

Physician Visits for Fracture

| Description | Year | # of Visits | Women | | Men | |
|------------------------|------|-------------|-----------------------|----|-----------------------|----|
| | | (in 000s) | # of Visits (in 000s) | % | # of Visits (in 000s) | % |
| Shoulder | 1998 | 230 | 66 | 29 | 164 | 71 |
| | 1999 | 277 | 58 | 21 | 219 | 79 |
| | 2000 | 380 | 43 | 11 | 337 | 89 |
| | 2001 | 153 | 39 | 25 | 114 | 75 |
| | 2002 | 502 | 375 | 75 | 127 | 25 |
| | 2003 | 330 | 174 | 53 | 156 | 47 |
| | 2004 | 183 | 18 | 10 | 165 | 90 |
| | 2005 | 363 | 105 | 29 | 258 | 71 |
| | 2006 | 388 | 87 | 22 | 301 | 78 |
| Upper Arm | 1998 | 748 | 400 | 53 | 348 | 47 |
| | 1999 | 812 | 505 | 62 | 307 | 38 |
| | 2000 | 928 | 733 | 79 | 195 | 21 |
| | 2001 | 791 | 581 | 73 | 210 | 27 |
| | 2002 | 647 | 336 | 52 | 311 | 48 |
| | 2003 | 655 | 358 | 55 | 297 | 45 |
| | 2004 | 743 | 516 | 69 | 227 | 31 |
| | 2005 | 763 | 333 | 44 | 430 | 56 |
| | 2006 | 1242 | 734 | 59 | 508 | 41 |
| Forearm & Elbow | 1998 | 2566 | 1276 | 50 | 1290 | 50 |
| | 1999 | 1466 | 628 | 43 | 838 | 57 |
| | 2000 | 1867 | 1001 | 54 | 866 | 46 |
| | 2001 | 1705 | 940 | 55 | 765 | 45 |
| | 2002 | 2813 | 1291 | 46 | 1522 | 54 |
| | 2003 | 1150 | 430 | 37 | 720 | 63 |
| | 2004 | 1574 | 621 | 39 | 953 | 61 |
| | 2005 | 1976 | 1021 | 52 | 955 | 48 |
| | 2006 | 1622 | 498 | 31 | 1124 | 69 |
| Wrist & Hand & Fingers | 1998 | 2691 | 858 | 32 | 1833 | 68 |
| | 1999 | 1846 | 659 | 36 | 1187 | 64 |
| | 2000 | 2450 | 834 | 34 | 1616 | 66 |
| | 2001 | 2736 | 815 | 30 | 1921 | 70 |
| | 2002 | 2764 | 859 | 31 | 1905 | 69 |
| | 2003 | 2463 | 1012 | 41 | 1451 | 59 |
| | 2004 | 1997 | 982 | 49 | 1015 | 51 |
| | 2005 | 1849 | 758 | 41 | 1091 | 59 |
| | 2006 | 2455 | 1082 | 44 | 1373 | 56 |
| Other & Unspecified | 1998 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 1999 | * | * | * | * | * |

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|-------------------------------|------|------|-----|----|-----|----|
| & Multiple (Upper Limb) | 2000 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2001 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2002 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2003 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2004 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2005 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2006 | * | * | * | * | * |
| Hip | 1998 | 630 | 464 | 74 | 166 | 26 |
| | 1999 | 145 | 99 | 68 | 46 | 32 |
| | 2000 | 300 | 247 | 82 | 53 | 18 |
| | 2001 | 505 | 387 | 77 | 118 | 23 |
| | 2002 | 451 | 353 | 78 | 98 | 22 |
| | 2003 | 741 | 605 | 82 | 136 | 18 |
| | 2004 | 523 | 343 | 66 | 180 | 34 |
| | 2005 | 306 | 279 | 91 | 27 | 9 |
| | 2006 | 305 | 161 | 53 | 144 | 47 |
| Upper Leg | 1998 | 403 | 162 | 40 | 241 | 60 |
| | 1999 | 156 | 43 | 28 | 113 | 72 |
| | 2000 | 481 | 203 | 42 | 278 | 58 |
| | 2001 | 215 | 30 | 14 | 185 | 86 |
| | 2002 | 201 | 46 | 23 | 155 | 77 |
| | 2003 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2004 | 390 | 156 | 40 | 234 | 60 |
| | 2005 | 174 | 62 | 36 | 112 | 64 |
| | 2006 | 425 | 235 | 55 | 190 | 45 |
| Knee | 1998 | 393 | 322 | 82 | 71 | 18 |
| | 1999 | 240 | 178 | 74 | 62 | 26 |
| | 2000 | 202 | 195 | 97 | 7 | 3 |
| | 2001 | 158 | 57 | 36 | 101 | 64 |
| | 2002 | 159 | 127 | 80 | 32 | 20 |
| | 2003 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2004 | * | * | * | * | * |
| | 2005 | 155 | 59 | 38 | 96 | 62 |
| | 2006 | 238 | 199 | 84 | 39 | 16 |
| Lower Leg | 1998 | 1011 | 648 | 64 | 363 | 36 |
| | 1999 | 741 | 417 | 56 | 324 | 44 |
| | 2000 | 615 | 295 | 48 | 320 | 52 |
| | 2001 | 500 | 352 | 70 | 148 | 30 |
| | 2002 | 801 | 277 | 35 | 524 | 65 |
| | 2003 | 844 | 484 | 57 | 360 | 43 |
| | 2004 | 910 | 573 | 63 | 337 | 37 |
| | 2005 | 531 | 291 | 55 | 240 | 45 |
| | 2006 | 668 | 193 | 29 | 475 | 71 |

