Number of eligible facilities in the universe and sample, by region and urban/rural				
Region	Urban	Rural	Total	
Universe				
Northeast				
South				
Midwest				
West				
Total				
Sample				
Northeast				
South				
Midwest				
West				
Total				

Surveys and response rate, by region and urban/rural				
	Urban	Rural	Total	
Region				
Northeast				
South				
Midwest				
West				
Total				

#### Percentage of all flexible sigmoidoscopies and colonoscopies performed, by physician specialty, by facility type (standard errors in parentheses)

	ASC	Hospital	Physician Practice	Total
Flexible sigmoidoscopy				
Gastroenterologist				
Primary Care Provider				
Internist				
Family practitioner/ General practitioner				
Surgeon				
General surgeon				
Colorectal surgeon				
Non-physician endoscopist				
Other				
Total				
Colonoscopy				
Gastroenterologist				
Primary Care Provider				
Internist				
Family practitioner/ General practitioner				
Surgeon				
General surgeon				
Colorectal surgeon				
Non-physician endoscopist				
Other				
Total				

Type of lower GI equipment owned, by region (standard errors in parentheses)					
	Colonoscopes	Flexible sigmoidoscopes	Video monitors	Other	
Mean per Facility					
Northeast					
South					
Midwest					
West					
Total in Region					
Northeast					
South					
Midwest					
West					

# Procedures currently being performed by urban/rural (standard errors in parentheses)

	Flexible Sigmoidoscopy		Colone	oscopy
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural
Percent of facilities that perform the procedure				
Mean number of procedures performed per week per facility *				
Percent of procedures performed for screening*				
Percent of procedures that are incomplete*				
Mean number of procedures possible per week per facility*				
Number of facilities				

\*Among those facilities that perform the procedure

#### Measures to address increased need for flexible sigmoidoscopy and colonoscopy, by urban/rural (standard errors in parentheses)

	Flexible Sig	noidoscopy	Colono	scopy
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural
Increase proportion of work day allocated to procedures				
Modify block scheduling				
Use patient navigators or reminder calls to decrease cancellations and "no shows"				
Increase physician staff				
Increase/hire non-physician endoscopists to perform procedures				
Increase nursing staff to assist with procedures				
Increase ancillary staff to help with room turnover				
Increase staff or physicians to monitor the sedation or anesthesia				
Establish a larger screening unit/more procedure rooms				
Establish additional prep and/or recovery areas				
Purchase or lease more equipment				
Other				
Not applicable, not planning to perform more procedures				
Number of facilities				

#### Average room time typically scheduled for flexible sigmoidoscopy and colonoscopy by facility type

	Flexible Sig	Flexible Sigmoidoscopy*		scopy*
	Mean	Standard error	Mean	Standard error
ASCs				
Hospitals				
Physician practices				

\*Among those facilities that perform the procedure

## Typical waiting time for various endoscopy procedures for State and the nation

	Percent of facilities	Standard Error
Screening flexible sigmoidoscopy*		
1-2 weeks		
3-4 weeks		
1 - 2 months		
3 - 4 months		
5 – 6 months		
More than 6 months		
Screening colonoscopy*		
1-2 weeks		
3-4 weeks		
1-2 months		
3 - 4 months		
5 – 6 months		
More than 6 months		
Follow-up colonoscopy*		
1-2 weeks		
3-4 weeks		
1-2 months		
3 - 4 months		

5-6 months

More than 6 months

\* Among those facilities that perform procedure

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Estimated number of facilities that provide endoscopies by region				
	Flexible sigmoidoscopy	Colonoscopy	Any endoscopy	
Region				
Northeast				
South				
Midwest				
West				
Total				

#### Potential volume, current volume, and unused capacity for flexible sigmoidoscopy and colonoscopy, by region – annual number of procedures (standard errors in parentheses)

	Flex	ible Sigmoidosc		<b>,</b>	Colonoscopy	
-	Potential Volume	Current Volume	Unused Capacity	Potential Volume	Current Volume	Unused Capacity
Region						
Northeast						
South						
Midwest						
West						
Total						