

Table 2B.5.1: Hospital Procedures Performed on Persons with Spinal Curvature Diagnosis at Admission, by Sex, United States, 2013

Sex	Total Discharges/Visits (in 000s)	Proportion of Total Discharges with Spinal Curvature Diagnosis and Procedure								
		Monitoring Deformity	Diskectomy	Decompression	Incision/Excision	Fusion	Instrumentation	Disk Replacement	Blood Transfusion	Any Spinal Procedure
Male	45.4	5.0%	7.3%	4.9%	13.1%	19.6%	10.6%	*	9.8%	23.8%
Female	121.2	2.5%	4.7%	3.0%	10.0%	14.7%	8.1%	0.2%	10.6%	17.7%
Scoliosis	166.6	3.9%	5.4%	3.5%	10.8%	16.0%	8.8%	0.2%	10.4%	19.4%
Male	69.2	13.7%	36.9%	17.7%	45.6%	71.6%	51.3%	0.7%	8.6%	77.3%
Female	121.3	11.6%	32.6%	13.1%	41.5%	64.9%	47.2%	0.6%	11.3%	69.4%
Sagittal Deformity	190.5	12.4%	34.2%	14.8%	43.0%	67.4%	48.7%	0.6%	10.3%	
All Spinal Curvature Disorders	357.0	8.4%	20.7%	9.5%	28.0%	43.4%	30.1%	0.4%	10.3%	47.6%

* Estimate does not meet standards for reliability

Source: HCUP National Inpatient Sample (NIS). Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project (HCUP). 2010-2014. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Rockville, MD. www.hcup-us.ahrq.gov/nisoverview.jsp