

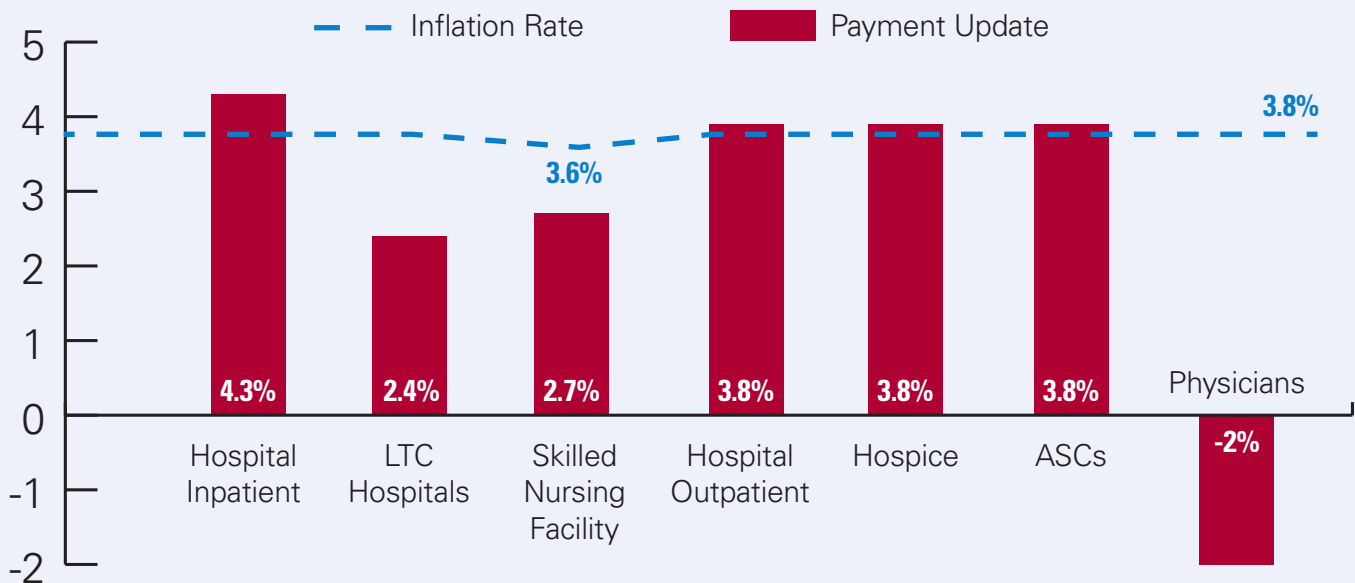
ATTENTION MEDICARE PATIENTS

AT RISK: USE OF YOUR HARD-EARNED MEDICARE BENEFITS

For decades, physicians have been threatened with annual pay cuts from Medicare. In fact, your physicians' inflation-adjusted Medicare payments have decreased 26% since 2001. Meanwhile, the cost of running a practice has increased nearly 50%*.

Physicians received another pay cut of nearly 4% in January on top of last year's cut. Another pay cut may force more physicians out of the Medicare program.

All providers in the Medicare system received pay increases in 2023, but not your doctor.



*Source: American Medical Association, www.ama-assn.org/system/files/medicare-updates-inflation-chart-cumulative.pdf

Act now to promote access to physician care in the Medicare program. Contact your U.S. representative and senators, and ask them to stop the cuts and fix Medicare by **supporting HR 2474 and HR 6683**.



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