

## “Survey of Long-term Care Benefit Expenditures, FY2010”

### Digest of the Summary Report

4-Aug-2011 The results of the “Survey of Long-term Care Benefit Expenditures, FY2010” have now been tabulated and released by the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare.

This survey is conducted to capture the situation of benefit expenditures of long-term care services, and thereby obtain basic data for smooth administration and policy making of the long-term care insurance system.

It covers all claims of long-term care benefit expenditure and benefit management sheets assessed by each Prefectural Federation of National Health Insurance Organizations. However, this excludes fees paid directly (or reimbursed) by municipalities such as allowances for purchasing assistive equipment and allowances for home modification.

While monthly reports are issued every month, this is a fiscal year report which compiles the reports on assessments between May 2010 and April 2011.

#### 【Key Survey Results】

- Recipients of preventive long-term care services and long-term care services  
(Table 1, Table 2-1, Table 2-2)
  - Annual cumulative number of recipients:
 

49,272,800 persons	(increase of 2,090,000 on previous FY)
Preventive long-term care services:	
10,423,200 persons	(increase of 450,100 on previous FY)
Long-term care services:	
38,872,600 persons	(increase of 1,643,100 on previous FY)

\* Sum of recipients in each assessed month from May 2010 to April 2011.
  - Annual number of recipients
 

4,928,200 persons	(increase of 241,200 on previous FY)
Preventive long-term care services:	
1,219,100 persons	(increase of 92,200 on previous FY)
Long-term care services:	
4,015,800 persons	(increase of 225,100 on previous FY)

\* Number of recipients in each month of service provided from April 2010 to March 2011 after aggregation of names.

Please note that regarding assessments for April 2011, due to the Great East Japan Earthquake, some long-term care service establishments etc. were unable to provide claims of long-term care benefit expenditure etc. to Prefectural National Health Insurance Organizations, and some approximate claims or payments may have been made without claims of long-term care benefit expenditure.

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