### SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT MINUTES OF BOARD WORKSHOP MEETING FISCAL YEAR 2026 FINANCIAL PLAN: OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET APRIL 7, 2025

A Board Workshop Meeting was held on Monday, April 7, 2025, in the Executive Conference Room, 3111 Stirling Road, Hollywood, Florida, 33312. The meeting began at 2:30 p.m.

The following Commissioners were in attendance:

Ms. Elizabeth Justen	Chairwoman
Mr. Steven Harvey	Vice Chairman
Mr. Douglas Harrison	Secretary / Treasurer
Ms. Laura Raybin Miller	

The following Commissioners were absent:

Mr. Brad Friedman Dr. Luis Orta

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Justen, who noted that public participation is welcome.

Ms. Linda Epstein provided her certification as Interim General Counsel that all public notice legal requirements had been complied with for this meeting.

Mr. Shane Strum, Interim Chief Executive Officer, opened the meeting, called for the purpose of a presentation of the Fiscal Year 2026 Operating and Capital Budgets. Mr. Strum referenced the Capital Workshop held with the Board on February 11, 2025, wherein extensive discussion was held about the various projects in planning for the District. He also noted that the Operating Budget being presented for Board discussion was the highest in the history of the South Broward Hospital District.

Mr. David Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, began the presentation by thanking members of the Finance and administrative teams throughout Memorial Healthcare System for their hard work to complete the preparation of the budgets for this meeting.

Mr. Smith discussed the budget philosophy and significant assumptions that were taken into consideration in assembling the Fiscal Year 2026 Operating and Capital Budgets.

Mr. Irfan Mirza, Vice President of Corporate Finance, then discussed the volume drivers, changes in revenue and growth, supplemental funding, and expenses related to caring for the expected additional patient activity. The Operating and Capital budgets were reviewed, including projected financial results for FY2025 and FY2026, as well as the major contributors to the bottom-line change. Operating expenses were presented in detail, with robust discussion for each line item.

The Capital Budget for FY2026 was reviewed again, incorporating the changes suggested by the Board at the previous Capital Workshop.

The projected tax budget and uncompensated care and increases in the cost of uncompensated care were discussed.

The Chief Executive Officers of the hospitals then outlined the key priorities for each hospital. The leadership of the Memorial Physician Group, Memorial Primary Care and Urgent Care Centers also outlined their key priorities.

Mr. Smith concluded by reiterating Mr. Strum's opening comments that this is the highest operating budget ever presented for Board approval. He also confirmed that Memorial Healthcare System continues to have a strong balance sheet and operations that support our ongoing financial viability.

Staff then responded to questions from the Board. The Board thanked Mr. Strum and staff for a thorough budget presentation, after which the meeting adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

#### SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

#### REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

#### INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEDICAL STAFF OF EACH OF ITS HOSPITALS

#### March 27, 2025

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the South Broward Hospital District (S.B.H.D.) was held in person, and by video and telephone conference, on Thursday, March 27, 2025, at 5:30 p.m., in the Mediterranean Conference Room, Memorial Hospital Miramar, 1901 SW 172<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Miramar, Florida, 33029.

The following members were present:

Ms. Elizabeth Justen	Chairwoman	In person
Mr. Steven Harvey	Vice Chairman	In person
Mr. Douglas Harrison	Secretary Treasurer	In person
Mr. Brad Friedman		In person
Dr. Luis Orta		In person
Ms. Laura Raybin Miller		In person

#### 1. PUBLIC MEETING CERTIFICATION

Ms. Linda Epstein, Interim General Counsel, confirmed and provided certification that all public notice and open meeting (Sunshine) legal requirements had been complied with for this meeting.

#### 2. CALL TO ORDER

There being a physical quorum present, Ms. Justen called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

#### 3. <u>ROLL CALL</u>

A roll call was taken. All Board members were present in person.

#### 4. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

At the request of Ms. Justen, Mr. Harvey led the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Ms. Justen noted that public participation is welcome, and that this was the only opportunity for members of the public to come forward with any comments. There were no comments from the public.

#### 6. PRESENTATIONS

#### a. <u>Memorial Hospital Miramar; Mr. Stephen Demers, Chief Executive Officer of Memorial</u> <u>Hospital Miramar</u>

Mr. Demers welcomed the Board members to Memorial Hospital Miramar, which has been celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary this month, having opened on March 17, 2005.

He gave a presentation on the hospital's first 20 years, highlights of which included the first baby being born just half an hour after the hospital opened, and scenes from the film "Marley and Me" being filmed on site.

He gave details of the hospital's current services, and awards, accreditations, and certifications, and shared photographs of the staff, including the hospital's founding members, celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

He ended the presentation by looking ahead to the next 20 years, where the hospital will focus on expansion, and providing destination services to meet the needs of the community.

Ms. Justen congratulated everyone who has been at the hospital over the last 20 years, and thanked Mr. Demers for hosting the Board meeting.

#### 7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

#### a. <u>Request Board Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting Held on</u> <u>February 27, 2025</u>

A copy of the Minutes is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harvey, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 27, 2025

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### 8. BOARD REGULAR BUSINESS

#### a. <u>Report from the President of the Medical Staff, Memorial Regional Hospital, Joe</u> <u>DiMaggio Children's Hospital, and Memorial Regional Hospital South; Nigel</u> <u>Spier, M.D.</u>

# 1) Request Board Approval of the Executive Committee Report Regarding Recommendations for Appointments, Advancements, etc.

Nigel Spier, M.D., presented the Executive Committee Report regarding recommendations for appointments, advancements, etc., convened on March 19, 2025, and submitted for consideration, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harrison, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEDICAL STAFF AT MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL, JOE DIMAGGIO CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, AND MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL SOUTH

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### b. <u>Report from the Chief of Staff, Memorial Hospital West; Fausto De La Cruz, M.D.</u>

# 1) Request Board Approval of the Executive Committee Report Regarding Recommendations for Appointments, Advancements, etc.

Fausto De La Cruz, M.D., presented the Executive Committee Report regarding recommendations for appointments, advancements, etc., convened on March 10, 2025, and submitted for consideration, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harrison, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEDICAL STAFF AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WEST

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### c. Report from the Chief of Staff, Memorial Hospital Miramar; Juan Villegas, M.D.

# 1) Request Board Approval of the Executive Committee Report Regarding Recommendations for Appointments, Advancements, etc.

Juan Villegas, M.D., presented the Executive Committee Report regarding recommendations for appointments, advancements, etc., convened on March 12, 2025, and submitted for consideration, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harrison, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEDICAL STAFF AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL MIRAMAR

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

2) Request Board Approval for the Creation of a New Department at Memorial Hospital Miramar: Department of Anesthesiology, with the Appointment of Clint Christensen, D.O., as Department Chief, and Marisol Perales, M.D., as Department Vice Chief

Holly Neville, M.D., Chief Physician and Associate Chief Medical Officer for Memorial, reported that this request is being made, as the number of full time staff has reached

a total of 32. She confirmed that the request has been approved by the Bylaws Committee, and the Medical Executive Committees at each facility.

Dr. Neville took questions, confirming that Memorial Hospital Pembroke and Memorial Regional Hospital South do not have independent Anesthesiology departments. She further confirmed that some of the hospitals do not have enough Anesthesiology staff to warrant the creation of a department at this stage; however, this could change if the numbers increase in the future.

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Friedman, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES FOR THE CREATION OF A NEW DEPARTMENT AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL MIRAMAR: DEPARTMENT OF ANESTHESIOLOGY, WITH THE APPOINTMENT OF CLINT CHRISTENSEN, D.O., AS DEPARTMENT CHIEF, AND MARISOL PERALES, M.D., AS DEPARTMENT VICE CHIEF

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### d. <u>Report from the Chief of Staff, Memorial Hospital Pembroke; Narendra</u> <u>Upadhyaya, M.D.</u>

1) Request Board Approval of the Executive Committee Report Regarding Recommendations for Appointments, Advancements, etc.

In the absence of Narendra Upadhyaya, M.D., Fausto De La Cruz, M.D., presented the Executive Committee Report regarding recommendations for appointments, advancements, etc., convened on March 13, 2025, and submitted for consideration, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harrison, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEDICAL STAFF AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PEMBROKE

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### e. <u>Financial Report; Mr. David Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial</u> <u>Officer</u>

1) Request Board Approval of the Financial Report for the Month of February 2025

Mr. Smith presented the financial report for the month of February 2025, and took questions.

Dr. Orta *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harvey, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2025

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### f. Legal Report; Ms. Linda Epstein, Interim General Counsel, MHS

Ms. Linda Epstein confirmed there was nothing to report this month.

#### 9. <u>REPORTS TO THE BOARD; REPORTS FROM BOARD OFFICERS AND STANDING</u> <u>COMMITTEES</u>

#### a. Contracts Committee Meeting Held on March 17, 2025; Mr. Steven Harvey, Chairman

Mr. Harvey presented the Minutes of the Contracts Committee Meeting held on March 17, 2025, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office. Mr. Whaley, Interim Chief Operating Officer, then gave details of the individual contracts, and took questions.

#### 1) Request Board Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement between Michael Kader, M.D., for Neurosurgery Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE NEW PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN MICHAEL KADER, M.D., FOR NEUROSURGERY SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

2) Request Board Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement between Maria Pilar Gutierrez, M.D., for Medical Director, Pediatric Infectious Disease Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE NEW PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN MARIA PILAR GUTIERREZ, M.D., FOR MEDICAL DIRECTOR, PEDIATRIC INFECTIOUS DISEASE SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

3) Request Board Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement between Robert Reid, M.D., for Medical Director, Infection Control / Antibiotic Stewardship Program Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE NEW PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN ROBERT REID, M.D., FOR MEDICAL DIRECTOR, INFECTION

#### CONTROL / ANTIBIOTIC STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

4) Request Board Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement between Nitin Sharma, M.D., for Urology Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE NEW PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN NITIN SHARMA, M.D., FOR UROLOGY SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

5) Request Board Approval of the Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between Christopher DeMassi, M.D., for Chief, Adult Neurosurgery and Neurosciences (MHS) Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE RENEWAL PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHRISTOPHER DEMASSI, M.D., FOR CHIEF, ADULT NEUROSURGERY AND NEUROSCIENCES (MHS) SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

6) Request Board Approval of the Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between Tarek Zakaria, M.D., for Chief, Adult Neurology, and Medical Director, Epilepsy Programs Services, and South Broward Hospital District

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE RENEWAL PHYSICIAN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN TAREK ZAKARIA, M.D., FOR CHIEF, ADULT NEUROLOGY, AND MEDICAL DIRECTOR, EPILEPSY PROGRAMS SERVICES, AND SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

7) Request Board Approval of the Minutes of the Contracts Committee Meeting Held on March 17, 2025

Ms. Miller moved, seconded by Mr. Friedman, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE MINUTES OF THE CONTRACTS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON MARCH 17, 2025

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### b. <u>Finance Committee Meeting Held on March 17, 2025; Ms. Elizabeth Justen,</u> <u>Chairwoman</u>

Ms. Justen presented the Minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting held on March 17, 2025, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office. Mr. Veda Rampat, Vice President and Treasurer, then gave details of the items discussed at the meeting, and took questions.

Mr. Rampat confirmed that a final Board Motion would be brought back to a subsequent Finance Committee Meeting, regarding the Retirement Plan's Global Equity Manager Review, after the Legal Department had concluded its review of the Investment Policy Statement changes and Investment documents. This Motion would then be brought to the next Regular Board Meeting.

Ms. Miller congratulated Mr. Rampat on the very impressive portfolio.

1) Request Board Approval of the Required Changes to the Operating Fund Investment Policy Statement in Connection with the Recommendation to Split the Intermediate Fixed Income Mandate into Separate Intermediate Treasury and Credit Mandates

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Mr. Harrison, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE REQUIRED CHANGES TO THE OPERATING FUND INVESTMENT POLICY STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE RECOMMENDATION TO SPLIT THE INTERMEDIATE FIXED INCOME MANDATE INTO SEPARATE INTERMEDIATE TREASURY AND CREDIT MANDATES

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

At the request of Mr. Harrison, Mr. Alfredo Avalos, Senior Director of Security, gave an overview of the security presentation which was given at the Finance Committee Meeting.

#### 2) Request Board Approval of the Minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting Held on March 17, 2025

Mr. Friedman *moved, seconded* by Ms. Miller, that:

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE MINUTES OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON MARCH 17, 2025

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### c. Building Committee Meeting Held on March 18, 2025; Mr. Brad Friedman, Chairman

Mr. Friedman presented the Minutes of the Building Committee meeting held on March 18, 2025, a copy of which is on file in the Executive Office.

Mr. Friedman reported that the bid award recommendation would be deferred to the next Building Committee meeting, in order to correct a scrivener's error.

#### 1) Request Board Approval of the Minutes of the Building Committee Meeting Held on March 18, 2025

Mr. Harvey *moved, seconded* by Ms. Justen, that:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPROVES THE MINUTES OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON MARCH 18, 2025

The Motion *carried* unanimously.

#### 10. REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

None.

#### 11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

#### 12. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

#### 13. NEW BUSINESS

None.

#### 14. PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Mr. Strum began by wishing Ms. Miller a very Happy Birthday.

He began his presentation by reporting on Memorial Hospital Miramar's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations. The first baby born after the hospital opened, after only 33 minutes, returned to help celebrate the anniversary, together with nurses, physicians, and founding staff members. A video of the celebrations was shown, and he congratulated Mr. Demers on the milestone. He also reported on the Interventional Radiology Laboratory ribbon cutting ceremony, which formed part of the pre-meeting tour of the hospital.

He paid tribute to Enrique Gongora, M.D., former Medical Director of Memorial's Adult Heart Transplant and Mechanical Circulatory Support Program at the Memorial Cardiac and Vascular Institute, who passed away in November 2024.

He reported on the groundbreaking ceremony for Memorial's Freestanding Emergency Department in Miramar, which took place on March 25, 2025. Randy Katz, D.O., Medical Director of Emergency

Services at Memorial, then spoke of the importance of the Emergency Department to service the growing population in an area where there are not many other facilities, and how this will free up the Emergency Departments in the hospitals. He noted how Memorial's competitors are building and the need for us to stay competitive in the market. He was happy to see the project moving forward, and anticipated around 30,000 patients in the first year. Mr. Strum then showed a video of the groundbreaking ceremony.

He congratulated Atif Hussein, M.D., Medical Director for Oncology Cancer Research at the Memorial Cancer Institute, who has successfully secured a grant for \$1.3M for Glioblastoma early detection and precision therapy research. Dr. Hussein then spoke about his work as an Oncology Physician, and the department's continued application for funding, and thanked Mr. Strum for his support and assistance. Mr. Strum voiced his appreciation for Dr. Hussein and his team, and for Dr. Hussein's passion for his work.

He recognized various staff who have received awards and achieved milestones, including the Memorial Rehab Sharks Wheelchair Basketball Team, which has qualified for the National Division One Wheelchair Basketball Championship Series.

He gave details of finance and growth for each of Memorial's hospitals, and for the System, which showed an increase in patient visits and revenue over the prior year.

He ended his presentation by showing a video of a terminally ill patient at Memorial Hospital West, who married his partner of 25 years at the hospital days before he passed. With just an hour's notice, the staff bought flowers and a cake, and made a dress from a tablecloth and a veil from napkins. He commended the staff for their compassion, and for fulfilling the patient's greatest wish.

#### 15. CHAIRWOMAN'S COMMENTS

Ms. Justen allowed the other Board members to give their comments first.

She thanked Mr. Strum for assisting Memorial with the two Freestanding Emergency Departments and the "Better Together" initiative, which she opined demonstrated his commitment to Memorial. She noted his vision for growth and expansion.

She congratulated Mr. Strum on receiving the Becker's Healthcare Great Leaders in Healthcare Award, and presented him with a framed newspaper article regarding his appointment as Interim Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Healthcare System.

She thanked Mr. Demers, Ms. Kimberly Carlo, Executive Assistant, Ms. Yazmin Roman Montes, Administrative Assistant, and the administrative team from Memorial Hospital Miramar for hosting the meeting. She also thanked Chef Peter Kersley and his catering team for the dinner, and the IT team for their ongoing support of the meetings.

She confirmed that the next Regular Board meeting will take place at 3111 Stirling Road in the Perry Board Room, on Wednesday, April 23, 2025.

Finally, she confirmed that the Board members take their job very seriously, and dedicate time out of their days to perform what is required of them. She added that they are part of the Memorial family and are doing everything they can to make Memorial a better System.

#### 16. <u>COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS</u>

Dr. Orta thanked the staff at Memorial Hospital Miramar for hosting the Board meeting, and congratulated them on the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary. He addressed the changes at Memorial and how this was affecting some staff. He brought a message of peace and encouraged the Executive team to come up with some viable solutions to the situation.

Mr. Friedman thanked Dr. Hussein for his passion for his work, and Mr. Strum for his leadership. He also thanked Dr. Neville, Dr. Katz, and Alvaro Visbal, M.D., Medical Director of Critical Care Medicine at Memorial. He addressed the changes at Memorial and asked everyone to remember that its physicians are the foundation of the System.

Ms. Miller thanked everyone for their hard work, in particular Mr. Whaley and Ms. Epstein for giving so much of their time to Memorial. She asked Mr. Strum to ensure that the community was made aware of the Freestanding Emergency Departments. She thanked everyone for her birthday card and cake and for Memorial Hospital Miramar's hospitality.

Mr. Harrison echoed the sentiments of the other Board members who had spoken. He thanked and congratulated Dr. Hussein for securing the \$1.3M grant. He introduced Mr. Andrew Fernandez, Corporate Client Technology Manager, to the Board, and thanked him for his assistance with his laptop. He congratulated City of Miramar Commissioner Avril Cherasard and Fire Chief Jermaine McFarlane on their recent appointments. He addressed the changes at Memorial and stated he trusted the process, and totally supported Mr. Strum. He confirmed that Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital will not be closed. He noted how Mr. Frank Sacco, former President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial, had tried to bring the two Districts together, and he hoped that in the future he would be able to receive healthcare within the North Broward Hospital District. In addition, he reminded everyone that anyone can now build in Broward County, as the Certificate of Need ('CON') law no longer existed. He opined that within our geographical area, we have a golden opportunity to work together. Finally, he passed on his thanks to Mr. Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Regional Hospital, Mr. Whaley, Mr. Demers, and Ms. Felica Turnley, Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Hospital Pembroke. He also thanked the entire staff for their hard work.

Mr. Harvey addressed the changes at Memorial and asked that everyone trust the process. He confirmed that this was not being approached in a frivolous way, and that the Compliance and Internal Audit Department was monitoring this. He stated that it was important to look at efficiency and tough decisions had to be made.

#### 17. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, Ms. Justen declared the meeting adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

ATTEST:

#### THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

BY:

Elizabeth Justen, Chairwoman

**Douglas Harrison, Secretary Treasurer** 



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## **MHS Bylaws Committee Proposed Revision**

## **Executive Summary for Board of Commissioners – February 2025**

The following item requires review and approval. Note that all items have been approved by the Bylaws Committee, the Medical Executive Committees at each facility, and the general medical staff at large, as required.

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- 1. Bylaws:
  - A. Community Affiliate Status Revisions to remove requirements that status applies only to *current* members of the medical staff wishing to downsize practice, and delineation that certain regulatory items would not be required for this status. **RATIONALE:** Accommodate extension of practices who will not meet encounter/Focused Professional Practice Evaluation (FPPE) requirements (Wellington, Naples, etc.); accommodate local physicians who desire MHS affiliation for health plan/referral purposes, support industry transitions to Outpatient practice. This is essentially a membership without privileges.

#### **BYLAWS:**

#### Proposed Revision – Medical Staff Category

#### Community Affiliate Staff

- A. Community Affiliate Staff members are those Active members of the Medical Staff who maintain an office practice and wish to remain be affiliated with the hospitals in which the staff member currently has privileges and is in good standing, do not admit patients or perform inpatient procedures, but do not desire hospital privileges.
- B. The Community Affiliate Staff consists of Active Medical Staff members who fulfill all the requirements of Section 4.2, with the exception of Section 4.2(G). Community Affiliate Staff members are not required to meet the minimum patient encounter requirements in Section 5.3.E.
- C. Community Affiliate Staff members shall maintain a role in the management of his or her patient, which shall be limited to the following: refer and follow evaluating and advising

on the care of the patient. The Community Affiliate Staff member will have read only access to hospital medical records.

- D. Community Affiliate Staff members shall not be eligible to admit patients, write orders or progress notes, vote, or hold office. They may serve on standing committees as non-voting member. Community Affiliate Staff members shall be required to pay Medical Staff dues.
- E. Affiliate staff members shall be exempt from the requirements for routine Focused Professional Practice Evaluation (FPPE), routine Ongoing Professional Practice Evaluation (OPPE), Hospital Orientation, and educational and health requirements of hospital-based practitioners.
- E. Community Affiliate Staff members who wish to return transfer to the Active Staff category must satisfy the requirements of Section 3.2 and Articles 4, 5 and 6 as applicable.

### Key to references to Bylaws items:

- 4.2 refers to qualifications for membership, including education, training, licensure, etc. 4.2G refers to maintenance of residence/primary office located within reasonable travel time of the hospitals.
- 5.3E refers to encounter volume requirements
- 3.2 described the requirements to achieve Active staff status (membership and clinical privileges)
- Articles 4, 5 and 6 detail the requirements for membership, procedures for appointment and reappointment and clinical privileges.



April 16, 2025

Ms. Elizabeth Justen Chairwoman Board of Commissioners South Broward Hospital District

Dear Ms. Justen:

The Executive Committees of the Medical Staff met on these dates:

- Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) and Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital (JDCH) on April 16, 2025
- Memorial Hospital West (MHW) on April 14, 2025
- Memorial Hospital Pembroke (MHP) on April 10, 2025
- Memorial Hospital Miramar (MHM) on April 9, 2025

All committees made a recommendation to accept the report of the Credentials Committee as follows:

New Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Status	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Amjad, Ibrahim Hosain, MD	Plastic Surgery	Active	On Staff	On Staff	On Staff	X	On Staff	2 years	
Cameron, Blaine Simon, MD	Pain Medicine	Active	Х					2 years	
Chen, Yu APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	APP	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	2 years	
Cross, Jacob, Thomas, MD	Family Medicine (Virtualist)	Active	Х					2 years	

That the following applicants be approved for membership as indicated:

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New Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Status	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Diaz, Emily Marie, APRN	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (Drs. Joanne Delgado-Lebron; Jackson Cohen; Ivor Nugent; Ian Miller; Robert Klecz; Janice Cohen; Jeremy Jacobs; David Valdes; Breonna Holland; Raul Rolon Torres; Theophila Semanoff; Reed Yaras; Lauren Cuenant; Sarah Pastoriza & Neenu Cherian)	APP	X	X				1 year	Recommend one year initial appointment with FPPE.
Erickson, Vanessa, APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	APP	X	Х	X	X	Х	2 years	
Escobar, Luis Alcides, MD	Pain Medicine	Active	On Staff	Х				2 years	
Fernandez, Thalia, AA	Anesthesiology Assistant (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	APP	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	2 years	
Franco, Edson, MD	Transplant Surgery	Active	On Staff	Х	X	X	On Staff	2 years	
Gaines, Holly Lynn, MD	Cardiovascular Disease	Active		Х				2 years	
Galia, Danielle Marie, APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Richard Elf)	APP	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	2 years	
Greenberger, Benjamin Aaron, MD	Radiation Oncology	Active	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	2 years	
Hernandez- Rodriguez, Yoel A., MD	Internal Medicine	Active	X	On Staff	On Staff	On Staff		2 years	

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New Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Status	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Jawaid, Asif, DO	Cardiovascular Disease	Active	X					2 years	
Kaddour, Abderrahmen Larbi, MD	Diagnostic Radiology	Active	X	Х	X	Х	Х	2 years	
Knoblauch, Meta Susan, APRN	Neonatal Perinatal Medicine (Drs. Cherie Foster; Mesfin Afework; Yasser Al-Jebawi; M Auerbach; Sharell Bindom; Gianina Davila; Cristian Esquer; Ruxandra Faraon-Pogaceanu; Vicki Johnston; Doron Kahn; Angela Leon Hernandez; Lester Mc Intyre; Estela Pina; Claudia Ocampo-Chih; Bruce Schulman; Max Shenberger; Mona Tabbara; Flavio Soliz; Pablo Valencia & Mariela Rosado)	APP		X		X	X	2 years	
Konner, Marcus Lawrence, DO	Diagnostic Radiology	Active	X	Х	X	Х	Х	2 years	
Ramirez, Ron, MD	Family Medicine	Active		Х				2 years	
Reyes III, Francis Solis, RRA	Registered Radiologist Assistant (Dr. Benjamin Freedman)	AHP	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	2 years	
Rivasplata Vignolo, Estephania, PA	Neonatal Perinatal Medicine (Dr. Ruxandra Faraon-Pogaceanu)	APP		Х		Х	Х	2 years	
Robison, Taylor Gabrielle, DO	Pediatrics	Active	X	Х		Х	On Staff	2 years	

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New Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Status	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Solomon, Gabriela, APRN	Pain Medicine (Dr. Nancy Erickson)	APP	X	Х	Х	Х		2 years	
Sotolongo, Roberto, MD	Internal Medicine	Active		Х				2 years	
Vijay, Adarsh, MD	Transplant Surgery	Active	On Staff	On Staff	Х	Х	On Staff	2 years	
Zelfman, Mikhail, DO	Family Medicine	Active	Х					2 years	

### That the following applicants for reappointment be approved as indicated:

Reappointment Applicant	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Name	( <b>°F</b> • • • • • • • • • • • •								
Abbasi MD, Nuzhat Aziz	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Abid MD, Farhan	Nephrology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Adams DO, Kenneth Paul	Ophthalmology	5/1/2025		Active		Active	Active	2 years	
Aguilar PA, Manuela Magaly	Emergency Medicine (Dr. Louis Jane)	5/1/2025			APP			2 years	
Alvarado MD, Anel	Surgery	5/1/2025		Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Ambroise, Margia Ferrer,	Pediatrics (Newborn Nursery	5/1/2025		Active		Active	Active	1 year	Recommend one year reappointment pending

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Reappointment Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
MD	Only)								completion of FPPE. Due to a recent change in newborn nursery privilege criteria, practitioner must now have an observation period of 15 patient encounters, as opposed to 30, with a credentialed member of the medical staff with pediatric newborn nursery privileges, who must verify their competency.
Anderson PA, Janice Cora	Emergency Medicine (Drs. Adam Rubin & Donny Perez)	5/1/2025	APP					2 years	
Ansari-Lari MD, PHD, Mohammad Ali	Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
Areopagita MD, Jesse Natividad	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Azoubel PA, Cynthia Lorraine	Emergency Medicine (Drs. Steven Katz & Juan Villegas)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Benhayon Lanes MD, Daniel Alberto	Electrophysiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active		Active	2 years	Due to patient care need in assisting with the treatment of

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Reappointment Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
									pediatric patients with congenital cardiac issues, Committee recommended to exempt Dr. Benhayon Lanes from pediatric encounters.
Bennett DO, Richard S	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Birman MD, Alex	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with additional privileges for: Endometrial AblationNovaSure Procedure.
Birriel-Cardona MD, Jose A	Pediatric Pulmonology	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Bivins MD, Megan Clifton	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Blanco APRN, Luis Manuel	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025		AHP				2 years	
Blum MD, David Ari	Orthopedic Surgery	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Bou Nemer MD, Laurice	Reproductive Endocrinology	5/1/2025				Active		2 years	

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Brautbar MD, Ariel Shlomo	Medical Genetics	5/1/2025	Active	Active		Active	Active	2 years	
Calixto PA, Ana Lizeth	Oncology and Hematology (Dr. Matthew Taub)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Caplan PA, Michael Gregory	Emergency Medicine (Dr. Randy Katz)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Cauff MD, Brian Eric	Pediatric Hematology & Medical Oncology	5/1/2025	Active	Active		Active	Active	2 years	
Chapman- Leccesse PA, Melissa Lee	Pediatric Orthopedic Surgery (Dr. Stephen Storer)	5/1/2025	APP			APP	APP	2 years	
Chery MD, Stevenson Brisson	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Chittiprol PHD, Seetharamaiah	Clinical Scientist (Dr. Artur De Rangel Filho)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP	AHP	AHP	2 years	
Clough APRN, Catherine Ann	Emergency Medicine (Dr. Louis Jane)	5/1/2025			APP			2 years	Recommend two year reappointment. Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM Course.

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Dauerman PA, Robyn Diana	Gynecology & Female Pelvic and Reconstructive Surgery (Drs. Jennifer Pollak & Jessica Buck Ritch)	5/1/2025		APP	APP			2 years	
De La Flor RNFA, Leonel Sebastian	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Robert Rothfield)	5/1/2025		AHP		AHP		2 years	
Ditchek MD, Jordan Jay	Diagnostic Radiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
D'Ugard, Esteban Claudio	Surgical Assistant	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Dupuy DO, Gladys	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025				Active		2 years	
Egozi MD, Leon	Surgery	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with additional privileges as follows: Sentinel lymph node biopsy, lymphatic mapping; SAVI Scout & (Endoscopic Transthoracic Sympathectomy- not on current DoP)

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Escorcia APRN, Julissa Jimenez	Pediatric Cardiology (Drs. Maximo Aguirre & Katelyn Snyder)	5/1/2025		APP		APP	APP	2 years	
Farnsworth APRN, Brigitte Elizabeth	Neurology (Dr. Tarek Zakaria)	5/1/2025	APP	APP				2 years	
Fields MD, Tricia Charlene	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Figueroa CCP, Darien	Perfusionist (Dr. Juan Plate)	5/1/2025	AHP				AHP	2 years	
Fridman PA, Mark Aaron	Pediatric Otolaryngology/Head and Neck Surgery (Dr. Samuel Ostrower)	5/1/2025		APP			APP	2 years	
Friefeld MD, Richard Stuart	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025				Active		1 month	Recommend one month reappointment pending completion of peer review at MHM.
Gadh DO, Ruchika Thapar	Family Medicine	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Garcia De Viera MD, Jocelyn	Pediatric Cardiology	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Garcia MD, Berenice A	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	

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Giraldo APRN, Vanessa	Internal Medicine (Dr. Fausto De La Cruz)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Gitelmaker, Dimitri, MD	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active					1 year	Recommend one year reappointment pending increased patient encounter volume to allow a review of quality data.
Goldberg MD, Lester Roy	Diagnostic Radiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
Goldberger APRN, Tatiana Rendon	Pediatrics (Drs. Robert Casey; Angelica Parra; Robin Chaize; Jassett Maragh; Jessica Molokie; Scott Lazar; Leah Regenbaum; Megan Bivins; Marie Silencieux-Cineas & Lindsay Weiss)	5/1/2025					APP	2 years	
Gomez PA, Johnny Edward	Internal Medicine (Dr. Robert Perry)	5/1/2025		APP				2 years	
Griffis MD, Stacie	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with additional privileges for: Care of patient with acute stroke (MHW)

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Grodin PSYD, Lauren Kimberly	Psychology	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Hall APRN, Anne Marie Gillia	Pediatric Emergency Medicine (Dr. Heidi Cohen)	5/1/2025		APP		APP	APP	2 years	
Harris PA, Shatril	Gynecology and Female Pelvic & Reconstructive Surgery (Drs. Jennifer Pollak; Jessica Ritch & Laura Martin)	5/1/2025		APP	APP			2 years	
Higgins MD, Calvin Constantine	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025		Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Highfield APRN, Jennifer Mary	Pediatric Critical Care Medicine (Dr. Jason Adler)	5/1/2025					APP	2 years	
Hussein MD, Atif Mahmoud	Oncology and Hematology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Ibrahim MD, Bassel Badie	Interventional Cardiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Iuchyk PA, Aleksandra	Neonatal Perinatal Medicine (Drs. Doron Kahn; Mesfin Afework; Yasser Al-Jebawi; M Auerbach; Sharell	5/1/2025		APP		APP	APP	2 years	

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Name									
	Bindom; Gianina								
	Davila; Cristian								
	Esquer; Cherie								
	Foster; Vicki								
	Johnston; Lester								
	McIntyre, Estela								
	Pina; Bruce								
	Schulman; Mona								
	Tabbara; Flavio								
	Soliz; Pablo								
	Valencia; Angela								
	Leon Hernandez;								
	Mariela Sanchez								
	Rosado; Claudia								
	Ocampo-Chih;								
	Ruxandra Faraon &								
	Max Shenberger)								
Jackson APRN,	Neurosurgery,	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	2 years	Recommend two year
Yalonda Nachole	Pediatric							-	reappointment and
	Neurosurgery &								relinquishment of
	Vascular								privileges as follows:
	Interventional								Obtain arterial blood
	Neurology								sample; Removal of
	(Drs. Christopher								venous or arterial
	DeMassi; Brandon								sheath; Application and
	Davis; Clinton								removal of splint or
	Burkett; Dean								cast; Splinting and
	Hertzler II; Daniel								immobilization of
	Aghion; Simon								fractures & Function as
	Buttrick; Luis								surgical first assistant
	Romero; Laurence								to the supervising

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Name	Davidson; David Smolar; Amanda Kwasnicki; Norman								physician(s) in credentialed procedure.
	Ajiboye & Brijesh Mehta)								
Jacob APRN, Riya	Cardiovascular Disease (Drs. Juan Brenes; Julio Peguero Moreno; Minaba Wariboko; Chao-wen Lee; Anand Desai; Alvaro Vargas Pelaez; Ethan Siev; Alian Aguila; Michael Entenberg; Jayant Nath & Paola Casanova)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Jacobson PA, Mitchell	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Jacques APRN, Jessica Anne	Oncology and Hematology (Drs. Brian Hunis; Paul Entler; Luis Raez; Pablo Ferraro; Gelenis Domingo; Brian Pico; Jennifer Zikria; Manuel Martinez; Daren Grosman; Meri Muminovic; Jesus	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	

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	Fabregas Mercado; Frederick Wittlin; Atif Hussein; Michel Vulfovich; Matthew Salzberg; Marcelo Blaya; Adriana Milillo Naraine; Aurelio Castrellon; Delia Guaqueta Segura & Alejandra Ergle)								
Johnson PA, Lauren	Pediatric Orthopedic Surgery (Dr. Randolph Cohen)	5/1/2025	APP			APP	APP	2 years	
Jorge-Rodriguez MD, Natalie	Family Medicine	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	Recommend two year reappointment and additional privileges for: 1) Core Privileges Ambulatory Primary Care-Pediatrics; and 2) Core Privileges for Virtualist.
Jules MD, Clinton	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Kallstrom APRN, Nicole Catherine	Pediatric Critical Care Medicine (Dr. Jason Adler)	5/1/2025					APP	2 years	

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Kanaroglou MD, Androniki	Pediatric Urology	5/1/2025					Community Affiliate	2 years	
Kandinov MD, Lev David	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Kelegama MD, Ana Dilukshi	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Kim MD, Peter	Critical Care Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Kohlsaat AA, Christine Jennifer	Anesthesiologist Assistant (Dr. Cameron Howard)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	2 years	
Korenge MD, Mark Michael	Anesthesiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
Lacson PA, Philip	Pulmonary Disease (Dr. Waddah Allaf)	5/1/2025	APP					2 years	
Landman MD, Jaime	Pediatric Allergy & Immunology	5/1/2025	Active				Active	2 years	
Le MD, Quang Thanh	Dermatology	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Lovera MD, Karen Adriana	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	

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Lugo-Arrendell MD, Luis Horacio	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025		Active		Active		2 years	
Madrigal APRN, Jose Javier	Cardiovascular Disease (Dr. Yale Cohen)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Marshall APRN, Odette M	Neurosurgery & Pediatric Neurosurgery (Drs. Christopher DeMassi; Simon Buttrick; Daniel Aghion; Brandon Davis; Clinton Burkett; Luis Romero; David Smolar; Dean Hertzler & Amanda Kwasnicki)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	2 years	
Mathias PA, Naicka D	Medical Genetics (Drs. Roman Yusupov, Raiza Exantus & Ariel Brautbar)	5/1/2025	APP				APP	2 years	
Mazza AA, Lucia	Anesthesiologist Assistant (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	2 years	
McCusker CCP, Ryan P	Perfusionist (Dr. Juan Plate)	5/1/2025	AHP				AHP	1 month	Recommend one month reappointment pending completion of CRM

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Reappointment Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
									Course.
Mendez DO, Jose Edward	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Merilien APRN, Esther	Hematology (Dr. Foluso Ogunsile)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Miller PA, Matthew David	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Minars MD, Norman	Dermatology	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Molokie MD, Jessica	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Montes MD, Aldo Ray	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025		Active	Active			2 years	
Mora Tejeda APRN, Iris	Internal Medicine (Dr. Fausto De La Cruz)	5/1/2025		APP				2 years	
Murillo APRN, Adiene Caridad	Oncology and Hematology (Dr. Aurelio Castrellon)	5/1/2025	APP	APP				2 years	
Mussary MD, Jordan	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	

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Neville MD, Holly Leigh	Pediatric Surgery	5/1/2025	Active	Active		Active	Active	2 years	
Ohring MD, Marshall David	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Palermo MD, Coromoto Angela	Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Pascheles MD, Celine Yael	Emergency Medicine	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with Deep Sedation privileges.
Paz MD, Cintia Alejandra	Family Medicine	5/1/2025			Active			2 years	
Peralta Lee MD, Dihloren Antonia	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025		Active		Active		2 years	
Perez Caminero MD, Margarita Virginia	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025				Active		2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with a change in specialty from Internal Medicine to Cardiovascular Disease, and a transfer to the Community Affiliate staff.
Plagov MD, Andrei	Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	

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Puello APRN, Karen	Surgery (Drs. Davis Horkan; Hector Pombo & Alberto Iglesias)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	
Rafuls APRN, Alejandro	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Reid APRN, CRNA, Andrene Rose Marie	Anesthesia (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	2 years	
Reis MD, PHD, Gerald Feliz	Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
Reiss MD, Lawrence Michael	Cardiovascular Disease	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active			2 years	
Reinherz DO, Benjamin Jeremy	Ophthalmology	5/1/2025	Active					3 months	Recommend three month reappointment pending completion of CRM course.
Reyes Padilla MD, Alvaro Abel	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Riordan PA, Krysten Ann	Orthopedic Surgery and Sports Medicine (Drs. Daniel Chan; James MacKenzie; Marvin Smith; Geden Franck; Giorgio	5/1/2025	APP			APP		2 years	

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	Negron; Alex Fokin Jr.; Eduardo Natal- Albelo; Matthew Avery & Alexander Nguyen)								
Rodriguez MD, Victor Luis	Anesthesiology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	Recommend two year reappointment with additional privileges for: Perioperative Point-of-Care Ultrasound (POCUS)
Rojas MD, Janina Elizabeth	Pediatrics	5/1/2025				Active		2 years	
Rothstein DO, Jeffrey	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Salsbury MD, Helen Margaret	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025				Active		2 years	
Scaria APRN, Sujamol	Advanced Heart Failure and Transplant Cardiology (Drs. Namita Joseph; Priyanka Gosain; Miguel Castro; Iani Patsias & Mariella Velez-Martinez)	5/1/2025	APP	APP	APP	APP		2 years	Recommend two year reappointment and relinquishment of privileges as follows: Performance of cardiopulmonary stress test and exercise testing.

