

**TABLE B8 - MEDICARE: NUMBER OF SERVICES BULK BILLED ONLY ('000)
BY QUARTER AND FINANCIAL YEAR OF PROCESSING
BY BROAD TYPE OF SERVICE**

Year/Qtr	ATTENDANCES GENERAL PRACTITIONER			Total	PRACTICE NURSE	TOTAL	SPECIAL- OBSTETR-ANAESTH-			PATHOL- OGY	DIAG- NOSTIC IMAGING	OPERAT- IONS	OPTOM- ENTRY	OTHER	TOTAL
	GP/VRGP	PRI CARE	OTHER				IST	ICS	ETICS						
1984/1985	N.A.	N.A.	34,034	34,034	N.A.	34,034	2,353	94	58	9,672	1,740	882	1,014	1,181	51,028
1985/1986	N.A.	N.A.	38,274	38,274	N.A.	38,274	2,737	113	70	11,564	2,279	1,149	1,246	1,468	58,900
1986/1987	N.A.	N.A.	42,898	42,898	N.A.	42,898	3,049	126	80	13,811	2,773	1,411	1,475	998	66,620
1987/1988	N.A.	N.A.	46,951	46,951	N.A.	46,951	2,924	124	78	15,669	2,322	1,143	1,557	860	71,630
1988/1989	N.A.	N.A.	51,777	51,777	N.A.	51,777	3,185	130	82	17,324	2,667	1,226	1,735	1,013	79,139
1989/1990	8,911	N.A.	48,406	57,316	N.A.	57,316	3,514	140	91	15,366	3,202	1,441	1,975	1,170	84,215
1990/1991	23,938	N.A.	35,673	59,610	N.A.	59,610	3,795	154	94	16,449	3,795	1,689	2,216	1,305	89,107
1991/1992	35,314	N.A.	28,618	63,932	N.A.	63,932	4,258	177	102	19,986	4,138	1,858	2,435	1,391	98,277
1992/1993	51,427	N.A.	17,660	69,088	N.A.	69,088	4,713	201	114	26,937	4,720	2,042	2,710	1,521	112,045
1993/1994	62,316	N.A.	12,092	74,408	N.A.	74,408	5,276	233	126	30,698	5,267	2,095	2,892	1,703	122,697
1994/1995	65,947	N.A.	11,341	77,288	N.A.	77,288	5,555	271	142	34,838	5,699	2,165	3,056	1,821	130,835
1995/1996	71,046	N.A.	10,812	81,858	N.A.	81,858	5,861	339	161	37,012	6,373	2,339	3,362	1,996	139,301
1996/1997	71,391	N.A.	11,206	82,596	N.A.	82,596	5,887	372	178	39,138	6,503	2,412	3,519	2,086	142,691
1997/1998	71,414	N.A.	10,907	82,321	N.A.	82,321	5,813	373	179	41,395	6,876	2,390	3,601	2,201	145,149
1998/1999	71,398	N.A.	10,055	81,453	N.A.	81,453	5,923	385	194	44,824	7,391	2,425	3,727	2,299	148,622
1999/2000	70,801	61	9,416	80,278	N.A.	80,278	5,993	367	205	48,344	7,539	2,504	3,911	2,378	151,518
2000/2001	69,891	156	8,091	78,139	N.A.	78,139	5,936	335	211	51,566	7,512	2,490	4,083	2,450	152,722
2001/2002	68,085	441	6,349	74,874	N.A.	74,874	5,839	298	183	57,068	7,704	2,532	4,250	2,606	155,354
2002/2003	61,718	423	5,196	67,338	N.A.	67,338	5,595	280	177	59,220	7,863	2,542	4,412	2,662	150,089
2003/2004	60,923	454	4,360	65,738	1,071	66,808	5,430	290	178	62,242	7,787	2,708	4,626	2,756	152,826
2004/2005	67,240	694	3,932	71,866	2,556	74,422	5,463	313	179	66,097	8,396	2,988	4,942	3,163	165,964
2005/2006	70,992	1,555	3,861	76,408	3,049	79,457	5,527	335	175	71,061	8,982	3,086	5,087	3,537	177,247
2006/2007	73,660	2,591	3,805	80,056	3,483	83,539	5,584	410	178	75,852	9,558	3,117	5,300	4,374	187,911
2007/2008	78,338	3,705	3,887	85,930	4,956	90,887	5,688	451	181	82,423	10,441	3,185	5,517	5,778	204,552
2006															
SEP	19,517	503	1,021	21,040	621	21,661	1,451	99	47	18,767	2,413	764	1,329	1,060	47,591
DEC	17,628	607	922	19,157	600	19,757	1,401	97	44	18,339	2,306	780	1,262	1,039	45,026
2007															
MAR	17,819	712	911	19,441	1,022	20,463	1,326	107	44	19,304	2,397	804	1,387	1,075	46,907
JUN	18,697	769	951	20,418	1,240	21,658	1,405	106	43	19,442	2,442	768	1,323	1,200	48,387
SEP	20,642	836	1,049	22,526	914	23,440	1,448	110	48	20,125	2,584	767	1,354	1,313	51,188
DEC	18,833	883	940	20,656	912	21,569	1,436	107	45	20,716	2,565	812	1,351	1,343	49,944
2008															
MAR	18,262	961	906	20,129	1,256	21,385	1,310	113	41	19,900	2,487	784	1,380	1,346	48,746
JUN	20,602	1,025	993	22,619	1,874	24,493	1,494	121	47	21,683	2,805	823	1,433	1,776	54,674
SEP	20,846	1,124	1,041	23,012	916	23,928	1,466	124	46	21,238	2,809	789	1,411	1,920	53,731

