

Table 49 - CY2010 Total Allowed Charge Impact for Work, Practice Expense, and Malpractice Changes

Specialty	Combined Impact (%)	Specialty	Combined Impact (%)
Allergy/Immunology	0	Otolaryngology	-2
Anesthesiology	0	Pathology	-1
Cardiac Surgery	1	Pediatrics	2
Cardiology	-8	Physical Medicine	1
Colon and Rectal Surgery	1	Plastic Surgery	2
Critical Care	1	Psychiatry	2
Dermatology	3	Pulmonary Disease	0
Emergency Medicine	1	Radiation Oncology	-1
Endocrinology	0	Radiology	-5
Family Practice	4	Rheumatology	-1
Gastroenterology	-1	Thoracic Surgery	1
General Practice	3	Urology	-4
General Surgery	1	Vascular Surgery	-2
Geriatrics	3	Audiology	-17
Hand Surgery	-1	Chiropractor	2
Hematology/Oncology	-1	Clinical Psychologist	-2
Infectious Disease	0	Clinical Social Worker	-1
Internal Medicine	2	Nurse Anesthetist	1
Interventional Pain Management	-3	Nurse Practitioner	3
Interventional Radiology	-3	Optometry	5
Nephrology	1	Oral/Maxillofacial Surgery	0
Neurology	-2	Physical/Occupational Therapy	2
Neurosurgery	-1	Physician Assistant	2
Nuclear Medicine	-18	Podiatry	2
Obstetrics/Gynecology	-1	Diagnostic Testing Facility	-12
Ophthalmology	5	Independent Laboratory	-1
Orthopaedic Surgery	0	Portable X-Ray Supplier	2

"Tran" - transitional impact reported.

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