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Siddiqui DO, Imran Uddin	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Siegel DDS, Marc Alan	Dentist	5/1/2025		Active		Active	Active	2 years	Recommend two year reappointment and relinquishment of privileges as follows: Endodontics & Periodontics Specialist
Simmonds APRN, Marcia L Williams	Vascular and Interventional Radiology (Drs. Charles Myers; Richard Baker III; Anastas Nenov; Amer Naiem; Michael Cohn; Sami Lewin; Federico Bengoa; Steven Doukides; Michael Rainisch; Oscar Garcia-Fraga; David Epstein & Daniel Mir)	5/1/2025	APP				APP	2 years	
Sinicrope DO, Pasquale	Emergency Medicine	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Sole DO, Keila	Pediatrics	5/1/2025		Active		Active	Active	2 years	

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Reappointment Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
Sterling MD, Glenn Barry	Dermatology	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	
Szymanski CNIM, Erica Lauren	Neurointraoperative Monitorist (Dr. Jason Soriano)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP		AHP	2 years	
Tello MD, Edna Lillian	Pediatrics	5/1/2025					Active	2 years	
Thomas PA, Zachary Purnell	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Urgiles MD, Susana Cristina	Internal Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Velarde MD, Sylvia Katherine	Obstetrics and Gynecology	5/1/2025		Active				2 years	Recommend two year reappointment. Discontinue robotic surgical privileges for failing to meet robotic case criteria, reporting 6 out of 20 robotic cases. Proctoring of cases for Use of Morcellator remains pending,
Villar DO, Ann- Margaret C	Pediatrics	5/1/2025		Active		Active	Active	2 years	granted 10/3/2024. Recommend two year reappointment with additional privileges

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Reappointment Applicant Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Term	Action by Committee
									for: Limited to Normal Newborn Nursery ONLY Committee also accepted request to relinquish privileges for: Core Privileges in General Pediatrics
Walker MD, Janice Renee	Family Medicine	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active		2 years	
Walker- Prendergast PA, Troy	Surgical Assistant (Dr. Farid Assouad)	5/1/2025	AHP	AHP	AHP			2 years	
Williams DPM, Marie L	Podiatry	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Wu MD, Timothy Peter	Dermatology	5/1/2025	Active					2 years	
Younes MD, Souhad Boutros	Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	
Zuluaga Toro MD, Tania	Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	5/1/2025	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	2 years	

That the following changes in privileges for lack of Crew Resource Management Training Course be approved:

I	Practitioners	Specialty	Appointment	Expirable	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
	Name	(Sponsor)	Date	Date						

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Practitioners Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Appointment Date	Expirable Date	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Avila, Karen, APRN	Orthopedic Surgery	1/20/2025	4/1/2025	Х	Х		Х		Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM training course.
Draben, Lether Celeste, APRN	Pediatric Cardiology	1/20/2025	4/1/2025	Х				Х	Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM training course.
Elguera, Elizabeth Denise, MD	Obstetrics and Gynecology	1/20/2025	4/1/2025		Х		Х		Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM training course.
Maas, Austin James, CCP	Perfusionist	1/20/2025	4/1/2025	Х					Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM training course.
Torre, Carlos Andres, MD	Otolaryngology/ Head and Neck Surgery	1/20/2025	4/1/2025	Х	Х	Х	Х		Discontinue invasive privileges pending completion of CRM training course.

That the following requests for changes, additions or relinquishment of privileges be approved:

Name	Specialty	Request	Privilege	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
	(Sponsor)								
Aguilar, Wendy P APRN	Surgical Oncology (Drs. Natasha	Additional	Prescribe/order controlled	X	Х				Recommend approval.
AFKIN	Rueth; Heather		substances						
	Wright; Aeisha		(DEA required)						
	Rivers & Erica								
	Bloomquist)								

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Request	Privilege	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Antenor, Roodlyne Kimberly, PA	Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism (Dr. Amy Aronovitz)	Additional	Prescribe/order controlled substances (DEA required)	Х			X		Recommend approval.
Fernandez, Jennifer, APRN	Urology (Dr. Jonathan Silberstein)	Additional	Prescribe/order- controlled substances (DEA required)	X	Х				Recommend approval.
Saka, Fiorella Jahaira, APRN	Neurology (Drs. Mhd Zakaria; Seth Tarras; Maike Blaya; Sean Kenniff; Mohammed Qureshi; Noureldin Abdelhamid & Fawad Yousuf.)	Relinquish	Medical/Surgical DOP Privileges	X	X				Recommend approval.
Saka, Fiorella Jahaira, APRN	Employee Health (Dr. Marc Shapiro)	Additional	Employee Health Privileges: Obtain medical histories and perform physical examinations on applicants and employees & conduct clinical assessments of employees with						Recommend approval.

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			illness or injury.						
Selesky, Shari Elaina, PA	Trauma Surgery (Dr. Andrew Rosenthal)	Relinquish	PA- Trauma Surgery privileges	Х				Х	Recommend approval.
Sutton, Tracy Lee, APRN	Employee Health (Dr. Barbara Coplowitz)	Relinquish	APRN- Employee Health privileges	Х	Х	Х	Х		Recommend approval.

Please be advised that these applicants for appointment and reappointment were processed through the Board approved Credentialing Procedure that meets and exceeds the requirements of Florida Statute 395.011, and the standards of The Joint Commission.

The Executive Committees also accer	ted the following recommendation	is for changes in staff status as indicated:

Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Austin, Carol, Christine, APRN	Pain Medicine (Dr. Adam Shestack)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 2/26/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP		Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 2/26/2025.
Blanco, Cy Raymond, MD	Pain Medicine	Request resignation effective 2/26/2025.	Active	Active	Active	Active		Accepted resignation effective 2/26/2025.
Bou Nemer, Laurice, MD	Reproductive Endocrinology	Request resignation at MHW only,		Active		On staff		Accepted resignation at MHW only,

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
		effective 8/18/2023.						effective 8/18/2023.
Bustamante Rivas, Carlos I., MD	Infectious Disease	Request resignation effective 3/10/2025.	Community Affiliate	Community Affiliate				Accepted resignation effective 3/10/2025.
Camp, Erik Guilford, PA	Emergency Medicine	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Team Health, effective 1/2/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP		Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Team Health, effective 1/2/2025.
Cruz-Zeno, Edwin Rodolfo, MD	Pediatric Rehabilitation Medicine	Request resignation effective 6/27/2025.	Active				Active	Accepted resignation effective 6/27/2025.
Elmstrom, Cara Leigh, PA	Oncology and Hematology (Dr. Eric Rishe)	Request resignation effective 3/10/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP		Accepted resignation effective 3/10/2025.
Fishman, Arthur M., MD	Ophthalmology	Request resignation effective 12/5/2024.		Active				Accepted resignation effective 12/5/2024.

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Gallego, Nicole, MD	Internal Medicine	Request resignation effective 3/19/2025.		Active				Accepted resignation effective 3/19/2025.
Garcia, Melanie Eleanor, APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.
Golembieski, Kaitlin, DO	Pediatrics	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Pediatric Associates, effective 2/21/2025.		Active		Active	Active	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Pediatric Associates, effective 2/21/2025.

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Grell, Margaret Inez, MD	Pediatrics	Request resignation effective 3/31/2025.	Active				Active	Accepted resignation effective 3/31/2025.
Hatzis, Brenda Karina, APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Clint Christensen)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.
Johnson Jr., James Earl, MD	Anesthesiology	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/14/2025.	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/14/2025.

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Jones, Theo, APRN	Family Medicine (Virtualist) (Dr. Joshua Emdur)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 3/10/2025.	APP					Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 3/10/2025.
Kachappilly, Preetha Liju, APRN	Internal Medicine and Nephrology (Drs. Sukhvinder Gulati & Manjit Singh Gulati)	Request resignation at MHW & MHP only, effective 3/12/2025.	On Staff	APP	APP			Accepted resignation at MHW & MHP only, effective 3/12/2025.
Lal, Garima, MD	Pediatric Ophthalmology	Request resignation effective 5/31/2025.				Active	Active	Accepted resignation effective 5/31/2025.
Leon, Juan Ruben	Surgical Assistant	Request resignation effective 3/5/2025.	AHP	AHP	AHP			Accepted resignation effective 3/5/2025.
Levy, Alexandra Michele, MD	Obstetrics and Gynecology	Request resignation effective 4/14/2025.	Active			Active		Accepted resignation effective 4/14/2025.
Maus, Caitlin Violet APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
		through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.						services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.
Mir, Danial Ibrahim Ahmed, MD	Interventional and Diagnostic Radiology	Request resignation effective 6/13/2025.	Active	Active	Active	Active	Active	Accepted resignation effective 6/13/2025.
Nguyen, Kristy Monglan, AA	Anesthesiologist Assistant (Dr. Cameron Howard)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/14/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/14/2025.
Reed, Brenda, APRN	Pain Medicine (Dr. Adam Shestack)	Request resignation effective 2/26/2025.	APP	APP	APP	APP		Accepted resignation effective 2/26/2025.
Ring, Christina Mary Travers APRN	Pediatric Endocrinology (Drs. Robin Nemery; Martha Taboada; Sarah Hart-Unger; Lital Reitblat & Chelsea Gordner)	Request resignation effective 2/27/2025.					APP	Accepted resignation effective 2/27/2025.

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Sacks, Samuel H., MD	Pediatrics	Request resignation effective 3/6/2025.		Active		Active	Active	Accepted resignation effective 3/6/2025.
Sareli MD, Aharon Eliezer	Critical Care Medicine	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 2/21/2025.	Active	Active	Active	Active		Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS effective 2/21/2025.
Schwartz, Harvey D., MD	Neurology	Request resignation effective 3/5/2025.	Active					Accepted resignation effective 3/5/2025.
Sipos, Kristine Maurie, APRN	Vascular Surgery (Dr. Rodrigo Fonseca)	Request resignation effective 5/1/2025.		APP	APP	APP		Accepted resignation effective 5/1/2025.
Uztariz, Giselle Carmy	Surgical Assistant	Request resignation effective 8/18/2023.	AHP	AHP				Accepted resignation effective 8/18/2023.
Williams, Brittany Taylor, APRN, CRNA	Nurse Anesthetist (Dr. Kiesha Raphael)	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through Envision	APP	APP	APP	APP	APP	Automatic Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in

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Name	Specialty (Sponsor)	Торіс	MRH	MHW	MHP	MHM	JDCH	Action by Committee
Wisniewski,	Surgical Assistant	Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025.	AHP	AHP	AHP			MHS through Envision Physician Services, effective 3/17/2025. Automatic
Bethany Danielle, PA	(Dr. Farid Assouad)	Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through AP Health effective 2/21/2025.						Termination of membership and privileges. No longer providing services in MHS through AP Health, effective 2/21/2025.

April 2025	MHS
New Physician Appointments	10
New AHP Appointments	9
Physician Reappointments	78
AHP Reappointments	50
Physician Resignations/Terminations	14
AHP Resignations/Terminations	15

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Your approval of these recommendations is requested.

Sincerely,

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Maria Pilar Gutierrez, MD President Memorial Regional Hospital Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital

Juan Villegas, M.D. Chief of Staff Memorial Hospital Miramar

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# **Memorial** Healthcare System

**Financial Reports for March 2025** 

April 23rd, 2025 Board Meeting

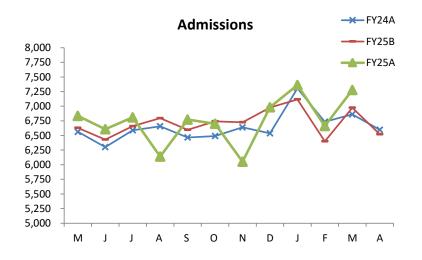


### Memorial Healthcare System - Executive Summary - MTD March 2025

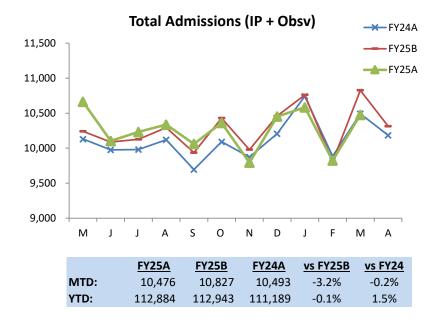
- Inpatient Revenue was above budget due to 13.3% higher emergency room admissions, 4.4% higher admissions, and 0.9% higher patient days
- Outpatient Revenue was above budget due to 5.6% higher outpatient visits
- Net Revenue of \$304.4M was above the budget of \$289.3M, and Income from Operations of \$11.9M was higher than the budget of \$11.5M
- Excess of Revenues over Expenses was \$16.5M, with an unrealized loss of (\$0.9M), compared with the budgeted Excess of Revenues over Expenses of \$15.8M

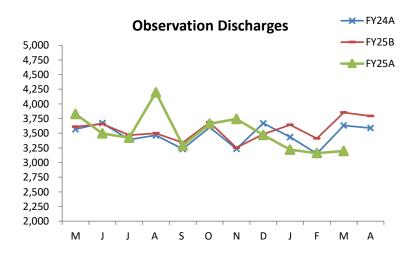
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### Memorial Healthcare System - Consolidated Volumes and Payor Mix - March 2025



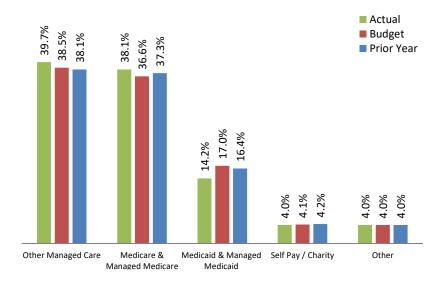
	<u>FY25A</u>	FY25B	<u>FY24A</u>	vs FY25B	<u>vs FY24</u>
MTD:	7,278	6,974	6,861	4.4%	6.1%
YTD:	74,200	74,043	73,141	0.2%	1.4%





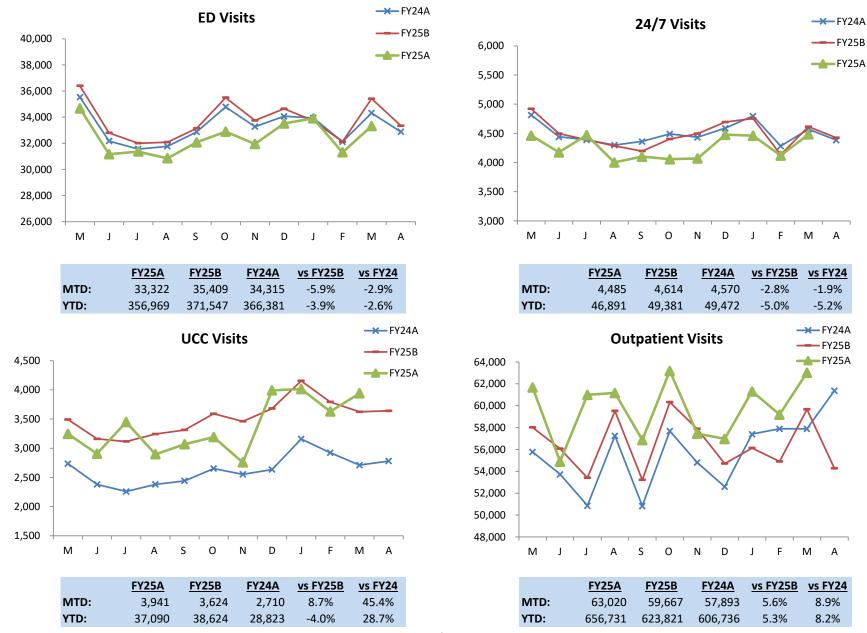
	<u>FY25A</u>	FY25B	<u>FY24A</u>	<u>vs FY25B</u>	<u>vs FY24</u>
MTD:	3,198	3,853	3,632	-17.0%	-11.9%
YTD:	38,684	38,900	38,048	-0.6%	1.7%

#### Payor Mix (Gross Revenue) - YTD FY2025



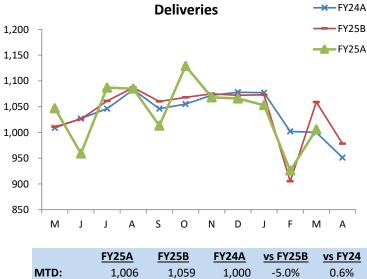
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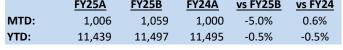
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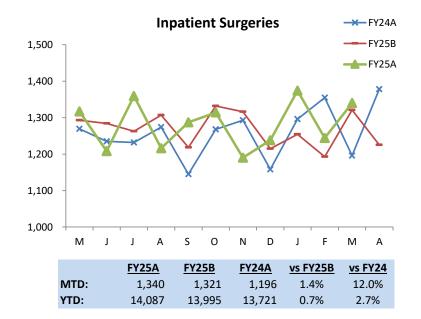


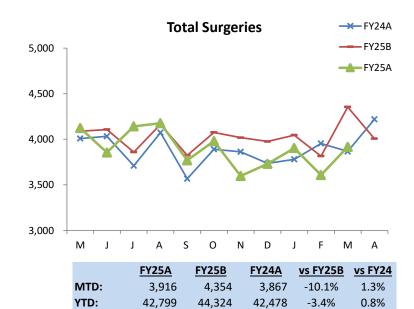
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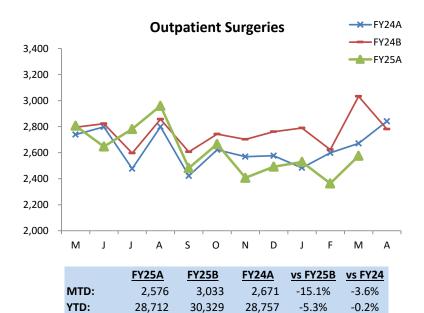
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### Memorial Healthcare System - Operating Statement - March 2025

	Vari	ance	N	/onth to Date		\$ thousands		Year to Date		Varia	ince
	vs PY	vs Budget	Prior Year	Budget	Actual		Actual	Budget	Prior Year	vs Budget	vs PY
А	14.2%	8.4%	901,717	950,211	1,029,909	Inpatient Revenue	10,468,350	10,163,316	9,485,558	3.0%	10.4%
В	15.7%	3.5%	843,079	942,200	975,066	Outpatient Revenue	10,301,645	9,952,724	8,893,961	3.5%	15.8%
С	14.9%	5.9%	1,744,796	1,892,412	2,004,975	Total Patient Revenue	20,769,996	20,116,040	18,379,519	3.3%	13.0%
D	17.6%	4.4%	1,383,450	1,557,489	1,626,246	Contractual Allowances	16,812,641	16,568,044	14,843,756	1.5%	13.3%
Е	(45.4%)	(1.4%)	106,663	59,034	58,206	Charity Care	746,269	627,686	694,264	18.9%	7.5%
F	>100%	>100%	(21,077)	7,957	43,891	Provision for Bad Debt	286,992	84,026	124,550	>100%	>100%
G	17.7%	6.4%	1,469,036	1,624,481	1,728,343	Total Deductions	17,845,902	17,279,756	15,662,571	3.3%	13.9%
н	0.3%	3.2%	275,760	267,931	276,633	Net Patient Revenue	2,924,093	2,836,283	2,716,948	3.1%	7.6%
I	(28.9%)	(16.8%)	4,554	3,888	3,236	Disproportionate Share Distributions	34,387	44,710	54,562	(23.1%)	(37.0%)
J	39.0%	40.3%	17,676	17,522	24,578	Other Operating Revenue	255,787	203,870	198,903	25.5%	28.6%
К	25.1%	29.9%	22,230	21,411	27,814	Total Other Operating Revenue	290,174	248,580	253,465	16.7%	14.5%
L	2.2%	5.2%	297,990	289,341	304,447	Net Revenue	3,214,268	3,084,864	2,970,413	4.2%	8.2%
М	6.7%	3.5%	135,408	139,601	144,431	Salaries & Wages	1,518,780	1,482,336	1,411,740	2.5%	7.6%
Ν	11.2%	(6.4%)	19,607	23,284	21,798	Employee Benefits	255,562	261,994	218,918	(2.5%)	16.7%
0	21.6%	(0.2%)	6,389	7,784	7,769	Professional Fees	83,724	84,753	71,757	(1.2%)	16.7%
Р	18.8%	22.3%	57,309	55,644	68,057	Supplies Expense	675,490	599,900	602,727	12.6%	12.1%
Q	>100%	5.3%	4,776	19,127	20,137	Purchased Services	212,625	208,358	219,858	2.0%	(3.3%)
R	(5.7%)	(1.8%)	8,536	8,198	8,051	Facilities Expense	88,186	93,056	80,785	(5.2%)	9.2%
S	(57.5%)	(3.6%)	32,899	14,492	13,972	Depreciation & Amortization	148,324	149,467	131,760	(0.8%)	12.6%
т	>100%	(13.7%)	3,947	9,704	8,378	Other Operating Expense	110,363	113,059	98,555	(2.4%)	12.0%
v	8.8%	5.3%	268,871	277,834	292,593	Total Expenses	3,093,054	2,992,923	2,836,100	3.3%	9.1%
w	(59.3%)	3.0%	29,119	11,507	11,854	Income/(Loss) from Operations	121,214	91,941	134,313	31.8%	(9.8%)
х	N/A	N/A	-	-	(93)	Tax Revenue	(1,026)	-	-	N/A	N/A
Y	36.9%	2.4%	(4,364)	(2,821)	(2,754)	Interest Expense	(30,972)	(31,171)	(31,192)	0.6%	0.7%
Ζ	<(100%)	N/A	19,572	-	(943)	Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	100,594	-	41,550	N/A	>100%
AA	(18.0%)	17.9%	10,234	7,114	8,389	Investment & Other	183,084	78,224	108,375	>100%	68.9%
AB	(81.8%)	7.1%	25,247	4,293	4,599	Total Non Operating Revenue/(Loss)	251,681	47,053	115,615	>100%	>100%
						Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues					
AC	(69.7%)	4.1%	\$54,367	\$15,800	\$16,452	over Expenses	\$372,894	\$138,993	\$249,928	>100%	49.2%
AD	(52.5%)	3.0%	\$71,980	\$33,191	\$34,183	EBITDA Normalized EBITDA (GASB 96 and	\$452,120	\$320,488	\$372,171	41.1%	21.5%
AE	(34.7%)	3.5%	\$46,005	\$29,051	\$30,058	GASB 87 Impacts Removed)	\$401,750	\$274,577	\$329,938	46.3%	21.8%

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	\$ thousands	Month to	Date	Variance	Variance %	
		Actual	Budget	vs Budget		
A	Inpatient Revenue	1,029,909	950,211	79,698	8.4%	Higher ER admits, admissions, inpatient surgeries and patient days
В	Outpatient Revenue	975,066	942,200	32,866	3.5%	Higher outpatient visits
C	Total Patient Revenue	2,004,975	1,892,412	112,563	5.9%	
D	Total Deductions	1,728,343	1,624,481	103,862	6.4%	
E	Net Patient Revenue	276,633	267,931	8,702	3.2%	Higher gross revenue impact from higher volumes offset by higher bad debt reserves
F	Total Other Operating Revenue	27,814	21,411	6,403	29.9%	Higher outpatient pharmacy volumes and higher priced drugs, and higher grants
G	Net Revenue	304,447	289,341	15,106	5.2%	
н	Salaries and Wages	144,431	139,601	4,830	3.5%	Higher staffing related to admissions, inpatient surgeries and outpatient visits
I	Employee Benefits	21,798	23,284	(1,486)	-6.4%	Lower pension contributions and lower health and dental claims
J	Professional Fees	7,769	7,784	(15)	-0.2%	
К	Supplies Expense	68,057	55,644	12,413	22.3%	Higher outpatient pharmacy volumes and higher priced drugs, higher clinical supplies from increased transplant volumes, and higher medical supplies from increased inpatient surgical volumes
L	Purchased Services	20,137	19,127	1,010	5.3%	Higher purchased outside services and reference lab expense due to higher transplant activity, and higher security expense
М	Facilities Expense	8,051	8,198	(147)	-1.8%	
N	Depreciation and Amortization	13,972	14,492	(520)	-3.6%	
0	Other Operating Expense	8,378	9,704	(1,326)	-13.7%	Lower advertising, reclass of program expenses for adult transplant to purchased services expense, and lower equipment rentals
Ρ	Total Expenses	292,593	277,834	14,759	5.3%	
Q	Income/(Loss) from Operations	11,854	11,507	347	3.0%	
R	Operating EBITDA	25,876	26,066	(190)	-0.7%	
S	Operating EBITDA Margin	8.5%	9.0%			
т	Non Operating Revenue/Expense	4,599	4,293	306	7.1%	Realized investment gains, partially offset by unrealized investment losses
U	Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues over Expenses	16,452	15,800	652	4.1%	
v	EBITDA	34,183	33,191	992	3.0%	
w	EBITDA Margin	11.2%	11.5%			

### Memorial Healthcare System - Operating Statement - YTD March 2025

	\$ thousands	Year to I	Date	Variance	Variance %	
		Actual	Budget	vs Budget		
A	Inpatient Revenue	10,468,350	10,163,316	305,034	3.0%	Higher admissions and inpatient surgeries
В	Outpatient Revenue	10,301,645	9,952,724	348,921	3.5%	Higher outpatient visits
C	Total Patient Revenue	20,769,996	20,116,040	653,956	3.3%	
D	Total Deductions	17,845,902	17,279,756	566,146	3.3%	
E	Net Patient Revenue	2,924,093	2,836,283	87,810	3.1%	Higher gross revenue impact from higher volumes and favorable payor mix
F	Total Other Operating Revenue	290,174	248,580	41,594	16.7%	Higher outpatient pharmacy due to higher cost drugs and increased volume
G	Net Revenue	3,214,268	3,084,864	129,404	4.2%	
н	Salaries & Wages	1,518,780	1,482,336	36,444	2.5%	Higher labor costs from staffing to higher inpatient volumes, and revaluation of extended illness and paid time off liability
I	Employee Benefits	255,562	261,994	(6,432)	-2.5%	Lower pension contributions
J	Professional Fees	83,724	84,753	(1,029)	-1.2%	Lower physician fees
К	Supplies Expense	675,490	599,900	75,590	12.6%	Higher drugs due to volume and mix and higher clinical supplies due to implant volume
L	Purchased Services	212,625	208,358	4,267	2.0%	Higher purchased outside labor and higher transplant program expenses
М	Facilities Expense	88,186	93,056	(4,870)	-5.2%	Lower repairs and maintenance expenses due to timing
N	Depreciation & Amortization	148,324	149,467	(1,143)	-0.8%	
0	Other Operating Expense	110,363	113,059	(2,696)	-2.4%	Lower program expenses due to timing, lower shared savings distribution, and lower travel
Ρ	Total Expenses	3,093,054	2,992,923	100,131	3.3%	
Q	Income/(Loss) from Operations	121,214	91,941	29,273	31.8%	
R	Operating EBITDA	269,940	242,148	27,792	11.5%	
S	Operating EBITDA Margin	8.4%	7.8%			
т	Total Non Operating Revenue/(Loss)	251,681	47,053	204,628	434.9%	Unrealized and realized investment gains, and FEMA reimbursement
U	Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues over Expenses	372,894	138,993	233,901	168.3%	
v	EBITDA	452,120	320,488	131,632	41.1%	
w	EBITDA Margin	14.1%	10.4%			

### Memorial Healthcare System - Consolidated Balance Sheet and Key Indicators - March 2025

\$ thousands	03/31/2025	02/28/2025	4/30/2024
A CASH AND INVESTMENTS	\$ 2,655,148	\$ 2,658,960	\$ 2,617,560
B PATIENT ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (NET)	350,168	343,603	361,946
C RESTRICTED ASSETS AND ASSETS WHOSE USE IS LIMITED	109,399	108,945	111,156
D CAPITAL ASSETS (NET)	1,506,472	1,509,229	1,429,281
E OTHER ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	726,314	708,255	486,752
F TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	\$ 5,347,501	\$ 5,328,992	\$ 5,006,695
G CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$ 642,767	\$ 627,896	\$ 657,224
H LONG TERM DEBT	861,530	861,712	881,811
I ESTIMATED CLAIMS LIABILITY	31,461	30,860	27,487
J OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS	 297,196	 310,443	 299,286
K TOTAL LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS	1,832,954	1,830,911	1,865,808
L NET POSITION	3,514,547	3,498,081	3,140,887
M LIABILITIES, NET POSITION AND DEFERRED INFLOWS	\$ 5,347,501	\$ 5,328,992	\$ 5,006,695
N DAYS CASH ON HAND	303.3	307.8	323.9
O CASH TO DEBT (%)	295.7	295.9	286.2
P NET DAYS IN AR	39.2	38.1	38.4
Q DEBT TO NET POSITION RATIO	0.26	0.26	0.29
R DEBT TO CAPITALIZATION	0.20	0.21	0.23
S DEBT TO CASH FLOW	1.88	1.75	2.29
T MADS* COVERAGE	7.88	8.16	6.71

\* MAXIMUM ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE

\*\*Ratios have been updated to exclude SBITA related accounts



# FISCAL YEAR 2026 OPERATING & CAPITAL BUDGET

APRIL 7, 2025



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# PHILOSOPHY

## Mission

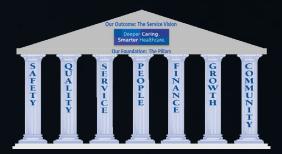
Heal the body, mind, and spirit of those we touch

## Vision

To be a premier clinically integrated delivery system providing access to exceptional patient-and family-centered care, medical education, research and innovation for the benefit of the community we serve

## **The Seven Pillars**

The budget enables Memorial Healthcare System to focus on strategic goals, which are centered on the seven pillars



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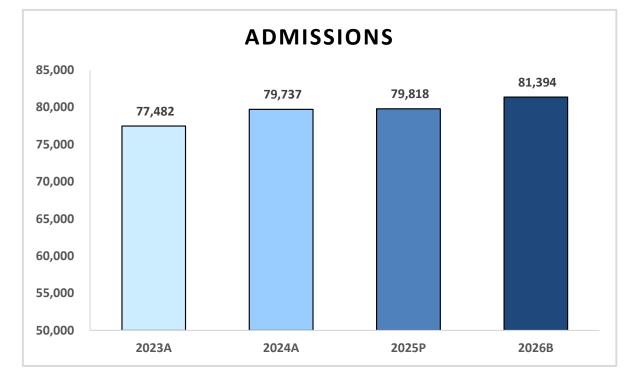
# FY2026 Budget Significant Assumptions

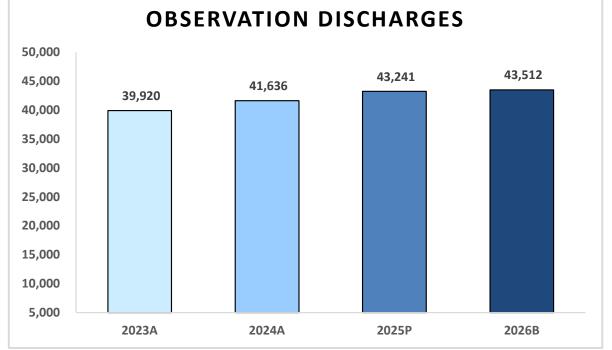
- Growing market attracting new competitors
- Record volumes and increased acuity creating capacity constraints
- Managed care reimbursement rate increases throughout the year with modest organic volume growth
- Hospital profitability growth further driven by strategic initiatives, new physicians and organic growth
- Reliance on supplemental funding
- Stable internal labor work force with continued focus on retention
- Minimal reliance on agency and premium pay
- Continuing investment in capital projects



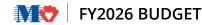


### **Volume Growth** | Admissions & Observation Discharges



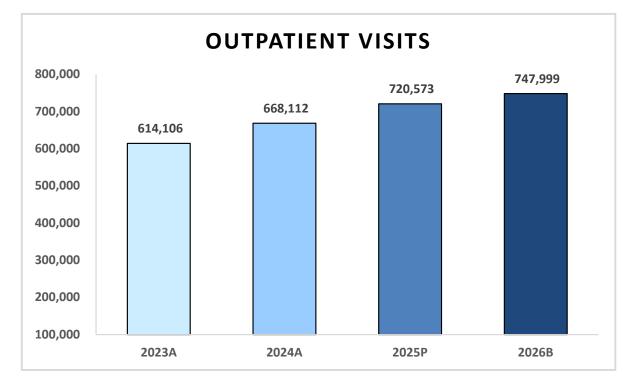


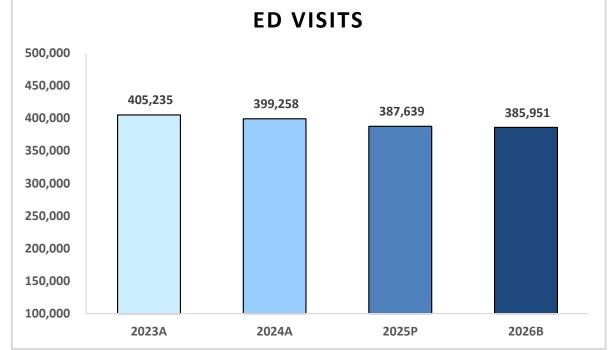
	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>		<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	77,482	79,737	79,818	81,394	2.0%	<b>Total Year</b>	39,920	41,636	43,241	43,512	0.6%



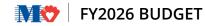


### Volume Growth | Outpatient & ED Visits



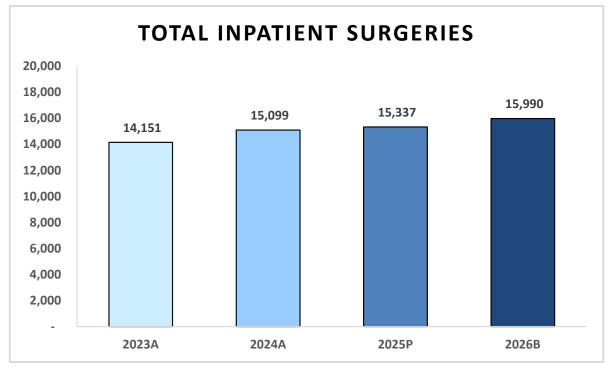


	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>		<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	614,106	668,11 <b>2</b>	720,573	747,999	3.8%	<b>Total Year</b>	405,235	399,258	387,639	385,951	-0.4%





### Volume Growth | Surgeries



	OUTPATIENT SURGERIES									
35,000		31,598	32,146	33,447						
30,000	30,425									
25,000										
20,000										
15,000										
10,000	2023A	2024A	2025P	2026B						

2025P

32,146

2024A

31,598

2023A

30,425

**Total Year** 

	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	14,151	15,099	15,337	15,990	4.3%

\*Total inpatient surgeries includes cardiac and non-cardiac surgeries



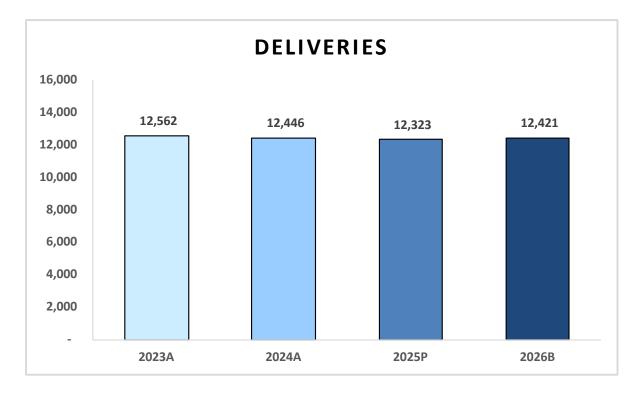
vs 2025P

4.0%

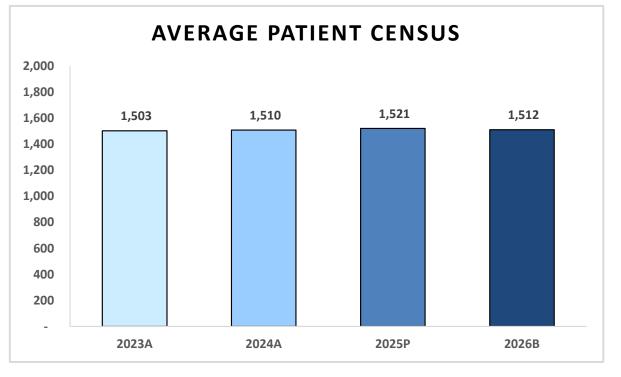
2026B

33,447

### Volume Growth | Deliveries & Average Patient Census



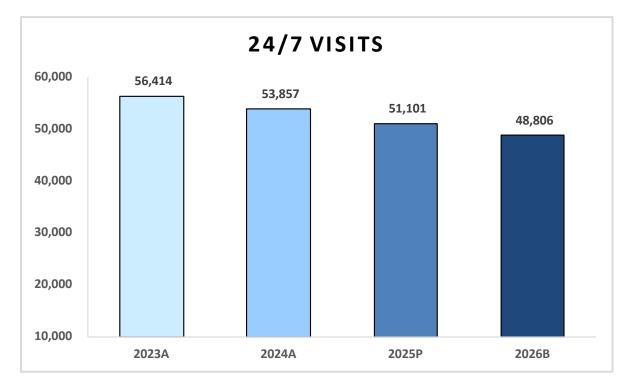
	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	12,562	12,446	12,323	12,421	0.8%

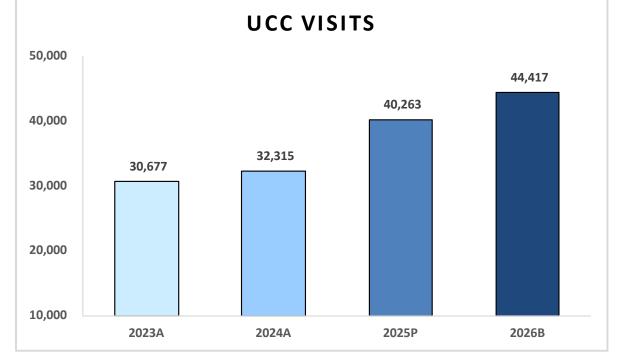


	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	1,503	1,510	1,521	1,512	-0.6%

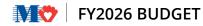
\*Average patient census includes inpatient and observation days

## Volume Growth | 24/7 and UCC Visits



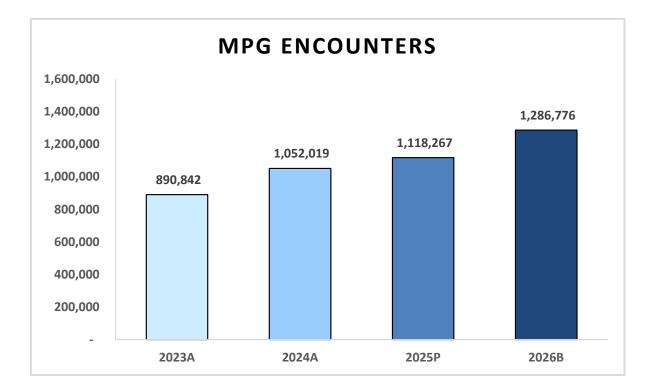


	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>		<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	56,414	53,857	51,101	48,806	-4.5%	<b>Total Year</b>	30,677	32,315	40,263	44,417	10.3%

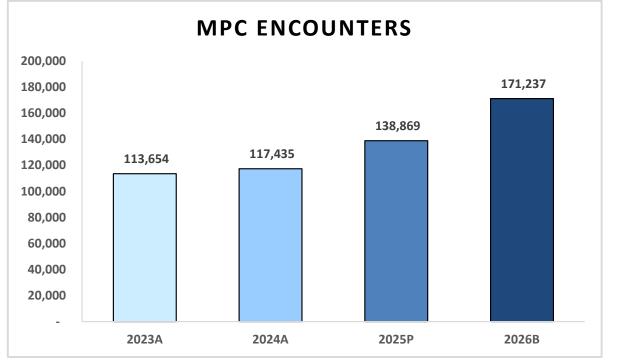




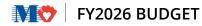
## Volume Growth | Physicians



	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
Total Year	890,842	1,052,019	1,118,267	1,286,776	15.1%



	<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>		<u>2023A</u>	<u>2024A</u>	<u>2025P</u>	<u>2026B</u>	<u>vs 2025P</u>
<b>Total Year</b>	890,842	1,052,019	1,118,267	1,286,776	15.1%	Total Year	113,654	117,435	138,869	171,237	23.3%



