for more information).
- % Medicare payments reflect the percent above or below Medicare Fee-for-Service payments (equal to 100%) that were paid by commercial health insurance companies and patients.