

Health Care Challenges Facing the Nation

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Projected Expenditures, Revenues, and the Gap

Year

as percent of GDP

**Total
Outlays**

Revenue

Gap

**Social
Security**

**Medicare
and
Medicaid**

**Rest of
Government**

2004	20.6	15.8	4.8	4.3	4.2	12.1
2040 (a)	39.1	18.4	20.7	6.5	18.5	15.1
2040 (b)	31.8	18.4	13.3	6.5	11.2	14.4

Rates of treatment for renal insufficiency, United States and United Kingdom, per million

MODE OF TREATMENT	1980		2000	
	U.S.A. [#]	U.K.	U.S.A. ^{*#}	U.K. [*]
Hemodialysis	190	59	895	208
Peritoneal dialysis	3	7	85	95
Functioning transplant	57	56	370(?)	260(?)
Total	274	120	1,370	563

✧ Treatment rates for services and conditions

Hemophilia	All treated, similar doses	
Stem cell transplants	Equal rates in early 1980s, current U.S. rate 1.7 times British	
Intensive care beds	U.S. rate, 5 times British	
Hip replacement	Similar rates (?)	
	Early 1980s	Today
Coronary revascularization	650(US) 50(UK)	5,955(US) 956(UK)
CT scans per million	128,000 vs 30,000	
MRI scans per million	63,000 vs 14,000	