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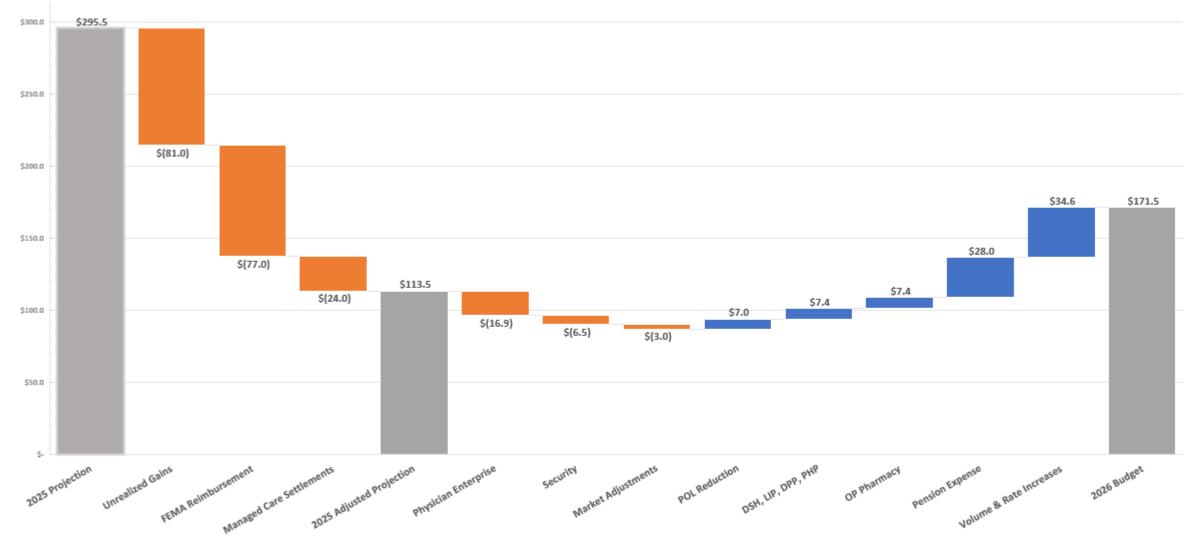
# **Key Financial Results**

(\$ millions)		FY2025		FY2026		026 vs.
	Pro	jection	tion Budget		FY2025	
Net Revenues	\$	3,470	\$	3,695	\$	225
Total Operating Expenses		3,393		3,585		193
Income from Operations		77		109		32
Non-Operating Income		219		62		(157)
Excess of Revenues over Expenses		296		171		(124)
Adjusted EBIDA		413		385		(28)
Adjusted EBIDA %		11.9%		10.4%		-1.5%
Capital Expenditures, Net of Other Funding		336		354		17

✓ Income from operations for FY2026 includes organic growth within capacity, strategic initiatives, continued improvement in throughput metrics and investments in new access points and existing facilities

✓ Non-operating income in FY2025 includes unrealized investment portfolio gains of \$81M and FEMA reimbursements of \$77M

### **FY2025 to FY2026 Waterfall: Bottom Line Change** Excess of Revenues over Expenses (\$ millions)



# Memorial Healthcare System Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance
	Actual	Projected	Budget		
Admissions	79,737	79,818	81,394	1,576	2.0%
Rehab Admissions	1,950	1,886	1,908	22	1.2%
Observation Discharges	41,636	43,241	43,512	271	0.6%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	121,373	123,059	124,906	1,847	1.5%
Patient Days	487,554	484,160	483,804	(356)	-0.1%
Observation Days	65,032	71,139	68,049	(3,090)	-4.3%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	552,586	555,299	551,854	(3 <i>,</i> 445)	-0.6%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	668,112	720,573	747,999	27,426	3.8%
24/7 Visits	53,857	51,101	48,806	(2,295)	-4.5%
ER Visits	399,258	387,639	385,951	(1,688)	-0.4%
Cardiac Surgeries	1,144	1,174	1,217	43	3.7%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	13,955	14,163	14,773	610	4.3%
Outpatient Surgeries	31,598	32,146	33,447	1,301	4.1%
Deliveries	12,446	12,323	12,421	98	0.8%

#### Memorial Healthcare System

## **Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Ņ	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 10,375,937	\$ 11,255,875	\$ 11,575,948	\$	320,073	2.8%
Outpatient Revenue	9,772,843	11,180,656	11,733,826		553,170	5.0%
Gross Patient Revenue	20,148,779	22,436,531	23,309,774		873,243	3.9%
Net Patient Revenue	3,003,774	3,152,336	3,325,809		173,473	5.5%
Other Operating Revenue	268,447	317,241	369,003		51,762	16.3%
Net Revenue	3,272,220	3,469,577	3,694,812		225,236	6.5%
Salaries and Wages	1,557,795	1,655,428	1,743,315		87,887	5.3%
Employee Benefits Expense	238,238	284,122	274,889		(9,232)	-3.3%
Professional Fees	79,081	90,740	103,527		12,787	14.1%
Supplies Expense	664,593	733,796	801,312		67,517	9.2%
Purchased Services	240,218	237,462	238,031		569	0.2%
Facilities Expense	91,361	98,143	108,641		10,498	10.7%
Depreciation & Amortization	145,170	164,526	179,993		15,467	9.4%
Other Operating Expense	109,000	128,449	135,680		7,231	5.6%
Total Operating Expense	3,125,455	3,392,666	3,585,389		192,723	5.7%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	146,765	76,910	109,423		32,513	42.3%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	99,156	218,579	62,030		(156,549)	-71.6%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 245,921	\$ 295,490	\$ 171,453	\$	(124,036)	-42.0%
EBIDA	\$ 415,284	\$ 413,113	\$ 385,143	\$	(27,971)	-6.8%



# **Operating Expenses**

\$ millions		/2025		Y2026	FY2026 vs. FY2025		FY2026 vs.	
	Pro	jection	Б	udget	FIZ	JZ5	FY2025	
Salaries & Wages	\$	1,655	\$	1,743	\$	88	5%	- Volume growth, focal point increases, market adjustments, shift
								from agency labor use, and physician growth
Employee Benefits		284		275		(9)	-3%	<ul> <li>Lower pension expense partially offset by FTE growth and</li> </ul>
								health plan inflation
Professional Fees		91		104		13	14%	- Physician and legal fees
Supplies Expense		734		801		68	9%	- Volume and inflation increase driven by drugs, medical surgical
								supplies and implants
Purchased Services		237		238		1	0%	<ul> <li>Lower agency utilization, partially offset by security services</li> </ul>
Facilities Expense		98		109		10	11%	- Increase in service contracts, repairs and maintenance,
-								and rent expense
Depreciation & Amortization		165		180		15	9%	- Incremental depreciation for capital expenditures
Other Operating Expense		128		136		7	6%	- Increase in general insurance and AHCA fees
Total Operating Expense	\$	3,393	\$	3,585	\$	193	6%	

Incremental operating expense reflects volume growth and inflation factors



# Salaries & Wages Expenses

\$ millions	FY2025 Projection		Y2026 udget	)26 vs. 2025	FY2026 vs. FY2025	
Regular & Overtime Pay	\$	1,541	\$ 1,632	\$ 91	6%	
Differential Other		53 61	52 59	(1) (2)	-2% -3%	
Salaries & Wages	\$	1,655	\$ 1,743	\$ 88	5%	

- Volume growth, market adjustments, shift from agency labor use, and physician growth
- Fewer employees called-in for additional shifts, and lower physician director fees



# **Employee Benefits Expense**

\$ millions	FY2025			2026		026 vs.	FY2026 vs.
	Proj	ection	Budget		FY2025		FY2025
Pension, 401A and TSA Match	\$	83	\$	55	\$	(28)	-34%
Medical, Dental, and Vision		78		87		9	11%
FICA		113		124		11	10%
Scholarships and Tuition Reimbursement		4		3		(1)	
Other		6		6		0	
Employee Benefits Expense	\$	284	\$	275	\$	(9)	-3%

- Lower pension expense due to pension investment results
- Increase in FTEs and plan inflation
•
<ul> <li>Higher taxes due to higher salaries and wage expense</li> </ul>





# **Supplies Expense**

\$ millions	FY2025 Projection	FY2026 Budget		FY2026 vs. FY2025	FY2026 vs. FY2025	
Drugs	\$ 357	\$	409	\$ 53	15%	<ul> <li>Increase in OP, Specialty and Retail Pharmacy, patient volumes and 3.5% inflation</li> </ul>
Medical Surgical	155		163	8	5%	- Volume and 3% inflation
Implants	85		89	4	5%	- Increase in surgeries and 1% inflation
Lab Reagents	30		32	1	4%	- Volume and 3% inflation
Food and Nutrition	25		27	1	4%	<ul> <li>Increased patient volume and 3% inflation</li> </ul>
Robotics and Endomechanicals	16		17	1	5%	- Higher robotics volume and 1% inflation
General Supplies	39		37	(1)	-4%	- Lower instruments expense
Other	26		28	1	5%	
Supplies Expense	\$ 734	\$	801	\$ 68	9%	



# **Purchased Services Expense**

\$ millions

**Purchased Services** 

	FY2	2025	FY	2026	FY2	026 vs.	FY2026 vs.	
	Proj	ection	Bu	dget	FY	2025	FY2025	
	\$	24	\$	28	\$	4	17%	- Expan
s		54		57		2	5%	- New a
		20		21		1	4%	- Growt
		29		30		1	2%	- Highe
		15		8		(7)	-44%	- Contir
		95		94		(1)	-1%	- Stable
								laund
	\$	237	\$	238	\$	1	0%	

5 vs.	
25	
17%	<ul> <li>Expansion of security and safety initiatives</li> </ul>
5%	<ul> <li>New and existing service contracts</li> </ul>
<b>4%</b>	<ul> <li>Growth in kidney transplants and cardiac surgery program</li> </ul>
<b>2%</b>	- Higher demand for IT and Cloud Services
-44%	<ul> <li>Continued reduction in agency labor use</li> </ul>
-1%	<ul> <li>Stable costs in ambulance, perfusion, dialysis, lab, imaging,</li> </ul>
	laundry, garbage, postage/courier, coding, and other services
0%	



# **Cash Sources & Uses**

(\$ millions)

Adjusted EBIDA Grants and Foundation Funding Total Cash Sources

Total Capital Expenditures Debt Service (interest & principal) Total Cash Uses

Net Cash Increase (Decrease)

Ending Cash & Investment Balance Days Cash on Hand

F۱	2025	FY2026
Pro	jection	Budget
	\$413	\$385
	13	20
	426	405
	(349)	(374)
	(49)	(49)
	(398)	(423)
	28	(18)
\$	2,687	\$2,669
	304	286

✓ Days cash on hand of 286 days is in-line with the current median for AA-equivalent rated hospitals

# Proposed Capital Budget (in Thousands)

Project Capital by Entity	FY2024	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027+
MHP	\$ 2,353	\$ 16,034	\$ 73,825	\$ 74,349
MHW	27,668	20,916	40,658	101,685
MCI	-	770	31,976	21,907
MRH	41,804	80,657	31,849	784,128
IT Capital	34,863	22,824	22,637	3,223
MRHS	5,736	9,253	17,421	247,500
MHM	1,446	7,610	16,108	200,000
MPC	3,002	4,108	16,015	1,788
MMNH	169	1,722	15,977	32,700
MPG	13,190	8,254	14,898	14,300
MPM	2,464	9,208	14,487	-
JDCH	12,165	12,725	6,488	-
SP	3	147	1,953	-
OTHER	-	1,253	 8,914	-
Project and IT Total	\$ 144,862	\$ 195,480	\$ 313,208	\$ 1,481,580
Strategic Initiatives	-	12,000	12,000	48,000
Capital Reserve - MHS	-	12,000	12,000	48,000
Total Routine Capital	35,217	33,527	36,554	140,966
Special Board Appropriation*	-	96,470		
FEMA Grants	-	(3,000)	(5,000)	-
MHS & JDCH Foundations	(15,000)	(10,000)	(15,000)	(60,000)
Total Capital	\$ 165,080	\$ 336,478	\$ 353,761	\$ 1,658,546
Board Approved Capital	\$ 325,427	\$ 306,438		

#### 2026 Major Projects

- MHP Douglas Road FSED
- Red Road FSED
- MCI Expansion
- MRH Surgical Platform and Bed Tower
- MHM MOB2 MRI, CT, Infusion

#### 2026 Routine Capital

- Medical beds, monitors and equipment replacements
- Facility updates

Please refer to the Appendix for Capital Budget and Major Projects detail

\*Special Board appropriation above the FY25 capital budget for the purchase of MHP of \$96,470

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# **Investment in Strategic Goals**

		FY2	026		
(\$ millions)	Can	ital Cast	Incremental		
	Cap	ital Cost	Opera	ating Cost	
Free Standing EDs	\$	58.4	\$	-	
MCI		32.0		-	
Memorial Physician Group		14.9		15.6	
MRH Master Plan		11.4		-	
Other Strategic Goals		12.0		-	
Total Investments	\$	128.7	\$	15.6	

Investments are consiste	ent
with the execution of ou	ir
Strategic Goals	

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 Budgeting an additional \$12M for Strategic Goals that are still being prioritized and quantified



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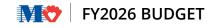




# **Projected Tax Budget**

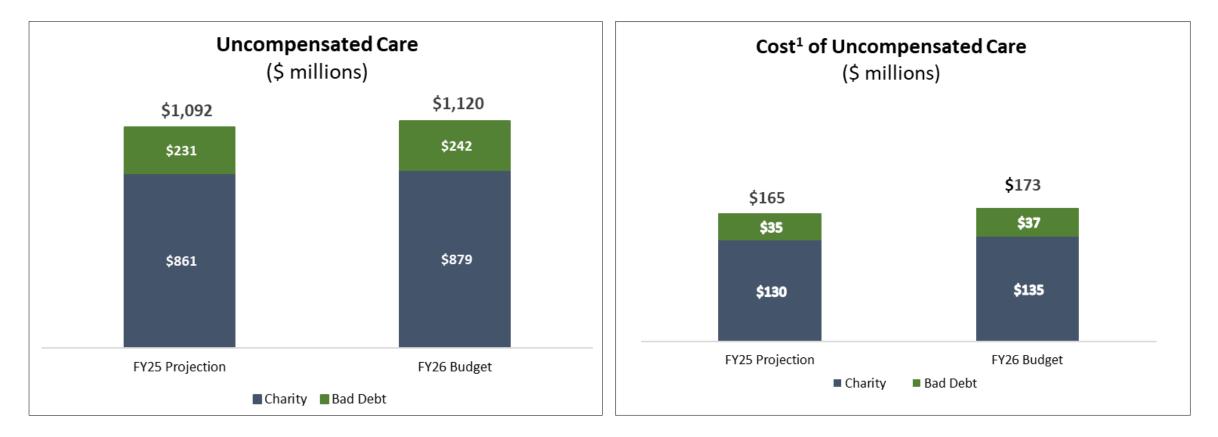
(\$ millions)	FY2025 Projection	FY2026 Budget Rolled-Back Rate	FY2026 Budget Break-Even Rate
Millage Rate (in mills)	0.0869	0.0850	0.0970
Gross Tax Revenues	\$7.9	\$8.3	\$9.4
Less: Collection Costs	0.2	0.2	0.2
Net Tax Receipts	\$7.7	\$8.1	\$9.2
Less: Governmental pass-through payments	8.8	9.2	9.2
Available for Uncompensated Care	(\$1.1)	(\$1.1)	\$0.0

✓ The Board of Commissioners will have the opportunity to set the millage rate during the Florida Department of Revenue Truth in Millage (TRIM) process



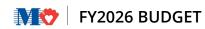


## **Uncompensated Care**



Increased cost of care and higher number of uninsured patients translating into higher charity and bad debt

<sup>1</sup>The cost of uncompensated care is calculated by applying a cost of care factor (i.e., Total Operating Expenses as a percentage of Total Gross Patient Revenue) to charity and bad debt charges



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### Memorial Regional Hospital Key Priorities

•	Patient Flow & Capacity		FY2026
	<ul> <li>Capacity – 8th floor available for acute surgical and medical patients</li> </ul>	Growth Rates	Budget
	<ul> <li>MHS focus – LOS reductions and throughput improvement</li> </ul>	Admissions	2.7%
		Obs. Discharges	-0.9%
•	Quality, Safety, Patient Experience	Deliveries	2.5%
	<ul> <li>Leapfrog and CMS ratings</li> </ul>	Outpatient Visits	3.6%
	<ul> <li>HCAHPS top quartile</li> </ul>	ED Visits	0.6%
•	Destination Services	Cardiac Surgeries	2.6%
	<ul> <li>Destination center for tertiary and quaternary services</li> </ul>	IP Surgeries <sup>1</sup>	2.5%
	<ul> <li>High-Risk Obstetric Services and MFM</li> </ul>	OP Surgeries <sup>1</sup>	6.1%
	<ul> <li>MCI – Hallandale expansion and Moffit presence across district</li> </ul>	U	
	<ul> <li>Adult Kidney Transplant – nationally ranked and recognized program</li> </ul>	Net Revenue	5.6%
	<ul> <li>MCVI – Tri-county leader in cardiac surgery, EP and complex cardiology</li> </ul>	Operating Expenses	5.1%
•	Facility/Infrastructure Improvements	\$ Millions	
	<ul> <li>Emergency Department &amp; trauma area renovation</li> </ul>	Net Excess (Deficit)	\$62.4
	<ul> <li>Surgical platform &amp; bed tower project – enabling stage</li> </ul>	EBIDA	\$102.2
	<ul> <li>Bi-plane upgrade (neuro)</li> </ul>	<sup>1</sup> Excluding cardiac surgeries	
	<ul> <li>Adult Kidney Transplant clinic relocation</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Parking expansion options</li> </ul>		

### Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Key Priorities

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•	Quality, Safety, Patient Experience	Growth Rates	Budget
	<ul> <li>Training and Professional Development Program</li> </ul>	Admissions	-0.3%
	<ul> <li>National Children's Hospitals "Solutions for Patient Safety" Initiative</li> </ul>	Obs Discharges	5.5%
	<ul> <li>Vascular Access Team Expansion</li> </ul>	Outpatient Visits	4.7%
•	Patient Flow & Capacity	ED Visits	-4.9%
	<ul> <li>Optimize Diagnostic Services &amp; Access</li> </ul>	Cardiac Surgeries	<b>6.7%</b>
	<ul> <li>Improve Hollywood Capacity for Outpatient Services</li> </ul>	IP Surgeries <sup>1</sup>	13.9%
	<ul> <li>Pediatric Operating Room/Procedure Efficiencies</li> </ul>	OP Surgeries <sup>1</sup>	3.9%
	– NICU Planning		0.075
		Net Revenue	5.7%
•	Service Growth	Operating Expenses	2.5%
	<ul> <li>External Relations – Focus on Schools</li> </ul>	-	
	<ul> <li>U-18 Ortho Expansion</li> </ul>	¢ Milliona	
	<ul> <li>Heart Institute Expansion</li> </ul>	\$ Millions	400.4
	<ul> <li>Outpatient Diagnostic/Service Planning</li> </ul>	Net Excess (Deficit)	\$30.1
	– Philanthropy	EBIDA	\$54.1
		<sup>1</sup> Excluding cardiac surgeries	

#### Facility/Infrastructure

- Upgrades to Imaging & Other Equipment/Instrumentation

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## Memorial Regional Hospital South & Memorial Manor Key Priorities

#### Patient Flow & Volumes

- New CT Scanner and Outpatient Rehab Hollywood
- Outpatient surgery: MSK and Breast service lines
- Inpatient rehab MPG strategy
- Maximize 4<sup>th</sup> floor acute/rehab mix
- Quality, Safety, Memorial Experience
  - Upskill Acute Rehab Care and complexity in procedural areas
  - LEAPFROG, OAS CAPS improvement and readmission reduction

#### Service Line Development

- MSK service line continued development
- IP Rehab admission time improvement
- Memorial Sports Medicine / Miami Sharks affiliation
- Facility/Infrastructure Improvements
  - Outpatient physical therapy expansion
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> CT scanner project and radiology room replacement

#### **Memorial Manor**

- Expand capacity for medically complex patients 25 piped-in oxygen beds
- Optimize short term vs long term beds (expedite SNF discharges)
- Single Payer Agreement (SPA) to decompress hospitals

MRHS Growth Rates	Budget
Total Admissions	1.5%
Rehab Admissions	1.2%
Obs Discharges	1.7%
Outpatient Visits	2.4%
ED Visits	0.6%
IP Surgeries	0.3%
OP Surgeries	7.8%
Net Revenue	4.1%
Operating Expenses	3.7%

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#### **MRHS \$ Millions**

Net Excess (Deficit)	(\$3.2)
EBIDA	\$4.4

### Memorial Hospital West Key Priorities

		FY2026
Patient Flow & Volume	Growth Rates	Budget
<ul> <li>Continued growth of OP volume (MCI, Rehab Services, Women's Center)</li> </ul>	Admissions	1.9%
<ul> <li>LOS reductions (GMLOS) &amp; throughput improvements</li> </ul>		
ervice Line Development	Obs Discharges	0.0%
- MCI Building Expansion	Outpatient Visits	3.0%
- Shell > Infusion Bay Expansion	ED Visits	0.7%
- Mobile MRI Trailer	IP Surgeries	4.6%
- MCI Radiation Oncologist Physician		
- Additional Rad Onc starting July 2025	OP Surgeries	2.1%
- Expanded hours of operation	<mark>Deliveries</mark>	-1.0%
<ul> <li>Moffitt partnership</li> <li>Addition of 10<sup>th</sup> Moffitt Physician in July 2025</li> </ul>		
- MCVI	Net Revenue	6.4%
- Centralized services with renovation of 801 building: +6 incremental exam rooms; +10	<b>Operating Expenses</b>	4.7%
incremental Physician offices; additional CT for OP imaging		11770
<ul> <li>Continued Robotic &amp; Surgical growth</li> </ul>	A & a	
<ul> <li>Joint Replacement Center of Excellence</li> </ul>	\$ Millions	
– Memorial Neuroscience Institute	Net Excess (Deficit)	\$95.7
acility/Infrastructure Improvements	EBIDA	\$132.8
<ul> <li>Family Birthplace</li> </ul>		

- CT scanner
- CCL and IR Equipment replacement/upgrade
- ER Expansion planning

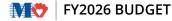
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## Memorial Hospital Pembroke Key Priorities

		FY2026
Patient Flow & Capacity	Growth Rates	Budget
<ul> <li>Case Management Initiative – LOS and throughput to improve capacity</li> </ul>	Admissions	1.8%
<ul> <li>Maximize bed utilization through Care Coordination Center</li> </ul>	Obs Discharges	1.7%
	Outpatient Visits	2.6%
Service Line Development	ED Visits	0.6%
<ul> <li>Surgical Services</li> <li>General &amp; Acute Surgery</li> </ul>	24/7 Visits	-4.5%
- Renovated ORs 7 & 8	IP Surgeries	4.1%
- Reflux Wellness Program	OP Surgeries	5.1%
- Bariatric & Hernia Surgeries	J. J	
- Aquablation	Net Revenue	0.8%
<ul> <li>Wound Care/Hyperbaric Center – addition of 4th hyperbaric chamber</li> </ul>	Operating Expenses	
<ul> <li>Outpatient Imaging – expanded outpatient schedules</li> </ul>	Operating Expenses	-1.070
<ul> <li>Outpatient Specialty Infusion</li> </ul>	4	
	\$ Millions	
Facility/Infrastructure Improvements	Net Excess (Deficit)	\$7.4
<ul> <li>Douglas Road and Red Road Free Standing Emergency buildings</li> </ul>	EBIDA	\$16.5
<ul> <li>Develop plan for MRI inside hospital building</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Roof replacement and building envelope repair</li> </ul>		

– Develop Master plan for future facility improvements and expansion

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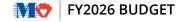


### Memorial Hospital Miramar Key Priorities

•	Patient Flow, Capacity & Access		FY2026
	<ul> <li>Expanded inpatient overflow capacity</li> </ul>	Growth Rates	Budget
	<ul> <li>Expanded access to outpatient services</li> </ul>	Admissions	1.5%
	<ul> <li>MHS focus – ALOS reductions and throughput improvement</li> </ul>	Obs Discharges	-0.8%
	<ul> <li>Case Management, Social Work &amp; Utilization Review optimization</li> </ul>	Outpatient Visits	6.9%
		ED Visits	-0.1%
•	Quality, Safety, Patient Experience	IP Surgeries	2.8%
	<ul> <li>Maintain Leapfrog and CMS ratings excellence</li> </ul>	OP Surgeries	2.1%
	<ul> <li>Maintain HCAHPS top quartile</li> </ul>	Deliveries	0.0%
•	Service Line Development		
	<ul> <li>Obstetric services &amp; Level III Neonatal care</li> </ul>	Net Revenue	5.3%
	<ul> <li>Continued growth in adult &amp; pediatric surgery, including robotics</li> </ul>	Operating Expenses	3.8%
	<ul> <li>Continued development of orthopedic surgery</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Expanded adult imaging capability, including MFM, cardiac and prostate testing</li> </ul>	\$ Millions	
	<ul> <li>Expanded pediatric advanced imaging capability, including anesthesia</li> </ul>	Net Excess (Deficit)	\$73.5
	<ul> <li>Expanded benign &amp; specialty outpatient infusions</li> </ul>	EBIDA	\$85.3

#### • Facility/Infrastructure Improvements

- Completion & Opening of MOB2 MRI/CT/Infusion/Lab Area
- ER Overflow Space Relocation/Expansion & X-Ray Replacement
- Master Site Planning



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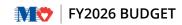
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### Memorial Physician Group Key Priorities

•	Patier	nt Flow & Capacity		FY2026
<ul> <li>Optimize Physician and APP workforce to achieve key priorities including increased access to</li> </ul>		Optimize Physician and APP workforce to achieve key priorities including increased access to	<b>Growth Rates</b>	Budget
		care, timeliness of care, and high-quality care.	Encounters	15.1%
•	Servio	e Line Development to support System Initiatives and ER Coverage gaps	Net Revenue	16.2%
	—	Pediatric Cardiology	Operating Exp	14.6%
	—	Gastroenterology		
	_	Adult and Pediatric Otolaryngology	\$ Millions	
	_	Neurology (Stroke Program)	Net Investment	(\$182.2)
	_	Urology	EBIDA	(\$172.8)
	_	Maternal Fetal Medicine		

#### • Facility/Infrastructure Improvements

- Further development of the Centralized Patient Access Center



#### Memorial Primary Care & Urgent Care Centers **Key Priorities**

#### FY2026 Budget

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Se	Medical Encounters	
_	Development of the Maternal Health Program in collaboration with Broward Health Expand geographic footprint for primary care medical services:	Net Revenue Operating Exp
	<ul> <li>Plantation</li> <li>Cooper City / Davie</li> </ul>	MPC \$ Millions
_	Expansion of Sickle Cell Program	Net Excess (Deficit)
_	Expansion of Virtualist/Same Day Program	EBIDA
_	Addition of 2nd Pediatric Mobile Van	

Continued focus on growth of Palm Springs North Urgent Care Center \_

Nethevenue	1.0/0
Operating Exp	10.5%
MPC \$ Millions	
Net Excess (Deficit)	(\$11.2)
EBIDA	(\$9.0)

**MPC Growth Rates** 

	FY2026
UCC Growth Rates	Budget
Visits per Day	10.3%
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Net Revenue	9.7%
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Operating Exp	6.4%
UCC (\$ Millions)	
Net Excess (Deficit)	(\$1.6)
EBIDA	(\$0.9)



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# CONCLUSIONS

With Board approval, this will be the highest budgeted Net Operating Income in the history of the South Broward Hospital District



Memorial Healthcare System maintains its strong balance sheet that underscores our ongoing financial viability ("AA" S&P credit rating)



FY2026 will require investments in growth capital, infrastructure and our people



Our primary focus remains our community, our patients, our employees and our taxpayers



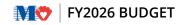


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# Memorial Healthcare System Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance
	Actual	Projected	Budget		
Admissions	79,737	79,818	81,394	1,576	2.0%
Rehab Admissions	1,950	1,886	1,908	22	1.2%
Observation Discharges	41,636	43,241	43,512	271	0.6%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	121,373	123,059	124,906	1,847	1.5%
Patient Days	487,554	484,160	483,804	(356)	-0.1%
Observation Days	65,032	71,139	68,049	(3,090)	-4.3%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	552,586	555,299	551,854	(3,445)	-0.6%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	668,112	720,573	747,999	27,426	3.8%
24/7 Visits	53,857	51,101	48,806	(2,295)	-4.5%
ER Visits	399,258	387,639	385,951	(1,688)	-0.4%
Cardiac Surgeries	1,144	1,174	1,217	43	3.7%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	13,955	14,163	14,773	610	4.3%
Outpatient Surgeries	31,598	32,146	33,447	1,301	4.1%
Deliveries	12,446	12,323	12,421	98	0.8%

#### Memorial Healthcare System

## **Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual					/ariance	% Variance	
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 10,375,937	\$	11,255,875	\$	11,575,948	\$	320,073	2.8%
Outpatient Revenue	 9,772,843		11,180,656		11,733,826		553,170	5.0%
Gross Patient Revenue	20,148,779		22,436,531		23,309,774		873,243	3.9%
Net Patient Revenue	3,003,774		3,152,336		3,325,809		173,473	5.5%
Other Operating Revenue	268,447		317,241		369,003		51,762	16.3%
Net Revenue	3,272,220		3,469,577		3,694,812		225,236	6.5%
Salaries and Wages	1,557,795		1,655,428		1,743,315		87,887	5.3%
Employee Benefits Expense	238,238		284,122		274,889		(9,232)	-3.3%
Professional Fees	79,081		90,740		103,527		12,787	14.1%
Supplies Expense	664,593		733,796		801,312		67,517	9.2%
Purchased Services	240,218		237,462		238,031		569	0.2%
Facilities Expense	91,361		98,143		108,641		10,498	10.7%
Depreciation & Amortization	145,170		164,526		179,993		15,467	9.4%
Other Operating Expense	 109,000		128,449		135,680		7,231	5.6%
Total Operating Expense	3,125,455		3,392,666		3,585,389		192,723	5.7%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	146,765		76,910		109,423		32,513	42.3%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	99,156		218,579		62,030		(156,549)	-71.6%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 245,921	\$	295,490	\$	171,453	\$	(124,036)	-42.0%
EBIDA	\$ 415,284	\$	413,113	\$	385,143	\$	(27,971)	-6.8%

## Capital Budget | Total by Entity

	FY 2024 Actual			FY 2026 Budget		2027 + Future
Memorial Hospital Pembroke	\$ 6,315,871	\$	18,684,370	\$ 76,825,110	\$	88,849,059
Memorial Hospital West	37,234,068		28,967,353	49,658,480		137,684,914
Memorial Regional Hospital	49,263,382		90,810,591	42,002,579		824,744,328
Memorial Cancer Institute	-		953,645	32,452,784		21,907,397
Information Technology	34,863,068		22,823,522	22,636,960		3,222,761
Memorial Hospital Miramar	5,975,577		12,260,223	21,508,400		218,000,000
Memorial Regional Hospital South	7,919,354		11,740,587	19,730,298		258,750,000
Memorial Primary Care	3,002,233		4,108,141	16,213,492		1,787,600
Memorial Physician Group	15,205,972		9,677,867	16,063,370		14,300,000
Property Management	2,975,494		9,359,119	14,487,000		-
Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital	16,995,454		16,225,378	9,988,100		20,000,000
Other Entities	329,347		3,397,183	28,194,714		33,300,000
Capital Reserve - MHS	-		12,000,000	12,000,000		48,000,000
Other Strategic Goals	-		12,000,000	12,000,000		48,000,000
Special Board Appropriation	 -		96,470,000	-		-
Total Capital Expenditures Budget	\$ 180,079,820	\$	349,477,979	\$ 373,761,288	\$	1,718,546,059
FEMA Grants	-		(3,000,000)	(5,000,000)		-
Contributions from Foundations	(15,000,000)		(10,000,000)	(15,000,000)		(60,000,000)
Total Capital Expenditures Budget, Net	\$ 165,079,820	\$	336,477,979	\$ 353,761,288	\$	1,658,546,059

## Capital Budget | Major Projects

Entity	Project	FY 2025 rojected	FY 2026 Budget	FY 2027 + Future		
MHP	Douglas Rd Free Standing ED	\$ 7,454,061	\$ 34,050,177	\$	9,730,259	
MHP	Red Road Free Standing ED	3,725,958	24,308,623		6,428,800	
MCI	MCI MRH Hallandale Infusion Expansion	183,945	15,065,040		-	
MHW	MCI Conversion to MCVI	1,114,996	12,380,300		-	
MRH	Surgical platform & bed tower project	16,370,806	11,445,910		712,657,728	
MHM	MOB2 MRI, CT, Infusion & Lab	956,280	11,276,900		-	
IT	IT Routine	34,116	8,554,244		2,138,561	
MCI	MCI MHW Infusion Expansion	586,000	8,414,344		-	
MHW	MHW ED/OR Expansion (design only)	-	8,000,000		92,000,000	
MPC	Other Projects	533,650	7,150,400		1,787,600	
MRH	ER & Trauma renovation	8,813,713	6,631,300		-	
MMNH	Manor FEMA Hardening	736,419	6,098,400		-	
MPG	Peds Specialty Center VCC 3rd Flr	-	5,500,000		-	
MHP	MHP Roof/Envelope Repair	1,350,048	5,350,000		1,000,000	
MCI	MRH Therapy Room 1 (LINAC Replace)	-	5,334,000		-	
MRHS	MRHS CT Imaging Suite Addition	330,666	5,213,150		-	
MPM	MOB Infrastructure	-	4,500,000		-	
MHW	MHW CV Room #2	50,000	4,300,000		-	
MHP	MRI Replacement	-	4,000,000		1,000,000	
JDCH	CT Replacement	600,000	3,900,000		-	
MHW	MHW CT Scan	133,961	3,786,500		-	

## Capital Budget | Major Projects (Continued)

Entity	Project	FY 2025 Projected	I	2026 Idget	FY 2027 + Future	
CORP	7029-7031 Taft Community Service	\$	-	\$ 3,651,600	\$	-
MPC	MPC/UCC Cooper City Medical Center		-	3,500,000		-
MPM	MOC 1150 Bathroom/Common Areas	274,	980	3,500,000		-
CORP	MHS Foundation		-	3,320,624		-
MRHS	MRHS Remediation	1,000,	000	3,300,000		-
MMNH	Manor Piped-in O2	502,	350	3,286,000		-
MMNH	Manor Expansion		-	3,186,000		28,000,000
MMNH	Manor Generator/ATS Replacement	400,	000	3,107,000		-
MRH	Bi-Plane replacement (Neuro)	643,	600	2,858,400		-
MRH	Kidney Transplant Clinic relocation	699,	378	2,787,832		-
MHW	Structural Garage and Envelope Repairs	730,	785	2,500,000		9,684,914
MPG	WPB Pediatric Cardiology		-	2,500,000		-
MPM	Wellington Envelope Repairs		-	2,500,000		-
MRH	Interventional Radiology replacement		-	2,491,800		2,170,600
MHW	MHW IR #2 Replacement	148,	200	2,461,800		-
MRHS	Air Handler Unit 3		-	2,127,600		-
IT	Mobile Cart Replacement (RFP Award)		-	2,100,000		525,000
П	Annual Equipment Refresh (Desktop/Laptop/Printer)		-	2,100,000		-
MHW	Elevator Modernization	320,	625	2,100,000		-
MPC	Buildout Dania Beach Center	1,041,	959	2,079,325		-
MPG	MHW Suite 151 Vascular Surgery		-	2,045,300		-

## Capital Budget | Major Projects (Continued)

Entity	tity Project		FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	FY 2027 + Future	
IT	IT Infrastructure FY25	\$	4,157,697	\$ 2,039,337	\$	-
JDCH	CS MRI Magnet upgrade		600,000	2,000,000		-
MPM	3111 Infrastructure (Generator/Fire Alarm)		250,000	2,000,000		-
MRHS	Pedestrian Bridge Rehab		104,000	1,996,000		-
MHM	ER Overflow Space Relocations		210,100	1,989,900		-
CORP	MHS Childcare Expansion		-	1,942,250		-
MPC	UCC East - Add CT with Ultrasound		-	1,879,967		-
MCI	MCI MHW - add MRI		-	1,662,400		8,040,600
PHARM	Pharmacy Central Distribution		146,600	1,653,400		-
MRH	Chiller replacement		100,000	1,500,000		-
MHW	OR Electrical Upgrade		-	1,500,000		-
MHP	MHP Chiller Repl/CEP Upgrade		110,000	1,500,000		3,640,000
MPG	MHW Suite 210 Otolaryngology		-	1,500,000		-
MRH	Elevator replacement #2		387,000	1,433,301		-
MHW	X-Ray / Floroscopy Relocation		106,552	1,395,448		-
MRHS	Elevator Modernization		-	1,295,000		-
IT	Epic Tier Volume and Cache License Increases in FY26		-	1,231,200		-
IT	FY26 -Wireless Phone Device Refresh		-	1,200,000		300,000
IT	IT Adaptive and Workforce Planning		-	1,200,000		-
	All Other Projects		140,572,034	 29,526,779		602,475,997
	Total - Major Projects Detail	\$	195,480,480	\$ 313,207,552	\$ 1	l,481,580,059

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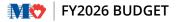
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			FY 2026 ojected Budget	Variance		
ASSESSED VALUATIONS (In Thousands)						
Base from Prior Year		\$	90,903,111	\$	90,903,111	
Add: Impact of 5% increase in market values					4,545,000	
Subtotal					95,448,111	
Add: Estimated New Construction (2%)					1,818,000	
Base for Budget Year					97,266,111	7.0%
AX LEVY - INDIGENT CARE & OTHER						
Millage Rate			0.0869		0.0850	-2.2%
Gross Tax Revenues	Α	\$	7,899,000	\$	8,268,000	4.7%
Less: Collection Costs						
Discounts on Taxes			37,000		39,000	5.4%
Uncollectible Taxes, Net of Recoveries			-		-	
Revenue Collection Fees			157,000		165,000	<u>5.1%</u>
Subtotal Collection Costs	В	\$	194,000	\$	204,000	5.2%
Tax Receipts	C = A - B		7,705,000		8,064,000	4.7%
Less: Governmental Pass-Through Payments						
Medicaid Program Match Expense			8,409,000		8,623,000	2.5%
Community Redevelopment Agencies			369,000		377,000	2.2%
Property Appraisers Fee			46,000		177,000	<u>284.8%</u>
Subtotal Pass-Through Payments	D	\$	8,824,000	\$	9,177,000	4.0%
Amounts Available for Discretionary Funding	E = C -D		(1,119,000)		(1,113,000)	-0.5%
Uncollectible Accounts		\$	230,851,433	\$	241,878,352	4.8%
Charity Care			861,086,561		878,573,837	<u>2.0%</u>
Total Uncompensated Care		\$1	,091,937,994	\$	1,120,452,189	<u>2.6%</u>

**FY2026 BUDGET** 

## Memorial Regional Hospital Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance	
	Actual	Projected	Budget			
Admissions	29,139	29,282	30,071	789	2.7%	
Observation Discharges	12,662	13,777	13,648	(129)	-0.9%	
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	41,801	43,059	43,719	660	1.5%	
Patient Days	181,213	176,927	178,396	1,469	0.8%	
Observation Days	19,034	23,236	20,559	(2,677)	-11.5%	
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	200,247	200,163	198,955	(1,208)	-0.6%	
Hospital Outpatient Visits	141,856	153,716	159,230	5,514	3.6%	
ER Visits	96,920	96,977	97,563	586	0.6%	
Cardiac Surgeries	842	862	884	22	2.6%	
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	5,551	5,998	6,149	151	2.5%	
Outpatient Surgeries	5,029	4,928	5,230	302	6.1%	
Deliveries	4,978	5,151	5,281	130	2.5%	



### Memorial Regional Hospital Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual		FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 4,095,850	\$	4,497,447	\$ 4,569,197	\$ 71,749	1.6%
Outpatient Revenue	3,036,194		3,538,097	3,736,418	198,321	5.6%
Gross Patient Revenue	7,132,044		8,035,544	8,305,615	270,071	3.4%
Net Patient Revenue	1,002,678		1,055,646	1,102,427	46,781	4.4%
Other Operating Revenue	41,570		46,672	61,724	15,052	32.3%
NetRevenue	1,044,248		1,102,319	1,164,152	61,833	5.6%
Salaries and Wages	408,350		433,045	449,683	16,638	3.8%
Employee Benefits Expense	62,166		72,431	68,959	(3,472)	-4.8%
Professional Fees	14,577		15,592	19,138	3,547	22.8%
Supplies Expense	222,271		254,000	280,474	26,475	10.4%
Purchased Services	45,076		42,255	39,622	(2,634)	-6.2%
Facilities Expense	26,599		26,968	27,935	967	3.6%
Depreciation & Amortization	25,059		27,108	32,256	5,148	19.0%
Other Operating Expense	22,604		24,691	25,435	744	3.0%
Intrasystem Allocation	135,252		145,443	150,717	5,274	3.6%
Total Operating Expense	961,954		1,041,533	1,094,219	52,686	5.1%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	82,294		60,786	69,932	9,146	15.1%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	4,936		19,193	(7,579)	(26,772)	-139.5%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 87,229	\$	79,979	\$ 62,354	\$ (17,626)	-22.0%
EBIDA	\$ 120,977	\$	115,811	\$ 102,206	\$ (13,605)	-11.7%

## Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance
	Actual	Projected	Budget		
Admissions	5,654	5,405	5,387	(18)	-0.3%
Observation Discharges	4,482	5,663	5,977	314	5.5%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	10,136	11,068	11,364	296	2.7%
Patient Days	55,539	54,374	53,424	(950)	-1.8%
Observation Days	6,215	8,379	8,846	467	5.6%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	61,754	62,753	62,270	(483)	-0.8%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	87,339	93,656	98,024	4,368	4.7%
ER Visits	72,368	66,225	63,007	(3,218)	-4.9%
Cardiac Surgeries	302	312	333	21	6.7%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	1,376	1,296	1,476	180	13.9%
Outpatient Surgeries	7,186	7,553	7,849	296	3.9%

#### Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	Y 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 1,340,527	\$ 1,420,014	\$ 1,453,438	\$ 33,424	2.4%
Outpatient Revenue	826,973	903,678	923,148	19,470	2.2%
Gross Patient Revenue	2,167,500	2,323,692	2,376,586	52,894	2.3%
Net Patient Revenue	368,053	386,264	407,882	21,618	5.6%
Other Operating Revenue	4,850	6,123	6,894	771	12.6%
NetRevenue	372,903	392,386	414,775	22,389	5.7%
Salaries and Wages	149,266	158,941	164,968	6,027	3.8%
Employee Benefits Expense	23,337	28,253	27,791	(462)	-1.6%
Professional Fees	7,344	13,646	13,643	(3)	0.0%
Supplies Expense	53,610	56,863	58,258	1,395	2.5%
Purchased Services	20,742	21,182	20,743	(439)	-2.1%
Facilities Expense	9,890	12,932	12,605	(327)	-2.5%
Depreciation & Amortization	18,034	18,310	19,065	755	4.1%
Other Operating Expense	8,859	10,419	10,717	298	2.9%
Intrasystem Allocation	43,939	50,013	51,938	1,925	3.9%
Total Operating Expense	335,019	370,559	379,728	9,169	2.5%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	37,884	21,826	35,047	13,221	60.6%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	(3,429)	(1,112)	(4,931)	(3,820)	343.7%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 34,454	\$ 20,715	\$ 30,116	\$ 9,401	45.4%
EBIDA –	\$ 56,594	\$ 41,875	\$ 54,101	\$ 12,226	29.2%

## Memorial Regional Hospital South Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance
	Actual	Projected	Budget		
Admissions	3,198	3,441	3,493	52	1.5%
Rehab Admissions	1,950	1,886	1,908	22	1.2%
Observation Discharges	1,366	1,451	1,475	24	1.7%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	4,564	4,892	4,968	76	1.6%
Patient Days	29,174	28,700	28,860	161	0.6%
Observation Days	2,087	2,585	2,626	40	1.6%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	31,261	31,285	31,486	201	0.6%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	92,700	96,205	98,479	2274	2.4%
ER Visits	24,693	24,785	24,927	142	0.6%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	225	157	158	1	0.3%
Outpatient Surgeries	3,613	3,588	3,869	281	7.8%

#### Memorial Regional Hospital South Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 310,728	\$ 344,219	\$ 346,451	\$ 2,232	0.7%
Outpatient Revenue	558,459	639,781	660,583	20,802	3.3%
Gross Patient Revenue	869,187	984,000	1,007,034	23,034	2.3%
Net Patient Revenue	135,275	147,590	152,812	5,222	3.5%
Other Operating Revenue	5,223	4,638	5,616	978	21.1%
Net Revenue	140,498	152,228	158,428	6,200	4.1%
Salaries and Wages	66,082	67,435	69,349	1,913	2.8%
Employee Benefits Expense	11,577	13,213	11,969	(1,245)	-9.4%
Professional Fees	1,342	1,237	1,423	186	15.0%
Supplies Expense	21,467	23,815	25,081	1,266	5.3%
Purchased Services	9,859	11,812	12,912	1,100	9.3%
Facilities Expense	6,700	6,564	6,852	288	4.4%
Depreciation & Amortization	5,422	6,009	6,874	865	14.4%
Other Operating Expense	3,897	3,946	4,436	490	12.4%
Intrasystem Allocation	19,103	21,113	22,036	923	4.4%
Total Operating Expense	145,448	155,144	160,931	5,787	3.7%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	(4,950)	(2,916)	(2,503)	413	-14.2%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	(68)	190	(694)	(884)	-465.0%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ (5,018)	\$ (2,726)	\$ (3,197)	\$ (470)	17.3%
EBIDA	\$ 1,171	\$ 4,154	\$ 4,371	\$ 217	5.2%

### Memorial Hospital West Operating Indicators

	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Admissions	24,608	24,434	24,907	473	1.9%
Observation Discharges	11,981	10,637	10,634	(3)	0.0%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	36,589	35,071	35,541	470	1.3%
Patient Days	141,944	143,156	143,464	308	0.2%
Observation Days	20,012	17,645	17,640	(5)	0.0%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	161,956	160,801	161,104	303	0.2%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	205,469	224,374	231,167	6,793	3.0%
ER Visits	100,688	96,701	97,362	661	0.7%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	4,304	3,960	4,140	180	4.6%
Outpatient Surgeries	5,922	5 <i>,</i> 925	6,049	124	2.1%
Deliveries	3,511	3,168	3,136	(32)	-1.0%

#### Memorial Hospital West Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual		FY 2025 Projected		FY 2026 Budget		Variance		% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$	3,088,946	\$	3,323,741	\$	3,550,427	\$	226,686	6.8%
Outpatient Revenue		3,046,738		3,564,984		3,794,254		229,271	6.4%
Gross Patient Revenue		6,135,684		6,888,725		7,344,682		455,957	6.6%
Net Patient Revenue		843,641		872,486		927,781		55,295	6.3%
Other Operating Revenue		31,108		24,778		26,668		1,890	7.6%
Net Revenue		874,749		897,264		954,450		57,186	6.4%
Salaries and Wages		294,066		311,515		319,583		8,068	2.6%
Employee Benefits Expense		47,041		55,522		51,685		(3,837)	-6.9%
Professional Fees		21,155		23,157		26,033		2,876	12.4%
Supplies Expense		171,118		190,005		210,379		20,374	10.7%
Purchased Services		50,559		48,590		48,659		69	0.1%
Facilities Expense		17,396		19,606		24,567		4,961	25.3%
Depreciation & Amortization		21,859		25,498		26,641		1,143	4.5%
Other Operating Expense		17,427		20,824		24,474		3,649	17.5%
Intrasystem Allocation		113,216		116,302		117,074		773	0.7%
Total Operating Expense		753,838		811,019		849,095		38,076	4.7%
Income/(Loss) From Operations		120,911		86,245		105,354		19,110	22.2%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)		1,228		10,481		(9,622)		(20,103)	-191.8%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$	122,140	\$	96,726	\$	95,732	\$	(993)	-1.0%
EBIDA	\$	154,908	\$	133,122	\$	132,758	\$	(365)	-0.3%

## Memorial Hospital Pembroke Operating Indicators

	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	Variance	% Variance
	Actual	Projected	Budget		
Admissions	7,000	6,878	7,000	122	1.8%
Observation Discharges	5,868	6,473	6,581	108	1.7%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	12,868	13,351	13,581	230	1.7%
Patient Days	39,237	37,829	36,749	(1,080)	-2.9%
Observation Days	9,901	11,328	10,559	(769)	-6.8%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obsv)	49,138	49,157	47,308	(1,849)	-3.8%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	37,145	40,853	41,933	1,080	2.6%
24/7 Visits	53,857	51,101	48,806	(2,295)	-4.5%
ER Visits	36,764	37,243	37,458	215	0.6%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	1,572	1,732	1,802	70	4.1%
Outpatient Surgeries	2,927	2,882	3,028	146	5.1%

#### **Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	Y 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 710,720	\$ 733,198	\$ 717,684	\$ (15,514)	-2.1%
Outpatient Revenue	779,017	873,030	854,329	(18,701)	-2.1%
Gross Patient Revenue	1,489,736	1,606,228	1,572,014	(34,214)	-2.1%
Net Patient Revenue	209,783	207,237	207,708	471	0.2%
Other Operating Revenue	8,879	5,647	6,801	1,154	20.4%
Net Revenue	218,661	212,884	214,509	1,625	0.8%
Salaries and Wages	86,610	88,695	91,131	2,436	2.8%
Employee Benefits Expense	13,231	15,621	14,789	(833)	-5.3%
Professional Fees	5,003	4,990	5,558	567	11.4%
Supplies Expense	28,102	29,682	30,205	523	1.8%
Purchased Services	15,130	14,786	14,409	(377)	-2.6%
Facilities Expense	6,264	6,575	7,243	668	10.2%
Depreciation & Amortization	11,264	10,908	8,527	(2,381)	-21.8%
Other Operating Expense	5,232	9,482	6,506	(2,976)	-31.4%
Intrasystem Allocation	29,001	29,260	28,203	(1,057)	-3.6%
Total Operating Expense	199,836	209,999	206,570	(3,429)	-1.6%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	18,825	2,885	7,939	5,054	175.2%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	4,813	9,204	(557)	(9,761)	-106.1%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 23,639	\$ 12,089	\$ 7,383	\$ (4,706)	-38.9%
EBIDA	\$ 35,649	\$ 23,791	\$ 16,466	\$ (7,325)	-30.8%

## Memorial Hospital Miramar Operating Indicators

	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Admissions	10,138	10,378	10,536	158	1.5%
Observation Discharges	5,277	5,240	5,197	-43	-0.8%
Total Admissions (IP+Obs)	15,415	15,618	15,733	115	0.7%
Patient Days	40,447	43,174	42,911	(263)	-0.6%
Observation Days	7,784	7,966	7,820	-146	-1.8%
Total Patient Days (IP+Obs)	48,231	51,140	50,731	(409)	-0.8%
Hospital Outpatient Visits	100,771	107,555	114,950	7,395	6.9%
ER Visits	67,825	65,708	65 <i>,</i> 634	-74	-0.1%
Inpatient Surgeries (Non-Cardiac)	927	1,020	1,049	29	2.8%
Outpatient Surgeries	6,921	7,270	7,422	152	2.1%
Deliveries	3,957	4,004	4,004	0	0.0%

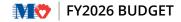
#### Memorial Hospital Miramar Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual		FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance 9		% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 795,043	\$	886,470	\$ 885,876	\$	(594)	-0.1%
Outpatient Revenue	1,023,019		1,120,572	1,150,846		30,274	2.7%
Gross Patient Revenue	1,818,062		2,007,042	2,036,722		29,680	1.5%
Net Patient Revenue	303,356		321,378	337,119		15,741	4.9%
Other Operating Revenue	2,986		4,191	5,685		1,495	35.7%
Net Revenue	306,341		325,569	342,804		17,235	5.3%
Salaries and Wages	102,009		110,156	115,857		5,701	5.2%
Employee Benefits Expense	16,981		20,290	19,168		(1,122)	-5.5%
Professional Fees	4,945		5,339	6,728		1,389	26.0%
Supplies Expense	32,343		37,246	38,421		1,175	3.2%
Purchased Services	21,289		21,402	21,702		300	1.4%
Facilities Expense	9,154		9,842	10,880		1,038	10.5%
Depreciation & Amortization	8,097		8,358	8,774		417	5.0%
Other Operating Expense	5,917		7,748	8,431		683	8.8%
Intrasystem Allocation	35,601		36,103	36,349		245	0.7%
Total Operating Expense	236,337		256,484	266,310		9,826	3.8%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	70,005		69,085	76,494		7,409	10.7%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	1,487		8,015	(2,977)		(10,992)	-137.1%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 71,492	\$	77,100	\$ 73,517	\$	(3,583)	-4.7%
EBIDA	\$ 82,636	\$	88,522	\$ 85,268	\$	(3,253)	-3.7%

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## Memorial Manor Nursing Home Operating Indicators

	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Admissions	803	862	886	24	2.8%
Resident Days	40,141	40,563	41,610	1,047	2.6%



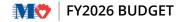
# Memorial Manor Nursing Home

#### **Statement of Revenues and Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	,	Variance	% Variance
Inpatient Revenue	\$ 34,118	\$ 50,780	\$ 52,870	\$	2,090	4.1%
Gross Patient Revenue	34,118	50,780	52,870		2,090	4.1%
Net Patient Revenue	12,944	13,668	14,246		578	4.2%
Other Operating Revenue	8	209	215		6	2.8%
Net Revenue	12,952	13,877	14,461		584	4.2%
Salaries and Wages	11,812	12,237	13,328		1,091	8.9%
Employee Benefits Expense	2,269	2,551	2,372		(178)	-7.0%
Professional Fees	66	70	75		5	7.1%
Supplies Expense	2,612	2,373	2,448		75	3.2%
Purchased Services	1,401	1,378	1,434		56	4.1%
Facilities Expense	729	806	831		24	3.0%
Depreciation & Amortization	393	432	607		175	40.5%
Other Operating Expense	539	557	627		70	12.5%
Intrasystem Allocation	1,230	1,382	1,491		109	7.9%
Total Operating Expense	21,049	21,786	23,212		1,427	6.6%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	(8,097)	(7,909)	(8,752)		(843)	10.7%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	(10)	11	(24)		(35)	-326.1%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ (8,107)	\$ (7,898)	\$ (8,775)	\$	(877)	11.1%
EBIDA	\$ (7,704)	\$ (7,439)	\$ (8,144)	\$	(705)	9.5%

## Memorial Physician Group Operating Indicators

	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Physician Group Encounters	1,052,019	1,118,267	1,286,776	168,509	15.1%

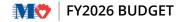


#### Memorial Physician Group Statement of Revenues & Expenses

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Outpatient Revenue	\$ 407,765	\$ 437,262	\$ 495,863	\$ 58,600	13.4%
Gross Patient Revenue	407,765	437,262	495,863	58,600	13.4%
Net Patient Revenue	110,474	131,109	155,883	24,774	18.9%
Other Operating Revenue	20,219	24,246	24,660	415	1.7%
Net Revenue	130,693	155,355	180,544	25,189	16.2%
Salaries and Wages	206,008	227,420	257,571	30,151	13.3%
Employee Benefits Expense	20,678	25,752	29,981	4,229	16.4%
Professional Fees	31	31	34	3	8.1%
Supplies Expense	14,880	20,592	21,346	754	3.7%
Purchased Services	3,381	3,133	4,134	1,001	31.9%
Facilities Expense	8,936	10,593	12,731	2,138	20.2%
Depreciation & Amortization	6,119	7,505	8,704	1,200	16.0%
Other Operating Expense	5,253	5,321	6,662	1,341	25.2%
Intrasystem Allocation	8,534	15,759	20,963	5,204	33.0%
Total Operating Expense	273,820	316,106	362,126	46,020	14.6%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	(143,127)	(160,751)	(181,582)	(20,831)	13.0%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	(546)	(735)	(664)	71	-9.7%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ (143,673)	\$ (161,486)	\$ (182,246)	\$ (20,760)	12.9%
EBIDA	\$ (136,989)	\$ (153,213)	\$ (172,845)	\$ (19,631)	12.8%

### Memorial Primary Care Operating Indicators

	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Medical Encounters	117,435	138,869	171,237	32,368	23.3%

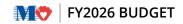


# Memorial Primary Care

#### **Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Outpatient Revenue	\$ 62,847	\$ 62,352	\$ 76,028	\$ 13,676	21.9%
Gross Patient Revenue	62,847	62,352	76,028	13,676	21.9%
Net Patient Revenue	10,412	9,929	13,114	3,185	32.1%
Other Operating Revenue	12,760	16,694	15,364	(1,330)	-8.0%
Net Revenue	23,172	26,623	28,478	1,855	7.0%
Salaries and Wages	16,834	20,113	22,427	2,314	11.5%
Employee Benefits Expense	2,877	3,367	3,830	462	13.7%
Professional Fees	1,408	1,539	1,512	(27)	-1.8%
Supplies Expense	1,491	1,153	1,248	95	8.2%
Purchased Services	2,518	2,545	2,465	(80)	-3.2%
Facilities Expense	1,498	1,552	1,493	(59)	-3.8%
Depreciation & Amortization	955	1,184	2,146	962	81.3%
Other Operating Expense	1,376	1,548	1,080	(469)	-30.3%
Intrasystem Allocation	2,055	2,821	3,391	570	20.2%
Total Operating Expense	31,013	35,823	39,592	3,769	10.5%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	(7,840)	(9,200)	(11,114)	(1,914)	20.8%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	(57)	(56)	(124)	(68)	122.7%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ (7,897)	\$ (9,256)	\$ (11,238)	\$ (1,982)	21.4%
EBIDA	\$ (6,886)	\$ (8,016)	\$ (8,968)	\$ (952)	11.9%

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Other Entities Includes: MHS Division, Graduate Medical Education, Memorial Retail Stores, Outpatient Pharmacy Services, Urgent Care Centers, Property Management, Memorial Health Network, ACO, and Memorial Assurance

#### **Statement of Revenues and Expenses**

(\$ thousands)	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Projected	FY 2026 Budget	Variance	% Variance
Outpatient Revenue	\$ 31,832	\$ 40,901	\$ 42,357	\$ 1,456	3.6%
Gross Patient Revenue	31,837	40,905	42,360	1,456	3.6%
Net Patient Revenue	7,158	7,029	6,836	(193)	-2.7%
Other Operating Revenue	140,844	184,043	215,376	31,333	17.0%
Net Revenue	148,002	191,072	222,212	31,140	16.3%
Salaries and Wages	216,759	225,872	239,421	13,548	6.0%
Employee Benefits Expense	38,082	47,122	44,346	(2,776)	-5.9%
Professional Fees	23,210	25,139	29,383	4,244	16.9%
Supplies Expense	116,698	118,066	133,452	15,386	13.0%
Purchased Services	70,262	70,378	71,950	1,572	2.2%
Facilities Expense	4,195	2,703	3,505	802	29.7%
Depreciation & Amortization	47,968	59,216	66,399	7,183	12.1%
Other Operating Expense	37,896	43,912	47,312	3,400	7.7%
Intrasystem Allocation	(387,929	) (418,197	) (432,162)	) (13,965)	3.3%
Total Operating Expense	167,141	174,212	203,606	29,394	16.9%
Income/(Loss) From Operations	(19,139	) 16,860	18,606	1,746	10.4%
Total Non-Operating Income/(Loss)	90,801	173,387	89,201	(84,186)	-48.6%
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 71,662	\$ 190,247	\$ 107,807	\$ (82,440)	-43.3%
EBIDA	\$ 114,927	\$ 174,507	\$ 179,930	\$ 5,423	3.1%

#### South Broward Hospital District

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Group:	S.B.H.D. Building Committee	Date:	April 14, 2025
Chairman:	Mr. Brad Friedman	Time:	2:00 p.m.
Vice Chairman:	Mr. Douglas Harrison		
Location	Executive Conference Room, 3111 Stirling Road	, Hollywod	od, Florida, 33312
In Attendance:	Mr. Brad Friedman, Mr. Douglas Harrison, Ms. Elizabeth Justen, Mr. Steven Harvey (via WebEx), Ms. Laura Raybin Miller, Mr. Shane Strum, Mr. Alan Whaley, Ms. Linda Epstein, Mr. David Smith, Mr. Mark Greenspan, Ms. Denise Dicesare, Mr. Irfan Mirza, Ms. Sarah Griffith, Mr. Robert Alonso, Mr. Joseph Kadis, and Ms. Carmen Gonzalez		

#### 1. Call to Order / Public Meeting Notice Certification

There being a quorum present, Mr. Friedman called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m., after which Ms. Epstein provided the legal certification of compliance with Florida's Public Meeting Laws.

#### 2. Construction Progress Report

Mr. Greenspan reviewed the Construction Progress Report with the Committee. All projects remain on schedule as indicated on the report. He additionally noted the following:

- a. Memorial Hospital Pembroke Operating Room 7 and 8 project was completed and approved by AHCA.
- b. Douglas Road and Red Road Freestanding Emergency Departments work has commenced at both locations.
- c. 10175 Chase Bank work remains underway to resolve land entitlement and use restrictions. Mr. Greenspan also advised that the proposed use of the site was being revised from primary care to an outpatient imaging center.
- d. Kidney Transplant Clinic at Venture Corporate Center construction has commenced.
- e. Memorial Hospital Miramar 2 MRI / CT construction is about to commence.
- f. Memorial Regional Hospital Emergency Department and Trauma work remains underway. The resuscitation room has been turned over for clinical use. Renovations to the trauma rooms remain on schedule. Mr. Greenspan noted that other remaining phases of the project may need to be revised to accommodate clinical needs.
- g. Memorial Hospital West second floor Labor and Delivery an AHCA survey is scheduled for the week of April 14<sup>th</sup>.
- h. Memorial Regional Hospital Surgical Tower a Board Workshop is being scheduled.

#### 3. Bid Award Recommendations

a. <u>Memorial Hospital Miramar Ultrasound X-Ray Room Relocation / Emergency Department Overflow</u>

The Building Committee recommends to the Board of Commissioners acceptance of the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Lee Construction Group, Inc., in the amount of \$1,306,200, and allocate a \$195,930 contingency, to be controlled by Memorial Healthcare System.

Motion:	Mr. Harrison
Seconded:	Ms. Miller
In Favor:	Unanimous

#### 4. Old Business

No unfinished business was reported from the previous meeting.

#### 5. New Business

a. Mr. Greenspan advised, per Memorial Healthcare System Standard Practice, that staff was preparing to issue Requests for Qualifications to establish pre-qualified pools of general contractors, construction managers, architects, and design professionals, for Continuing Services and for capital projects included in the approved capital budget.

Motion:	Mr. Harrison
Seconded:	Mr. Harvey
In Favor:	Unanimous

- b. Mr. Greenspan indicated the following bids were planned for future Building Committee consideration:
  - Memorial Manor Piped-in O2
  - Memorial Cancer Institute Hallandale Expansion
  - Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital CT Replacement
  - Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Mechanical Equipment Upgrades
  - Memorial Hospital West IR Room #2 Equipment Replacement
  - Memorial Hospital West CT Scan Room Replacement
  - Memorial Physician Group 603 Suite 250 Urology
  - Memorial Regional Hospital South CT Imaging Suite
  - Memorial Regional Hospital South South AHU 3 Replacement

#### 6. <u>Adjournment</u>

There being no further business, the Building Committee adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brad Friedman Chairman, Building Committee



# South Broward Hospital District Board Building Committee Construction Progress Report

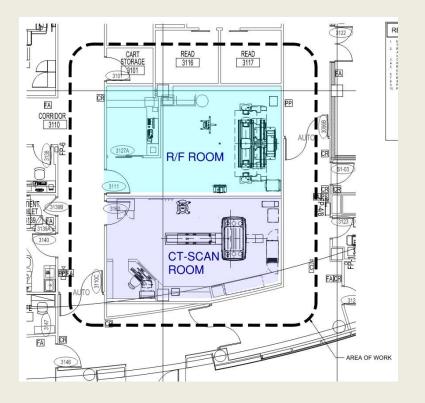
**Construction Services Department** 

April 2025

# Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital

# **CT** Replacement

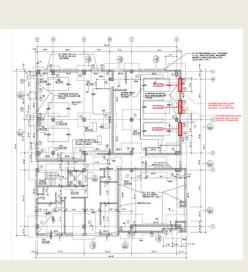
- Scope of Work: Replace CT & RF equipment and switch existing rooms in order to minimize equipment down time
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: Estimated \$1,100,000
- Total Estimated Cost: Estimated \$4,500,000

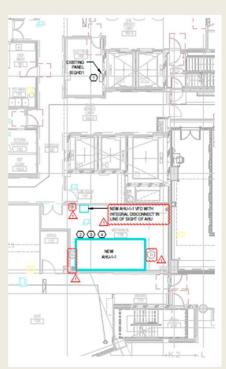


# Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital

# JDCH Building Commissioning Mechanical Issues

- Scope of Work: Mechanical equipment and code updates
- Status of Project: Planning
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Akin Brooks Engineering
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: \$705,000.00
- Total Estimated Cost: \$1.5M

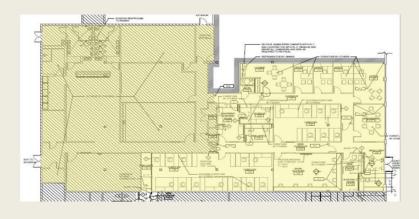




# Memorial Healthcare System

#### MHS 7029-7031 Taft Community Youth Services Renovation

- Scope of Work: Replacement of Interior Finishes
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: \$1,790,000
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3,652,000

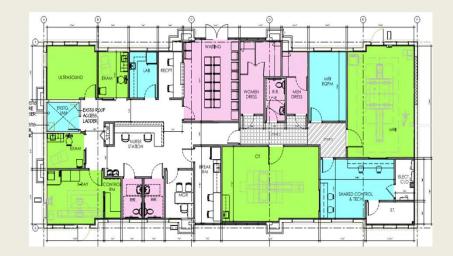




# Memorial Healthcare System

## UCC 10175 Pines Blvd

- Scope of Work: Interior renovation of Chase bank for outpatient services
- Status of Project: Permitting/Land use approval
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: Impacted
- Comments: Pending county approval for plat note amendment.
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: July 24, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$2.99M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$4.0M



# Memorial Healthcare System

# MHS IT Data Center ASCO Equipment

- Scope of Work: Replace electrical switchgear serving the data center.
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith / TLC Engineering / ASCO Services
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$1M





# Memorial Hospital Miramar

## **Monument Sign Replacements**

- Scope of Work: Exterior sign replacement 49 signs total
- Status of Project: Permitting/Construction
- Schedule Completion: September 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: March 27, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$1,987,615
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2,186,000



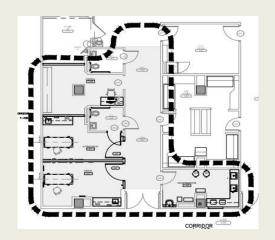


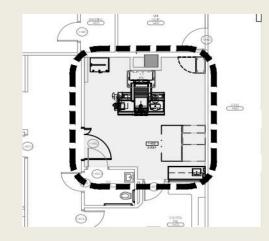


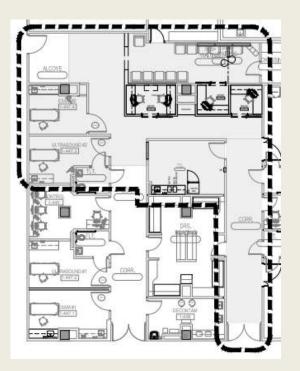
# Memorial Hospital Miramar

## MHM Ultrasound Xray Room Relocation/ED Overflow

- Scope of Work: Replacement of Xray machine. New ultrasound and exam rooms. Create a decontamination room. Additional offices. Upgrade finishes.
- Status of Project: Permitting/Bidding
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: Ongoing
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: April 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$1,698,060
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2,200,000



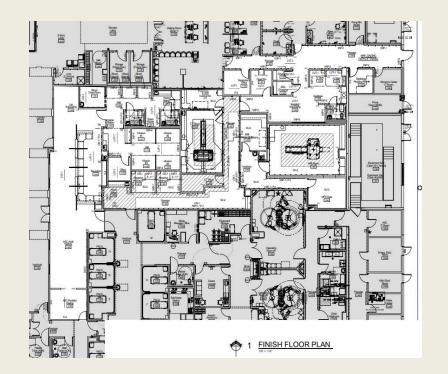




# Memorial Hospital Miramar

# MOB 2 MRI/CT Lab

- Scope of Work: Build-out of 3,956 SF of existing 1st floor shell space. New functions include MRI room, CT scan room, lab infusion and patient and Staff support spaces
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: Preparing to start
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: July 24, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$3.1M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$12.3M



## MHP Roof Replacement

- Scope of Work: Replace 92,500 SF exterior roof
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: Pending Permit
- Comments: Bid awarded
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: Lego Construction Company
- Board Approval Date: January 20, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$4.8M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$7.7M



## **Douglas Road Free Standing ED**

- Scope of Work: 30,000 SF new construction of a Free-Standing Emergency Department
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: July 2026
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: DPR Construction
- Board Approval Date: October 24, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$38.5M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$52.85M





# Red Road Free Standing ED

- Scope of Work: 17,000 SF new construction Free Standing Emergency
   Department
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: April 2026
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: DPR Construction
- Board Approval Date: October 24, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$23.4M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$34.8M





## MHP OR 7 & 8 Renovation

- Scope of Work: Upgrade equipment and room finishes of Cysto Room OR #7 and OR #8. 1,035 SF
- Status of Project: Completed
- Schedule Completion: March 2025
- Current Status: Construction completed
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: Sept. 27, 2023
- Cost of Construction: \$1.75M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2.8M



## MHP MRI Replacement

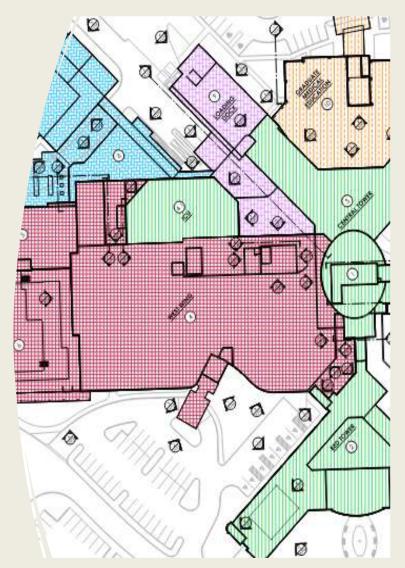
- Scope of Work: New MRI Suite to replace the existing MRI Modular Unit nearing end of life. Relocate existing rooms to accommodate new MRI Suite.
- Status of Project: Planning
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: Preliminary planning
- Comments: AHCA restricted temporary use of mobile units up to 6 months.
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: Estimated \$5.81M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$9.65M



# **Memorial Hospital West**

## **Envelope Repairs**

- Scope of Work: Repair exterior envelope to prevent water intrusion, replace windows as needed
- Status of Project: Hold
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: TBD
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$10.6M



# Memorial Hospital West

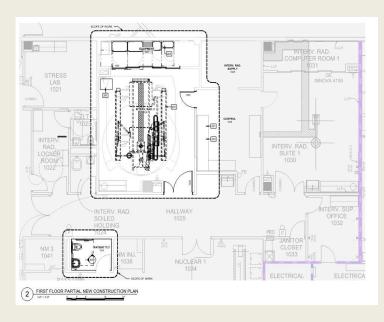
## Memorial Hospital West Garage Restoration

- Scope of Work: Structural Restoration of Parking Garage A, B, & C. Project will be completed in multiple phasing to help maintain traffic flow throughout the garages.
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Engineer: Kimley-Horn & Associates
- Contractor: Engel Construction
- Board Approval Date: February 27, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$2,098,122
- Total Estimated Cost: \$4.0M



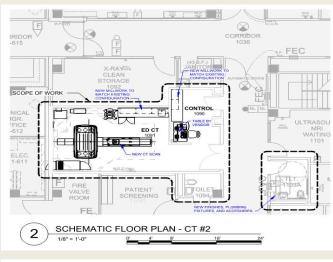
### MHW IR Room #2 Equipment Replacement

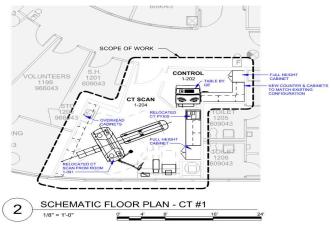
- Scope of Work: IR Equipment replacement and room finishes
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: Estimated \$1,050,000
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2,610,000



### MHW CT Scan Room

- Scope of Work: Move existing CT scan to current ultrasound room and replace CT equipment.
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: Estimated \$1,500,000
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3,920,000





### 2nd Floor Labor & Delivery

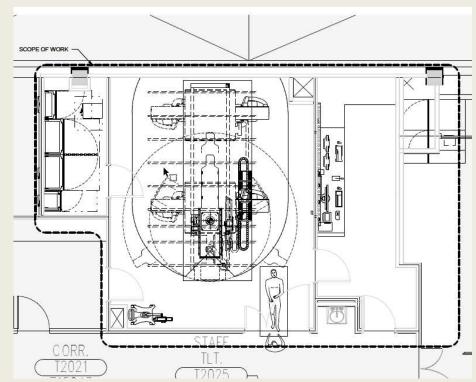
- Scope of Work: Interior Renovation upgrade for existing 14 rooms, (6) triage rooms, (1) exam room, nurse's station, and upgraded amenities.
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: May 2025
- Current Status: Unforeseen
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: February 28, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$2,768,050
- Total Estimated Cost: \$9,592,689





### MHW CVI #2 Equipment Replacement

- Scope of Work: New Cath Lab Equipment in Room #2 with finish renovations and required changes to MEP
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: \$1.7M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3M

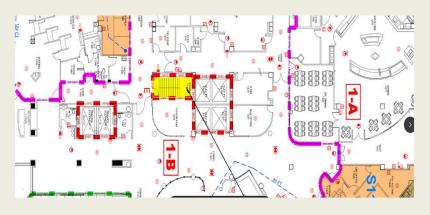


### MHW Elevator 1-2 Modernization

- Scope of Work: Modernization of elevators 1 & 2 in front lobby
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2.4M

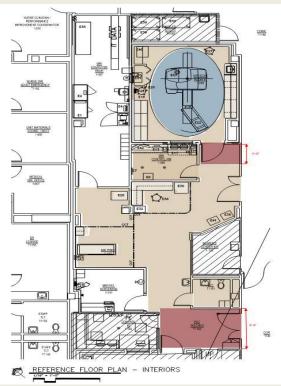






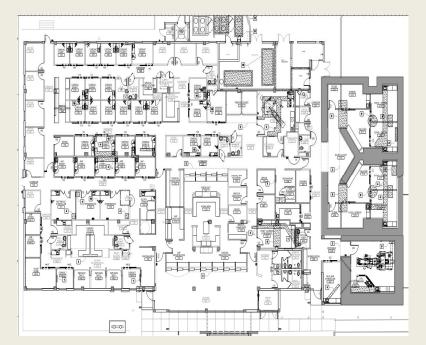
### MHW MRI Upgrade

- Scope of Work: Upgrade MRI components and associate equipment, including chiller unit, Liebert unit, electrical panel, etc. to enable the renovations.
   A temporary MRI Trailer will be set up at the existing adjacent exit previously used for a temporary imagining trailer.
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: August 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group, Inc.
- Board Approval Date: September 25, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$912,030
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2,888,000



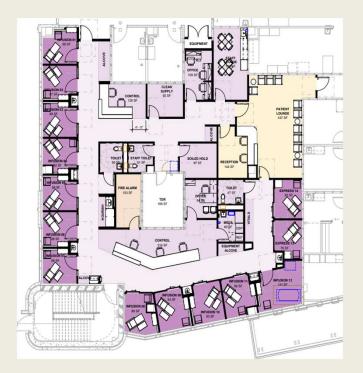
### MHW MCVI West

- Scope of Work: Renovation of existing building to accommodate MCVI functionality including CT and Nuclear CT.
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: October 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: December 4, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$5.7M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$14.5M



### **MHW MCI Infusion Expansion**

- Scope of Work: Tenant improvement design to infill existing 5,160 SQ FT shell with infusion bays, exam rooms, offices and restrooms
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: Thornton Construction, Inc.
- Board Approval Date: February 27, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$1,984,552
- Total Estimated Cost: \$15,249,000



## **Memorial Manor**

### Manor Generator/ATS Replacement

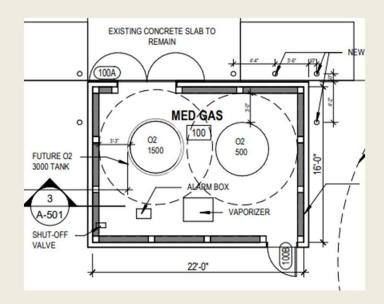
- Scope of Work: Replacement of generator and automatic transfer switch
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3.51M



## **Memorial Manor**

### Manor Piped-in O2

- Scope of Work: Replace existing oxygen tank farm with an upgraded system to meet current codes, including upgrades to the existing tank slab and enclosure. Install (1) new oxygen station at (25) existing patient beds and a new emergency oxygen connection that would serve as a backup.
- Status of Project: Permitting/Bidding
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Comments: In Bidding
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: May Tentative
- Cost of Construction: \$3.0M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3.8M



## Memorial Manor

### Manor FEMA Hardening

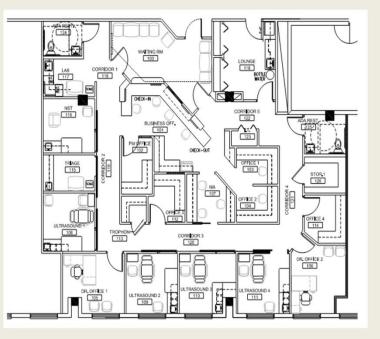
- Scope of Work: Exterior hurricane hardening of 1-story nursing home. Work includes reinforcing existing exterior non-reinforced concrete block walls, reinforcing existing roof trusses, replacing plywood over roof trusses, structural enhancements at gable ends, new metal roof, doors, windows and louvers.
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: February 27, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$4,217,850.00
- Total Estimated Cost: \$7.0M



## Memorial Physicians Group

### MHM MOB Suite 309 Maternal Fetal Medicine

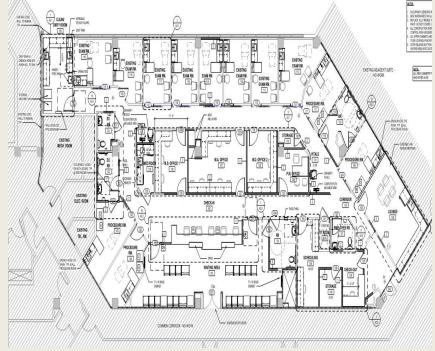
- Scope of Work: Renovation of existing 2,675 SF suite for Maternal Fetal Medicine office.
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: Estimated \$660,000
- Total Estimated Cost: \$1.55M



## Memorial Physicians Group

### MPG MHW 603 Ste 250 Division of Urology

- Scope of Work: Tenant interior buildout to accommodate new medical facilities inclusive of Urology medical practice, (7) exam rooms and (4) procedure rooms.
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: April 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3M



## **Memorial Primary Care-Regional**

### **Buildout Dania Beach Center**

- Scope of Work: Build out of shell space 4,680 sf to include: 15 exam rooms; 5 Providers (3 PCP and 2 Specialty); 5 PFSRs (at check in/check out); 6 Mas; 1 Office Practice manager
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: June 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: March 27, 2024
- Cost of Construction: \$1,915,242
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3.12M







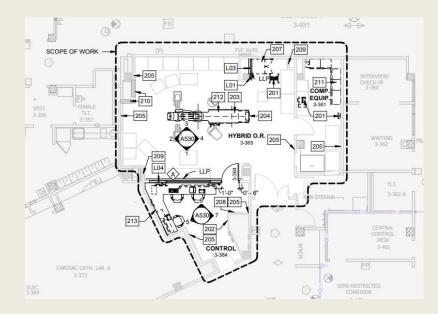
### **MCI** Hallandale Expansion

- Scope of Work: Expand existing MCI Hallandale clinic to add (11) infusion bays, (7) exam rooms and support spaces
- Status of Project: Bidding
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: May Tentative
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$15.249M



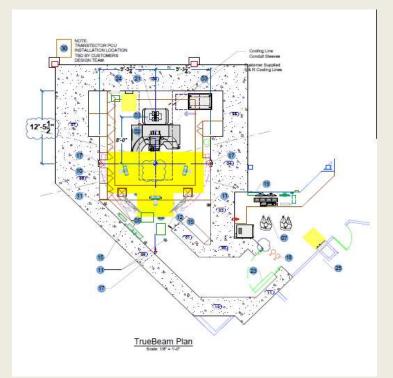
## MRH Bi-Plane Upgrade (Neuro CVI)

