

Transparent Pricing in Arizona

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522 licensed beds Arizona Burn Center Level 1 Trauma – Adults & Pediatrics 57 clinics – including 11 FQHC-LA Home Attendant Care Maricopa Health Plan



Variety of State Laws

- Wisconsin
- North Carolina passed in August, 2013
- Oregon pending ballot initiative, 2014
- Arizona passed in June, 2013



Arizona Legislative efforts began in 2011

- Senator Nancy Barto
- AzHHA mitigation efforts

Arizona Pricing Transparency applies to:

- Hospitals
- Ambulatory Surgery Centers
- Laboratories
- Diagnostic imaging centers
- Urgent care centers





- Direct Pay Price
- Requires provider posting on websites, or to provide Price Estimates on request
- May impact negotiations with uninsured
- Must allow payment plans with no change to price
- May discount for low income/Charity
- No claims



MIHS Sliding Fee Scale Copa Care category 1 = 0.133% FPL @ 25% Medicare Copa Care category 2 = 134-200 % FPL @ 50% Medicare Copa Care category 3 = >200% FPL @ 100% Medicare



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