

# SJVIA HCC Overview

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# Top 10 HCC Overview - Main clinical cost drivers

10 claimants account for approximately \$11.66M in total paid claims- June 2025- May 2026

## 1. Neonatal / congenital catastrophic cases

Two newborn-related cases total about \$3.34M, or 28.7% of the top-10 spend. Both are dependent children and appear driven by prolonged NICU or tertiary pediatric admissions, congenital cardiac/pulmonary malformations, and high inpatient intensity.

## 2. Oncology, hematology, CAR-T, and transplant-related care

Four malignant neoplasm cases total about \$4.04M, or 34.7% of top-10 spend. These include leukemia, lymphoma/aftercare, stem-cell transplant, and CAR-T-related care. One myeloid leukemia case had the largest recent-month medical spend at about \$587K, indicating an active or escalating episode.

## 3. Digestive/hepatic disease and transplant exposure

Two digestive-system cases total about \$1.90M, or 16.3% of top-10 spend. These include alcoholic liver disease, hepatic failure, transplant-related services, and sepsis-related secondary diagnoses.

## 4. Acute kidney failure with malignancy overlap

The acute kidney failure case totals about \$1.56M, with approximately \$41.4K pharmacy spend and a current authorization for oncology therapy. This appears to be a complex oncology/renal overlap case rather than isolated renal disease.

## 5. Pediatric nervous-system / hydrocephalus case

The hydrocephalus case totals about \$814K and includes pediatric complexity, craniofacial/plastic surgery authorization, and likely long-term specialty follow-up needs.

## Summary

The top-10 cohort is a catastrophic inpatient and specialty care challenge, concentrated in neonatal congenital care, oncology/transplant, hepatic failure/transplant, and pediatric complex conditions.

The strongest mitigation opportunity is to enroll in (condition-specific) complex case management programs with concurrent review, transition-of-care planning, readmission prevention, specialty drug/site-of-care review, and transplant/COE steering.