- Scope of Work: Equipment replacement of Neuro Bi-Plane Hybrid OR
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Gresham Smith
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: February 27, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$758,625
- Total Estimated Cost: \$3.502M



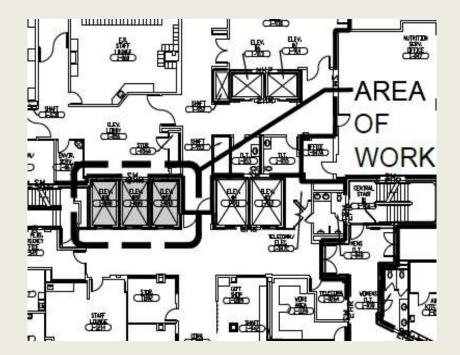
## MRH Therapy Room #1 Linac Replacement

- Scope of Work: Replacement of the existing MRH Linear Accelerator equipment in Therapy Room #1, finishes and cabinetry
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$5.334M



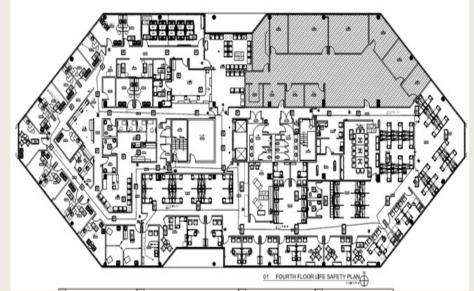
# MRH Service Elevators 1-2-3

- Scope of Work: Modernization of elevators 1-2-3
- Status of Project: Permitting/Bidding
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Comments: Bids received.
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: N/A
- Cost of Construction: \$2,178,270
- Total Estimated Cost: \$1,820,000



## Memorial Regional Hospital MRH Kidney Transplant Clinic

- Scope of Work: 18,800 SF renovation relocating Transplant Services to Venture Corporate Center to improve patient access
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: October 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: Landlord Fit-Out
- Board Approval Date: January 20, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$1,819,793.00
- Total Estimated Cost: \$4.372M



## Memorial Regional Hospital ER Renovation

- Scope of Work: MRH ED Interior Finishes. Full interior finish renovation including flooring, wall covering, doors, ceiling, restrooms with plumbing fixtures, nursing station replacement, casework, etc. (35,049 SF). 1,200 SF of new construction to accommodate decontamination showers and exam room, expanded storage, and improved EMS lounge. Additionally, the project involves 4,500 SF of renovations to improve the layout, efficiency and patient access within the existing 3 trauma bays and resuscitation room 5,700 SF
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: November 2025
- Current Status: Revised schedule due to phasing
- Comments: Phase 1 and 2 of Trauma expansion completed March 7, 2025
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: Turner Construction
- Board Approval Date: May 25, 2022
- Cost of Construction: \$16.4M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$25.1M









### **MRH Chiller Replacement**

- Scope of Work: Chiller replacement planned by MRH including electrical and plumbing upgrades.
- Status of Project: Planning
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Engineer: Davila Engineering
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$1.6M





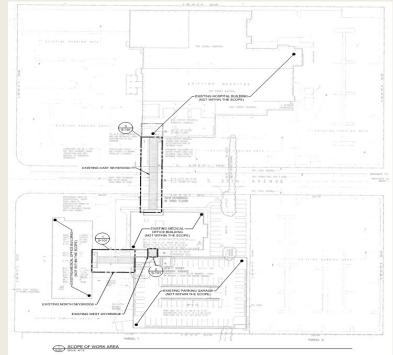
### Master Plan Surgery and Tower

- Scope of Work: Build new 8-story patient and surgical tower with 3-story connector. Scope includes interior renovation of several areas on the 1st and 2nd floors (Main lobby, Registration, Heart Clinic, OR Suite, SPD, Material Management, etc.) Upgrade existing MEP infrastructure to support new spaces
- Status of Project: Permitting/Bidding
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Comments: Pending Board Approval
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: Robins & Morton
- Board Approval Date: Expected May 2025
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$750M



### **MRHS** Pedestrian Bridge Restoration

- Scope of Work: Pedestrian bridge structural restoration.
- Status of Project: Permitting
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Kimley-Horn & Associates
- Contractor: Lego Construction Company
- Board Approval Date: February 27, 2025
- Cost of Construction: \$1,688,315.20
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2,100,000



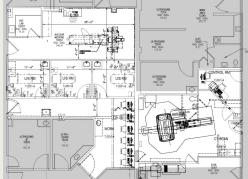
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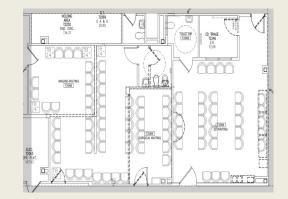
- Scope of Work: Replace Chiller #3 and associated cooling tower with new equipment in the same location
- Status of Project: Construction
- Schedule Completion: June 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Comments: Existing chiller has been removed along with exiting cooling tower
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: LEE Construction Group
- Board Approval Date: April 26, 2023
- Cost of Construction: \$1.456M
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2.603M



## **MRHS CT Imaging Suite Addition**

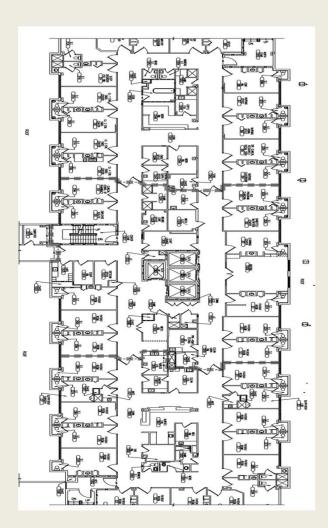
- Scope of Work: The project consists of converting existing Ultrasound space for a new CT Scan Room and control room. The scope requires reconfiguration of the existing Nuclear medicine for (3) new Ultrasound rooms. Additionally, merging imaging and surgery waiting area and cosmetic upgrade for ED waiting area.
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: April 2025
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Harvard Jolly Inc.
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: \$2.5M estimated
- Total Estimated Cost: \$5.5M





### HVAC AHU 3

- Scope of Work: Replacement of AHU-3
- Status of Project: Design
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Current Status: On Schedule
- Architect: Saltz Michelson Architects
- Contractor: TBD
- Board Approval Date: June Tentative
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$2.198M



### **MRHS** Remediation

- Scope of Work: Remediation of the East & West tower facade to mitigate moist air entering the building
- Status of Project: Planning
- Schedule Completion: TBD
- Comments: Working with design team to refine scope of work.
- Architect: HKS Architects Inc.
- Contractor: Thornton Construction
- Board Approval Date: TBD
- Cost of Construction: TBD
- Total Estimated Cost: \$4.3M





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Project	Status	Contractor	Architect	Budget LTD	Prior Years Expenses	Current FY25	Obligations	Funds Remaining	Approved Contractor Bid Amount	Approved Contingency Amount	On Budget	Contract Type	Board Approval Date	Construction Start Date	Original Construction Completion Date	On Schedule?	Comments
loe DiMaggio Children's Hospital - 46																	
CT Replacement	Design	TBD	HARVARD JOLLY INC	4,600,000.00	-	29,495.00	54,304.00	4,516,201.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
JDCH Building Commissioning Mechanical Issues	Planning	TBD	Akin Brooks	1,509,990.00	148,889.30	111,934.99	12,000.00	1,237,165.71	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Healthcare System - 10 MHS 7029-7031 Taft Community Youth	Design	TBD	GRESHAM SMITH	1.443.800.00		27,258.21	1.085.936.47	330.605.32	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Services Renovation* UCC 10175 Pines Blvd*	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	SALTZ MICHELSON	4,000,000.00	123,393.86	63,017.26	167,254.46	3,646,334.42	2,188,200.00	328,230.00	TBD	Bid	07/24/2024	TBD	TBD	Yes	Unforeseen Condition
MHS IT Data Center ASCO Equipment	Planning	TBD	ARCHITECTS GRESHAM SMITH	1,000,000.00	-	-	-	1,000,000.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Hospital Miramar - 45																	
Monument Sign Replacements*	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	2,092,000.00	131,332.50	410,713.85	1,509,355.71	40,597.94	1,728,615.00	259,000.00	Yes	Bid	03/27/2024	12/10/2024	09/30/2025	Yes	On Schedule
MHM Ultrasound Xray Room Relocation/ED Overflow *	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	1,389,500.00	-	48,445.93	573,254.58	767,799.49	TBD	-	Yes	Bid	April 2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MOB2 MRI/CT Lab*	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	9,400,000.00	66,840.00	108,238.54	8,492,774.66	732,146.80	3,140,550.00	471,000.00	Yes	Bid	07/24/2024	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Hospital Pembroke - 44																	
MHP Roof Replacement*	Permitting/Bidding	LEGO CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	1,350,000.00	-	98.4	428,066.53	921,835.07	3,840,661.65	768,132.00	No	Bid	01/20/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Douglas Road Free Standing ED*	Construction	DPR CONSTRUCTION	HKS ARCHITECTS INC	52,852,300.00	1,616,932.05	393,236.05	6,834,358.83	44,007,773.07	38,449,952.00	1,088,206.00	Yes	GMP	10/24/2024	03/10/2025	07/17/2026	Yes	On Schedule
Red Road Free Standing ED*	Construction	DPR CONSTRUCTION	HKS ARCHITECTS INC SALTZ MICHELSON	34,804,100.00	339,962.09	675,621.04	4,445,738.79	29,342,778.08	23,358,673.00	661,095.00	Yes	GMP	10/24/2024	03/03/2025	04/17/2026	Yes	On Schedule
MHP OR 7 & 8 Renovation	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	ARCHITECTS	2,791,000.00	247,044.66	1,180,541.09	1,030,326.54	333,087.71	1,747,842.00	262,000.00	Yes	Bid	09/27/2023	09/09/2024	03/27/2025	Yes	Completed
MHP MRI Replacement*	Planning	TBD	HARVARD JOLLY INC	3,000,000.00	-	-	-	3,000,000.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	Yes	On Schedule
Memorial Hospital West - 43																	
Envelope Repairs*	Hold	TBD	HARVARD JOLLY INC	3,487,700.00	182,196.00	20,244.00	177,345.95	3,107,914.05	TBD	TBD	TBD	GMP	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Hospital West Garage Restoration	Permitting/Bidding	ENGEL CONSTRUCTION	KIMLEY HORN AND ASSOCIATES INC	R&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	02/27/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MHW IR Room #2 Equipment Replacement*	Design	TBD	GRESHAM SMITH	250,000.00	-	43,585.00	61,045.00	145,370.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MHW CT Scan Room*	Design	TBD	GRESHAM SMITH	2,186,500.00	-	4,700.00	1,803,676.16	378,123.84	TBD	TBD	Yes	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
2nd Floor Labor & Delivery	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HKS ARCHITECTS INC	10,779,700.00	410,321.08	2,882,731.06	2,162,298.39	5,324,349.47	2,768,050.00	415,200.00	Yes	Bid	02/28/2024	08/12/2024	05/28/2025	No	Unforseen Conditions
MHW CVI #2 Equipment Replacement	Design	TBD	GRESHAM SMITH	2,526,300.00			149,966.00	2,376,334.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
	-		SALTZ MICHELSON														
MHW Elevator 1-2 Modernization	Design	TBD	ARCHITECTS	321,000.00	-	-	113,571.00	207,429.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MHW MRI Upgrade	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	2,887,800.00	-	91,977.64	1,107,496.12	1,688,326.24	912,030.00	136,804.00	Yes	Bid	09/25/2024	03/31/2025	08/04/2025	Yes	On Schedule
MHW MCVI West*	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	HARVARD JOLLY INC	10,300,000.00	4,727.18	234,296.83	9,596,880.24	464,095.75	5,699,505.00	854,925.00	Yes	Bid	12/04/2024	03/05/2025	10/31/2025	Yes	On Schedule
MHW MCI Infusion Expansion*	Permitting/Bidding	THORNTON CONSTRUCTION	HKS ARCHITECTS INC	2,685,600.00	-	231,425.34	156,150.69	2,298,023.97	1,984,552.00	297,000.00	Yes	Bid	02/27/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Manor - 20																	
Manor Generator/ATS Replacement*	Design	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	500,000.00	-	17,772.00	88,015.00	394,213.00	TBD	TBD	Yes	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Manor Piped-in O2*	Permitting/Bidding	TBD	HKS ARCHITECTS INC	352,267.98	-	60,778.50	30,040.48	261,449.00	TBD	TBD	Yes	Bid	May Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Manor FEMA Hardening*	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	3,250,000.00	165,843.43	112,322.14	145,830.37	2,826,004.06	4,217,850.00	632,000.00	Yes	Bid	02/27/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Memorial Physicians Group - 80			, Millin Loro													1	
MHM MOB Suite 309 Maternal Fetal Medicine	Design	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	1,553,400.00	-	-	48,880.00	1,504,520.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MPG MHW 603 Ste 250 Division of Urology*	Design	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON	1,550,875.00	-	138,110.21	103,087.63	1,309,677.16	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
	5		ARCHITECTS	,,.				,,.									
Memorial Primary Care Regional - 640 Buildout Dania Beach Center	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	3,121,300.00	71,589.80	985,952.56	1,518,861.43	544,896.21	1,915,242.00	287,000.00	Yes	Bid	03/27/2024	09/16/2024	06/26/2025	Yes	On Schedule
Buildout Dania Beach Center	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	ARCHITECTS	3,121,300.00	71,369.60	965,952.50	1,316,601.43	344,890.21	1,913,242:00	287,000.00	Tes	Biu	03/27/2024	09/10/2024	00/20/2025	Tes	On Schedule
Memorial Regional Hospital - 40												1	1	I			
MCI Hallandale Expansion*	Design	TBD	HARVARD JOLLY INC	4,337,400.00	-	45,862.50	143,762.50	4,147,775.00	TBD	TBD	Yes	Bid	May Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MRH Bi-Plane Upgrade (Neuro CVI)*	Permitting/Bidding	LEE CONSTRUCTION	GRESHAM SMITH	1,400,000.00	-	112,855.06	1,933,053.56	(645,908.62)	758,625.00	113,000.00	Yes	Bid	02/27/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MRH Therapy Room #1 Linac Replacement	Design	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	5,085,100.00	270,455.73	(268,159.48)	102,830.49	4,979,973.26	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MRH Service Elevators 1-2-3*	Permitting/Bidding	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	900,000.00	-	62,718.75	25,381.25	811,900.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
MRH Kidney Transplant Clinic*	Construction	Landlord Fit Out	HARVARD JOLLY INC	2,950,000.00	-	132,000.31	35,659.69	2,782,340.00	TBD	TBD	Yes	BID	01/20/2025	TBD	10/25/2025	Yes	On Schedule
ER Renovation*	Construction	TURNER	HARVARD JOLLY INC	20,759,500.00	9,660,510.08	4,717,374.14	4,084,986.44	2,296,629.34	16,401,716.00	1,922,604.00	Yes	GMP	05/25/2022	01/09/2023	11/25/2025	No	Unforseen Conditions
		CONSTRUCTION					.,504,600.44										
MRH Chiller Replacement* Master Plan Surgery & Tower*	Planning Permitting/Bidding	TBD ROBINS & MORTON	DAVILA ENGINEERING HKS ARCHITECTS INC	800,000.00		- 4,689,658.87	- 1,465,754.96	800,000.00 21.901.222.42	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD TBD	TBD
	Fernitung/Bidding	NUDING & MURIUN	TING ARCHITECTS INC	37,417,100.00	3,300,403.70	4,000,000/	1,400,704.90	21,901,222.42	100	UGI	IDU	I GMP	עסו	עסו	100	עסו	
Memorial Regional Hospital South - 41 MRHS Pedestrian Bridge Restoration	Permitting/Bidding	LEGO CONSTRUCTION	KIMLEY HORN AND	500,000.00		27,800.00	26,200.00	446,000.00	1,688,315.20	253,000.00	Yes	Bid	02/27/2025	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Chiller 3 Replacement	Construction	LEE CONSTRUCTION	SALTZ MICHELSON	2,430,000.00		570,557.84	1,026,985.79	659,003.00	1,456,277.00	218,000.00	Yes	Bid	02/27/2025	12/03/2024	06/30/2025	Yes	On Schedule
			ARCHITECTS		113,403.37												
MRHS CT Imaging Suite Addition	Design	TBD	HARVARD JOLLY INC	1,250,000.00	-	55,866.79	75,229.21	1,118,904.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
HVAC AHU 3	Design	TBD	SALTZ MICHELSON ARCHITECTS	2,198,400.00	1,560.00	56,600.00	29,986.00	2,110,254.00	TBD	TBD	TBD	Bid	June Board Tentative	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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TO:	Shane Strum, Interim President and Chief Executive Officer
FROM:	Mark Greenspan, Vice President Construction & Property Management
SUBJECT:	Bid Opening: MHM Ultrasound Xray Room Relocation (ED Overflow)
DATE:	March 14, 2025

Bids for multiple projects were opened at 12:00 P.M. on March 14, 2025 in the Executive Conference Room. In attendance were: Commissioner Brad Friedman, David Smith, Joseph Kadis, Stephen Demers, Kim Paez, Carmen Gonzalez, Carina Marrero, Mark Greenspan along with representatives from Engel Construction, Inc., Lee Construction, Inc., Lego Construction Co., and Thornton Construction Company, Inc.

Bids for the MHM Ultrasound Xray Room Relocation were received:

MHM Ultrasound Xray Room Relocation

$\triangleright$	Engel Construction, Inc.	\$1,707,435.45
$\triangleright$	Lee Construction Group, Inc.	\$1,306,200.00
$\triangleright$	Lego Construction Co.	\$2,214,993.90
$\triangleright$	Thornton Construction Company, Inc.	\$1,514,431.63

Mr. Greenspan informed the group, as has been the standard practice, that the bids would be reviewed and verified for accuracy.

Recommendations for award will be presented at the next regularly scheduled Board Building Committee Meeting.

### South Broward Hospital District

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Group:	S.B.H.D. Contracts Committee	Date:	April 17, 2025			
Chairman:	Mr. Steven Harvey	Time:	2:00 p.m.			
Vice Chairman:	Mr. Douglas Harrison					
Location	Executive Conference Room, 3111 Stirling Road, Hollywood, Florida, 33312					
In Attendance:	Mr. Douglas Harrison, Ms. Elizabeth Justen, Mr. Brad Friedman, Mr. Shane Strum, Mr. Alan Whaley, Ms. Linda Epstein, Mr. David Smith, Mr. Irfan Mirza, Holly Neville, M.D., Ms. Esther Surujon, Ms. Sarah Griffith, Ms. Jeanette Aleu, and Ms. Kimberly Kulhanjian					

The Contracts Committee meeting convened at 2:02 p.m. on April 17, 2025.

#### 1) CALL TO ORDER / PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE CERTIFICATION

The meeting was called to order and legal certification of compliance with Florida's Public Meetings Law was given by Ms. Linda Epstein, Interim General Counsel. The meeting materials were not posted based on assertion of confidentiality.

#### 2) BOARD APPROVAL CONTRACTS

The following agenda items were discussed.

### a) New Physician Employment Agreement between Vincente Lemes, M.D. - Pediatric Cardiology and South Broward Hospital District

The Committee reviewed the New Physician Employment Agreement between the South Broward Hospital District and Vincente Lemes, M.D. for Pediatric Cardiology Services.

Dr. Lemes received Doctor of Medicine degree from Universidad Central Del Este in San Pedro de Macoris, Dominican Republic (1985). He completed a Pediatric Residency at Nassau University Medical Center in East Meadow, NY (1992), a Pediatric Cardiology Fellowship at The New York Hospital - Cornell Medical Center in New York (1994) and a Pediatric Cardiology Fellowship at The Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, MD (1995). Dr. Lemes has practiced in the community in private practice at Pediatric Heart Associates, P.A. since 1998. He is board-certified in Pediatrics and Pediatric Cardiology.

Dr. Lemes will be responsible for providing Pediatric Cardiology Services consistent with the clinical scope of his privileges. He will provide medical care and treatment to all patients who require the services of a Pediatric Cardiologist. He shall provide such services assuring that patient care is delivered in a manner which results in safe, high-quality care, as measured by clinical outcomes and patient satisfaction. Dr. Lemes may also be required to perform other medical administrative services. Under this employment agreement, he will be required to perform such services at any Hospital District location.

The details of Dr. Lemes's compensation package were discussed. The Committee noted that Dr. Lemes's salary was evaluated based upon the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Pediatric Cardiology.

The Employment Agreement shall be effective July 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. Physician may terminate this Agreement at any time upon one hundred twenty (120) days prior written

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During the Term of the Agreement and for a period of one (1) year following the Term, physician shall not, without the prior written consent of the Hospital District, provide services within the geographic boundaries of the Restricted Area of Broward County plus five (5) miles.

Following further discussion:

### The Contracts Committee Recommends to the Board Of Commissioners Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement with Vincente Lemes, M.D. for Pediatric Cardiology Services

### b) New Physician Employment Agreement between Ari Bennett, M.D. - Electrophysiology and South Broward Hospital District

The Committee reviewed the New Physician Employment Agreement between the South Broward Hospital District and Ari Bennett, M.D. for Electrophysiology Services.

Dr. Bennett received a Bachelor's degree from the University of Florida (2012) and a Doctor of Medicine degree from the University Of Miami Miller School Of Medicine (2016). He completed an Internal Medicine Residency (2019), a Cardiology Fellowship (2023) and is currently completing an Electrophysiology Fellowship at UT Southwestern Medical Center. Dr. Bennett is board-certified in Internal Medicine and Cardiovascular Disease.

Dr. Bennett will be responsible for providing Electrophysiology Services consistent with the clinical scope of his privileges. He will provide medical care and treatment to all patients who require the services of an Electrophysiologist. He shall provide such services assuring that patient care is delivered in a manner which results in safe, high-quality care, as measured by clinical outcomes and patient satisfaction. Dr. Bennett may also be required to perform other medical administrative services. Under this employment agreement, he will be required to perform such services at any Hospital District location.

The details of Dr. Bennett's compensation package were discussed. The Committee noted that that Dr. Bennett's salary was evaluated based upon the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Electrophysiology.

The Employment Agreement shall be effective September 2, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. Physician may terminate this Agreement at any time upon one hundred twenty (120) days prior written notice to the Hospital District. Hospital District may terminate this Agreement at any time upon ninety (90) days prior written notice to Physician.

During the Term of the Agreement and for a period of one (1) year following the Term, physician shall not, without the prior written consent of the Hospital District, provide services within the geographic boundaries of the Restricted Area of Broward County plus five (5) miles.

Following further discussion:

### The Contracts Committee Recommends to the Board of Commissioners Approval of the New Physician Employment Agreement with Ari Bennett, M.D. for Electrophysiology Services.

c) Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between Lisa Kenigsberg Fechter, M.D. - Pediatric Endocrinology and South Broward Hospital District

The Committee reviewed the Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between the South Broward Hospital District and Lisa Kenigsberg Fechter, M.D. for Pediatric Endocrinology Services.

Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter received a Bachelor's degree from the University of Florida, Gainesville, FL (2005) and a Medical Doctor degree from the University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville, FL (2009) and completed a Master Teacher and Leadership Development Program at George Washington University (2017). She completed a Pediatric Internship (2010), Pediatric Residency (2012) and a Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes Fellowship (2015) at NYU School of Medicine. Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter served as Medical Director, Pediatric Endocrinology at Broward Health Salah Foundation Children's Hospital (2018-2022) and has been employed by MHS since 2022. She is board-certified in Pediatric Endocrinology and General Pediatrics.

Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter will be responsible for providing Pediatric Endocrinology Services consistent with the clinical scope of her privileges. She will provide medical care and treatment to all patients who require the services of a Pediatric Endocrinologist. She shall provide such services assuring that patient care is delivered in a manner which results in safe, high-quality care, as measured by clinical outcomes and patient satisfaction. Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter may also be required to perform other medical administrative services. Under this employment agreement, she will be required to perform such services at any Hospital District location.

The details of Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter's compensation package were discussed. The Committee noted that that Dr. Kenigsberg Fechter's salary was evaluated based upon the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Pediatric Endocrinology.

The Employment Agreement shall be effective May 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. Physician may terminate this Agreement at any time upon one hundred twenty (120) days prior written notice to the Hospital District. Hospital District may terminate this Agreement at any time upon ninety (90) days prior written notice to Physician.

During the Term of the Agreement and for a period of one (1) year following the Term, physician shall not, without the prior written consent of the Hospital District, provide services within the geographic boundaries of the Restricted Area of Broward County plus five (5) miles.

Following further discussion:

### The Contracts Committee Recommends to the Board of Commissioners Approval of the Renewal Physician Employment Agreement with Lisa Kenigsberg Fechter, M.D. for Pediatric Endocrinology Services.

- d) FYI:
  - a) New Physician Employment Agreement between Hayley Sacks, M.D. for Pediatric Orthopaedic Surgery and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement shall be effective November 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Pediatric Orthopaedic Surgery is within the President and CEO's approval authority.
  - b) New Physician Employment Agreement between Nichole Artz, M.D. for Pediatric Hematology Oncology and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement shall be effective September 2, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Pediatric Hematology- Oncology is within the President and CEO's approval authority.
  - c) New Physician Employment Agreement between Cristina Ortiz Villabona, M.D. for Adult Cardiology and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement shall be effective September 15, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Adult Cardiology is within the President and CEO's approval authority.

- d) New Physician Employment Agreement between Andrew Rahaman, M.D. for Family Medicine and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement shall be effective July 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Family Medicine is within the President and CEO's approval authority.
- e) Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between Selbourne Goode, M.D. for Adult Cardiology and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement became effective April 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for three (3) years. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Adult Cardiology, is within the President and CEO's approval authority.
- f) Renewal Physician Employment Agreement between David Drucker, M.D.- Staff Relief Pediatric General Surgery and South Broward Hospital District. The Employment Agreement became effective April 1, 2025, and shall remain in effect for one (1) year. The proposed salary, as reflected in the 2024 – 2025 Physician Salary Matrix for Pediatric General Surgery is within the President and CEO's approval authority.

### 3) NEW BUSINESS

a) Dr. Holly Neville gave an update to the board on "affiliate physician" status

### 4) ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:33 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dongas A. Haviso

Douglas A. Harrison Vice Chairman Contracts Committee

### South Broward Hospital District

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Group:	S.B.H.D. Audit and Compliance Committee	Date:	April 17, 2025				
Chairman:	man: Mr. Steven Harvey		2:30 p.m.				
Vice Chairman:	Mr. Douglas Harrison						
Location	Executive Conference Room, 3111 Stirling Road, Hollywood, Florida, 33312						
In Attendance:	Mr. Douglas Harrison, Ms. Elizabeth Justen, Mr. Brad Friedman, Ms. Laura Raybin Miller (via Webex – 2:56 pm), Mr. Shane Strum, Ms. Linda Epstein, Mr. David Smith, Mr. Irfan Mirza, Holly Neville, M.D., Ms. Sarah Griffith, Mr. Richard Leon, Ms. Denise DiCesare, Ms. Robin Conner, Ms. Valerie Morris, Mr. John Kulhanjian, Mr. Anil Harris of RSM US LLP, Mr. Wes Campbell of RSM US LLP and Ms. Jenny Ballesteros of Zomma						

The Audit and Compliance Committee meeting convened at 2:36 p.m. on April 17, 2025.

#### 1) CALL TO ORDER / PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE CERTIFICATION

The meeting was called to order and legal certification of compliance with Florida's Public Meetings Law was given by Ms. Linda Epstein, Interim General Counsel.

#### 2) NEW BUSNESS

#### I. PERFORMANCE REVIEW

Wes Campbell of RSM US LLP presented to the Committee the Performance Review to fulfill the requirements outlined in Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695. The performance metrics were reviewed for six defined programs for timeframe May 2021 through April 2024. RSM confirmed that South Broward Hospital District (SBHD) established goals and objective, defined expected benefits of the programs, and the performance measure and standards are reviewed by SBHD to determine if the programs achieve the goals and objectives for all six programs. RSM recommended that the SBHD continue the performance metrics tracking and reporting efforts.

#### II. BOARD POLICY ON ENGAGEMENT OF AUDITING FIRMS

The Committee was presented with the Board Manual Policy on Engagement of Auditing Firms for review. Florida Statute 218.391 outlines the auditor selection procedures for special taxing districts and requires a formalized process to select auditors for financial audit. The governing body is required to establish an auditor selection committee, and an employee, chief executive officer, or chief financial officer can serve in an advisory capacity only.

Commissioner Harrison made a motion for Ms. Epstein to draft an update to the Board Policy to conform to Florida Statute 218.391. Commissioner Justen first moved the motion, seconded by Commissioner Miller. Commissioner Miller requested language be kept in the Board Policy to provide an option for a request for proposal. Commissioner Miller also requested interview of other firms to get a refreshed perspective on the major trends and projections of what is on the health care horizon.

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#### 3) **REVIEW OF THE AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE THIRD QUARTER REPORT:**

#### I. WRITTEN STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES

The Patient Confidentiality, and Charity Care and Uninsured Discount policies were revised during the quarter.

#### II. COMPLIANCE OFFICER

The Compliance Officer attended one session each of Florida Compliance and Privacy Consortium, and the Compliance Officer's Roundtable during the quarter as part of her ongoing efforts to stay abreast of emerging industry compliance matters.

Commissioner Miller requested that the Compliance Officer attend the NACD Peer to Peer Share Group to report back to the Board the Trends.

#### **III. TRAINING AND EDUCATION**

The Compliance Department provided compliance training at eleven sessions of New Employee Orientation, one session of Leadership Essentials, and one session of the Compliance Working Committee on the Compliance Program.

#### **IV. OPEN LINES OF COMMUNICATION**

#### A. Hotline Calls

During the quarter, 94 calls, of which 32 were callbacks, were placed to the System's Compliance Hotline covering 63 new topics and one old topic. Eight topics were compliance allegations (eight calls, 18 callbacks). Three topics were HIPAA Privacy allegations (three calls). Two topics were Patient Safety allegations (two calls). Two topics were Quality of Care/Service allegation (two call). All of the calls were investigated and one of the compliance allegations was substantiated.

Finally, eight topics were informational (seven calls, three callbacks), four topics were incomplete calls (four calls), and 36 new topics and one old topic (36 calls, 11 callbacks) were employee-management relations issues. The employee-management relations issues have been forwarded to the Employee Relations and Human Resources Departments.

#### V. ENFORCEMENT & DISCIPLINE

Sanction checks were conducted of employees, physicians, vendors, volunteers, and students. There were no sanctions during the quarter.

The Calendar Year (CY) 2025 Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire cumulative employee completion rate is 35%, in which 6,140 of the 17,495 employees completed their questionnaire. There were 104 reports of possible or potential conflict of interest that were researched.

The Conflicts of Interest for Calendar Year 2024 Survey Results were presented to the Committee. The opportunities to continue to improve the response rates and decrease disclosures made in error will be addressed with training and education.

Commissioner Harrison requested that all conflicts go to legal for review.

#### VI. RISK ASSESSMENT, MONITORING & AUDITING

#### **VII. RESPONSE & PREVENTION**

#### A. Recurring internal audits were conducted of:

- Construction Projects;
- Requests For Proposal and Competitive Quotes;
- Board Expenses;

- Government Relations Expenses; and
- Employee Travel and Reimbursements.

No irregularities were found in the RFP, Competitive Quotes, Board Expenses, and Government Relations Expenses audits. An overpayment was identified in one Construction project. Commissioner Harrison requested an inventory of leased space and property in Tallahassee. Opportunities for improvement were identified in the Employee Travel and Reimbursements.

Meeting was recessed at 4:10 PM.

The Meeting was reconvened at 6:36 PM.

#### B. Internal Audits were conducted of:

- Internal Audit of Requirements for Request for Proposals at MHS,
- Internal Audit of Facilities Management at MHS, and
- Internal Audit of Artificial Intelligence Governance at MHS

Opportunities for improvement in record documentation were noted in the Requirements for Request for Proposals at MHS, Internal Audit of Facilities Management at MHS, and Internal Audit of Artificial Intelligence Governance at MHS. Management has developed detailed corrective action plans for each of these audits.

Commissioner Justen would like confirmation that the Request For Proposal threshold amount is \$300,000 per project or an annual expense.

#### C. Compliance audits were conducted of:

- 340B Program at Memorial Healthcare System FY 2025 Third Quarter,
- Documentation and Billing of Screening Colonoscopy at MRH,
- Documentation and Billing of MS-DRG 207 and MS-DRG 208 at MRH,
- Documentation and Billing of Controlled Substances in Hematology and Oncology Inpatient Department at MRH,
- MCI Hematology and Oncology Procedures for MPG Professional Coding and Billing,
- Evaluation and Management Services and Procedures for Urology Professional Coding and Billing at MPG,
- Evaluation and Management Services for Orthopedic Surgery Professional Coding and Billing MPG,
- Follow Up of the Documentation and Billing of Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support Services Program at MRH, and
- Follow Up of the Important Message from Medicare Notice at MHP.

Opportunities for improvement in record documentation were noted in the 340B Program at Memorial Healthcare System - FY 2025 Third Quarter, Documentation and Billing of MS-DRG 207 and MS-DRG 208 at MRH, Documentation and Billing of Controlled Substances in Hematology and Oncology Inpatient Department at MRH, Evaluation and Management Services and Procedures for Urology Professional Coding and Billing at MPG, Evaluation and Management Services for Orthopedic Surgery Professional Coding and Billing MPG, and Follow Up of the Important Message from Medicare Notice at MHP. Management has developed detailed corrective action plans for each of these audits.

#### D. Services Provided by Protiviti

Rich Leon, Vice President and Chief Information Security Officer, provided the Committee with a Cybersecurity update and the services provided by Protiviti during the quarter and the remediation to the subsequent observations.

#### E. The following other reports were provided to the Committee:

Committee members were provided with a copy of the list of RSM and Zomma Group Non-Audit Engagements for the quarter.

Committee members were provided with a copy of the Investor Contact Log for the quarter.

#### F. Privacy Report

The Committee was updated on the status of the OCR cases and the resolutions, the number of investigations for the fourth quarter of calendar year 2024 and the HIPAA/FIPA breaches that resulted from those investigations.

Commissioner Justen would like the HR Policy on evaluating discipline for employees who commit a privacy breach be evaluated.

#### G. Audit and Compliance Work Plan – Fiscal Year 2026

The Committee reviewed the Audit and Compliance Work Plan for Fiscal Year 2026.

Request Board Approval of the Fiscal Year 2026 Audit and Compliance Work Plan.

#### H. The Compliance and Audit Department Policy – Policy No. 1-A: Charter

The Committee members were provided the revised Compliance and Audit Department Policy – Policy No. 1-A: Charter. Commissioner Harrison requested that the Charter be forwarded to Legal and the redlined version be forwarded to the Board members for review.

#### 4) OLD BUSINESS

- 1. Hotlines categorized Employee Management
- 2. Board Expense Report with last four digits of the credit card used.
- 3. **Mr. Strum's Governor's Club Membership.** Updated to request membership for the Board.
- 4. Government Affairs itemized invoices.
- 5. Credit Card Policy updated.
- 6. Employee travel and reimbursement expenses.
- 7. Board Policy on the President and CEO's Authority to Approve Expenditures history
- 8. Follow Up Compliance Audit of the Remote Cardiac Device Evaluation Services Bio Bridge Solutions LLC background.
- 9. RFP Process for Audit Tax Services and FL Statute 218.391

#### 5) ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dongas A. Haviso

Douglas A. Harrison Vice Chairman Audit and Compliance Committee



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# South Broward Hospital District d/b/a Memorial Healthcare System Performance Review: Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695

January 9, 2025



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# **TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

January 9, 2025

South Broward Hospital District d/b/a Memorial Healthcare System 3501 Johnson Street Hollywood, FL 33021

Pursuant to our executed statement of work signed September 9, 2024, with South Broward Hospital District d/b/a Memorial Healthcare System ("MHS," "the SBHD", "the Special District"), we hereby present our Performance Review to fulfill the requirements outlined in Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695. Our report is organized in the following sections:

1	Executive Summary	This provides a high-level overview and summary of the procedures and results obtained through this performance review.
	Background	This provides an overview of the SBHD, as well as relevant background information.
8	Results / Performance	This section provides information related to each primary program, including financial data, goals and objectives, and recommendations resulting from our procedures.

We would like to thank the staff and all those involved in assisting our firm with this performance review.

Respectfully Submitted,

#### **RSM US LLP**

CC Auditor General President of the Senate Speaker of the House of Representatives



Report Name: Performance Review: Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695 Report Date: January 9, 2025

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY** 

#### Background

Since its founding in 1953, the SBHD has been at the forefront of delivering quality healthcare services to residents of South Florida. Committed to advancing health to address community needs, the SBHD ranks among the largest public healthcare systems in the nation and is highly esteemed for its outstanding patient- and family-centered care.

The SBHD monitors its performance through many different oversight mechanisms. The enterprise performance of the SBHD is monitored through a dashboard distributed and reviewed monthly to assess performance across the Seven (7) Pillars of Excellence; Safety, Quality, Service, People, Finance, Growth, and Community.

The SBHD offers many different services, each is aligned in some capacity with at least one of the strategic pillars. We understand the SBHD's current prioritizations include the following, which were the subject of this performance review:

- ✤ Cancer
- Cardiology Adult
- Cardiology Pediatric
- Labor and Delivery
- Neuroscience
- Rehabilitation

Memorial Healthcare System delivers comprehensive healthcare services through a diverse network of facilities, including Memorial Regional Hospital, Memorial Regional Hospital South, Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, Memorial Hospital West, Memorial Hospital Miramar, and Memorial Hospital Pembroke, as well as ambulatory facilities throughout the market. **Objectives and Scope** 

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The primary objective of this engagement was to conduct an independent performance review of the SBHD in accordance with the requirements outlined in Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695. The SBHD has identified six (6) key priorities: Cancer, Adult Cardiology, Pediatric Cardiology, Labor and Delivery, Neuroscience, and Rehabilitation. These prioritizations, along with the goals, objectives and outcomes for each, as defined by the SBHD will constitute the basis of our scope for identifying and evaluating the metrics of the SBHD's major programs. The performance review scope period was May 2021 - April 2024, which was based on the SBHD's fiscal year end.

As part of this performance review, we performed research and analysis including the following procedures:

Evaluation of the Special District

- Conducted an evaluation of the purpose, goals, and objectives outlined in the charter of the Special District.
- Assessed the efficiency and effectiveness of programs and activities, examining their alignment with the Special District's goals, expected benefits, and the use of performance measures and standards.

Financial Analysis and Goal Achievement

- Examined the revenues and costs of programs and activities over the current year and the previous three fiscal years.
- Assessed the extent to which the Special District's goals and objectives have been achieved, assessing clarity, measurability, and alignment with statutory purposes.

Service Delivery Efficiency and Cost Analysis

- Evaluated the delivery of services by the Special District, exploring alternative methods to reduce costs and enhance performance.
- Compared similar services provided by the county and other municipal governments within the Special District's boundaries, considering costs, efficiencies, and potential service consolidations.

Assessment and Recommendations

- Assessed factors contributing to the failure to meet performance measures or standards, if applicable.
- Provided recommendations to enhance the Special District's program operations.

At the conclusion of our performance review, we summarized the results, key takeaways and results into this written report, and conducted exit conferences with management.

We would like to thank all team members who assisted us throughout this performance review.





# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY (CONTINUED)**

### KEY TAKEAWAYS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on our observations and analyses, we present the following recommendations. If not explicitly mentioned, no additional comments or recommendations were made.

The charter for the Special District provides that the Board of Commissioners is authorized and empowered to establish, construct, operate, and maintain such hospital or hospitals and other health facilities as in their opinion are necessary for the use of the people of the Special District, and to establish, construct, operate, and maintain such facilities for the care of such persons requiring limited medical care or treatment as in their opinion is necessary for the people of the Special District. The Mission and Vision of the Special District closely align with the charter, and the primary programs identified by the Special District are established to provide each of the services provided in the Special District's charter.

