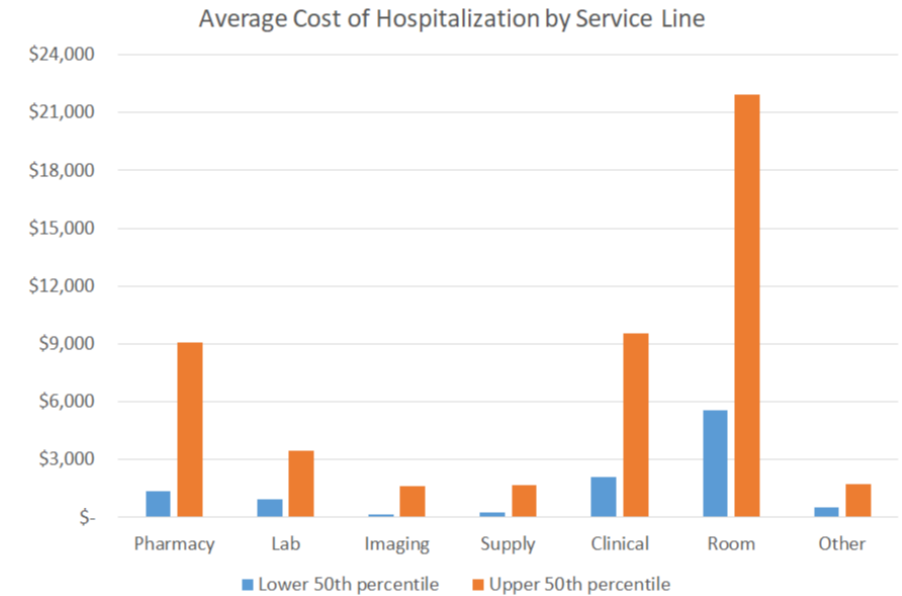
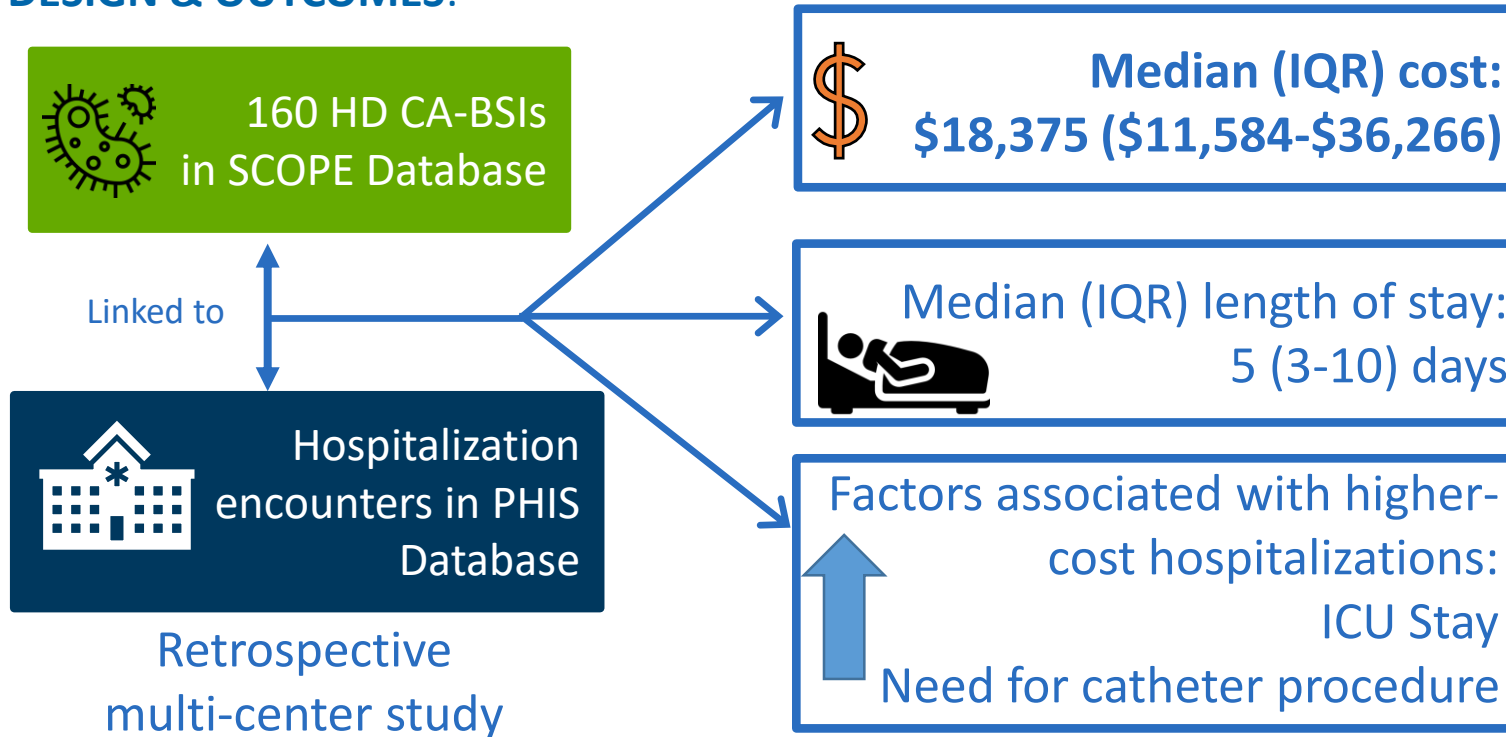


The Cost of Hospitalizations for Treatment of Hemodialysis Catheter-Associated Blood Stream Infections in Children

HYPOTHESIS: Hospitalizations for hemodialysis catheter-associated blood stream infections (HD CA-BSIs) in children are costly

DESIGN & OUTCOMES:



Higher-cost hospitalizations had significantly higher standardized costs for each service line

CONCLUSION: HD catheter-associated blood stream infections in children often result in high-cost, multi-day hospitalizations. Interventions to prevent these infections may reduce the cost of care for children who require HD.

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