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## Medicare-Certified ASCs in Washington



### Ambulatory Surgery Centers (ASCs) Provide High-Quality Care

ASCs that serve Medicare patients must meet federal requirements to ensure patient safety and the quality of services.

### ASCs Save Medicare Money

ASCs **save Medicare approximately \$7 billion a year**, according to a recent analysis by KNG Health Consulting, LLC. If current trends in Medicare outpatient surgery continue, procedures performed in ASCs rather than hospitals could **save Medicare \$73.4 billion** in the next ten years.

### Savings for Top Services Performed in ASCs

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| Ophthalmology:    | \$57,021,160 |
| Gastroenterology: | \$22,618,653 |
| Orthopedics:      | \$20,962,167 |

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*Source for Savings Data: Centers for Medicare and Medicare Services, 2023 Data*

Total Washington Medicare  
Savings in 2023:

**\$156,333,329**