



2008 Cardiac Catheterization Survey

Part A : General Information

1. Identification

UID:HOSP611

Facility Name: Northeast Georgia Medical Center

County: Hall

Street Address: 743 Spring Street NE

City: Gainesville

Zip: 30501-3899

Mailing Address: 743 Spring Street NE

Mailing City: Gainesville

Mailing Zip: 30501-3899

Medicare Provider Number: 11029

Medicaid Provider Number: 00000888

2. Report Period

Report Data for the full twelve month period, January 1, 2008 - December 31, 2008 (365 days).

Do not use a different report period.

Check the box to the right if your facility was **not** operational for the entire year.

If your facility was **not** operational for the entire year, provide the dates the facility was operational.

Part B : Survey Contact Information

Person authorized to respond to inquiries about the responses to this survey.

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Part C : Catheterization Services Utilization

1A. Number of Cardiac Catheterization Services Labs or Rooms

Please report the total number of Cardiac Catheterization services labs or rooms. Include all labs or rooms that are authorized to provide cardiac catheterizations pursuant to Rule 111-2-2-21. Include both general purpose and dedicated rooms or labs.

1B. Room Details

Please provide details on each of the labs or rooms reported in 1A above. Report each lab or room on a separate row. The name of the lab or room should be the name used in your facility.

Room Name	Operational Date	Dedicated Room?	# Cath Procedures	If Dedicated What Type?
Philips Allura	2/1/2002	No	1,552	
Philips Biplane	8/1/2006	No	1,375	
Philips Integris	1/1/2003	No	1,141	
Siemens Artis Stereotaxis	8/1/2005	No	2	

1C. Other Rooms

If your facility has other rooms that are equipped and capable of performing a cardiac catheterization (other than what is preorted in Part C, Q1 A and B above) please indicate the number of those other rooms below.

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2. Cardiac Catheterization by Procedure Type

Report by age and procedure type the total number of cardiac catheterization procedures performed during the report year in the cardiac catheterization rooms reported in question #1 above. Report actual cardiac cath procedures performed by the categories provided. Do not report cardiac catheterization sessions, but the procedures. Please refer to the definitions of procedure and session in the instructions.

2A. Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterizations

Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterizations	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
PCI balloon angioplasty procedures	0	106	106
PCI procedures utilizing drug eluting stent	0	578	578
PCI procedures utilizing non drug eluting stent	0	292	292
Rotational Atherectomy	0	1	1
Directional Atherectomy	0	0	0
Laser Atherectomy	0	2	2
Excisional Atherectomy	0	0	0
Use of Cutting Balloon	0	27	27
Closure or patent ductus areriosus > 28 days, by card. cath.	0	0	0
Closure or patent ductus arteriosus < 28 days, by card. cath.	0	0	0
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Total	0	1,006	1,006

2B.1 Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations

Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
Left Heart Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	2,967	2,967
Right Heart Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	230	230
Total Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterization Procedures	0	3,197	3,197
Grand Total (All Cardiac Catheterization Procedures)	0	4,203	4,203

2B.2 Left Heart Cardiac Catheterization Details

Report the number of diagnostic left heart cardiac catheterizations that were not followed by a therapeutic cardiac cath procedure and then provide the number that were followed by PCI in the same sitting.

Left Heart Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterization Details	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
Left Heart Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Only (without PCI)	0	2,134	2,134
Left Heart Diagnostic Cardiac Cath Followed by PCI	0	833	833

2C. Peripheral Catheterization by Patient Type

Report the total number of peripheral catheterization procedures.

Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
0	1,258	1,258

2D. Major Coronary Circulation Vessels Treated per Patient

Report the number of major coronary circulation vessels treated per patient by therapeutic cardiac catheterizations.

PCI Type	1 Vessel	2 Vessels	3 Vessels	4 Vessels	Total
PCI balloon angioplasty and/or stent	860	31	1	0	892
All other types of PCI (e.g. laser, etc.)	1	1	0	0	2
Total	861	32	1	0	894

2E. Cardiac Catheterization Sessions

Report by patient type and procedure type the total number of inpatient and outpatient cardiac catheterization sessions performed during the report year.