Through our inquiry of District Management and review of related documentation including financial statements, Board reporting packages, internal/management reporting packages, reporting dashboards, the Special District's charter, Florida Statutes, flyers and brochures, etc. we noted the following:

- The Special District has a robust process for continually evaluating performance and effectiveness of its programs.
- All six (6) defined programs have established goals and performance metrics by which success is measured.
- We observed historical tracking and reporting of performance metrics for all six (6) defined programs throughout our scope period which extended from May 2021 April 2024.
- Performance metrics are actively tracked on a monthly and annual basis, utilizing data visualization dashboards.
- Metrics are communicated to various committees and the Board on a monthly and annual basis, as applicable.
- Performance metrics, while consistently reported during our scope period, are also evaluated and updated by Management to address emerging trends and areas of concern and interest.

The following sections of this report provide detail related to the six (6) defined programs, the established goals, performance metrics, results, and financial information of each. We recommend the Special District to continue its robust performance metrics tracking and reporting efforts.

Through review of the Special District's enabling legislation (Ch. 2004-397, 2016-258), and as excerpted below we understand the FL legislature declared the Special District as a public purpose and necessary for the preservation of the public health, for public use, and for the welfare of the district and inhabitants thereof; and therefore empowers the Special District's Board of Commissioners to establish, construct, operate, and maintain such hospital or hospitals and other health facilities as in their opinion are necessary for the use of the people of the Special District. Further, we confirmed that no county or municipal governments located wholly or partially within the boundaries of the Special District provide the same services as the Special District.

#### Ch. 2003-397, Section 4(2).

..."It is hereby found and declared to be a public purpose and necessity for the preservation of the public health and for public use and for the welfare of the district and the residents thereof that the board of commissioners of the district have the broadest possible power to provide and structure health facilities and services, and facilities and services incidental or related thereto, in order to meet all types of health needs, and pursuant thereto to have the broadest flexibility to involve public and private persons, for profit and not for profit, in the establishment, maintenance, and operation of such facilities and services so as to provide the board of commissioners with the greatest flexibility permitted by the State Constitution to establish, maintain, and operate, alone or in conjunction with other public or private persons, not for profit and for profit, such health facilities and services, and facilities and services related or incidental thereto, which in the sole judgment of the board of commissioners are responsive to the health needs of the district and are in the public interest." Report Name: Performance Review: Florida Statute Chapter 189.0695 Report Date: January 9, 2025

# BACKGROUND

#### Overview

The SBHD was established by the Florida Legislature in 1947, laying the foundation for what would become Memorial Healthcare System. Since the opening of Memorial Hospital in 1953, Memorial Healthcare System has been dedicated to delivering high-quality healthcare services to the region.

At the heart of Memorial Healthcare System is Memorial Regional Hospital, one of the largest hospitals in Florida. Renowned for its breadth and quality of care, Memorial Regional Hospital offers an extensive range of specialized services, including Memorial Cardiac and Vascular Institute, which features surgeons and state-of-the-art treatment options; Memorial Cancer Institute, a leading provider of cancer care in Broward County; and Memorial Neuroscience Institute, known for its innovative technology and medical expertise. This integrated healthcare system delivers specialized services designed to meet diverse patient needs, including comprehensive cancer care, adult and pediatric cardiology, labor and delivery, advanced neuroscience treatments, and rehabilitation services.

This unique health care system covers the entire county and consists of the following facilities:

- Memorial Regional Hospital
- Memorial Regional Hospital South
- Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital
- Memorial Hospital West
- Memorial Hospital Miramar
- Memorial Hospital Pembroke
- 24/7 Care Center
- Memorial Manor Nursing Home

Other components of the SBHD include Memorial Physician Group; Memorial Outpatient Pharmacy Services; Memorial Neuroscience Institute; Memorial Rehabilitation Institute; Memorial Outpatient Behavioral Health; U-18 Sports Medicine programs with multiple locations; multiple primary care centers located throughout South Broward County; three Urgent Care Centers; Memorial Cancer Institute, including a partnership with Moffitt Cancer Center; Memorial Cardiac and Vascular Institute; a Graduate Medical Education program on the campus of Memorial Hospital West; Memorial Health Network; Broward Guardian; and Memorial Health Assurance.

# Memorial Healthcare System

# **Mission**

The mission of the SBHD is to heal the body, mind and spirit of those they touch.

# Vision

The vision of the SBHD is to be a premier clinically integrated delivery system providing access to exceptional patientand family-centered care, medical education, research and innovation for the benefit of the community we serve.

## **Prioritizations**

The SBHD intends to accomplish their mission and vision through various programs and services, including:

- Cancer
- Cardiology Adult
- Cardiology Pediatric
- Labor and Delivery
- Neuroscience
- Rehabilitation



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# **BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)**

#### **District Governance**

The SBHD was created by Florida Legislature in 1947 and operates pursuant to its Charter, Chapter 2004-397, 2016-258 and Chapter 189 Florida Statues - Uniform Special District Accountability Act. The SBHD maintains a Charter, Chapter 2004-397, 2016-258 that establishes the framework, authority, and responsibilities of the SBHD within the State's legal and administrative structure.

The SBHD shall be governed by a seven-member Board of Commissioners who serve on a voluntary basis. All commissioners must be qualified electors residing in Broward County for more than one year and a qualified subdistrict for 90 days. All subdistricts require one commissioner each to reside within its borders. Each commissioner is appointed for a staggered four-year term with a \$5,000.00 surety bond for the faithful performance of his/her duties. Each commissioner may serve until their successors are appointed. A quorum consists of 4 commissioners, with a vote of at least 3 being necessary to conduct business transactions.

According to the Special District Charter, "the Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to establish, construct, operate, and maintain such hospital or hospitals and other health facilities as in their opinion are necessary for the use of the people of the SBHD, and to establish, construct, operate, and maintain such facilities for the care of such persons requiring limited medical care or treatment as in their opinion is necessary for the people of the SBHD."

In addition to the Board of Commissioners, the SBHD also maintains additional governance structures responsible for oversight of quality and compliance. The following table outlines some of the additional meetings utilized by the SBHD to achieve established goals and objectives.

Leadership Oversight	Composition of Attendees	Frequency
Monthly Operating Review (MOR)	Includes MHS Executive Leadership along with each hospital's Chief Medical and Chief Nursing Officers.	Monthly
Clinical Leadership	Includes Leadership Development Institute (LDI) and Leader Development for Managers (LDM) level clinical leadership at each hospital	Monthly
Department Leaders	Includes Leadership Development Institute (LDI) and Leader Development for Managers (LDM) level leadership at each hospital.	Monthly
CNO Divisional meeting	Includes Directors of Nursing, Quality/Safety, Pharmacy, Respiratory, Education	Monthly



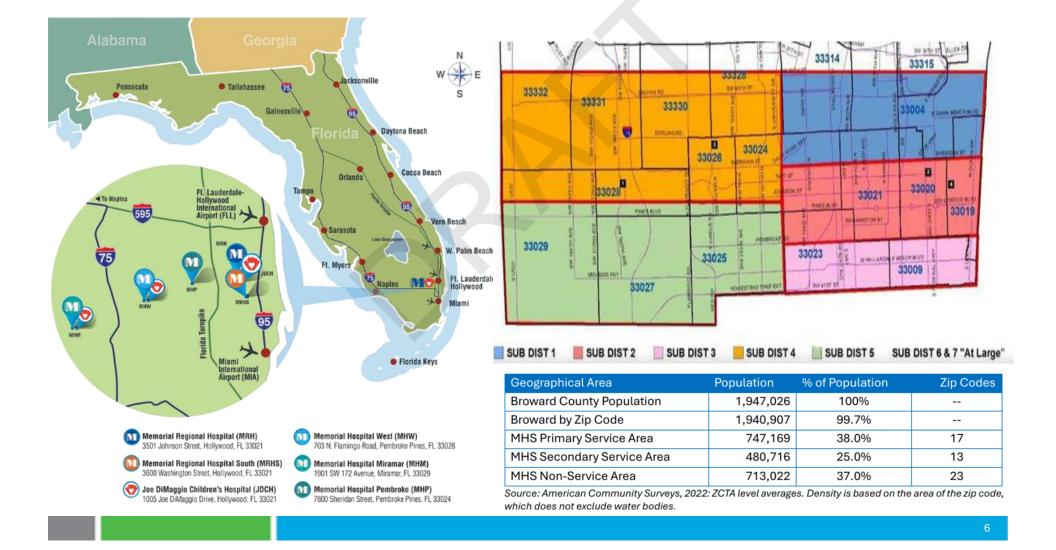


# **BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)**

### **District Governance (Continued)**

The SBHD is dedicated to the health of the community and committed to providing high-quality healthcare services in a fiscally responsible manner, with Memorial's market share in South Broward County estimated at around 63%. The illustrations below provide a comprehensive overview of SBHD's service areas, including:

- Defined boundaries and primary service regions
- Geographic locations of key facilities within SBHD
- Population distribution across Memorial Healthcare System's primary and secondary service areas in Broward County



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# **BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)**

#### **District Governance (Continued)**

As part of the SBHD's ongoing monitoring efforts, management conducts a comprehensive review of key performance metrics across the entire healthcare system. This dashboard presents metrics related to Safety and Quality, Service, People, Finance & Growth, and Community, with each category rolling up through the primary programs included in this performance review. The dashboard is shared at the Monthly Operating Review (MOR) which includes attendees from leadership positions across the SBHD. Monthly, the group meets to review the results of these enterprise level goals and metrics. A designated stakeholder is assigned to each performance metric and is responsible for providing updates and insights on their respective metrics during the meeting.

Each metric is monitored against a benchmark provided by EPIC. When EPIC benchmarks are unavailable, the dashboard generates a benchmark based on historical performance. EPIC's data warehouse also enables benchmarking against other EPIC users. The SBHD recognizes the importance of bedside caregivers having access to data, empowering them to drive improvements. Additionally, doctors can compare their performance against EPIC benchmarks. New metrics are continuously identified and tracked, with insights used to actively engage underperforming units and foster improvement.

The illustration to the right provides an example of the dashboard reporting provided during the MOR to evaluate the performance of MHS during the fiscal year 2024. The primary purpose of this dashboard is to serve as a proactive tool for assessing enterprise-level performance, enabling data-driven, strategic decision making across the organization. It fosters a culture of continuous improvement and alignment with organizational objectives.

Each year, the SBHD's leadership team evaluates enterpriselevel goals and metrics to assess their relevance and effectiveness. This process determines whether new metrics should be added to address emerging priorities or whether existing metrics should be removed from the dashboard due to diminished relevance or utility.

# MHS Performance Metrics Fiscal Year 2024

Memorial Healthcare System

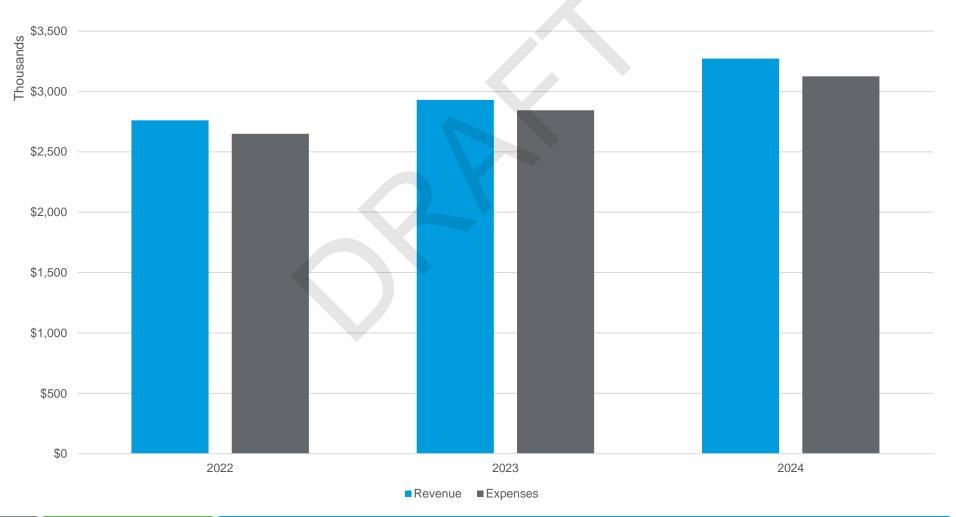




# **BACKGROUND (CONTINUED)**

### **Financial Performance**

The chart below shows MHS's financial performance over the past three fiscal years, highlighting growth in both expenses and revenues. The revenue depicted represents the total operating revenue for the SBHD, which includes net patient service revenue, disproportionate share distributions, and other operating revenues. The expenses are comprised of salaries and wages, employee benefits, professional fees, supplies, purchased services, facilities, depreciation and amortization, as well as other operating expenses.



Total Operating Revenue and Expenses (In Thousands)



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### **Cancer Institute**

#### Overview

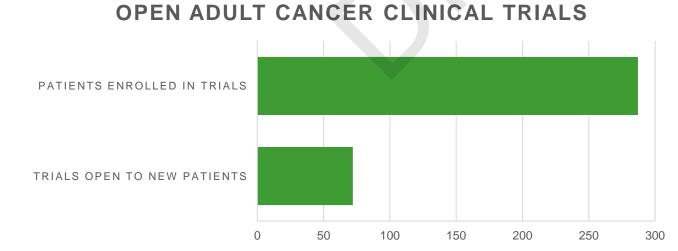
Memorial Cancer Institute is one of the largest cancer centers in Florida, treating nearly 5,000 newly diagnosed patients each year and pioneering advances in patient care. Through a research alliance with Florida Atlantic University, Memorial Cancer Institute is among a select group of Florida-designated "Cancer Centers of Excellence," offering diagnosis, integrated treatment, clinical trials/research, counseling, and support services customized for the patient and their family in a healing environment close to home.

Memorial Cancer Institute recently expanded with a 125,000 square foot center on the campus of Memorial Hospital West in Pembroke Pines that includes disease-specialized oncologists, chemotherapy infusions, a full array of radiation oncology treatments, a dedicated breast center, the Moffitt Malignant Hematology and Cellular Therapy program, the Benign Hematology program, Integrative Medicine and social work, nutrition, and navigation support services. MHS's partnership with Moffitt Cancer Center brings lifesaving expertise and excellence from one of the nation's most respected, world-class cancer centers to South Florida.

Memorial Healthcare System's Cancer Institute is available at the following locations:

- Memorial Cancer Institute at West
- Memorial Cancer Institute East Campus (Hollywood)
- Memorial Cancer Institute at Miramar
- Memorial Cancer Institute in Hallandale Beach

The chart below illustrates the number of open adult cancer clinical trials treated in the period from April 2023 - March 2024.



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# Memorial Cancer Institute Conditions Treated

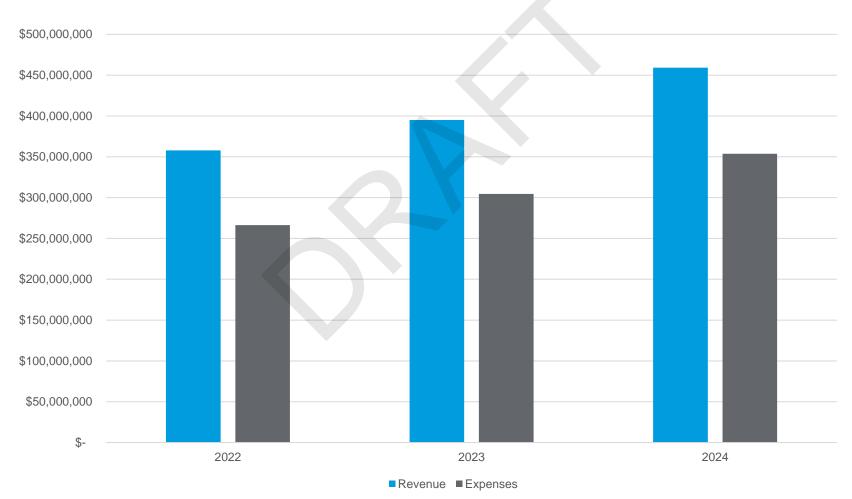
- Anal Cancer
- Appendix Cancer
- Bladder Cancer
- Breast Cancer
- Gallbladder and Bile Duct Cancer
- Colon Cancer
- Duodenal and Small Intestine Cancer
- Esophageal Cancer
- Gastrointestinal Cancer
- Gynecologic Cancer
- Head and Neck Cancer
- Kidney (Renal) Cancer
- Leukemia, Lymphoma and Multiple Myeloma
- Liver Cancer
- Liver Metastases
- Lung Cancer Treatment
- Melanoma
- Pancreatic Cancer
- Penile Cancer
- Peritoneal Surface Malignancy
- Prostate Cancer
- Rectal Cancer Treatment and Support
- Soft Tissue Sarcoma
- Stomach (Gastric) Cancer
- Testicular Cancer
- Thyroid Cancer
- Urologic Cancer



### **Cancer Institute (Continued)**

### **Financial Performance**

The chart below illustrates the revenues and expenses for the Cancer Institute at Memorial Healthcare System over the past three fiscal years. According to MHS financial data, the program has seen an increase in overall size, with revenues increasing from over \$357 million in 2022 to more than \$459 million in 2024.



Cancer Institute Revenue and Expenses



### **Cancer Institute (Continued)**

#### **Established Goals and Objectives**

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the specific patient satisfaction goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

- Goal 1: Rate Provider: The percentage of adult patients who said they would rate their doctor a 9 or 10 out of 10. This metric reflects patient satisfaction and the quality of care provided at Memorial Healthcare System.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 2: Physician Communication Quality: This goal embodies the percentage of patients who answered "always" to questions about how well the provider explained things clearly, listened attentively, showed respect, and spent enough time with the patient. This metric reflects the quality of patient-provider communication, essential for patient satisfaction, trust, and overall care outcomes.
  - Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 3: Office Staff Quality: The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience, which are essential for building trust and satisfaction.
  - Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 4: Access to Care: The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 5: Care Coordination: The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" when asked if their provider followed up on test results, was aware of key details in their medical history, and discussed all prescribed medications. This metric reflects the providers effectiveness in communication and care coordination.
  - Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 6: Likelihood to Recommend: The percentage of adult patients who answered "Yes" when asked if they would recommend this provider's office. This metric reflects overall patient satisfaction and trust.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Oncology Patient Survey Database.

### **Cancer Institute (Continued)**

### Performance Measures

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the Special District, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors patient satisfaction metrics specific to the Cancer Institute.

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Additionally, Cancer Institute goals are displayed on a monthly dashboard presented at the MOR meeting, which includes data for the current month, a rolling 3month period, a rolling 12-month period, and a 13-month trend. The metrics are color-coded based on the percentile in which the data falls.



## **Cardiology (Adult)**

#### Overview

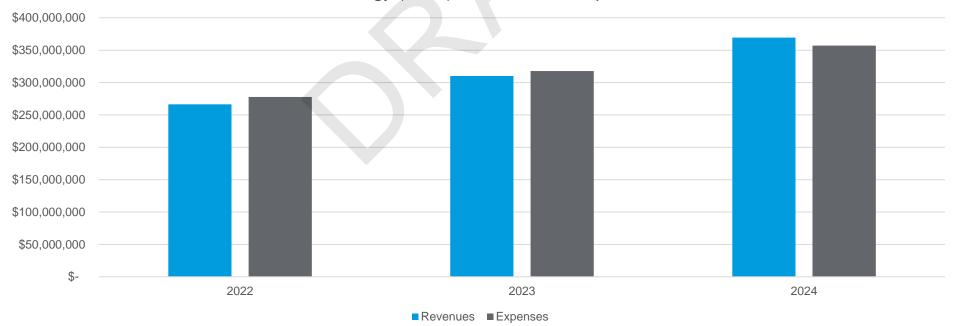
The SBHD offers comprehensive cardiological care for adult patients through the offices of physicians affiliated with the Memorial Cardiac & Vascular Institute. Memorial Healthcare System's Adult Cardiology Program operates from the Memorial Cardiac & Vascular Institute, where patients receive advanced treatment for a wide range of cardiac needs. Services provided include Diagnostic Cardiac Catheterization, Percutaneous Coronary Intervention, Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery, Trans-Catheter Aortic Valve Replacement (TAVR), combined Coronary Artery Bypass and Aortic Valve Replacement procedures, standalone Aortic Valve Replacement, Ventricular Assist Device (VAD) implantation, and Heart Transplantation procedures. These specialized treatments underscore the Institute's commitment to delivering high-quality, patient-centered cardiac care.

Memorial Healthcare System's Cardiology (Adult) program has the following locations:

Memorial Cardiac & Vascular Institute (Memorial Regional Hospital and Memorial Hospital West)

#### **Financial Performance**

The chart below illustrates the revenues and expenses for the Memorial Cardiac & Vascular Institute (Adult) over the past three fiscal years. According to the financial data, the program has seen growth, with revenues increasing from over \$266 million in 2022 to more than \$369 million in 2024.



egional Hospital and Memorial Hospital West)

# Cardiology (Adult) Revenue and Expenses





### Cardiology (Adult) (Continued)

#### **Established Goals and Objectives**

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the specific patient satisfaction goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

- Goal 1: Rate Provider The percentage of adult patients who said they would rate their doctor a 9 or 10 out of 10. This metric reflects patient satisfaction and the quality of care provided at Memorial Healthcare System.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 2: Physician Communication Quality. This goal embodies the percentage of patients who answered "always" to questions about how well the provider explained things clearly, listened attentively, showed respect, and spent enough time with the patient. This metric reflects the quality of patient-provider communication, essential for patient satisfaction, trust, and overall care outcomes.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 3: Office Staff Quality. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience, which are essential for building trust and satisfaction.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 4: Access to Care. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 5: Care Coordination. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" when asked if their provider followed up on test results, was aware of key details in their medical history, and discussed all prescribed medications. This metric reflects the providers effectiveness in communication and care coordination.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 6: Likelihood to Recommend. The percentage of adult patients who answered "Yes" when asked if they would recommend this provider's office. This metric reflects overall patient satisfaction and trust.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.



## Cardiology (Adult) (Continued)

### Established Goals and Objectives (Continued)

#### **Quality and Safety**

The following outlines the specific quality and safety goals tracked for this prioritization.

- Goal 7: Coronary Artery Bypass Mortality: The percentage of patients, 18 years and older, whose death occurs within 30 days of the surgery. If the death occurs past the 30 days but the patient has not yet been discharged, it is counted as well.
  - Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospitals National Average.
- Goal 8: Aortic Valve Replacement Mortality: The percentage of patients, 18 years and older, whose death occurs within 30 days of the surgery. If the death occurs past the 30 days but the patient has not yet been discharged, it is counted as well.
  - Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospitals National Average.
- Goal 9: Coronary Artery Bypass Mortality/Aortic Valve Replacement Mortality: The percentage of patients, 18 years and older, whose death occurs within 30 days of the combined surgery. If the death occurs past the 30 days but the patient has not yet been discharged, it is counted as well.
  - o Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospitals National Average.
- Goal 10: Door to Balloon Time: The percentage of patients with a particular type of heart attack (STEMI) whose blocked coronary artery is opened within 90 minutes of arriving in the Emergency Department. The procedure to open the artery is called a Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI). The goal is to maximize the percentage of patients who have the procedure done in less than 90 minutes.
  - Benchmark: American College of Cardiology National Average.
- Goal 11: Infections in Association with Surgery: The percentage of patients 18 years and older undergoing a Heart Bypass (also known as a Coronary Artery Bypass Graft or CABG) who, within 30 days after surgery, develop a "deep sternal wound infection", which is an infection in association with the surgical wound that involves muscle, bone and/or the mediastinum (the cavity within the chest containing the heart, the heart vessels, the esophagus, the trachea, the cardiac nerve and the lymph nodes).
  - o Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospitals National Average.
- Goal 12: Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery Patients Readmissions within 30 Days: The percentage of adult patients who have undergone Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery and are readmitted to the hospital, for any reason, within 30 days of discharge from the hospital.
  - o Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospital National Average.

# Cardiology (Adult) (Continued)

#### Performance Measures

#### Patient Satisfaction and Quality and Safety

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the SBHD, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors both patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to Cardiology (Adult).

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Additionally, Cardiology (Adult) Institute goals are displayed on a monthly dashboard presented at the MOR meeting, which includes data for the current month, a rolling 3-month period, a rolling 12-month period, and a 13-month trend. The metrics are color-coded based on the percentile in which the data falls.



## **Cardiology (Pediatric)**

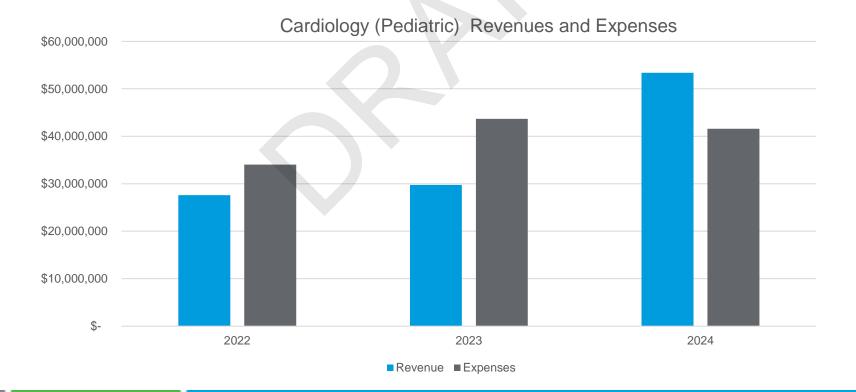
#### Overview

Memorial Healthcare System's Pediatric Cardiology Program is located within the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Heart Institute, the dedicated pediatric unit of Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital. The Heart Institute provides a comprehensive range of interventional cardiovascular care, specializing in the diagnosis and treatment of congenital heart conditions, including advanced procedures such as heart transplantation.

Pediatric cardiac services encompass general cardiology, congenital heart surgery, heart transplant, electrophysiology, pediatric heart imaging, management of heart failure in children, and treatment of congenital heart disease. The SBHD's multidisciplinary team comprises leading experts in congenital heart disease, cardiac surgery, heart failure, electrophysiology, cardiac catheterization, heart imaging, anesthesia, and intensive care, ensuring specialized and coordinated care for every patient.

#### **Financial Performance**

The chart below illustrates the revenues and expenses for the Memorial Cardiac & Vascular Institute (Pediatric) over the past three fiscal years. According to the financial data, the program has seen growth, with revenues increasing from over \$27 million in 2022 to more than \$53 million in 2024.



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### **Cardiology (Pediatric) (Continued)**

### **Established Goals and Objectives**

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the specific patient satisfaction and quality and safety goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

- Goal 1: Rate Provider The percentage of adult patients who said they would rate their doctor a 9 or 10 out of 10. This metric reflects patient satisfaction and the quality of care provided at Memorial Healthcare System.
  - Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 2: Physician Communication Quality. This goal embodies the percentage of patients who answered "always" to questions about how well the provider explained things clearly, listened attentively, showed respect, and spent enough time with the patient. This metric reflects the quality of patient-provider communication, essential for patient satisfaction, trust, and overall care outcomes.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 3: Office Staff Quality. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience, which are essential for building trust and satisfaction.
  - Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 4: Access to Care. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" to questions about how often office staff were helpful and treated them with courtesy and respect. This metric reflects the quality of customer service and the overall patient experience.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 5: Care Coordination. The percentage of adult patients who answered "always" when asked if their provider followed up on test results, was aware of key details in their medical history, and discussed all prescribed medications. This metric reflects the providers effectiveness in communication and care coordination.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.
- Goal 6: Likelihood to Recommend. The percentage of adult patients who answered "Yes" when asked if they would recommend this provider's office. This metric reflects overall patient satisfaction and trust.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Average, Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database.

#### **Quality and Safety**

- Goal 7: Congenital Heart Surgery Mortalities: The percentage of pediatric patients undergoing congenital heart surgery whose death may be associated with the surgery. The measure includes deaths, regardless of cause, occurring within 30 days after surgery in or out of the hospital (including patients transferred to other healthcare facilities), and deaths occurring within 30 days after discharge from the hospital.
  - o Benchmark: Society for Thoracic Surgery Participating Hospitals



# Cardiology (Pediatric) (Continued)

### **Performance Measures**

#### Patient Satisfaction and Quality and Safety

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the SBHD, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors both patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to Cardiology (Pediatric).

For transparency, the SBHD publishes detailed illustrations on its website that showcase progress toward established benchmarks for patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to the Cardiology (Pediatric) performance. Using data from the review period, we verified that these goals are well-articulated, and performance is actively monitored. The six (6) patient satisfaction metrics are benchmarked against the Press Ganey Cardiology Patient Survey Database over the period of January 2023 – March 2024, and are made available to the public to foster accountability and engagement. Additionally, the one (1) quality and safety metric is benchmarked against the Society for Thoracic Surgery Like Hospitals. Any deviations from established benchmarks are reviewed and discussed as a leadership team during the MOR meeting, to further foster accountability.

Additionally, Cardiology (Pediatric) Institute goals are displayed on a monthly dashboard presented at the MOR meeting, which includes data for the current month, a rolling 3-month period, a rolling 12-month period, and a 13-month trend. The metrics are color-coded based on the percentile in which the data falls.



# Labor and Delivery (The Family Birthplace)

### Overview

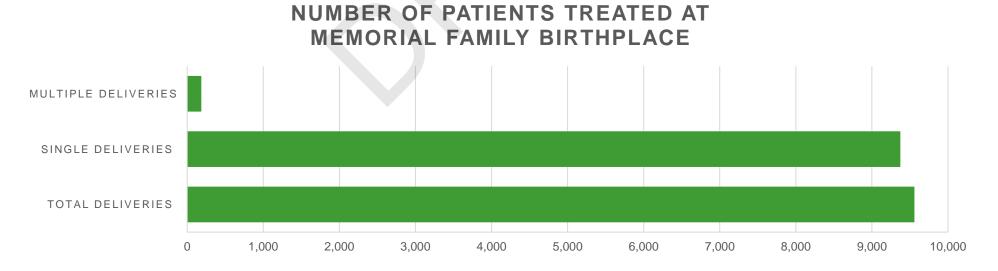
The Memorial Family Birthplace offers comprehensive care for expectant mothers, including labor and delivery services, online maternity classes, breastfeeding and lactation support, and high-quality maternity care. With three locations—Memorial Regional Hospital Family Birthplace, Memorial Hospital West Family Birthplace, and Memorial Hospital Miramar Family Birthplace—the Memorial Family Birthplace provides accessible, premier maternity services throughout the county. These facilities provide a full spectrum of childbirth education, labor and delivery care, and postpartum support to meet the diverse needs of families.

The Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital offers three NICU locations; Wasie NICU at Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, Memorial Hospital Miramar NICU, and Memorial Hospital West NICU. The Wasie NICU is a nationally-recognized Level IV facility for critically ill newborns that require the highest level of complex medical and surgical care. This NICU is the largest in Broward County and one of eleven Regional Perinatal Intensive Care Centers (RPICC) in Florida. The team is committed to providing specialized care to high-risk pregnancies and 24/7 neonatal intensive care services to critically ill and low birth weight newborns. The Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital at Memorial Hospital Miramar and Memorial Hospital West locations provide comprehensive Level III NICU services for babies who arrive prematurely or need extra medical attention following delivery and can seamlessly transfer babies to the main campus Level IV Wasie NICU if they require a higher level of care or subspeciality evaluation.

Memorial Healthcare System's Labor and Deliver is available at the following locations:

- Memorial Regional Hospital Family Birthplace
- Memorial Hospital West Family Birthplace
- Memorial Hospital Miramar Family Birthplace

The chart below illustrates the number of patients treated at Memorial Family Birthplace in the period from April 2023 - March 2024.

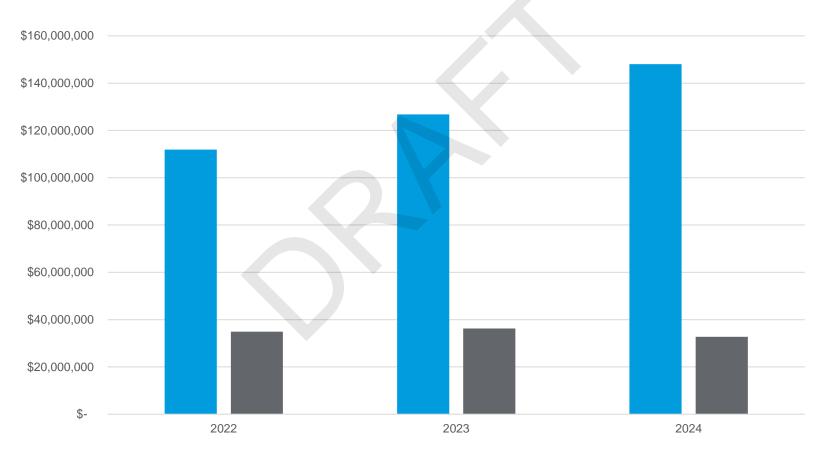




# Labor and Delivery (The Family Birthplace) (Continued)

## **Financial Performance**

The chart below provides an overview of the combined revenues and expenses for Labor and Delivery services across three hospitals—Memorial Regional Hospital, Memorial Hospital West, and Memorial Hospital Miramar—over the past three fiscal years. According to the financial data, the program has seen growth, with revenues increasing from over \$111 million in Fiscal Year 2022 to more than \$148 million in Fiscal Year 2024.



# Labor and Delivery Revenue and Expenses

Total Revenues Total Expenses



### Labor and Delivery (The Family Birthplace) (Continued)

### **Established Goals and Objectives**

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the specific patient satisfaction goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

- Goal 1: Rate Hospital: The percentage of patients who answered that they would rate the hospital a 9 or 10.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 2: Recommend Hospital: The percentage of patients who answered "Yes" when asked if they definitely would recommend the hospital.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 3: Communication with Nurses: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if their nurses communicated well.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 4: Communication with Doctors: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if their doctors communicated well.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 5: Quick Response from Hospital Staff: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if they received help as soon as they wanted it.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 6: Communication Regarding Medication: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if the staff explained about medicines before administering them to patients.
  - Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Soal 7: Room/Bathroom Cleanliness: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if their rooms and bathrooms were kept clean.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 8: Room Quiet at Night: The percentage of patients who answered "always" when asked if their areas were quiet at night.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 9: Information about Home Recovery: The percentage of patients who answered "yes" when asked if they received information about what to do during their recovery at home.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 10: Care Transitions: The percentage of patients who answered "strongly agree" when asked if they understood their care when they left the hospital.
  - Benchmark: Hospital Compare



### Labor and Delivery (The Family Birthplace) (Continued)

### Established Goals and Objectives (Continued)

#### **Quality and Safety Data**

The following outlines the specific quality and safety goals tracked for this prioritization.

- Goal 11: Patients Who Breastfeed: The percentage of mothers feeding their baby exclusively with breast milk.
  - o Benchmark: Joint Commission
- Goal 12: Patients with Primary Caesarean Sections (C-Sections): The percentage of primary (first-time) C-sections performed.
  - Benchmark: Florida Hospital Association
- ✤ Goal 13: Patients with Early Elective Deliveries: The percentage of elective deliveries performed.
  - o Benchmark: Hospital Compare
- Goal 14: Patients with Episiotomy: The percentage of deliveries where an episiotomy is performed.
  - Benchmark: National Perinatal Information

## Labor and Delivery (The Family Birthplace) (Continued)

#### **Performance Measures**

#### Patient Satisfaction and Quality and Safety

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the SBHD, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors both patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to Labor and Delivery.

For transparency, the SBHD publishes detailed illustrations on its website that showcase progress toward established benchmarks for patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to the Labor and Delivery performance. Using data from the review period, we verified that these goals are well-articulated, and performance is actively monitored. The ten (10) patient satisfaction metrics are benchmarked against the Hospital Compare over the period of January 2023 -December 2023, and are made available to the public to foster accountability and engagement. Additionally, the four (4) Quality and Safety metrics are benchmarked against the Joint Commission, Florida Hospital Association, Hospital Compare, and National Perinatal Information Center. Any deviations from established benchmarks are reviewed and discussed as a leadership team during the MOR meeting, to further foster accountability.

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### Neuroscience

#### Overview

The SBHD provides advanced diagnostic capabilities, comprehensive treatments, and compassionate care for individuals with complex neurological conditions. Its Neuroscience Program offers specialized services in Neurology, Neurosurgery, Neurointerventional Surgery, Surgical Neuro-Oncology, and treatment for conditions such as Alzheimer's disease, dementia, memory loss, back and neck pain, brain aneurysms, headaches and migraines, epilepsy, multiple sclerosis (MS), and stroke.

Memorial Healthcare System's Neuroscience Program operates at multiple locations, ensuring accessible, expert care throughout the region:

Neurology services are available at Memorial Regional Hospital, Memorial Hospital West, and throughout the community

These locations are equipped to deliver patient-centered care using the latest advancements in neuroscience to improve outcomes and enhance quality of life. The chart below illustrates the number of patients treated at Memorial Neuroscience Institute in the period from April 2023 - March 2024.

# NUMBER OF PATIENTS TREATED AT MEMORIAL NEUROSCIENCE INSTITUTE



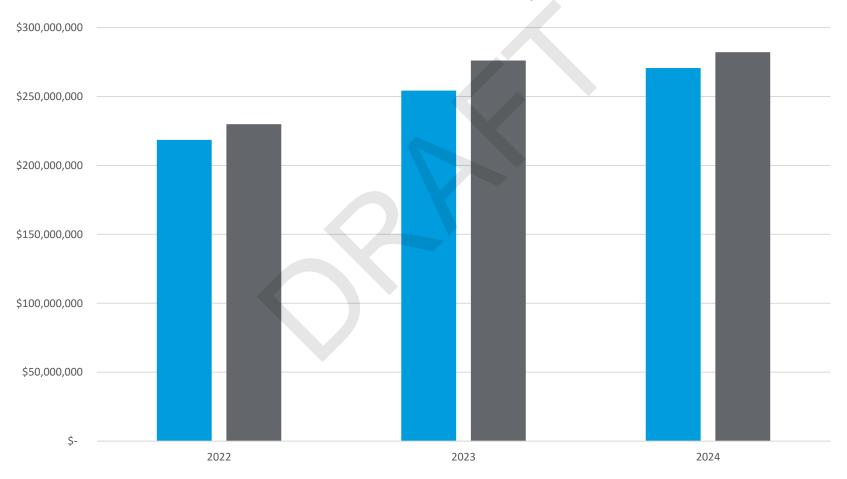




### **Neuroscience (Continued)**

### **Financial Performance**

The chart below illustrates the revenues and expenses for Neuroscience over the past three fiscal years. According to the financial data, the program has seen growth, with revenues increasing from over \$218 million in 2022 to more than \$270 million in 2024.



### Neuroscience Revenue and Expenses

Revenue Expenses



### **Neuroscience (Continued)**

#### **Established Goals and Objectives**

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the quality and safety goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Quality and Safety**

- Goal 1: tPA within 45 Minutes: The percentage of adult patients experiencing certain types of strokes who are administered tPA (a drug that helps reduce blockage within a blood vessel) within 45 minutes of arrival at the emergency department. The goal is to maximize the percentage of patients receiving tPA within 45 minutes of arrival at the emergency department.
  - o Benchmark: American Stroke Association, Get With The Guidelines, Florida
- Goal 2: Median Time (Minutes) to tPA: The median time (in minutes) of arrival at the emergency department to time tPA (a drug that helps reduce blockage within a blood vessel) is administered.
  - Benchmark: Florida Hospital Stroke Centers
- Goal 3: Stroke Mortality Rate: The percentage of stroke patients whose death occurs within 30 days of admission to the hospital. If the death occurs past the 30 days but the patient has not yet been discharged, it is counted as well.
  - o Benchmark: Crimson Cohort Expected for Stroke Mortality
- Goal 4: Door to Reperfusion within 120 Minutes: The percentage of patients whose clot was removed and their blood flow was returned to the injured area of the brain.
  - o Benchmark: Florida Hospital Stroke Centers

### **Neuroscience (Continued)**

#### **Performance Measures**

#### **Quality and Safety**

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the SBHD, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors quality and safety metrics specific to Neuroscience.

For transparency, the SBHD publishes detailed illustrations on its website that showcase progress toward established benchmarks for quality and safety metrics specific to the Neuroscience performance. Using data from the review period, we verified that these goals are well-articulated, and performance is actively monitored. The four (4) quality and safety metrics are benchmarked against the American Stroke Association, Get With The Guidelines, Florida, Florida Hospital Stroke Centers, Crimson Cohort Expected for Stroke Mortality, and Florida Hospital Stroke Centers over the period of April 2023 – March 2024, and are made available to the public to foster accountability and engagement. Any deviations from established benchmarks are reviewed and discussed as a leadership team during the MOR meeting.

