

**Conversion factor changes for October 1, 2026
in the Minnesota workers' compensation
Hospital Outpatient Fee Schedule (HOFS)**

Hospital type	HOFS conversion factor Oct. 1, 2025	Inflation adjustment	HOFS conversion factor Oct. 1, 2026
Large hospitals	\$181.79	3.64%	\$188.40
Small hospitals	\$339.06	3.64%	\$351.41

Note: Under Minnesota Statutes § 176.1363, subd. 3(d), DLI must adjust the HOFS conversion factors using the Medicare market basket index for inpatient hospital services, published on the Medicare website. The adjustment must be equal to the percent change in the index in the most recent calendar relative to the prior year. The new conversion factor effective Oct. 1, 2026 is obtained by applying this inflation adjustment to the prior conversion factor.

Large hospitals are Minnesota hospitals with more than 100 licensed beds. Small hospitals are Minnesota non-critical-access hospitals with 100 or fewer licensed beds.

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