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Medicare-Certified ASCs in Maine



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 more than \$5 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 \$84.8 billion** in the next ten years.

Savings for Top Services Performed in ASCs

Ophthalmology:	\$6,948,221
Gastroenterology:	\$964,200
Orthopedics:	\$721,462

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Source for Savings Data: Centers for Medicare and Medicare Services, 2024 Data

**Total Maine Medicare
Savings in 2024:
\$9,783,292**