

**Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) Surgery
Risk-Adjusted Mortality by State CON Regulation Status
Medicare Beneficiaries (65 years of age or older)
1994 - 1999**

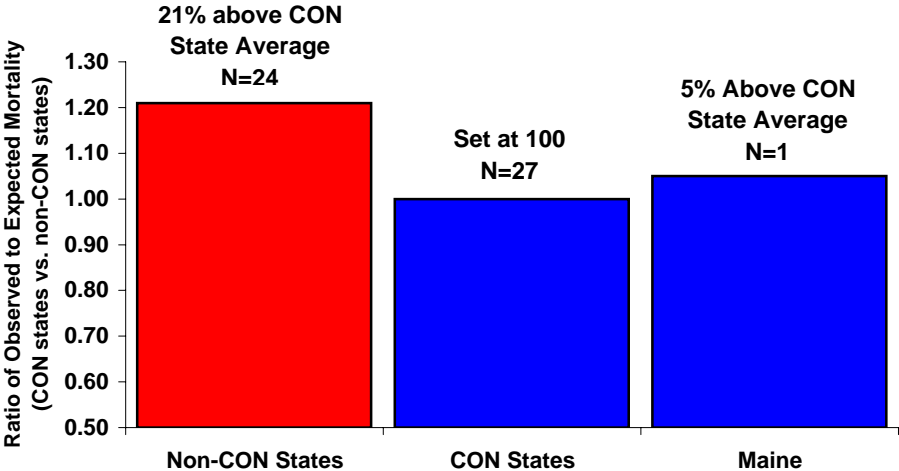
Maine

Observed to Predicted Mortality Ratio

CON States	1.00
Non-CON States	1.21
Maine	1.05
Medicare Beneficiaries	178,090
Medicare CABG Procedures	4,980
CABG Surgery Programs	2
Mean Annual Program Volume (Medicare)	400
Mean Annual Procedure Rate	4.66
O/P Mortality Ratio	1.05

State Ranking

Program Volume (Mean = 400)	1st
Use Rate (4.66 per 1,000 Beneficiaries)	25th
O/P Mortality (1.05; Range 0.63 - 1.45)	25th



Source: Vaughan-Sarrazin,MS,Hannan,EL,Gormley,CJ,Rosenthal,GE. "Mortality in Medicare Beneficiaries Following Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery in States with and without Certificate of Need Regulation," JAMA, Vol. 288 No. 15, October 16, 2002, 1859 - 1866.