Additionally, Neuroscience goals are displayed on a monthly dashboard presented at the MOR meeting, which includes data for the current month, a rolling 3-month period, a rolling 12-month period, and a 13-month trend. The metrics are color-coded based on the percentile in which the data falls.





# Rehabilitation

### Overview

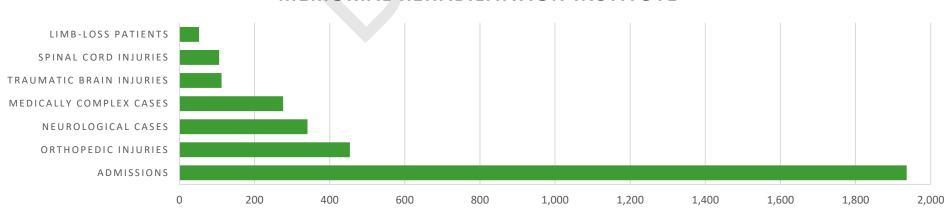


The rehabilitation program provides comprehensive care for a wide range of physical and neurological conditions, offering flexible treatment options that include inpatient, outpatient, and home health rehabilitation services. With a patient and family-centered approach, the program emphasizes personalized care and active family involvement. Advanced technology is utilized to enhance recovery, and short-term skilled nursing services are available at Memorial Manor for patients requiring transitional care. Additional services include driving assessments for safety and providing tailored recommendations, as well as specialized pediatric rehabilitation at Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital. Notably, the Memorial Rehabilitation Institute at Memorial Regional Hospital South has been named among U.S. News & World Report's 2024–2025 Best Hospitals for Rehabilitation, a recognition that highlights its commitment to quality care, exceptional clinical outcomes, skilled nursing, and positive patient experiences.

Memorial Healthcare System's Rehabilitation program is available at the following locations:

- Inpatient Rehabilitation
  - Memorial Regional Hospital South
- Outpatient Rehabilitation
  - Memorial Regional Hospital South
  - Memorial Hospital West
  - Memorial Hospital Miramar
  - Memorial Orthopaedic Surgery and Sports Medicine Center
  - Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Rehabilitation Center
  - Joe DiMaggio Children's Health Specialty Center

The chart below illustrates the number of patients treated at Memorial Rehabilitation Institute in the period from April 2023 - March 2024.



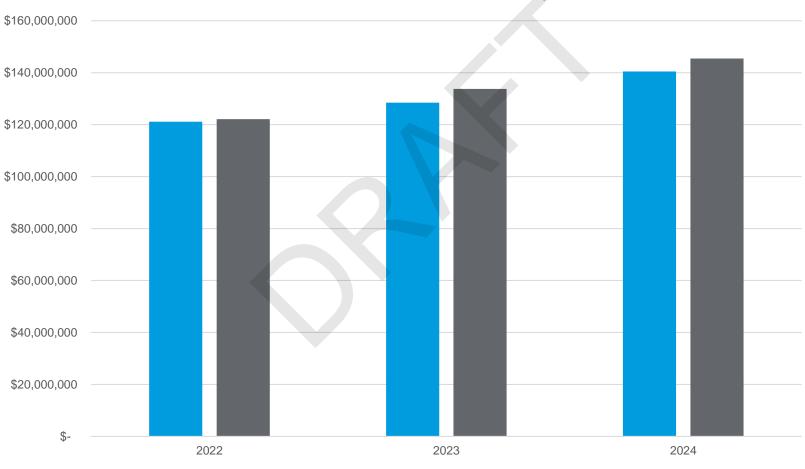
NUMBER OF PATIENTS TREATED AT MEMORIAL REHABILITATION INSTITUTE



### **Rehabilitation (Continued)**

### **Financial Performance**

The chart below illustrates the revenues and expenses for the Memorial Rehabilitation Institute over the past three fiscal years. According to the financial data, the program has seen growth, with revenues and expenses increasing from over \$121 million in 2022 to more than \$140 million in 2024.



Rehabilitation Revenue and Expenses

■Revenue ■Expenses



### **Rehabilitation (Continued)**

### Established Goals and Objectives

We confirmed that the SBHD has established goals and objectives for this program, defining the expected benefits of the program, and the performance measures and standards used by the SBHD to determine if the program achieves the SBHD's goals and objectives. The following outlines the patient satisfaction goals tracked for this prioritization.

#### **Patient Satisfaction**

- Goal 1: Overall Care: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if they were satisfied with their overall inpatient care.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 2: Nursing Care: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if nurses were courteous and available, kept them well informed about their treatment and progress, and gave them clear and detailed instructions about their medications and home care.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 3: Physical Therapist Care: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if physical therapists were courteous, kept them well informed about their treatment and progress, encouraged them to participate in setting their physical therapy goals and helped them to achieve those goals.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 4: Occupational Therapist Care: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if occupational therapists were courteous, kept them well informed about their treatment and progress, encouraged them to participate in setting their occupational therapy goals and helped them to achieve those goals.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 5: Rehabilitation Doctor Care: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if doctors were courteous and available, kept them well informed about their treatment and progress, and gave them clear and detailed instructions about their medications and home care.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 6: Information about Home Recovery: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if staff explained home care plans, what to expect during their recovery at home, and provided assistance with arrangements after discharge.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 7: Care and Sensitivity to Emotional Concerns: On a scale of 0 to 100, the average score of all respondents when asked if staff explained what their stay would be like, provided accurate and complete information about their treatment program, expressed concern for their privacy, controlled their pain effectively, helped them to feel safe and secure, treated them with respect, minimized their inconvenience, expressed concern for their worries, answered their questions effectively, gave them encouragement, and responded promptly to their requests.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database
- Goal 8: Likelihood to Recommend: The percentage of adult patients who answered "Yes" when asked if they definitely would recommend this provider's office.
  - Benchmark: Press Ganey Survey Database



# **Rehabilitation (Continued)**

# Established Goals and Objectives (Continued)

### **Quality and Safety**

The following outlines the quality and safety goals tracked for this prioritization.

- Coal 9: Rehabilitation Patients Returning Home: The percentage of rehabilitation patients returning home after discharge during the time indicated.
  - Benchmark: USDPRO System
- Goal 10: Rehabilitation Patients Discharged to a Nursing Home: The percentage of patients who required continued therapy and nursing services following their stay at Memorial Rehabilitation Institute and were discharged to a nursing home.
  - Benchmark: USDPRO System
- Goal 11: Rehabilitation Patients Transferred to a Hospital: The percentage of rehabilitation patients whose medical condition required transfer to a hospital.
  - Benchmark: USDPRO System

# **Rehabilitation (Continued)**

#### **Performance Measures**

#### Patient Satisfaction and Quality and Safety

We assessed the achievement of the SBHD's goals and objectives, focusing on whether they are clearly defined, measurable, aligned with the statutory purpose of the SBHD, and provide sufficient guidance for its programs and activities. Our evaluation confirmed that the SBHD systematically tracks and monitors both patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to Rehabilitation.

For transparency, the SBHD publishes detailed illustrations on its website that showcase progress toward established benchmarks for patient satisfaction and quality and safety metrics specific to the Rehabilitation performance. Using data from the review period, we verified that these goals are well-articulated, and performance is actively monitored. The eight (8) patient satisfaction metrics are benchmarked against the Press Ganey Survey Database over the period of April 2023 – March 2024, and are made available to the public to foster accountability and engagement. Additionally, the three (3) quality and safety metrics are benchmarked against the USDPRO System. Any deviations from established benchmarks are reviewed and discussed as a leadership team during the MOR meeting, to further foster accountability.

Additionally, Rehabilitation Institute goals are displayed on a monthly dashboard presented at the MOR meeting, which includes data for the current month, a rolling 3-month period, a rolling 12-month period, and a 13-month trend. The metrics are color-coded based on the percentile in which the data falls.



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# Memorial Healthcare System

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**DATE:** January 31, 2025

TO: Shane Strum, Interim President and Chief Executive Officer, MHS

SUBJECT: AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE – THIRD QUARTERLY REPORT FISCAL YEAR 2025

Attached is a copy of the third quarterly report of fiscal year 2025 summarizing the activities of the Internal Audit and Compliance Department from November 1, 2024, through January 31, 2025, for your records.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this report.

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Denise (Denny) DiCesare Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer

cc: Dave Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, MHS Alan Whaley, Interim Chief Operating Officer

## I. WRITTEN STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES

The following policies and procedures were reviewed and/or revised during the quarter:

Reviewed:

• None.

Revised:

- Patient Confidentiality, and
- Charity Care and Uninsured Discounts.

## II. COMPLIANCE OFFICER

The Compliance Officer attended the following meetings during the quarter:

- Florida Compliance and Privacy Consortium: One Session, and
- Compliance Officer's Roundtable: One Session

# **III. TRAINING AND EDUCATION**

The following compliance training was provided during the quarter:

- New Employee Orientation: Eleven Sessions
- Leadership Essentials: One Sessions
- Compliance Working Committee: One Session

# IV. OPEN LINES OF COMMUNICATION

# A. <u>Hotline Calls</u>

During the quarter, 94 calls, of which 32 were callbacks, were placed to the System's Compliance Hotline covering 63 new topics and one old topic. Eight topics were compliance allegations (eight calls, 18 callbacks). Three topics were HIPAA Privacy allegations (three calls). Two topics were Patient Safety allegations (two calls). Two topics were Quality of Care/Service allegation (two call). All of the calls were investigated and one of the compliance allegations was substantiated.

Finally, eight topics were informational (seven calls, three callbacks), four topics were incomplete calls (four calls), and 36 new topics and one old topic (36 calls, 11 callbacks) were employee-management relations issues. The employee-management relations issues have been forwarded to the Employee Relations and Human Resources Departments.

# V. ENFORCEMENT & DISCIPLINE

## A. Sanctions Checks

Sanction checks were conducted of employees, physicians, vendors, volunteers, and students. There were no sanctions during the quarter.

## B. <u>Conflicts of Interest</u>

The Calendar Year (CY) 2025 Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire cumulative employee completion rate is 35%, in which 6,140 of the 17,495 employees completed their questionnaire. There were 104 reports of possible or potential conflict of interest that were researched.

## **Conflicts of Interest Calendar Year 2024 Survey Results**

# **Background**

The Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) "Standard Practice on Business Ethics and Conflicts of Interest" states, "No Memorial Healthcare System officer or management or physician employee

or any other employee who may be affected by a potential conflict of interest (as determined by Memorial Healthcare System shall have an ownership or financial interest in, or permit his spouse or minor children to have an ownership or financial interest, direct or indirect, in any outside concerns, unless an exception applies and he is willing and able to report the full facts concerning such relations to the Board immediately upon learning of such relations or upon request." A conflict of interest occurs when an individual's actions or activities on behalf of Memorial Healthcare System are influenced by the ability to obtain an improper gain or advantage or an adverse effect on the Healthcare System's interest. An accounting is requested by circulating a questionnaire to all employees, who are required to disclose potential or possible conflicts of interest. Each employee has the calendar year to complete the Conflicts of Interest (COI) questionnaire. New hires are given 30 days from their start date to complete the COI questionnaire. All active employees receive regular email notifications to complete their questionnaire. The COI questionnaire consists of eight questions for the employees to disclose all perceived or potential conflicts of interest. The current questionnaire has two completion statuses: "Completed" indicates all eight questions have been answered; and "Not Started" indicates that the employee has not answered any questions or started but did not complete the questionnaire. The Compliance Office reviews and researches all disclosures and those determined to be a conflict are prepared for submission to the COI Subcommittee. The COI Subcommittee evaluates each conflict, assigns a risk level, and recommends a mitigation plan. The MHS Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and President reviews all disclosures and makes the final determination.

#### **Observations**

MHS had 17,425 employees at the end of calendar year 2024, which includes new hires, retirees, employees on leave, and those off-boarding. There were 17,160 employees who completed their COI questionnaire for a completion rate of 98.5%. There were 292 employees who disclosed a potential or possible conflict of interest, 53 disclosures were previously made and cleared by the previous CEO; 21 disclosures were submitted by employees who have since terminated, two were reported conflicts that have since been eliminated, and five employees indicated a conflict in error. Twenty-one disclosures were submitted by employees to request additional access for their educational programs which is not considered a conflict. The remaining 190 new disclosures were reviewed and researched by the Compliance Office. Eight employed physicians disclosed conflicts that had not been reviewed by the Physician Outside Activities Committee (POAC) as required by their employment contracts. Ten disclosures were evaluated by the COI Subcommittee and received low to medium risk ratings and recommendations to manage the conflicts. Finally, there were 265 employees who did not complete their COI questionnaire, 28 of which were new hires and 15 were on Family Medical Leave (FMLA) or Leave of Absence (LOA), leaving 222 employees who did not complete the CY 2024 Conflicts of Interest Questionnaire. The CEO and President of Memorial Healthcare System reviewed the summarization of 264 disclosures and his final determination is pending.

## **Recommendations**

Additional training and education will be developed to increase participation as well as decrease responses made in error to questions.

## VI. RISK ASSESSMENT, MONITORING & AUDITING

- VII. <u>RESPONSE & PREVENTION</u>
- A. Internal Audit Recurring Quarterly Reports

## South Broward Hospital District Construction Projects

Twenty-eight payment vouchers for eleven construction projects were audited during the quarter, as shown on Exhibit A. One exception was found during this audit.

#### South Broward Hospital District Requests for Proposal and Competitive Quotes

Nine Requests for Proposal and 30 Competitive Quotes were audited during the quarter, as shown on Exhibit B. No irregularities were found during these audits.

#### **Board and Government Relations Expenses**

Board Expenses were audited during the quarter. The list of expenses audited for the quarter will be presented and discussed during the meeting.

Government Relations Expenses were audited during the quarter. The list of expenses audited for the quarter will be presented and discussed during the meeting.

#### **Employee Travel Reimbursement Expense**

Employee Travel Expenses were audited during the quarter. A summary of total reimbursement per cost center and a list of expenses audited for the quarter will be presented and discussed during the meeting.

#### B. Internal Audits

#### Internal Audit of Requirements for Request for Proposals at Memorial Healthcare System

#### **Background**

Competitive bidding is used to ensure fairness and impartiality in the procurement process. Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) uses competitive bidding to procure goods and services by inviting vendors to send their bid for consideration for products and services based on MHS' requirements. The competitive bidding process includes Request for Proposals (RFP), Request for Qualifications (RFQ), or Request for Information (RFI). This audit focused on RFPs. An RFP is a project announcement that describes the project and solicits bids from vendors and contractors to complete it. The purpose of this audit was to review the RFP process for MHS to determine if controls are in place to ensure compliance with the MHS Standard Practice.

We reviewed the MHS "Request for Proposal" Standard Practice. In addition, we reviewed the MHS Board of Commissioners' (Board) May 24, 2023, meeting minutes where the motion passed for *Increasing the Threshold for When the RFP Policies are Applicable for any Expenditure Amount from \$100,000 to \$300,000*. We reviewed the procurement and contracting procedures for sales and service agreements that met the requirement for RFPs. We reviewed the process for managing repeat RFPs and rebidding contracts. We reviewed and assessed the process for contracts that were exempted from the RFP process through competitive bid waivers. We judgmentally selected a total sample of 28 contracts and assessed those contracts for conformance to the MHS RFP policy requirements.

## **Observations**

The RFP Standard Practice was last revised in May 2021 and does not reflect the annual spend of \$300,000. Two sole source contracts for nurse call system and physical therapy services lacked support to justify the sole source exemption. One contract for supply chain consulting services did not have documentation to support the MHS Executive approval to select the consultant. We observed six contracts where the vendor has been providing products or services for more than 10

years and the standard practice does not address a timeframe for how many times contracts can be renewed before rebidding.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended Supply Chain Management (SCM) continue to work on revising the RFP Standard Practice. We recommended SCM establish standardized documentation of sole source vendors to include market research analysis and approval of the competitive bid exemption. We recommended that SCM maintain documentation to support the selection of all vendors and consultants for contracted services. We recommended SCM continue to review contracts near the end of term to determine the value and feasibility of rebidding the products of services.

Saul Kredi, Vice President Chief Supply Chain Officer, agreed with our findings and recommendations and has provided an action plan.

#### Internal Audit of Facilities Management at Memorial Healthcare System

#### **Background**

The Facilities Management Department (Facilities) at Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) oversees and manages a comprehensive range of functions critical to the operation and safety of the healthcare facilities. These include building infrastructure maintenance, encompassing both preventive and corrective maintenance, Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC), plumbing, electrical systems, and elevators. It also handles disaster preparedness, business continuity, emergency power systems, and patient/visitor comfort.

Facilities must comply with the Standard Practice of Construction Services (Standard Practice of Construction) which establishes the internal process and forms for projects costing less than the construction purchasing limits of \$300,000 to construct or improve any building, or \$75,000 for electrical work. The Facilities Management Requisition, Work Orders, Project Matrix (Facilities Matrix) which outlines the number of quotations (quotes) required for various dollar value levels of either supplies or parts to be installed by facilities and work orders, repairs, installations, and Facilities or Construction-managed projects, ensures that the procurement process is competitive. Finally, the Standard Practice of Requisition of Supplies and Services (revised September 2013) states, "Purchase Orders (POs) are the preferred method for obtaining goods and services for Memorial Healthcare System."

#### **Observations**

We reviewed the purchasing processes for the Facilities departments at each hospital from January 1, 2024, through September 30, 2024, reviewed evidence that job bids and payments for work performed were properly authorized, and the invoices were correctly and accurately paid to the vendors in accordance with the Signature Authority Level matrix controls in the MHS Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Workday system. There was no evidence of inappropriate purchases or unauthorized payments for the sample transactions evaluated.

We were informed by the Facilities directors that they follow the most current 2024 version of the Facilities Matrix. However, the majority were unaware and did not follow the Standard Practice of Construction which outlines, in part, the role of the Facilities Department. We observed inconsistencies between the Facilities Matrix and the Construction Standard Practice which was last updated in 2019. These inconsistencies suggest that the Facilities Department is not fully adhering to the established governance and procedural guidelines. We also observed opportunities to improve documentation on vendor selection. The Standard Practice of Construction requires

vendor rotation for construction services below \$2,000, however the Facilities Matrix does not specify that vendor rotation is needed or required. POs issued, where only one quote was required, could lead to the indefinite use of the same vendor, as there are no established time or dollar value limits on the work that can be awarded to a single vendor. Three of the eight invoices processed as non-POs had PO numbers that were not referenced on vendor invoices and were approved for payment as non-POs. The POs could also be submitted at a later date on a different invoice for payment which could lead to duplicate payments.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended that the Facilities Directors work with the Construction Services department to update the Standard Practice of Construction to align with the Facilities Matrix and acceptable practices. We recommended that a policy and procedure is drafted specifically for Facilities Management department to address vendor selection, documentation of preferred vendors and vendors with exclusive products and services, Facilities Matrix, POs requirements and exceptions, vendor selection documentation in Workday, and vendor rotation. We recommended that the Facilities Management team collaborate with Supply Chain Management (SCM) and Accounts Payable (AP) to ensure that PO invoices are not paid as non-POs, to ensure that the open PO management control in place is effective.

David Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, MHS agreed with the findings and recommendations of this audit and has provided an action plan.

## Internal Audit of Artificial Intelligence Governance at Memorial Healthcare System

## **Background**

Technological advancements have steadily increased the availability and scope of Artificial Intelligence (AI). AI is a wide-ranging tool that enables people to rethink how we integrate information, analyze data, and use the resulting insights to improve decision making. Clinical AI is an emerging field at the intersection of patient care and AI, and it is trying to harness the application of advanced algorithms and machine learning techniques with the aim of unveiling insights. Clinical AI aims to enhance medical decision-making, optimize treatment plans, and enable personalized medicine to empower clinicians to improve patient outcomes. AI utilities are becoming more and more ubiquitous in the regulated work community (in the form of defined and controlled applications) and ad-hoc work environment (any number of AI platforms available via the public internet, i.e., Chatbots, such as ChatGPT and Grammarly). The purpose of this audit was to evaluate the organization's AI application inventory, leadership's risk tolerance for AI, and the influence of best practice and norms established by AI system owners, organizations, industries, legal or regulatory requirements.

## **Observations**

The Cloud Access Security Broker (CASB) utility inventoried 3,680 web-based applications accessed by Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) users while logged into the MHS network. CASB assigns a risk rating between Level 2 (i.e., ChatGPT) and Level 7 (i.e., RapidTables), with Level 2 being the lowest risk and Level 7 being the highest risk. ChatGPT is free for personal use, but the premium version is intended for Teams and Enterprise use. ChatGPT Teams version is priced at \$30 per user per month, which could potentially cost MHS \$272,520 per year for the 757 MHS employees who were using the free personal version during our observation period. During our research of the Level 7 AI application, RapidTables, we were contacted by MHS Cyber Security telling us our PC was broadcasting malicious software across the MHS network. A scan was

conducted by MHS Cyber Security, and they immediately detected and removed the malware causing the issue. We found there were 48 known applications with AI components already installed on the MHS network and another 10 slated to be on-boarded at MHS, pending budget and legal approval. There were 15 AI applications installed that were requested by MHS staff for various use-cases (such as AI Retinal Screening, RadAI, TalkDesk, etc.); six modules in Epic that leverage AI (such as Note Summarization, Generative AI SlicerDicer Qx, Generated Dashboard Summary, etc.); nine instances of predictive modeling (such as ICU Readmission Risk, Risk of Readmission, ED likelihood to occupy bed, etc.); and 18 other instances of AI for other use-cases. We found no specific policies or procedures that provides AI Governance. The MHS *Enterprise Acceptable Use Policy* Standard Practice covers some aspects such as the user's responsibility for the data that they access, use and store, however, AI is not specifically discussed.

## **Recommendations**

We recommended a policy that provides guidance for governing, mapping, measuring, and managing AI risks at MHS. We also recommended an AI best practices document be developed and established to provide guidance on AI acceptable uses within the healthcare system while a policy is being developed.

Jeffrey Sturman, Senior Vice President and Chief Digital Officer agreed with our findings and recommendations. An action plan to address these findings has been provided.

## C. Compliance Audits

## <u>Compliance Audit of the 340B Program at Memorial Healthcare System - FY 2025 Third</u> <u>Quarter</u>

#### **Background**

The 340B Program is administered and overseen by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). The 340B Drug Pricing Program requires drug manufacturers to provide outpatient drugs to eligible healthcare organizations/covered entities at significantly reduced prices. To participate, eligible organizations must register and be enrolled with the 340B Program and maintain an up-to-date 340B database, recertify eligibility yearly, and prevent duplicate discounts by having mechanisms in place to prevent receiving a 340B price and a Medicaid drug rebate for the same drug. Any covered entity that fails to comply with the program requirements may be liable to manufacturers for refunds of the discounts obtained. To be eligible for the 340B Program, patients must have an eligible medication order or prescription and receive health care services other than drugs from the covered entity, such as treatment in a hospital-based mixed-use area, a location serving patient type of both inpatient and outpatient and classified as an outpatient in the electronic health record (EHR) at the time of medication administration.

Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) participates in the 340B Program for Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) which includes Memorial Regional Hospital South (MRHS) and Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital (JDCH); Memorial Hospital Pembroke (MHP); Memorial Hospital West (MHW); and Memorial Hospital Miramar (MHM). In order to manage the 340B Program, MHS uses split-billing software from Verity Solutions Group (Verity) to determine what each pharmacy needs to purchase at the 340B price. Replenishment is accumulated each time a drug is administered as outpatient and meets all the program requirements. As the previous audits had findings related to the Automated Dispensing Cabinet (ADC), our medication dispensing system, overrides and eligibility of medication orders, this parameter was included in the 340B audits.

## **Observations**

Of the 300 pharmacy claims reviewed, there were four claims with ADC medication overrides for which we were unable to find the provider's order in Epic. An ADC override occurs when a clinician pulls medication from the ADC without the pharmacy verifying the order or during emergent situations when the provider gave a verbal order. Pharmacy management monitors ADC overrides and links them with the provider order within 48 hours. All four claims were noted to have documentation that the drug was given in the medication administration record (MAR). The 340B management assisted to locate the order in Epic. Three of the four pharmacy claims had a telephone order written on the supplemental order form after the date of discharge. Two of the three were back dated to the date of service (DOS) and had physician signatures, and one used the current date with a note indicating it was a late order entry for a past date of service. All three claims deviated from the MHS Nursing/Pharmacy Policy "Provider Orders/Telephone/ Verbal/Fax/Transcription Implementation" that requires all phone and/or verbal orders be signed by the ordering provider within 30 days after discharge. We verified that one of the three claims included a controlled substance that documentation supported the drug's removal from the ADC and promptly administered to the patient. Hence, there was no diversion. The fourth pharmacy claim's medication order was not found in Epic. These made all four claims 340B ineligible. The error rate is 1.3%, resulting with an overpayment of \$1,727. Subsequently, Accounts Receivable Management (ARM) reviewed the identified 340B ineligible claims, corrected and reversed the charges.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended the 340B management continue to monitor and include the ADC overrides in the oversight for the 340B Program. We recommended pharmacy management from MRHS and MHW continue to monitor and ensure that ADC overrides are linked to a provider order in Epic. We recommended nursing leadership from MRHS and MHW reeducate the staff on verbal/telephone orders as per MHS policy. We recommended nursing leadership from MRHS and MHW to develop, implement, and monitor a process/workflow to ensure that the MHS "Medication Overrides" policy is followed.

Dorinda Segovia, Vice President & Chief Pharmacy Officer, MHS, Tina Hodges, Vice President, Reimbursement and Revenue Integrity, MHS, Joseph Stuczynski, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), MHW, Katherine Wong, Chief Financial Officer (CFO), MHW, Philoron Wright, CEO, MRHS and David Webb, CFO, MRHS agreed with the findings and recommendations and have provided action plans.

#### **Compliance Audit of Documentation and Billing of Screening Colonoscopy at MRH**

#### Background

Colorectal cancer (CRC) is a type of a disease that develops in the colon and/or the rectum in which abnormal cells divide uncontrollably, ultimately forming a malignant tumor. CRC screening test refers to any procedure including screening colonoscopy, furnished to an asymptomatic individual for the purpose of early detection of CRC.

Medicare pays for screening colonoscopy once every 24 months for individuals at high risk for CRC and for individuals that are non-high risk, once every 120 months or 48 months after a previous flexible sigmoidoscopy. Medicare has no minimum age limitation for screening colonoscopy for both the high-risk and non-risk CRC population. If a lesion or growth is detected during a screening colonoscopy that results in a biopsy or removal of the lesion or growth, payment under this part shall not be made for the screening colonoscopy but shall be made for the procedure

classified as a colonoscopy with biopsy or removal.

Medicare uses Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Code G0105 for Screening: colonoscopy on individuals at high-risk for CRC, and G0121 for Screening colonoscopy for non-high-risk individuals. For commercial payors and Medicaid, Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) code 45378, Colonoscopy, flexible; diagnostic, including collection of specimen(s) is used to report for screening colonoscopy or as based on the commercial payor guidelines. There are no deductible or coinsurance for CRC screening services. However, when biopsy or removal of the lesion/growth is done, Medicare beneficiaries are responsible for 15% of the cost, starting January 1, 2023, through December 31, 2026. The claim should report for the appropriate procedure based on the surgical technique and instrument used for the removal of the growth/lesion.

Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) Compliance and Internal Audit Department performed an audit of the Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) Endoscopy Department in response to a hotline call allegation of improper billing at MRH for screening colonoscopy. The purpose of this audit was to determine if documentation supports medical necessity and determine the compliance and accuracy of coding, charging and billing screening colonoscopy procedures at MRH.

#### **Observations**

All 30 accounts reviewed have complete documentation supporting medical necessity and the procedure performed. All four Medicare accounts were coded, billed and paid appropriately. Out of the 26 commercial payor accounts, we noted four were initially not paid related to the commercial payors' preferred CPT code and modifier to report screening colonoscopy. Concurrent to the audit, Health Information Management (HIM) reviewed the claims and made the appropriate corrections as per the standard process. These accounts were paid appropriately. Based on the audit findings, the hotline allegation of improper billing for the screening colonoscopy was not substantiated. Medicare beneficiaries have a 15% co-insurance as per the Medicare guidelines, and as per the health plan policy for the commercial accounts when a lesion/growth is removed for biopsy during the screening procedure.

#### **Recommendations**

None.

Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MRH and Walter Bussell, Chief Financial Officer, MRH have been notified of the results of this audit. There were no findings or recommendations, therefore an action plan was not required.

## <u>Compliance Audit of Documentation and Billing of Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related</u> <u>Group (MS-DRG) 207 and MS-DRG 208 at MRH</u>

#### **Background**

Mechanical ventilation (MV) is the use of a mechanical device such as a ventilator or respirator to take over the active breathing for a patient who is unable to breathe on their own. Through the inpatient prospective payment system (IPPS), the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) pays for inpatient claims when Medicare beneficiaries receive MV. MS-DRG 207 Respiratory System Diagnosis with Ventilatory Support greater than 96 hours is assigned to Medicare beneficiaries who have received more than 96 consecutive hours of MV. MS-DRG 208 Respiratory System Diagnosis with Ventilatory Support less than or equal to 96 hours is assigned to Medicare beneficiaries who received less than or equal to 96 hours of MV. The use of procedure

code 5A1955Z indicates that an enrollee has received more than 96 consecutive hours of MV. If an enrollee did not receive more than 96 consecutive hours, procedure code 5A1945Z, Respiratory Ventilation between 24-96 consecutive hours or 5A1935Z Respiratory Ventilation, less than 24 consecutive hours is used. In a recent Office of Inspector General (OIG) audit on August 2024, OIG found that Medicare payments for inpatient hospital claims with MS-DRG 207 that required more than 96 consecutive hours of MV did not fully comply with Medicare requirements and resulted in overpayments. Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) Compliance and Internal Audit Department chose to perform an audit of the MS-DRG 207 and MS-DRG 208 at Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) given the volume and acuity of inpatient discharges. The purpose of this audit was to determine if MS-DRG 207 Respiratory System Diagnosis with Ventilatory Support >96 hours or MS-DRG 208 Respiratory System Diagnosis with Ventilatory Support <96 hours or MS-DRG 208 Respiratory System Diagnosis with Ventilatory Support <=96 hours, complied with Medicare requirements and is supported by medical record documentation and determine the accuracy of coding, charging and billing at MRH.

#### **Observations**

All 30 accounts reviewed had provider orders and documentation which supported the principal diagnosis of respiratory failure or condition supporting medical necessity for the procedure of MV. All 30 accounts had the appropriate principal diagnosis codes that were supported by medical record documentation. Twenty-nine out of 30 accounts were assigned the appropriate MS-DRG. One account was incorrectly coded with MS-DRG 208 when it should have been MS-DRG 207 because the amount of time the patient was on MV was more than 96 hours. This account had the incorrect procedure code 5A1945Z instead of 5A1955Z which resulted in the incorrect MS-DRG reported. Subsequently, Health Information Management (HIM) corrected the coding error and Accounts Receivable Management (ARM) rebilled the account. The rest of the accounts were paid appropriately pending correction in reimbursement for the account with coding error. The error rate is 3.33% resulting in an approximate underpayment amount of \$1,226.03.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended that HIM continue to provide education to coding staff on respiratory failure and calculating MV hours by including MS-DRG 207 and 208 routinely in their regular audits for coding.

Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, and Walter Bussell, Chief Financial Officer, agreed with the finding and recommendation of this audit and have provided an action plan.

## <u>Compliance Audit of Documentation and Billing of Controlled Substance in the Hematology</u> <u>Oncology Inpatient Department at MRH</u>

#### **Background**

Controlled substances are medications that have the potential for abuse or dependence. Federal regulations require detailed documentation of the disposition of all controlled substances which includes the documentation of the persons' names who are administering to the patient, wasting and witnessing the wastage. Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) uses an automated dispensing cabinet (ADC), an advanced point-of-use system that automates the distribution, management, and control of medications, including controlled substances. All medications ordered by providers are available through ADC with a pharmacy link to each patient's medication profile after pharmacist review. All medications including controlled substances and multiple other medications are removed from the ADC, which keeps a record of the user, and the amount of each drug removed. According to the MHS "Controlled Substances Waste" policy, controlled substances should be

wasted in a timely fashion with a witness. It is preferred that wasting occurs prior to drug administration for safety purposes. However, if not feasible to waste immediately upon withdrawal and prior to administration, then waste shall occur immediately after administration. The personnel authorized to witness the waste shall visually verify and document the amount of drug wasted. The total amount of a controlled substance that is removed from ADC must equal the dose given to the patient and the amount wasted.

Patients admitted to the Hematology Oncology Department at Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) often require the use of multiple controlled substances for pain management. There are designated ADC machines where Registered nurses (RN) withdraw controlled substances and record the unused portion as waste. There must be an appropriate physician order to accompany all administration of medications. Unreconciled controlled substances report is performed daily by the department management to ensure any controlled substance discrepancies such as undocumented waste are resolved appropriately. Also, a complete controlled substance inventory is completed by two RN's weekly. Waste discrepancies unable to be resolved by end of shift are, investigated according to "Controlled Substances – Discrepancies, Reporting and Resolution" policy. The purpose of this audit was to determine if documentation supports medical necessity and compliance with Federal Guidelines and MHS Policies and Procedures of Controlled Substances; and to determine the accuracy of charging in the Hematology Oncology Inpatient Department at MRH.

#### **Observations**

We selected 30 patient accounts with 331 ADC transactions of controlled substances were reviewed. There were appropriate provider orders for all controlled substances documented as administered. We noted two accounts with two discrepancies of documentation for medications administration and waste. In one account, documentation on the medication administration record (MAR) indicated the total dose removed from ADC was administered but the ADC transaction of waste was documented for same medication. Also, the pharmacy actions section of the MAR indicates medication was returned. For one account, medication was administered more than one hour after it was removed from ADC which deviated from the Nursing/Pharmacy Departmental Policies "Medication Administration - Policy Statement" and "Scheduling Medications Administration" resulting in less than 1% error rate. We noted two accounts with two transactions had an opportunity for improvement in supporting documentation for medications removed and wasted. One account had one ADC transaction with removal and waste of the total dose. However, there is no supporting documentation on the MAR for the reason the dose was not administered. One account had two separate ADC transaction of same medication within two hours of each other. The first total dose removed was appropriately wasted in ADC but there is no indication on the MAR why the dose was not administered. The second dose removed was documented as administered according to the physician order, with the remaining dose appropriately documented in ADC as wasted. The remaining 317 transactions were appropriately documented on the MAR as given and the returned, cancelled, or wasted transactions were noted on the ADC transactions. All medications including controlled substances are charged when ordered dose is scanned and administration is documented on MAR.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended reeducating the Registered Nurses on the "Medication Administration - Policy Statement" and "Scheduling Medications Administration" and the "Medication Administration - Policy Statement". We recommend reeducating Registered Nurses to include supporting documentation on the MAR for the reason the total dose removed was wasted.

Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MRH and Walter Bussell, Chief Financial Officer, MRH agreed with the findings and recommendations of this audit and have provided an action plan.

#### <u>Compliance Audit of Memorial Cancer Institute Hematology Oncology Procedures for</u> <u>Memorial Physician Group Professional Coding and Billing</u>

#### **Background**

MCI offers world-class care in the community with a team of highly trained hematology and oncology (Hem/Onc) specialists who deliver diagnoses and integrated treatments. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) requires reasonable documentation of medical and surgical services provided by the healthcare providers in all settings. The documentation validates medical necessity, place of service, and correct reporting of the services billed to the insurances for reimbursement. The physicians and the Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) report health care services using code sets to identify medical procedures and professional services on the health care billing claims. The International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) diagnosis codes are used to indicate the reason for care. The Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes are used to report services and procedures. Modifiers are appended to the CPT codes to report services that are altered under certain circumstances. CMS's Center for Program Integrity manages the Open Payments Program, a federally mandated program to increase the transparency of financial relationships between the drug and medical device companies and the healthcare providers. The Physician Payments Sunshine Act (Sunshine Act), part of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) of 2010, is a federally mandated disclosure program that requires manufacturers and distributors of medical devices and drugs to report payments to physicians, nurse practitioners, APRNs, and teaching hospitals. These payments are publicly accessible through the Open Payments Program.

#### **Observations**

We reviewed the MCI Hem/Onc screening and diagnosis documentation for laboratory (labs), and chemotherapy administration. Of the 15 labs for complete blood count (CBC) with differential (Diff), we noted there was a signed order for each CBC, with medical necessity reported with ICD10-CM codes, the frequency of lab tests, and an order expiry date. Seven accounts had expiration dates for greater than one year. This is an opportunity for improvement as Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs) other than First Coast Service Options (FCSO), our MAC, require laboratory standing orders to be renewed on or about 12 months from the order date. Subsequently, we provided Oncology Administration the other MACs' requirements to renew orders at least annually. The documentation for all 15 accounts for the labs met the billing requirements. One account for chemotherapy administration was reported with the correct CPT code and required a place of service correction when billing for the services which was completed.

We collected and analyzed the CMS Open Payments data for each of the physicians and for the APRN in this audit and there were no significant findings.

#### Recommendations

None.

Patrick Brillantes, Senior Vice President of Service Lines, MHS and Esther Surujon, Chief Financial Officer, MPG agreed with the audit results and since there were no findings or recommendations in this audit, an action plan was not required.

## Compliance Audit of Memorial Physician Group Urology Department Evaluation and

#### Management Services and Procedures Professional Coding and Billing

#### **Background**

The Memorial Physician Group (MPG) Urology Department consists of a team of providers who offers comprehensive treatments for complex Urology related conditions. Physician services are the professional services that include diagnosis, therapy, surgery, consultation, and care plan oversight. A medically reasonable and necessary evaluation and management (E/M) visit documents the patient's medical needs and medical decisions on the appropriate measures of care for specific clinical circumstances. Billing for an E/M service requires Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes that best represents a patient type, place of service, and level of E/M service performed. Place of service can be the physician's office or other outpatient facility, hospital inpatient, Emergency Department (ED) and telemedicine. Modifiers are appended on a claim for additional information. Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) can report services independently, or under the incident-to guidelines, or shared/split visit guidelines. A visit provided by a teaching physician with a resident physician aiding in patient care is billed using an appropriate modifier. Physician and teaching physician E/M services can be provided through telehealth that are billed with codes that the telecommunications used was either audio-video or audio only and an appropriate modifier. The Physician Payments Sunshine Act (Sunshine Act), part of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) of 2010, is a federally mandated disclosure program that requires manufacturers and distributors of medical devices and drugs to report payments to physicians, nurse practitioners, APRNs, and teaching hospitals. These payments are publicly accessible through the Open Payments Program.

#### **Observations**

We reviewed 86 accounts: 10 E/M and 10 procedures for each of the four physicians and three E/M and three procedures for one APRN. Of the 43 E/M accounts reviewed, one telehealth service account did not meet the CMS telehealth coding and billing requirement for place of service due to copy and pasting. The account was overpaid by \$59.25, and the MPG Business office will issue a refund. The error rate was 1%. Of the 43 procedures reviewed, we agreed with the documentation and coding of 42 accounts. One procedure was missing an additional CPT code that provided additional information and did not affect reimbursement. Modifiers were applied appropriately to 84 of 86 accounts and in the remaining accounts, reimbursement was not affected because the modifiers were informational. There were 76 accounts that the International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) codes were appropriate for the documented medical necessity. In the remaining accounts, we noted that the medical diagnosis documentation supported additional or different ICD-10-CM codes, this did not affect reimbursement. One account was denied for a payer processing error. This account was appealed and is pending payment. We collected and analyzed the CMS Open Payments data for each of the physicians and for the APRN in this audit and there were no findings.

#### **Recommendations**

We recommended that MPG Business Office correct and rebill or refund accounts as appropriate. We recommended that Auditor of Coding and Compliance, and the Administrative Director of Urology conduct a reeducation session for the providers on documentation guidelines, requirements for telehealth documentation and coding, and the copy and paste policy.

Mario Salceda-Cruz, Chief Operating Officer, MPG and Esther Surujon, Chief Financial Officer, MPG agreed with the findings and recommendations and have provided a detailed action plan.

