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Cost of Health Care Utilization is Affected By -

Population (size, aging)



Incidence of acute illness and prevalence of chronic disease

Probability of adopting 'sick role'



Probability of care provision in right setting



Probability of provision of contemporary best practice care (uniformly)



Extent care is provided efficiently