

TABLE 3.—PROPOSED LTC—DRG RELATIVE WEIGHTS, GEOMETRIC MEAN LENGTH OF STAY, AND SHORT-STAYS OF FIVE-SIXTHS AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2003 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2003—Continued

LTC-DRG	Description	Relative weight	Geo-metric mean length of stay	Short-stays of % average length of stay
200	HEPATOBIILIARY DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE FOR NON-MALIGNANCY ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
201	OTHER HEPATOBIILIARY OR PANCREAS O.R. PROCEDURES ⁵	1.8783	46.3	38.5
202	CIRRHOSIS & ALCOHOLIC HEPATITIS	0.5736	18.4	15.3
203	MALIGNANCY OF HEPATOBIILIARY SYSTEM OR PANCREAS	0.5897	18.2	15.1
204	DISORDERS OF PANCREAS EXCEPT MALIGNANCY	0.9444	22.1	18.4
205	DISORDERS OF LIVER EXCEPT MALIG,CIRR,ALC HEP A W CC	0.6825	21.5	17.9
206	DISORDERS OF LIVER EXCEPT MALIG,CIRR,ALC HEP A W/O CC ²	0.6655	21.9	18.2
207	DISORDERS OF THE BILIARY TRACT W CC	0.6979	21.5	17.9
208	DISORDERS OF THE BILIARY TRACT W/O CC ¹	0.4055	16.8	14.0
209	MAJOR JOINT & LIMB REATTACHMENT PROCEDURES OF LOWER EXTREMITY ⁵	1.8783	46.3	38.5
210	HIP & FEMUR PROCEDURES EXCEPT MAJOR JOINT AGE >17 W CC ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
211	HIP & FEMUR PROCEDURES EXCEPT MAJOR JOINT AGE >17 W/O CC*	0.8284	23.3	19.4
212	HIP & FEMUR PROCEDURES EXCEPT MAJOR JOINT AGE 0-17*	0.8284	23.3	19.4
213	AMPUTATION FOR MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM & CONN TISSUE DISORDERS	1.2591	33.0	27.5
216	BIOPSIES OF MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM & CONNECTIVE TISSUE ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
217	WND DEBRID & SKN GRFT EXCEPT HAND, FOR MUSCULOSKELETAL & CONN TISS DIS	1.3602	38.8	32.3
218	LOWER EXTREM & HUMER PROC EXCEPT HIP, FOOT, FEMUR AGE >17 W CC ³	0.8284	23.3	19.4
219	LOWER EXTREM & HUMER PROC EXCEPT HIP, FOOT, FEMUR AGE >17 W/O CC*	0.8284	23.3	19.4
220	LOWER EXTREM & HUMER PROC EXCEPT HIP, FOOT, FEMUR AGE 0-17*	0.8284	23.3	19.4
223	MAJOR SHOULDER/ELBOW PROC, OR OTHER UPPER EXTREMITY PROC W CC ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
224	SHOULDER, ELBOW OR FOREARM PROC, EXC MAJOR JOINT PROC, W/O CC ¹	0.4055	16.8	14.0
225	FOOT PROCEDURES ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
226	SOFT TISSUE PROCEDURES W CC ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
227	SOFT TISSUE PROCEDURES W/O CC ³	0.8284	23.3	19.4
228	MAJOR THUMB OR JOINT PROC, OR OTH HAND OR WRIST PROC W CC*	0.6655	21.9	18.2
229	HAND OR WRIST PROC, EXCEPT MAJOR JOINT PROC, W/O CC ²	0.6655	21.9	18.2
230	LOCAL EXCISION & REMOVAL OF INT FIX DEVICES OF HIP & FEMUR ¹	0.4055	16.8	14.0
231	LOCAL EXCISION & REMOVAL OF INT FIX DEVICES EXCEPT HIP & FEMUR ⁵	1.8783	46.3	38.5
232	ARTHROSCOPY*	0.4055	16.8	14.0