Cardiac Catheterizations by Patient Type	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
Inpatient Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	1,807	1,807
Outpatient Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	1,328	1,328
Inpatient Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	899	899
Outpatient Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterizations	0	80	80
Total	0	4,114	4,114

3A. Other Procedures Performed During Cardiac Catheterization Session

Report by age of patient and procedure type the total number of non-cardiac catheterization procedures that were performed during the cardiac catheterization session. Report by procedure code and procedure description.

Procedure Code	Procedure Description	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
75724	Renals	0	8	8
75716	Peripherals	0	29	29
75680	Carotids	0	3	3

3B. Non-Cardiac Catheterization in Cardiac Catheterization Facilities

Report by age and procedure type the total number of catheterization procedures, other than cardiac catheterizations, performed during the report year that were performed in the authorized cardiac catheterization labs or rooms reported in Part C Question 1A.

Procedure Type	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
Electrophysiologic Studies	0	250	250
Pacemaker Insertions	0	145	145
Angiograms/Venograms	0	571	571
Angioplasty	0	337	337
Stents	0	269	269
Thrombolysis Procedures	0	34	34
Embolizations	0	1	1
Venocava filter insertions	0	18	18
Biliary/Nephrostomy	0	0	0
Perm cath/pic line placements	0	0	0
0	0	285	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
Total	0	1,910	1,910

3C. Non-Cardiac Catheterization Procedures Performed in Other Rooms

Report by age and procedure type the total number of catheterization procedures, other than cardiac catheterizations, performed during the report year that were performed in any other room that is equipped and capable of performing cardiac catheterization reported in Part C Question 1C.

Procedure Type	Ages 0-14	Ages 15+	Total
Electrophysiologic Studies	0	0	0
Pacemaker Insertions	0	0	0
Angiograms/Venograms	0	0	0
Angioplasty	0	0	0
Stents	0	0	0
Thrombolysis Procedures	0	0	0
Embolizations	0	0	0

Venocava filter insertions	0	0	0
Biliary/Nephrostomy	0	0	0
Perm cath/pic line placements	0	0	0
0	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

3D. Medical Specialties

List all of the medical specialties of the physicians performing non-cardiac catheterization procedures listed in 3B or 3C.

Cardiologists, Vascular Surgeons

4. Cardiac Catheterization Patients by Race/Ethnicity

Please report the number who recieved one or more cardiac catheterization procedures during the report period using the race and ethnicity categories provided. Please report patients as unduplicated. A patient should be counted once only.

Race/Ethnicity	Number of Patients
American Indian/Alaska Native	0
Asian	8
Black/African American	92
Hispanic/Latino	56
Pacific Islander/Hawaiian	0
White	2,972
Multi-Racial	20
Total	3,148

5. Cardiac Catheterization Patients by Gender

Please report the number of cardiac catheterization patients by gender served during the report period. Count a patient only once for an unduplicated patient count.

Gender	Number of Patients
Male	1,928
Female	1,220
Total	3,148

Part D : Charges

1. Average Total Charge and Average Actual Reimbursement

If applicable, report the average total charge from admission to discharge (excluding Medicare outliers) for each of the following DRGs and report the average actual reimbursement for each DRG received from Medicare, Medicaid and all third parties (excluding individual self-payors, indigents and those payors whose charge was 'written off'). Please note that Average Total Charges, the number of cases used in the average, and the average reimbursement should be for services provided within authorized cardiac catheterization labs.

Selected DRGs Diseases/Disorders of the Circulatory System	Average Total Inpatient Charge in Lab	Cases Included in Calculation of Average	Actual Hospital Total Cases	Average Reimbursement in Lab
DRG 110: Major Cardiovascular Procedures w/CC (MS-DRG 237)	60,125	51	163	27,638
DRG 121: Cds w/AMI and CV Complication, Discharged Alive (MS-DRG 280)	25,737	56	180	9,431
DRG 122: Cds w/AMI w/o CV Complication, Discharged Alive (MS-DRG 281 & 282)	17,832	21	64	9,109
DRG 124: Cds except AMI w/Cardiac Cath and Complex Diagnosis (MS-DRG 286)	23,074	246	268	8,459
DRG 125: Cds except AMI w/Cardiac Cath and Complex Diagnosis (MS-DRG 287)	19,365	200	244	7,631
DRG 127: Heart Failure and Shock (MS-DRG 291, 292, 293)	0	0	611	0
DRG 130: Peripheral Vascular Disorders w/CC (MS-DRG 299)	15,922	11	95	6,217
DRG 138: Cardiac arrhythmia and conduction disorders w/CC (MS-DRG 308)	21,323	3	369	5,479
DRG 140: Angina Pectoris (MS-DRG 311)	0	0	13	0

