

Payments to Group 1 hospitals will be made according to the following payment schedule:

Qualifying Rate	Greater than the mean rate to less than 1 standard deviation above the mean	1 standard deviation above the mean to less than 2 standard deviations above the mean	2 standard deviations above the mean to less than 3 standard deviations above the mean	3 or more standard deviations above the mean
Payment Amount	\$20,919.55	\$41,839.10	\$62,758.65	\$83,678.20

Payments to Group 2 hospitals will be made according to the following payment schedule:

Qualifying Rate	Greater than the mean rate for all hospitals
Payment Amount	\$751,299

Payments to Group 3 hospitals will be made according to the following payment schedule:

Qualifying Rate	Greater than the mean rate to less than 1 standard deviation above the mean	1 standard deviation above the mean to less than 2 standard deviations above the mean	2 standard deviations above the mean to less than 3 standard deviations above the mean	3 or more standard deviations above the mean
Payment Amount	\$250	\$500	\$750	\$1,000