233	OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL SYS & CONN TISS O.R. PROC W CC ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
234	OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL SYS & CONN TISS O.R. PROC W/O CC ¹	0.4055	16.8	14.0
235	FRACTURES OF FEMUR	0.7540	28.5	23.7
236	FRACTURES OF HIP & PELVIS	0.7381	27.2	22.6
237	SPRAINS, STRAINS, & DISLOCATIONS OF HIP, PELVIS & THIGH ²	0.6655	21.9	18.2
238	OSTEOMYELITIS	0.8275	27.5	22.9
239	PATHOLOGICAL FRACTURES & MUSCULOSKELETAL & CONN TISS MALIGNANCY	0.6689	21.9	18.2
240	CONNECTIVE TISSUE DISORDERS W CC	0.9260	26.0	21.6
241	CONNECTIVE TISSUE DISORDERS W/O CC	0.5805	22.7	18.9
242	SEPTIC ARTHRITIS	0.7725	26.3	21.9
243	MEDICAL BACK PROBLEMS	0.6596	23.4	19.5
244	BONE DISEASES & SPECIFIC ARTHROPATHIES W CC	0.5756	20.6	17.1
245	BONE DISEASES & SPECIFIC ARTHROPATHIES W/O CC	0.4426	17.5	14.5
246	NON-SPECIFIC ARTHROPATHIES	0.6053	21.4	17.8
247	SIGNS & SYMPTOMS OF MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM & CONN TISSUE	0.5590	20.4	17.0
248	TENDONITIS, MYOSITIS & BURSITIS	0.7288	23.9	19.9
249	AFTERCARE, MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM & CONNECTIVE TISSUE	0.8005	27.1	22.5
250	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF FOREARM, HAND, FOOT AGE >17 W CC	0.8373	31.8	26.5
251	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF FOREARM, HAND, FOOT AGE >17 W/O CC	0.6904	26.0	21.6
252	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF FOREARM, HAND, FOOT AGE 0-17*	0.4055	16.8	14.0
253	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF UPARM, LOWLEG EX FOOT AGE >17 W CC	0.8054	28.0	23.3
254	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF UPARM, LOWLEG EX FOOT AGE >17 W/O CC	0.6999	26.4	22.0
255	FX, SPRN, STRN & DISL OF UPARM, LOWLEG EX FOOT AGE 0-17*	0.4055	16.8	14.0
256	OTHER MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM & CONNECTIVE TISSUE DIAGNOSES	0.8002	25.1	20.9
257	TOTAL MASTECTOMY FOR MALIGNANCY W CC ²	0.6655	21.9	18.2
258	TOTAL MASTECTOMY FOR MALIGNANCY W/O CC*	0.6655	21.9	18.2
259	SUBTOTAL MASTECTOMY FOR MALIGNANCY W CC*	0.6655	21.9	18.2
260	SUBTOTAL MASTECTOMY FOR MALIGNANCY W/O CC*	0.6655	21.9	18.2
261	BREAST PROC FOR NON-MALIGNANCY EXCEPT BIOPSY & LOCAL EXCISION*	0.4055	16.8	14.0
262	BREAST BIOPSY & LOCAL EXCISION FOR NON-MALIGNANCY ¹	0.4055	16.8	14.0
263	SKIN GRAFT &/OR DEBRID FOR SKN ULCER OR CELLULITIS W CC	1.5388	45.0	37.5
264	SKIN GRAFT &/OR DEBRID FOR SKN ULCER OR CELLULITIS W/O CC	1.1645	38.8	32.3
265	SKIN GRAFT &/OR DEBRID EXCEPT FOR SKIN ULCER OR CELLULITIS W CC	1.6569	45.6	38.0
266	SKIN GRAFT &/OR DEBRID EXCEPT FOR SKIN ULCER OR CELLULITIS W/O CC ³	0.8284	23.3	19.4
267	PERIANAL & PILONIDAL PROCEDURES*	0.4055	16.8	14.0
268	SKIN, SUBCUTANEOUS TISSUE & BREAST PLASTIC PROCEDURES ⁴	1.2493	31.3	26.0
269	OTHER SKIN, SUBCUT TISS & BREAST PROC W CC	1.3915	41.7	34.7