2. Mean, Median and Range of Total Charges

Where applicable, report the mean, median and range of total charges for all cases for which each of the following ICD-9-CM codes was the principal procedure.

Single Vessel PTCA Without Mention of Thrombolytic Agent

(ICD-900.66, previously 36.01)

Patient Category	Mean	Median	Range Low	Range High	# of Cases Included in Calculations
Inpatient	\$53,252	\$46,402	\$5,815	\$351,777	709
Outpatient	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0

Left Heart Cardiac Catheterization (Excluding that with Catheterization of Right Heart)

ICD-937.22)

Patient Category	Mean	Median	Range Low	Range High	# of Cases Included in Calculations
Inpatient	\$25,615	\$22,826	\$5,674	\$180,291	637
Outpatient	\$13,308	\$11,007	\$1,091	\$73,250	885

3. Total Charges and Actual Reimbursement for Cardiac Catheterization Services

Please report the total charges and actual reimbursement received for cardiac catheterization services provided during the report period.

Total Charges	Actual Reimbursement
\$141,965,654	\$45,437,657

4. Total Uncompensated Charges for Cardiac Catheterization Services

Please report the total uncompensated charges for cardiac catheterization services provided to patients that qualified as indigent or charity care cases where the facility did not receive any compensation.

Total Uncompensated Charges	Total Uncompensated I/C Patients
\$5,590,005	268

5. Adjusted Gross Revenue for Cardiac Catheterization Services

Please report the Adjusted Gross Revenue for cardiac catheterization services provided during the report period.

Adjusted Gross Revenue
\$71,779,368

6. Primary Payment Source

Please report the total number of unduplicated cardiac catheterization patients, procedures, total charges and reimbursement by the patient's PRIMARY payer source. Report Peachcare for Kids patients with Third-Party. Then also provide the number of unduplicated patients, procedures, charges and reimbursement for patients who were qualified as Indigent or Charity Care cases. Patients do not have to balance or be unduplicated between two tables.

	Primary Payment Source				I/C Care Account
	Medicare	Medicaid	3rd Party (Including Peachcare)	Individual Self-Pay	
Number of Cardiac Catheterization Patients (unduplicated)	1,585	107	1,136	259	268
Number of Procedures Billed	2,015	1,501	1,501	349	351
Number of Procedures Not Billed or Written Off	3	7	6	2	351
Total Charges	\$78,420,231	\$5,263,782	\$45,965,613	\$12,316,038	\$5,590,005
Actual Reimbursement	\$22,922,607	\$1,220,768	\$21,260,064	\$34,218	\$0

Part E : Peer Review, JCAHO Accreditation, OHS Referrals and Treatment Complications

1. Check the box to the right if your program/facility participates in an external or national peer review and outcomes reporting system.

If you indicated yes above, please provide the name(s) of the peer review/outcomes reporting organization(s) below.

ACC (American College of Cardiologists); GHA/JCAHO CORE; GMCF/CMS; Goodroe Healthcare Solutions; Cathsource National Database; Premier Perspective (from 2005)



2. Check the box to the right if your program/facility is JCAHO accredited.

Enter your accreditation category in the space below.

Accredited

3. How many community education programs has your program/facility participated in during the reporting period?

5+

4. OHSS Referrals

If your facility referred patients for open heart surgery services (regardless of whether your facility does or does not provide OHSS), please list the hospital(s) to which patients have been referred and the number referred. If your facility referred patients to out-of-state providers please select the state from the pull-down menu.