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| Ankle | 1998 | 1024 | 655 | 64 | 369 | 36 |
| | 1999 | 1151 | 683 | 59 | 468 | 41 |
| | 2000 | 949 | 523 | 55 | 426 | 45 |
| | 2001 | 1208 | 735 | 61 | 473 | 39 |
| | 2002 | 1194 | 574 | 48 | 620 | 52 |
| | 2003 | 860 | 503 | 58 | 357 | 42 |
| | 2004 | 1233 | 641 | 52 | 592 | 48 |
| | 2005 | 1350 | 703 | 52 | 647 | 48 |
| | 2006 | 1257 | 337 | 27 | 920 | 73 |
| Foot & Toes | 1998 | 1245 | 542 | 44 | 703 | 56 |
| | 1999 | 713 | 431 | 60 | 282 | 40 |
| | 2000 | 933 | 530 | 57 | 403 | 43 |
| | 2001 | 1001 | 599 | 60 | 402 | 40 |
| | 2002 | 1361 | 926 | 68 | 435 | 32 |
| | 2003 | 1409 | 734 | 52 | 675 | 48 |
| | 2004 | 867 | 521 | 60 | 346 | 40 |
| | 2005 | 1712 | 954 | 56 | 758 | 44 |
| | 2006 | 1136 | 546 | 48 | 590 | 52 |
| Other & Unspecified & Multiple (Lower Limb) | 1998 | 629 | 274 | 44 | 355 | 56 |
| | 1999 | 544 | 357 | 66 | 187 | 34 |
| | 2000 | 491 | 114 | 23 | 377 | 77 |
| | 2001 | 337 | 179 | 53 | 158 | 47 |
| | 2002 | 513 | 321 | 63 | 192 | 37 |
| | 2003 | 219 | 107 | 49 | 112 | 51 |
| | 2004 | 397 | 149 | 38 | 248 | 62 |
| | 2005 | 369 | 135 | 37 | 234 | 63 |
| | 2006 | 612 | 338 | 55 | 274 | 45 |
| Upper Limb | 1998 | 6235 | 2600 | 42 | 3635 | 58 |
| | 1999 | 4439 | 1888 | 43 | 2551 | 57 |
| | 2000 | 5818 | 2685 | 46 | 3133 | 54 |
| | 2001 | 5385 | 2375 | 44 | 3010 | 56 |
| | 2002 | 6817 | 2916 | 43 | 3901 | 57 |
| | 2003 | 4608 | 1984 | 43 | 2624 | 57 |
| | 2004 | 4497 | 2137 | 48 | 2360 | 52 |
| | 2005 | 5141 | 2378 | 46 | 2763 | 54 |
| | 2006 | 5769 | 2414 | 42 | 3355 | 58 |
| Lower Limb | 1998 | 4311 | 2412 | 56 | 1899 | 44 |
| | 1999 | 2539 | 1525 | 60 | 1014 | 40 |
| | 2000 | 3022 | 1584 | 52 | 1438 | 48 |
| | 2001 | 2716 | 1604 | 59 | 1112 | 41 |
| | 2002 | 3486 | 2050 | 59 | 1436 | 41 |
| | 2003 | 3251 | 1950 | 60 | 1301 | 40 |

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|-------------|------|-------|------|----|------|----|
| | 2004 | 3145 | 1750 | 56 | 1395 | 44 |
| | 2005 | 3247 | 1780 | 55 | 1467 | 45 |
| | 2006 | 3384 | 1672 | 49 | 1712 | 51 |
| Limb | | | | | | |
| | 1998 | 10546 | 5012 | 48 | 5534 | 52 |
| | 1999 | 6978 | 3413 | 49 | 3565 | 51 |
| | 2000 | 8840 | 4269 | 48 | 4571 | 52 |
| | 2001 | 8101 | 3979 | 49 | 4122 | 51 |
| | 2002 | 10303 | 4966 | 48 | 5337 | 52 |
| | 2003 | 7859 | 3934 | 50 | 3925 | 50 |
| | 2004 | 7642 | 3887 | 51 | 3755 | 49 |
| | 2005 | 8388 | 4158 | 50 | 4230 | 50 |
| | 2006 | 9153 | 4086 | 45 | 5067 | 55 |

Note: The Number (in thousands) of physician visits is for fracture. However, fracture may not have been the patients' primary disease/disorder. Some numbers are too small to be statistically reliable, and, therefore, do not appear in the table. The respective cells are indicated by *.

Source: Physician Visits - National Ambulatory Medical Care Survey 1998-2006. Data obtained from: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; National Center for Health Statistics.