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High Spending on Health Care

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Costs per day to Medicaid of supportive housing versus health care services

Footnote: Costs for supportive housing provided by the Supportive Housing Network of New York and based on average yearly estimates of $24,000-$25,000 for congregate supportive housing in New York City (scattered site supportive housing is approximately $18,000-$20,000 per year). Hospitalization, nursing home, emergency department, and detoxification costs represent average 2012 fee-for-service Medicaid payments in New York.