Survey of Long-term Care Benefit Expenditures 2009

[Outline of Survey]

1. Objective

This survey is to perceive the benefit expenditure for long-term care service and to obtain basic data for smooth administration of long-term care insurance system and for policy making such as revision of long-term care fee.

2. Coverage

All of the detailed statements of long-term care benefit expenditure and benefit management sheet assessed by each prefectural Federation of National Health Insurance are dealed with.

However, allowance for purchasing equipment for long-term care, preventive home modification, etc. directly paid by municipalities (reimbursement) are excluded.

3. Survey Period

Monthly (assessed between May 2009 and April 2010)

4. Survey Items

- (1) Detailed statements of long-term care benefit expenditures...sex, age, category of long-term care (support) requirement, number of unit and frequency by type of service, etc.
- (2) Benefit management sheet.....sex, age, category of long-term care (support) requirement, number of planned unit by type of service, etc.

5 .Survey Method

The copies of data from detailed statements of long-term care benefit expenditures assessed by each prefectural Federation of National Health Insurance under the control of All Japan Federation of National Health Insurance Organizations were sent to Statistics and Information Department, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Health,Labour and Welfare.

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