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<b>direct medical costs</b>																							
	physician, outpatient	x				x	x	x	x	x	x										x		
	hospital, inpatient	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x						x*				x		
	rehabilitation	x					x	x						x									
	hospice	x									x												
	counselling			x																			
	prescription drugs, vitamins and other medications	x	x				x	x	x	x	x			x							x		x
	laboratory	x											x										
<b>direct non-medical costs</b>																							
	excess of stay in institutions														x								
	long-term Care, nursing homes, skilled nursing facility																				x		
	paid assistance / social support services / personal care services / home delivery services / home health care / independent living services / home-visit nursing				x					x			x				x	x	x				x
	stick														x								
	white stick														x							x	
	guide dogs / guide dog registration				x													x					x
	walking aids														x								
	wheelchair														x								
	optical assistance / low vision devices				x		x	x		x					x						x		x
	television magnifier																					x	
	low vision equipments									x													x
	eye care products				x																		
	eye care research							x	x												x		
	furniture (toilet, kitchen, table, seat, bed, ramps, door opening device)														x								
	extra lights / lamps																					x	
	home modifications														x								
	move due to impairment														x								
	computer interface														x								
	software adapted for blindness				x										x							x	
	computer hardware / braille printer / talking books / tape recorder				x										x							x	
	technical assistance														x								
	national library service, library costs							x	x											x			
	american printing house large print materials																				x		x
	taxi						x																x
	public transport						x																x
	transportation service																				x		x
	travel reimbursement																x						
	disability benefits and pension / aid to the blind																	x					
	supplemental security income																				x		
	food stamps																				x		
	committee for purchase from people who are blind or severely disabled																				x		
	social security payments							x	x														
	accommodation allowance																				x		
	long-term care insurance																					x	
	social security disability insurance																				x		
	education expenses					x																	x
	job training service																						x
	recreational services																						x
<b>other direct costs</b>																							
	informal care										x	x	x								x	x	x
<b>indirect costs</b>																							
	productivity losses							x	x												x	x	
	decreased workforce participation, employment participation							x	x												x		
	decreased wages																				x		
	tax losses							x	x												x	x	
	loss of family revenue														x								
	loss of income					x									x								
	time-losses of caregivers							x	x						x								
	absenteeism/presenteeism							x	x														x
<b>intangible effects</b>																							
			x	x			x	x	x						x	x					x		x

\* inpatient costs were reported in days not in cost units