



## Amounts Generally Billed Calculation

Logansport Memorial Hospital and the physician offices provide community assistance to all patients meeting the eligibility criteria outlined in the Community Assistance Policy. After the patient's account(s) is reduced by the community assistance adjustment based on policy, the patient is responsible for the remainder of his or her outstanding patient balance, which shall be no more than the amount generally billed (AGB) to individuals who have Medicare and private health insurance for emergency and other medically necessary care.

The Look Back Method is used to determine AGB. AGB is the sum of all amounts of claims that have been allowed by health insurers divided by the sum of the associated gross charges for those claims.

**AGB % = Sum of Claims Allowed Amount \$ / Sum of Gross Charges \$ for those claims**  
Allowed Amount = Total charges less Contractual Adjustments

The AGB is calculated for each hospital on an annual basis:

- The "Look Back Method" is used including a twelve (12) month period
- Includes Medicare fee for service and commercial payers

Patients or members of the public may obtain this summary document at no charge by contacting the hospital billing office.

Logansport Memorial Hospital and Physician Offices (Providers listed in the Plain Language Summary)  
Hospital Amounts Generally Billed: 36%  
Effective: January 1, 2022