**TABLE B8 - MEDICARE: NUMBER OF SERVICES PER CAPITA BULK BILLED ONLY
BY FINANCIAL YEAR OF PROCESSING
BY BROAD TYPE OF SERVICE**

YEAR	ATTENDANCES GENERAL PRACTITIONER				NURSE TOTAL	DIAG- NOSTIC OPERAT- OPTOM- IMAGING IONS ETRY OTHER									TOTAL
	GP/VRGP	ENHANCED PRI CARE	OTHER	Total		SPECIAL- IST	OBSTETR- ICS	ANAESTH- ETICS	PATHOL- OGY	OPERAT- IONS	OPTOM- ETRY	OTHER			
1984/1985	N.A	N.A	2.2	2.2	N.A	2.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.2
1985/1986	N.A	N.A	2.4	2.4	N.A	2.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.7
1986/1987	N.A	N.A	2.6	2.6	N.A	2.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.1
1987/1988	N.A	N.A	2.8	2.8	N.A	2.8	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.3
1988/1989	N.A	N.A	3.1	3.1	N.A	3.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.7
1989/1990	0.5	N.A	2.8	2.8	N.A	3.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.9
1990/1991	1.4	N.A	2.1	2.1	N.A	3.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	5.2
1991/1992	2.0	N.A	1.6	1.6	N.A	3.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	5.6
1992/1993	2.9	N.A	1.0	1.0	N.A	3.9	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	6.3
1993/1994	3.5	N.A	0.7	0.7	N.A	4.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	6.9
1994/1995	3.7	N.A	0.6	0.6	N.A	4.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.2
1995/1996	3.9	N.A	0.6	0.6	N.A	4.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.6
1996/1997	3.9	N.A	0.6	0.6	N.A	4.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.7
1997/1998	3.8	N.A	0.6	0.6	N.A	4.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.8
1998/1999	3.8	N.A	0.5	0.5	N.A	4.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.9
1999/2000	3.7	0.0	0.5	0.5	N.A	4.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.5	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.9
2000/2001	3.6	0.0	0.4	0.4	N.A	4.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.7	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.9
2001/2002	3.5	0.0	0.3	3.8	N.A	3.8	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.9	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.9
2002/2003	3.1	0.0	0.3	3.4	N.A	3.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.0	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.5
2003/2004	3.0	0.0	0.2	3.3	0.1	3.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.1	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	7.6
2004/2005	3.3	0.0	0.2	3.5	0.1	3.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	8.1
2005/2006	3.4	0.1	0.2	3.7	0.2	3.8	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	8.6
2006/2007	3.5	0.1	0.2	3.8	0.2	4.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	8.9
2007/2008	3.7	0.2	0.2	4.0	0.2	4.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	3.9	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.3	9.6