Referral Hospital	Number of Referrals

5. Cardiac Catheterization Treatment Session Complications

Please provide the number of both inpatient and outpatient therapeutic and diagnostic cardiac catheterization sessions which encountered or resulted in major and/or minor complications. (Total therapeutic and total diagnostic catheterization sessions are provided based on what was reported in Part C, Question 2B). Please refer to the instructions for guidelines regarding major versus minor classifications. Report complications occurring during the procedures or before discharge.

Cardiac Catheterization Category	Total Cath Sessions from Part C	Major Complications	Minor Complications	Total Complications
Therapeutic Cardiac Catheterizations Inpatient and Outpatient	979	72	33	105
Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterizations Inpatient and Outpatient	3,135	64	25	89
Total	4,114	136	58	194

Part F : Patient Origin

Please report the number of cardiac catheterization patients by county and age category. The total number of patients reported here must balance to the totals reported in Part C, Questions 4 and 5.

County	Patients 0-14	Patients 15+	Total
Alabama	0	1	1
Other- Out of State	0	12	12
Florida	0	18	18
Banks	0	117	117
Barrow	0	17	17
Bartow	0	4	4
Bibb	0	1	1
Carroll	0	1	1
Chatham	0	1	1
Cherokee	0	1	1
Clarke	0	1	1
Clayton	0	4	4
Cobb	0	5	5

Coweta	0	1	1
Dawson	0	115	115
DeKalb	0	4	4
Douglas	0	2	2
Elbert	0	4	4
Emanuel	0	1	1
Fannin	0	8	8
Forsyth	0	86	86
Franklin	0	32	32
Fulton	0	9	9
Gilmer	0	5	5
Gordon	0	2	2
Gwinnett	0	74	74
Habersham	0	345	345
Hart	0	6	6
Irwin	0	1	1
Jackson	0	208	208
Lumpkin	0	200	200
Madison	0	7	7
Morgan	0	1	1
Newton	0	2	2
Oconee	0	1	1
Pickens	0	3	3
Polk	0	1	1
Putnam	0	2	2
Rabun	0	126	126
Spalding	0	2	2
Stephens	0	198	198
Tattnall	0	1	1
Towns	0	38	38
Treutlen	0	1	1
Union	0	79	79
Walton	0	1	1
White	0	249	249
Whitfield	0	1	1
North Carolina	0	26	26
South Carolina	0	7	7
Tennessee	0	3	3
Hall	0	1,113	1,113
Total Patients	0	3,148	3,148

Part G : Comments

Please enter below any comments and suggestions that you have about this survey.

Electronic Signature

Please note that the survey WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED without the authorized signature of the Chief Executive Officer or Executive Director (principal officer) of the facility. The signature can be completed only AFTER all survey data has been finalized. By law, the signatory is attesting under penalty of law that the information is accurate and complete.

I state, certify and attest that to the best of my knowledge upon conducting due diligence to assure the accuracy and completeness of all data, and based upon my affirmative review of the entire completed survey, this completed survey contains no untrue statement or inaccurate data, nor omits requested material, information or data. I further state, certify and attest that I have reviewed the entire contents of the completed survey with all appropriate staff of the facility. I understand that inaccurate, incomplete or omitted data could lead to sanctions against me or my facility. I further understand that a typed version of my name is being accepted as my original signature pursuant to the Georgia Electronic Records and Signature Act.

Authorized Signature: Carol H. Burrell

Title: Chief Operating Officer

Date: 10/9/2009

Comments: Part C.3A - The source system for this data does not provide specific codes. Generic codes for those type of procedures are shown. Part D.1 - NGMC's data system converts the DRGs listed on the survey form that changed on October 1, 2007 to the new DRGs covering the same patient types after that date. This approach is intended to accurately capture whole year data for the correct types of cardiac patients. Also, consistent with the survey directions, NGMC is reporting charges only for non-outlier cases falling within the DRGs that included cath lab services. The majority of cases do not include any cath lab services for several of the DRGs listed on the survey. Part D.2. In 2007, ICD-9 36.01 was used exclusively for reporting. In 2008, report numbers correspond to the ICD-9 00.66.