Comparison of Hospitals and Records in the 2015 HCUP State Emergency Department Databases (SEDD) to the 2015 American Hospital Association (AHA) Survey of Hospitals

State	SEDD ED Treat-and-Release Visits (Includes only ED visits that do not result in admission to the same hospital)			SEDD Hospital Counts			AHA Counts for Community, Nonrehabilation Hospitals[1] (Hospital reported ED visits for the year to the AHA)				AHA All ED Visits (Includes ED visits that result and do not result in admission to the same hospital)			
	Total number of SEDD discharges	Number of SEDD discharges in community, nonrehabiliation hospitals[1]	Number of SEDD discharges from other types of hospitals[2]	Total number of hospitals (DSHOSPID)[3]	Number of hospitals (DSHOSID) that **can** be linked to the AHA Survey of Hospitals	Number of hospitals (DSHOSPID) that **cannot** be linked to the AHA Survey of Hospitals	Total number of hospitals (AHA ID) in the State[4]	Number of hospitals (AHA ID) included in the SEDD	Number of hospitals (AHA ID) not included in the SEDD	Percentage of total hospitals (AHA ID) that are not included in the SEDD	Total number of AHA ED visits in the State	Number of AHA ED visits for hospitals included in the SEDD	Number of AHA ED visits for hospitals not included in the SEDD	Percentage of total AHA ED visits for hospitals that are not included in the SEDD
AR	1,208,523	1,208,523	0	74	74	0	73	71	2	2.7%	1,528,564	1,519,344	9,220	0.6%
AZ	2,388,139	2,302,378	18,638	68	66	2	64	61	3	4.7%	2,406,442	2,384,309	22,133	0.9%
FL	8,492,210	8,445,122	26,877	212	212	0	183	182	1	0.5%	9,380,737	9,377,942	2,795	0.0%
GA	4,113,664	4,105,272	8,392	134	134	0	132	129	3	2.3%	4,595,973	4,566,107	29,866	0.6%
HI	443,911	437,239	6,672	23	23	0	21	21	0	0.0%	504,640	504,640	0	0.0%
IA	1,109,632	1,109,632	0	118	118	0	117	117	0	0.0%	1,402,899	1,402,899	0	0.0%
KY	2,265,595	2,107,830	5,153	100	100	0	97	96	1	1.0%	2,565,844	2,563,063	2,781	0.1%
MA	2,478,359	2,478,359	0	65	65	0	60	59	1	1.7%	3,327,501	3,327,500	1	0.0%
MD	2,238,594	2,158,864	1	48	48	0	47	46	1	2.1%	2,556,172	2,548,418	7,754	0.3%
ME	593,237	573,663	1,757	35	35	0	33	33	0	0.0%	976,038	976,038	0	0.0%
MN	1,673,633	1,672,395	1,238	128	128	0	127	126	1	0.8%	2,028,135	2,026,716	1,419	0.1%
NC	4,309,881	4,183,926	53,028	113	111	2	102	101	1	1.0%	4,934,156	4,931,532	2,624	0.1%
NE	494,370	494,370	0	85	85	0	89	84	5	5.6%	763,134	742,526	20,608	2.7%
NJ	3,224,918	3,166,510	8,133	73	73	0	64	62	2	3.1%	3,643,181	3,578,669	64,512	1.8%
NV	991,362	991,360	2	33	33	0	32	32	0	0.0%	1,029,992	1,029,992	0	0.0%
NY	6,983,956	6,829,937	14,419	192	191	1	161	161	0	0.0%	8,857,125	8,857,125	0	0.0%
RI	431,737	425,409	6,314	12	12	0	11	11	0	0.0%	557,462	557,462	0	0.0%
SC	2,213,504	2,191,775	21,725	61	61	0	57	56	1	1.8%	2,525,208	2,506,300	18,908	0.7%
UT	738,226	738,226	0	48	48	0	45	45	0	0.0%	1,089,309	1,089,309	0	0.0%
VT	243,166	243,166	0	14	14	0	14	14	0	0.0%	333,541	333,541	0	0.0%
WI	1,898,129	1,885,488	12,604	127	127	0	124	123	1	0.8%	2,518,864	2,424,454	94,410	3.7%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Center for Delivery, Organization, and Markets, Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP), State Emergency Department Databases (SEDD) and American Hospital Association (AHA) Survey of Hospitals, 2015.

Note: This table was created on Febrary 22, 2018. SEDD were not available (NA) from some States. In addition, any SEDD updated after the creation date will not be reflected in this table.

[1] The AHA defines community hospitals as "all non-Federal, short-term, general, and other specialty hospitals." Included among community hospitals are specialty hospitals such as obstetrics-gynecology, ear-nose-throat, orthopedic, short-term rehabilitation hospitals and pediatric institutions. Also included are public hospitals and academic medical centers. The comparison is focused on community, nonrehabiliation hospitals because those are the types of hospitals consistently reported to HCUP.

[2] Other types of hospitals include noncommunity hospitals, rehabilitation hospitals, and hospitals reported by the State that cannot be linked to the AHA Survey. The types of other hospitals included in the SEDD vary greatly across States.

[3] The HCUP data element DSHOSPID contains the State-specific hospital identifier and is used to count the number of hospitals identified by the State.

[4] In the AHA survey, hospitals located at different sites may report as one single entity for various reasons.