



Ochsner Health – Amounts Generally Billed (AGB) Calculation for Self-Pay Rates

In accordance with Section 501(r) of the Internal Revenue Code, Ochsner Health and its affiliated hospitals apply the look-back method to determine the Amounts Generally Billed (AGB) to individuals who have insurance coverage for emergency or other medically necessary care. Effective January 1, 2026, the AGB percentages applicable to each of our hospital facilities are listed below.

The AGB percentages are calculated by reviewing all allowed claims from private insurers, including Medicare Advantage and traditional Medicare, for inpatient and outpatient services over a 12-month period, excluding the payors specified in the AGB criteria.

AGB Calculation Criteria

For the purpose of calculating AGB, Ochsner Health includes only accounts that meet the following conditions:

- The account has an insurance payment posted between September 5, 2024 – September 4, 2025.
 - Date Range Information: The selected data must cover a consecutive 12-month period, with the end date occurring no more than 120 days before the effective date (January 1, 2026) of the new rates.
- The insurance balance = \$0.
- The following payors are excluded from the calculation:
 - Self-pay accounts
 - Medicaid
 - Managed Medicaid
 - Humana Managed Medicare
 - Tricare
 - Veterans Administration

Patient Financial Responsibility

In compliance with IRS Section 501(r)(5), Ochsner Health ensures that no patient determined to be eligible for financial assistance will be charged more than the AGB for emergency or other medically necessary care. For insured patients who qualify for financial assistance, the patient's personal responsibility will not exceed the AGB after all applicable insurance payments have been applied.

Annual Review and Compliance

AGB percentages are reviewed, recalculated, and updated annually in accordance with federal regulatory guidelines to maintain compliance and fairness in billing practices.

Attachment C – Amounts Generally Billed Discount_ Financial Assistance Policy
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Amounts Generally Billed	
FACILITY	Calculated Discount Rate
Ochsner Medical Center	78%
Ochsner Baptist Medical Center	78%
Ochsner Medical Center - West Bank	78%
Ochsner St. Mary	80%
Ochsner St. Anne General Hospital	56%
Ochsner Medical Center - Baton Rouge	68%
Ochsner Medical Center - Kenner	72%
Ochsner Medical Center- Hancock	62%
Ochsner Acadia General Hospital	77%
Ochsner Abrom Kaplan Memorial Hospital	55%
Ochsner Lafayette General Medical Center & Ochsner Lafayette General Orthopedic Hospital	79%
Ochsner St. Martin Hospital	70%
Ochsner University Hospital	74%
Ochsner American Legion	66%
Ochsner Rush Medical Center (Foundation)	69%
Ochsner Specialty Hospital	70%
Ochsner Choctaw General	24%
Ochsner Scott Regional	37%
Ochsner Laird Hospital	39%
Ochsner Stennis Hospital	31%
Ochsner Watkins Hospital	33%
Ochsner Rush Clinic	65%
St Charles	73%
St Bernard Parish Hospital	68%
Chabert Medical Center	53%
Amounts Generally Billed	
Physician Charge	Calculated Discount Rate
Ochsner Clinic	64%
Ochsner Clinics Rush	65%
Ochsner American Legion - Clinic	58%
OLG Physician(LGMD)	67%
Ochsner University Clinic	50%
Ochsner Clinic- Mississippi	67%