

## Braxton County Memorial Hospital (BCMH) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY - ATTACHMENT IV Calculation of Amounts Generally Billed (AGB)

To calculate *Amounts Generally Billed (AGB)*, we have chosen to use a "look-back" method based on actual past claims paid to BCMH by Medicare fee-for-service together with all private health insurers. This calculation is based on all Medicare and private health insurance payments received for inpatient and outpatient acute services in calendar year 2024.

Payer Group	Total Inpatient and	Total Inpatient and	AGB for 2024 Inpatient
	Outpatient Charges	Outpatient Allowed	and Outpatient
	for 2024	Amount for 2024	Services
Total of Medicare and Ins.	39,429,708	25,453,101	65%

Based on the data listed above, BCMH allowed a blended discount rate for Medicare and private health insurance. This volume is equivalent to a 35% discount rate. We will allow a 50% discount for all uninsured patients according to our Billing and Collections Policy. This discount will be recalculated annually (Next Update April 1, 2026).