

Table 8.23: Per Person All-cause Direct Costs (annual mean) for Adults with Rheumatoid Arthritis*, Overall and by Demographic Characteristics, United States, 2008 - 2012

<u>Demographic Characteristics</u>	<u>Number of Respondents</u>		<u>All-cause Direct Costs</u>		
	<u>Sample Size</u>	<u>Estimated Population (in 1000s)</u>	<u>Per Person (Mean)</u>	<u>Standard Error (±)</u>	<u>Aggregate (in billions)</u>
Total Population	875	1,730	\$19,040	\$1,287	\$32.9
Age					
18-44	197	239	\$14,159	\$2,563	\$3.4
45-64	433	812	\$19,958	\$1,944	\$16.2
65 & Over	294	678	\$19,664	\$2,180	\$13.3
Gender					
Female	646	1,190	\$18,792	\$1,552	\$22.4
Male	229	539	\$19,586	\$2,383	\$10.6
Race/Ethnicity					
White, Non-Hispanic	435	1,199	\$18,822	\$1,505	\$22.6
Black, Non-Hispanic	214	246	\$17,712	\$2,057	\$4.3
Hispanic	187	225	\$22,871	\$5,341	\$5.2
Other, Non-Hispanic	39	59	\$14,387	\$3,031	\$0.9
Education [1]					
Less than High School	250	354	\$16,527	\$1,619	\$5.9
High School	255	514	\$17,696	\$1,759	\$9.1
Some College	209	435	\$18,684	\$2,047	\$8.1
College Graduate	102	262	\$25,526	\$5,869	\$6.7
Graduate School	55	153	\$19,436	\$4,260	\$3.0
Marital status [2]					
Never Married	90	126	\$18,059	\$5,111	\$2.3
Married or w/Partner	457	967	\$19,010	\$1,448	\$18.4
Divorced-Widowed-Separated	328	637	\$19,279	\$2,527	\$12.3
Insurance					
Any Private	381	867	\$17,877	\$1,434	\$15.5
Public Only	419	755	\$21,843	\$2,388	\$16.5
None	75	107	\$8,674	\$1,433	\$0.9
Region					
Northeast	129	287	\$24,038	\$4,326	\$6.9
Midwest	183	385	\$17,225	\$1,588	\$6.6
South	343	664	\$18,638	\$2,052	\$12.4
West	216	387	\$17,764	\$2,656	\$6.9
Any limitation in IADLs, ADLs, functioning, work, housework, school, vision or hearing [3]					
	657	1,289	\$21,858	\$1,626	\$28.2
Any limitation in work, housework, or school activities					
	468	878	\$25,220	\$2,196	\$22.1

* ICD9 714 and priority RA and (RA Rx or RA ambulatory visits ≥ 5). ICD9 714 was suppressed in the 2013 - 2014 data so estimates are based on 2008 - 2012 files.

[1] Education status for individuals < 18 was set to the highest level in the household.

[2] Marital status for individuals < 18 were set hierarchically by household to married, div/widowed/separated, and never married.

[3] IADL, Instrumental Activities of Daily Living; ADL, Activities of Daily Living

Source: Medical Expenditures Panel Survey (MEPS), Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2008-2014. SAS Source: 015Table8_allcause_stratified.sas.