#### <u>Compliance Audit of Orthopedic Surgery Evaluation and Management Services for MPG</u> <u>Professional Coding and Billing</u>

## **Background**

Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) has a highly trained team of orthopedic surgeons who offers treatments for bone, joint, and muscle care. Physician services include diagnosis, therapy, surgery, consultation, and care plan oversight. A medically reasonable and necessary evaluation and management (E/M) visit includes documentation of the patient's medical needs and medical decisions on the appropriate measures of care for specific clinical circumstances. Billing for an E/M service requires the selection of a Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) code that best represents a patient type, place of service, and level of E/M service performed. Place of service can be the physician's office or other outpatient facility, hospital inpatient, or telehealth. Billing also requires selection of the International Classification of Diseases Tenth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) codes to report medical diagnoses. Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) can report services independently or as a shared/split visit in an institutional setting when services are performed in part by a physician. A visit provided by a teaching physician with a resident physician aiding in patient care is billed using an appropriate modifier. Physician and teaching physician E/M services can be provided through telehealth. Telehealth billing codes indicate that either audio-video or audio only was used and appended using a modifier. The purpose of this audit was to determine whether documentation and coding complied with the Medicare requirements when billing for orthopedic surgery E/M services.

## **Observations**

We reviewed 132 E/M services accounts of for 16 physicians and six APRNs. Some of the findings may overlap. Of the 132 accounts reviewed, we noted that for 119 accounts the CPT codes were appropriate for the E/M services documented. In the remaining thirteen accounts, three accounts were coded at two more E/M service levels higher than the supported documentation, seven accounts had documentation that supported a different CPT code, and three accounts had documentation that was insufficient to support billing for the services. This resulted in an 10% error rate for the E/M with an estimated overpayment amount of \$645.72 and underpayment amount of \$279.33. There were 33 accounts that appropriately reported the modifiers and reimbursement in the remaining 10 accounts was not affected since the modifiers were informational. There were 54 of the E/M accounts that had additional CPT codes reported for procedures, such as X-rays and other services. We noted four accounts did not have documentation to support reporting the CPT and one account had insufficient documentation to support reporting the CPT. Fifty-eight accounts had ICD-10-CM codes that were supported by documented medical necessity. In the remaining accounts, we noted that medical record documentation supported additional or different ICD-10-CM codes. However, reimbursement was not affected. Of the 132 accounts, five were denied payment due to payor guidelines, two of which were billed to a program payor. The accounts were appealed and expected to be paid.

## **Recommendations**

We recommended that Memorial Physician Group (MPG) Business Office correct and rebill or refund accounts as appropriate. We recommended that the MPG Business Office reeducate providers on medical record documentation, coding, and billing to support medical necessity and services billed.

Mario Salceda-Cruz, Chief Operating Officer, MPG and Esther Surujon, Chief Financial Officer, MPG agreed with the findings and recommendations and have provided an action plan.

## <u>Follow Up Compliance Audit of Documentation and Billing of the Diabetes Self-Management</u> <u>Education and Support Services Program in the Diabetes and Nutrition Center at MRH</u>

## **Background**

The outpatient Diabetes Self-Management Training (DSMT) is a full range of educational and training services offered to people diagnosed with diabetes for the successful self-management of the chronic disease and related conditions. Medicare covers an initial 10 hours and a yearly followup of two hours of DSMT when provided by a Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services accredited entity. Nine hours must be furnished in a group setting and one hour of individual DSMT to evaluate training needs. Individualized initial DSMT is covered only if there are no group sessions available within two months of the DSMT order or the referring provider documented the need for individual training on the order/referral and in the medical record. The initial and follow-up training must be furnished in increments of 30 minutes which is one unit. Rounding of time furnished is not allowed and any unused hours of the initial training or followup training that is not completed within the required time is not reimbursed. The order/referral must include the number of initial hours ordered; the topics to be covered; and a determination that the patient should receive individual or group training. The treating provider managing the patient's diabetic condition certifies that such services are needed and maintains a comprehensive plan of care. For the follow-up training, the provider must document on the referral and in the medical record that the beneficiary has been diagnosed with diabetes and the training to be addressed.

A compliance audit of the Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support (DSMES) Program at Memorial Regional Hospital (MRH) completed in August 2023 reviewed thirty accounts with 85 dates of service, of which twenty-eight accounts with 81 dates of service did not include all of the required order components and the documentation of education or training provided did not meet Medicare requirements resulting in a 95% error rate. The purpose of this follow-up audit was to determine if the action plan recommendations to review and reeducate staff on the Medicare requirements for providing, billing, and charging DSMT time, to review and update the order/referral template in Epic to include all Medicare's required components, to ensure orders/referrals from non-MHS providers include all Medicare required components, and to verify the effectiveness of the corrective actions.

## **Observations**

The DSMES management reeducated staff on the Medicare requirements. The order/referral template in Epic was updated to meet Medicare requirements. There is a process to ensure that orders/referrals from non-MHS providers meet Medicare requirements. We reviewed 15 patient accounts with 30 dates of service and all had a provider orders/referral and met medical necessity. Ten of 15 orders/referrals had all components required by Medicare, 25 dates of service had the individual and/or group DSMT required documentation. Start and stop time were consistently documented in 30-minute increments on the visit summary note. Twenty-four of 25 dates of service were coded, charged and billed as per documentation and Medicare requirements. One date of service was coded accurately but charges were not posted by department staff. Accounts Receivable Management (ARM) billed this date of service. The remaining five dates of service were for patients admitted under observation status with orders for inpatient diabetes education consult, which met medical necessity but not for outpatient DSMT. Subsequent to this finding, corrective action was implemented by ARM and department management to add an edit in Epic to hold charges posted by the DSMES department to enable the ARM department to append modifier GZ to indicate the item is expected to be denied for observation status patients. ARM reviews and

appends the modifier. DSMES staff will continue to enter the charges to account for the time spent with patients. ARM rebilled or refunded the identified five dates of service, and all Medicare and Medicare Advantage observation accounts are currently being rebilled or refunded with corrected claims retrospectively to the previous audit calendar year as appropriate.

#### **Recommendations**

None.

Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MRH and Walter Bussell Chief Financial Officer, MRH, agreed with the audit findings. There were no recommendations, therefore an action plan was not required.

# Follow Up Compliance Audit of the Important Message From Medicare (IM) Notice at MHP

## **Background**

Hospitals and Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs) must deliver a written notice, the IM from Medicare to all Medicare and Medicare Advantage (MA) beneficiaries receiving inpatient hospital services, to inform them that they have a statutory right to appeal to a Beneficiary and Family Centered Care Quality Improvement Organization (BFCC-QIO) for an expedited review when a hospital, with physician concurrence, determines that inpatient care is no longer necessary. The initial IM must be delivered within two calendar days of the admission date or no more than seven days before the admission date if the patient is seen for a preadmission visit. A follow-up IM must be delivered within two calendar days of the date of discharge, no follow-up notice is required.

The standardized written IM and verbal explanation must be provided to the beneficiary or the representative. The beneficiary or representative must sign and date the IM. However, beneficiaries are still entitled to an expedited determination if they refuse to sign the IM. The staff member who presented the IM must annotate the notice with the date of refusal. The IM must be delivered telephonically to a representative who is not physically present, and the "Additional Information" section must be annotated with the staff member's name who initiated the contact, the representative's name, date, time, and telephone number. A hard copy of the IM must be mailed to the representative on the day telephone contact is made and the original IM notice must be added to the patient's medical record. Failure to provide the IM to applicable beneficiaries is considered a violation of the conditions of participation (COPs) and could result in termination of the hospital's Medicare provider agreement.

## **Observations**

At Memorial Hospital Pembroke (MHP), the Patient Financial Services (PFS) Department staff provides the initial IM, and the Case Management (CM) Department provides the follow-up IM to beneficiaries. From the previous IM audit completed in September 2023, 13 of 30 accounts reviewed did not comply with the Medicare requirements for providing the initial IM and 23 of 30 accounts did not comply with the Medicare requirements for providing the follow-up IM, resulting in error rates of 43% and 77% respectively. The purpose of this follow-up audit was to determine if MHP implemented the action plan recommendations to provide and complete the initial and follow-up IM notices, reeducate staff on delivering the initial and the follow-up IM notices in a timely manner, conduct prospective reviews to ensure compliance with Medicare requirements, and verify the effectiveness of the corrective actions.

All 15 accounts reviewed had inpatient orders documented by the provider and received inpatient

services exceeding 10 days. Two accounts did not have the initial IM in the medical records resulting in a 13% error rate. Additionally, one account delivered the IM after two calendar days from the admission date and the second account did not have the required "Additional Information" section annotated when patient refused to sign the notice. The remaining 11 accounts delivered the initial IM within the set guidelines. Twelve of 15 accounts had discharge orders documented, and three accounts had documentation that the patients expired prior to discharge. Three accounts of the 12 were provided the follow-up IM telephonically and documentation was kept in departmental records but not in the medical records resulting in a 25% error rate. Additionally, for two accounts the follow-up IMs were provided more than two days of the planned discharge date. The remaining seven accounts had the follow-up IM delivered within the set guidelines.

## **Recommendations**

We recommended the PFS and CM management continue the ongoing staff reeducation on the Medicare requirements, timeframes, required documentation, and maintaining the IM notices in the patient's medical records. We recommended continuing regular prospective reviews to ensure compliance with the Medicare requirements.

Felicia Turnley, Chief Executive Officer, MHP and Patrick Connor, Chief Financial Officer, MHP agreed with the findings of this audit and have provided the attached action plan.

## **D.** Services Provided by Protiviti

A list of Services Provided by Protiviti for the quarter will be discussed during the meeting.

## **<u>E.</u>** Other Reports

## Investor Log

The Investor Contact Log for the quarter is attached for your review. See Exhibit C.

## Non-Audit Engagements

A list of RSM and Zomma Group Non-Audit Engagements for the quarter is attached for your review. See Exhibit D.

## **Compliance Environment**

A discussion of Nationwide Audit and Investigation Activities for the quarter will be held during the meeting.

#### SBHD Construction Projects Period Ending 1/31/2025

	PO#6007559 Interventional Radiology Turner Construction Co. #401622 MHS	PO#6007465 Urgent Care Center Miami Gardens Gerrits Construction Inc. #650322 MHS	PO#6007489 Central Sterile Processing Thornton Construction Co. Inc. #430122 MHW	PO#10049832 MOB II Third Floor Sports Medicine Thornton Construction Co. Inc. #PRJ00148 MHM	Family Birthplace PO#6007570 Turner Constuction Co., Inc. #400622 MRH
Original Contract Sum Prior Change Orders	Amount \$ 1,826,577	Amount \$ 1,929,942	Amount \$ 1,620,971	Amount \$ 2,321,339	Amount \$ 43,850,159
Current Change Orders Prior Owner Purchase Orders Current Owner Purchase Orders Current Contract Sum to Date	(401,108) 205,923 \$1,631,392	(179,731) 2,027 \$ 1,752,237	(261,732) 83,952 \$ 1,443,191	\$ 2,321,339	(7,196,957) \$ 36,653,202
Previous Payments	1,538,316	1,752,237	1,232,224	874,734	25,553,587
Total Payments Balance			6 157,757 7 53,210	3 869,821	20 832,222 21 792,945 22 1,165,342
Owner Purchased Materials Retainage Payments Work completed Status	1,538,316 \$ 93,076	1,752,237 \$ 0	<u> </u>	1,744,554 \$ 576,785	23 1,552,687 29,896,783 \$ 6,756,419
	20,034 1,538,316 \$ 1,558,350 Active	1,752,237 \$ 1,752,237 Active	31,524 1,443,191 \$ 1,474,715 Active	72,173 1,744,554 \$ 1,816,727 Active	1,724,483 29,896,783 \$ 31,621,266 Active

	Command Center PO#6007669 LEE Construction Group, Inc. #PRJ-0012 MHS	MOB II Second Floor Pediatric Fit Out Thornton Construction Co. Inc. #800122 MHM	MOB Women Center PO#6006642 ANF Group, Inc. #450218 MHM	PO#6007171 Memorial Cancer Center Expansion DPR Construction #431019 MHW	PO#6007169 Hurricane Hardening Thornton Construction Co. #410121 MRHS
Original Contract Sum Prior Change Orders	\$ 1,021,046	Amount \$ 10,650,417	Amount \$ 35,067,236 (5,101,409)	Amount \$ 86,165,924 (15,571,906)	Amount \$ 13,613,113
Current Change Orders Prior Owner Purchase Orders Current Owner Purchase Orders Current Contract Sum to Date Previous Payments	\$ 1,021,046	(2,482,914) (688,233) \$ 7,479,269 7,479,269			
Total Payments Balance Owner Purchased Materials	1 126,358	11 0		36 116,911	20 91,035
Retainage Payments Work completed Status	126,358 \$ 894,687	7,479,269 \$0	27,791,202 \$ 1,424,624	65,323,070 \$ 4,878,585	11,437,776 \$ 283,391
	4,379 126,358 \$ 130,737 Active	7,479,269 \$7,479,269 Active	27,791,202 \$ 27,791,202 Active	101,027 65,323,070 \$ 65,424,097 Active	159,638 11,437,776 \$ 11,597,414 Active

#### SBHD Construction Projects Period Ending 1/31/2025

	PO#6007692	PO#6007446	SPS				PO#6007523		PO#6006728
	MOB II 3rd Floor	JDCH ER Roo	m		orial Cancer		ency Department	JDCH V	ertical Expansion
	Time Share Fit Out Thornton Construction Co.	Finishes	Inc		Institute		uma Center	Dobing	Martan Croup
	#830922	Engel Construction New #460423 (Old#4			Group, Inc. #401820		nstruction Company 222/PRJ00030	Robins	& Morton Group #460117
	#650922 MHM	JDCH	100120)	π	MHS	#4002	MRH		JDCH
	Amount	Amount		Am	nount				Amount
Original Contract Sum	\$ 2,148,948	3 \$ 1	,920,630	\$	3,318,036	\$	16,401,716	\$	108,993,259
Prior Change Orders			, ,		(396,184)		, ,		, ,
Current Change Orders							-		(6,106,416)
Prior Owner Purchase Orders	(320,239	9)	(178,677)		(110 505)		(1,858,812)		(15,113,925)
Current Owner Purchase Orders	\$ 1.828.709	<u> </u>	(9,805)	\$	(113,525)	<u></u>	14 542 004	\$	07 770 040
Current Contract Sum to Date	\$ 1,828,709	9 \$ 1	,732,147	Þ	2,808,327	\$	14,542,904	Ф	87,772,918
Previous Payments	1,530,85	,	742,894		2,808,328		8,159,636		87,772,918
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		10	157,629						
		11	196,777						
			178,511						
		13	132,954						
		14	196,312						
Total Payments		15	33,791	22	-	20	513,369	29	0
Balance		16	50,687			21	146,152		
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Payments	1,530,857		,732,147		2,808,328	24	9,879,795		87,772,918
Work completed	\$ 297,852		,102,147	\$	(0)	\$	4,663,109	\$	(0)
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	Active	Active			Active		Active		Active

Cell: AB34 Note: Morris, Valerie:

Turner Construction invoice#24 for \$309,170.12. Amount paid was \$328,101.15. Overpaid \$18,931.03.

IA spoke with AP and an Internal Credit Memo was added to the vendor's account in the amount of \$18,931.03 to be offset on the next invoice for this project.

RFPs	Current Phase - 3rd Quarter FY 2025	Audited Last Quarter	Audited Current Quarter	Exception
1 Tissue Tracking and Point of Use Technology Solution	Ranking & Selection	New	Receipt	None
2 Janitorial Services RFP	Ranking & Selection	Analysis	Analysis	None
3 Rewards and Recognition RFP	On Hold	Design	Design	None
4 Contact Center Augmentation RFP	Ranking & Selection	Receipt	Analysis	None
5 Parking Management Service	Ranking & Selection	Design	Receipt	None
6 Joint Replacement RFP	Analysis	New	Receipt	None
7 Clinical Engineering Computerized Maintenance Management System	Selection	Oral Presentation	Oral Presentation	None
8 Pest Control RFP	Analysis	Advertising & Mailing	Receipt	None
9 EPIC On-Premise to Azure RFP	Selection	Receipt	Analysis	None

Completed Competitive Quotes	Amount \$	Exceptions
1 Biplane Vascular Equipment With Three Year Service Agreement for MRH Radiology	1,482,497	None
2 Four Year Service Agreement for Cyber Knife System at Memorial Cancer Institute	1,412,000	None
3 Three Year Service Agreement for Windows Servers License Renewal for MHS Data Centers	1,274,843	None
4 Three Year Stretcher Program Repairs and Maintenance at MHW	1,253,913	None
5 Five Year Stretcher Program Repairs and Maintenance at MRH	1,182,497	None
6 Six Year Repair and Maintenance Service Agreement for Operating Room Equipment at MHW	747,500	None
7 Five Year Laboratory Reagents Standing Order for MRH	685,246	None
8 Five Year Stretcher Program Repairs and Maintenance at MHM	672,238	None
9 Dragon Medical One Upgrade for Inpatient Admissions Licenses MHS	512,399	None
10 Five Year Subscription Agreement for Satellite Television for MHS	497,116	None
11 Five Year Preventative Maintenance Beds and Stretchers for MHP	460,300	None
12 Bi Plane Room Equipment for Cardiac Catheterization at MRH	447,821	None
13 Furniture for Telemetry at MHM	442,233	None
14 Furniture for Community Youth Services Taft Street	332,964	None
15 Five Year Maintenance Service Agreement for Beds and Stretchers at MRHS	316,708	None
16 DocuSign eSignature Agreement Years Two & Three for MHS	298,463	None
17 Change Order for Reclaimed Water Expansion Project at MHM	260,928	None
18 Cardiology Stents Bulk Purchase for Cardiac Catherization at MHW	245,000	None
19 Maintence Support Renewal for Medical Devices for MHS	222,318	None
20 Five Months Janitorial Services at Memorial Manor	203,659	None
21 Thirteen Months HVAC Equipment Rental and Installation Services at MHP	182,000	None
22 Sixty One Month Subscription for Satellite Television at MRHS	176,167	None
23 Data Storage Subscription for MHS	174,097	None
24 Annual Software Maintenance of OnBase Information Management System for MHS	166,000	None
25 Three Year Fluorescense Imaging System Lease for JDCH	161,631	None
26 Three Year Fluorescense Imaging System Lease for MHW	161,631	None
27 Annual Epic Claims Data Integration Services for MHS	153,096	None
28 Two Year Technical Support Services Agreement for Sterile Processing Microsystem at MHS	152,295	None
29 Infusion Pumps with Point of Care Software for MHW	147,205	None
30 Four Month Integration Development Services for Issue Resolution of Construction Services eBuilder Software and GHX.	115,200	None

#### Memorial Healthcare System Investor Contact Log Fiscal Year 2025

Quarter: Ended	Contact:	Representing:	Discussion:
July 31,2024	Stephen Infranco	Standard & Poor's	Rating discusson
	Beth Wexler and Vanessa Chebli	Moody's	Rating discussion
October 31, 2024	Stephen Infranco	Standard & Poor's	Management change discussion.
,	Beth Wexler	Moody's	Management change discussion.
January 31, 2025	None		
April 30, 2025		-	

# Memorial Healthcare System Non Audit Engagement Report Q3 FY 2025

Quarter Ended	RSM US LLP Engagement:	
Q3 FY2025	For professional services rendered and expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of Form 990-T and quarterly estimates for the year ended April 30, 2024.	\$ 15,600
	For professional services rendered and expenses incurred in connection with advisory services related to 1099 mapping.	\$ 7,875
	Total	\$ 23,475
Q3 FY2024	Total spend, provided for comparative purpose	\$ 100,600

Quarter Ended	Zomma Group LLP Engagement:	
Q3 FY2025	For professional services rendered and expenses incurred in connection with Non Audit Engagements.	\$ -
Q3 FY2024	Total spend, provided for comparative purpose	\$ -

#### MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE WORK PLAN FISCAL YEAR 2026

#### SUMMARY

Budget       I.     INTERNAL AUDIT       RECURRING ANNUAL AUDITS     750       RECURRING QUARTERLY AUDITS     1,460	FY 2025 Budget 1,150 1,160	Mar 1, 2024 thru Feb 29, 2025 Actual 3,022
Budget       I.     INTERNAL AUDIT       RECURRING ANNUAL AUDITS     750       RECURRING QUARTERLY AUDITS     1,460	Budget 1,150	2025 Actual
I.       INTERNAL AUDIT         RECURRING ANNUAL AUDITS       750         RECURRING QUARTERLY AUDITS       1,460	1,150	
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	1,160	,
		873
INFORMATION SYSTEMS AUDITS 700	950	928
OTHER INTERNAL AUDITS 3,350	1,450	1,561
INTERNAL AUDIT TOTAL 6,260	4,710	6,383
II. COMPLIANCE		
FACILITY BILLING AUDITS 4.800	4,150	4,044
PROFESSIONAL BILLING AUDITS 2,400	1,810	3,488
FACILITY AND PROFESSIONAL BILLING AUDITS 2,400	600	5,400 631
OTHER COMPLIANCE AUDITS 1,230	800	2,019
COMPLIANCE AUDITS COMPLIANCE AUDIT TOTAL 8.830	7,360	10,181
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III. PRIVACY & SECURITY		
PRIVACY AUDITS 1,700	450	192
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SECURITY AUDITS 2,600	910	128
RISK MANAGEMENT 400		0
PATIENT'S RIGHTS 750		0
PRIVACY & SECURITY TOTAL 5,450	1,360	320
IV. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST 1,810	1,400	2,022
V. HOTLINE AND OTHER INVESTIGATIONS 3.000	1,400	1,100
	1,400	1,100
VI. ADMINISTRATIVE & OTHER 3,000	1,800	2,292
VII. PAID LEAVE 2,860	1,890	1,804
GRAND TOTAL 31,210	19,920	24,101

SUMMARY BY STAFFING								
	INTERNAL		PRIVACY	CONFLICTS	HOTLINE &	ADMIN &	PAID	
	AUDIT	COMPLIANCE	& SECURITY	OF INTEREST	INVESTIGATIONS	OTHER	LEAVE	TOTAL
CHIEF COMPLIANCE & INTERNAL AUDIT OFFICER	624	964	135	258	385	265	113	2,743
DIRECTOR OF COMPLIANCE	5	1,135	0	22	346	301	279	2,088
COMPLIANCE AUDITORS	3	3,379	0	0	168	303	401	4,253
COMPLIANCE AUDITOR - MPG	0	3,721	0	0	8	101	333	4,163
DIRECTOR OF INTERNAL AUDIT	1,824	14	33	0	6	22	150	2,048
SR DIRECTOR OF INTERNAL AUDIT	366	7	0	9	1	51	0	433
SENIOR INTERNAL AUDITOR	1,523	24	0	2	3	351	185	2,088
INTERNAL AUDITOR	1,295	27	0	18	29	597	144	2,110
SENIOR IT & PRIVACY AUDITOR	743	610	152	41	151	265	128	2,088
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST MANAGER	0	301	0	1,673	5	37	72	2,088
SENIOR DIRECTOR OF PRIVACY								
PRIVACY MANAGER								
SENIOR PRIVACY SPECIALIST								
PRIVACY SPECIALIST								
SENIOR PRIVACY ANALYST								
PRIVACY ANALYST								
PRIVACY TECHNICIAN								
TOTALS	6,383	10,181	320	2,022	1,100	2,292	1,804	24,101

#### I. INTERNAL AUDIT

I. <u>INTERN</u>	IAL AUDIT		Hours
	Α.	RECURRING ANNUAL AUDITS	750
		Pension Plan Annual audit of pension plan activity for compliance with plan document. Audit of Contributions.	200
		RSM Annual Audit Assist RSM with annual financial audit.	550
	В.	RECURRING QUARTERLY AUDITS	1,460
		Construction Audit of construction disbursements for all projects with an estimated cost of \$1,000,000 or greater.	200
		RFPs and Competitive Quotes Audit to determine that all Requests for Proposal (RFPs) and Competitive Quotes are conducted according to System policies.	200
		Leases Audit to determine that all Leases are conducted according to System policies. Verify inventory, policies and procedures that include leasing policy, FMV policy, Rent Collection Policy, Space Measurement Policy, Real Estate Document policy, type of policy (from triple net to full service gross leases), base rate, rent table, competitive analysis report, documentation of the referral sources and the commercial reasonableness of the transactions.	200
		RSM Non Audit Engagements Identify and report to the Audit and Compliance Committee all RSM engagements that are not related to their main audit activities.	60
		Board and CEO Travel & Expenses Audit to determine that all travel and entertainment expenses incurred by Board members and President and CEO are consistent with System policies.	200
		Government Relations Department Expenses and Travel Reimbursement Audit to determine that the quarterly departmental expenses and travel reimbursements incurred by members of the Governmental Affairs Department are consistent with System policies.	200
		Employee Travel Expenses and Reimbursement Audit to determine that the quarterly travel and entertainment expenses incurred by all Memorial Healthcare System employees, including employed physicians, are consistent with System policies.	400
	C.	INFORMATION SYSTEMS AUDITS	700
		Assistance Provided to Protiviti Coordinate and review services provided by Protiviti.	200
		Audit Workpaper Software Maintenance of the Audit Department management system, including the development of automated reports and management response process, development of risk assessments, updates to project program steps, and create and maintain audit summary dashboard.	300
		Pharmacy Concierge Follow up Determine whether the MHM PCS Program adheres to the Pharmacy Concierge Service policies and procedures, obtains patient choice to fill the Rx to maintain proper continuity of care, and takes necessary steps to collect the minimum amount of data while maintaining privacy and security.	200

#### I. INTERNAL AUDIT

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D.	OTHER INTERNAL AUDITS	3,350
	Non-Monetary Compensation to Contracted Physicians Determine whether non-monetary compensation are provided to physicians for medical staff incidental benefits that can include meals, parking, and items or incidental services. Verify that an inventory of non-monetary compensation and benefits exists.	300
	Supply Chain Evaluate the supply chain governance, risk management and control processes appropriately reduce operations costs, increase competitive advantage, and inventory sole source providers, and verify supplier selection process ensures that they provide quality goods and services, timely delivery and follow up on delays, have strong cybersecurity controls, have service level audits, and are held to ethical standards.	400
	Employee Travel Expenses and Reimbursement Complete audit of travel expense and reimbursement for employees since fiscal year 2023 to current to verify employee travel and expenses were approved by their leader and reimbursement followed the travel policy's internal controls that include lodging, airfare, meals, and other expenses recorded on the appropriate expense forms and were submitted with supporting documentation, such as receipts and other proof of payment.	400
	District Labs Manage outside internal audit firm to assess the processes for supplies and availability, medication reconciliation, and capturing medication errors. Identify where in the process tests are charged, evaluate the timeliness and accuracy of the test and the need for retesting at all laboratory locations. Joint audit with the nurses for "medical necessity".	400
	Property Management (off-site facilities/non-hospitals and MOBs) Manage outside internal audit firm to assess the management of general maintenance and special requests for items such as painting, mold mitigation, social distancing set up, etc. Perform minor maintenance such as changing light bulbs and AC filters. Hospital facility departments will have the same level of risk. The hospital facility departments report through the hospitals.	200
	Drug Procurement Process Review the controls in the drug procurement process. Evaluate the adequacy of internal controls to manage the purchasing, receiving, approval and payments to MHS's pharmaceutical drug vendors. McKesson invoice approval within the "McKesson Connect" portal. No approval limits within that portal for MHS approvers. Invoices paid without approval, overpayments.	300
	Workday Approval Routing Procurement and Payments Evaluate the extent of the WD approval routing deviations from the MHS approval matrix for purchase orders and invoices. AP invoice routing issue identified during RSM interim testing. Purchase requisition routing issue identified during quarterly competitive bids review.	300
	Business Intelligence Review and validate the financial data that is being used for business decisions by Executives. Assess the role this function plays in decision making.	300
	Strategic Financial Support Evaluate strategic planning process for the requirements for accomplishing the vision and the steps to get there.	250
	AR Management Front end process at Manor, MPG, Urgent Care, and MPG and the back end process Corporate.	250
	Accounts Payable Review of MHS invoices with credit balances associated with purchase order line items. Determine if MHS is appropriately capturing credit balances to offset payment amounts. Issue was identified during quarterly review of construction payment applications.	250

INTERNAL AUDIT TOTAL

6,260

Hours

		Hours
Α.	FACILITY BILLING AUDITS	4,800
	DRG Coding Conduct coding audits of MS-DRGs that have been nationally identified as subject to manipulation. Determine whether the services provided were medically necessary. Audit the coding process to determine that the assignment of DRGs is appropriate and reasonable.	300
	APCs & Outpatient Services Conduct coding audits that have been nationally identified as subject to manipulation. Determine whether the services provided were medically necessary. Audit to determine whether issues of medical necessity, diagnosis and procedure coding, and bundling and unbundling of services relating to the outpatient prospective payment system are properly handled.	300
	Medicaid Services Determine whether the services are medically necessary. Determine whether the services are billed according to Medicaid guidelines.	200
	340B Drug Pricing Program - Hospital Determine whether the patients are appropriate candidates. Determine if the provider is 340B eligible. Audit for potentially abusive practices, such as duplicate discounts. Audit to determine adequacy of documentation. Determine if the location is an eligible location.	400
	340B Drug Pricing Program - Contract Pharmacies Determine whether the patients are appropriate candidates. Determine if the provider is 340B eligible. Audit for potentially abusive practices, such as duplicate discounts. Audit to determine adequacy of documentation. Determine if the location is an eligible location.	400
	340B Drug Pricing Program - External Contract Pharmacies Determine whether the patients are appropriate candidates. Determine if the provider is 340B eligible. Audit for potentially abusive practices, such as duplicate discounts. Audit to determine adequacy of documentation. Determine if the location is an eligible location.	400
	New Programs and Services Determine whether issues of medical necessity, diagnosis and procedure coding, and bundling and unbundling of services relating to new programs are properly handled. Includes Comprehensive Stroke Designation at MHW, RN Fellowship Program, LDL Pheresis at JDCH (see Plasmology under partnership), Manor Insourcing Pharmacy Services, Pharmacist Led Medication Management MRH, Laboratory downtime process, Hospital at Home at MHW & MRH and expected patient population - Medicare FFS and MEHP, MHW Operating Room LeanTAAS System documentation, coding and billing audit (IT audit if iQueue system under IT Security Audits) , MPC division is the City of Hollywood clinic, Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS) at Outpatient Behavioral Health (Started seeing patient July 2024), OBGYN has since added a new procedure and equipment (MPC), UCC seeing babies 6 months and older (as of November, 1, 2024), NICU Level 3 at MHM & MHW - JDCH was able to begin charging Level 4 and MHW/MHM (see Facility and Professional Billing Audits section), and Sport Rehab clinic on Hollywood Blvd, JDCH (since August 2024).	800
	Total Heart Center and Adult Congenital Heart Disease Program Audit for potentially abusive practices such as upcoding; examine for adequacy of patient record documentation.	200
	Clinical Trials Audit to assess program safeguards related to clinical trial claim processing requirements. Audit to assess that payment only includes items and services that Medicare would otherwise have covered if they were not provided in the context of a clinical trial.	200
	Pain Management Audit to assess that the pain management program to ensure adherence to relevant regulations, ethical guidelines, and best practices, verify medical necessity is appropriately documented and coded, and accounts are properly documented, coded and billed according to Local Coverage Determination as well as Medicare and Medicaid requirements.	200
	Partial Compliance Risk Assessment Evaluate consequences of leadership changes on identify areas internal control, evaluate potential compliance risks to possible outcomes, and prioritize legal and regulatory risks based on	200

potential compliance risks to possible outcomes, and prioritize legal and regulatory risks based on the severity of possible operational, legal, and financial damage associated with each.

<u>II.</u>	COMPLIANCE	Hours
	Memorial/Moffitt Cancer Program Audit to ensure all policies, care plans, and other documentation are in order, medication adherence rates are monitored; examine for adequacy of patient record documentation. Audit for potentially abusive practices such as upcoding; examine for adequacy of patient record documentation.	200
	Florida Parental Consent Law CMO of JDCH reported needed education for a general consent signed a foster parent who has no authority. Verify new Florida Parental Consent Law process is documented and procedures to follow to avoid misdemeanor of the first degree for physicians and other health care providers to provide medical services to a minor without first obtaining written parental consent. See Florida HB 241 at https://www.flsenate.gov/Committees/BillSummaries/2021/html/2475	200
	Regulatory Audits Conduct audits that determine whether we are following the rules which allow us to be Medicare and Medicaid providers, such as, the Medicare Outpatient Observation Notice, the Important Message from Medicare, the Detailed Notice of Discharge, signage, Pregnancy Termination after 15 weeks, and the new Medicare Change of Status Notice (MCSN) effective 2/14/25, etc.	200
	Medicare Administrative Contractor Comparative Billing Reports Conduct audits to review First Coast Service Options, Inc. letters of utilization units and dollars paid, average number of units and dollars paid as compared to our peer group to identify opportunities to refine Medicare billing and utilization.	200
	Partnerships and Outside Services Programs Conduct audits that determine whether we are following the rules which allow us to be Medicare and Medicaid providers with our partnerships and outside services, including HOPCo, Janus Health, Inc, Plasmology4, Inc. ICHOR Vascular, Inc, CaringWays, Inc ScriptDrop, Inc. and ProRank, Inc.	200
	New CARF Standards Review to ensure the corporate compliance CARF policies have been adopted by leadership, policies and procedures address exclusions, compliance officer monitors, conducts risk assessments implements an annual work plan, reports on matters pertaining to the compliance program, trains personnel on compliance, and conduct internal audits.	200
	B. PROFESSIONAL BILLING AUDITS	2,400
	Coding and Billing Practices of Employed Physicians Audit for potentially abusive practices such as upcoding; examine for adequacy of patient record documentation, include telehealth reviews and teach physician services for Hospitalists, Pediatric GI Program, Pulmonary, Pediatric Cardiac, Gastroenterology, Infectious Disease, Otolaryngology, Thoracic Surery, and Vascular Surgery.	2,400
	C. FACILITY AND PROFESSIONAL BILLING AUDITS	400
	Medical Necessity, Coding and Billing Audits for Hospital and MPG Audit for compliance with Medicare and Medicaid requirements for medical record documentation of medical necessity, diagnosis and procedure coding, and medication adherence for both technical component and professional components in programs such as Bariatric/Weight-Loss Program, Chronic Care Pediatrics, and NICU III at MHM.	400
	D. OTHER COMPLIANCE AUDITS	1,230
	Evaluation of Corporate Compliance Program Self Assessment Determine that the Compliance Program effectively articulates and demonstrates the organization's commitment to the compliance process and ethical business practices, a culture that promotes prevention, detection and resolution of conduct that does not conform to Federal and State laws.	300
	CCP Network Perform the function of compliance committee member at the Community Care Plan.	30
	Excluded Party Searches Perform annual searches of all employees, physicians, non staff physicians, non physician practitioners, traveling nurses, students, volunteers, vendors and vendor principles to ensure that	200

practitioners, traveling nurses, students, volunteers, vendors and vendor principles to ensure that none have been excluded from participation in federal programs.

II. COMPLIANCE	Hours
Compliance Policies and Procedures Update standard practices, systemwide policies and procedures, and departmental policies and procedures. Audit to determine whether the Compliance Program and Privacy Program policies and procedures are being followed.	1,000
COMPLIANCE AUDIT TOTAL	8,830

Α.	PRIVACY AUDITS	1,700
	Privacy Technical Issues	100
	Participation in the management of Privacy Technical issues including log management and development, remote and system access, software application privacy compliance, investigation tools, and privacy monitoring.	
	Population Health Services Assess the current policies and procedures for this program to determine whether it meets the objectives and is consistent with the privacy and security standards. Audit approach would be validating any key indicators, reportable statistics on productivity, efficiency, and resource allocation, etc. Source - www.CDC.gov/POPhealthtraining/what is Population Health	150
	General Data Protection Regulation Review patients and employees for residence in the European Union and evaluate privacy requirements are met to ensure data protections at rest and transit, use and disclosure, and data retention meet the requirements of GDPR.	150
	Break the Glass Evaluate a sample of the break the glass report for escalated access to ePHI for appropriateness.	150
	HIPAA ROI to Law Enforcement Determine whether appropriate use or disclosure to law enforcement complies with the requirements under HIPAA and verify disclosures were limited to the relevant circumstances under which law enforcement may access patient health information.	200
	Health Information Management Assess the vendor compliance of contracted entity for the records release function to ensure the vendor follows Memorial policies and procedures for release of information, is compliant with contractual obligation, and adheres to all privacy requirements including HIPAA privacy and security requirements of protected health information. Verify appropriate legal medical record	200
	Business Associate Contracts Verify that MHS has an active contract and Business Associate Agreement (BAA) with vendors or contracted entities that will have a BAA where there is a risk that contracted entity will access to PHI, PII, or sensitive information or where there is reasonably cause to believe that PHI, PII, or sensitive information will be incidentally or otherwise disclosure to them.	150
	Privacy Rule Requirements for Group Health Plans Assess compliance with 164.504(f) Uses and Disclosures Standard for Group Health Plans self- insured maintain a separation that ensures only those employees with a plan-related need access to PHI for plan administrative functions are permitted access to the plans PHI, including payment and health care operations activities performed by employees of the employer.	200
	Right of Access Obtain and review access requests that were granted and denied to ensure process followed policies and procedures, access was fulfilled in the form and format requested if able to produce in the requested format, that response was in a timely manner (30 days), fee charged met reasonable requirements of 164.524(c)(4) and denied PHI was excluded per §164.524(d)(1)	200
	HIPAA Walk Throughs Walk through selected departments at each facility to ensure employees adhere to privacy requirements and provide education to workforce.	200
В.	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SECURITY AUDITS	2,600
	Ransomware Readiness Evaluate effectiveness of controls to mitigate ransomware attacks at the Memorial Healthcare System network perimeter.	150
	IQueue OR Scheduling Access Review Verify required security guardrails have been implemented with a community accessible Operating Room Scheduling application.	150
	Identity and Access Management Evaluate access controls as employees and vendors change roles within Memorial Healthcare System.	150
	Transmission Security Review electronic transmission of ePHI, verify a mechanism to encrypt the ePHI was implemented appropriately, to include email, texting, application sessions, FTP, remote backups, remote access and support sessions (VPN) and web conferencing.	250

	Epic Slicer/Dicer Level 2 Monitoring Review Epic Slicer/Dicer default Level 2 access to all MHS users, which is unmonitored, does not present an elevated risk.	150
	Privacy and Security of Voice Recognition Drives Available in Patient Rooms Review Opt In/Opt Out procedures of voice recognition devices available in patient rooms along with the data retention/activation of conversations held within range of such devices.	150
	Risk Management Framework Review the standards and guidelines for assessing and managing risks, which include setting objectives, establishing principles for corrective actions, identifying threats and vulnerabilities, analyzing the impact that PHI, PII and sensitive information losses may have and developing criteria for accepting risk levels.	200
	Emergency Preparedness Assess emergency response procedures to mitigate environmental emergency situations related to geographic areas, care-related emergencies, equipment and power failures, communications interruptions, loss of all or a portion of the facility, loss of all or a portion of supplies. Evaluate management controls, business impact analysis, emergency plan for continued operations, and recovery plan. https://www.cms.gov/medicare/health-safety-standards/quality-safety-oversight- emergency-preparedness/core-ep-rule-elements	400
	Florida Off-Shore Storage of eHealth Records Review compliance of new Florida law requiring all patient data storage is physically held within the United States.	200
	Smart Patient Rooms	400
	MRHS is piloting a smart room solution allowing patients to use voice technology to request medical or physical assistance. Review controls to ensure that patient information remains secured at rest and in transit, is properly disposed of, personal and unintended patient conversations are not to be stored, and meet the ADA requirements.	
	Governance Policies, Processes, and Procedures Evaluate whether the MHS formalized and published System Development Life Cycle (SDLC) policy requires and uses a well-documented system(s) development life cycle framework, has been reviewed and received approval from MHS security and privacy teams in all application development and enhancement projects.	200
	Data Processing Policies, Processes, and Procedures Review the process of developing policies and procedures to ensure that the data review transfer, sharing or disclosure, alternation, and deletion of non-PHI and sensitive data stored and processed by the organization, including plans for access and management of website analytics, data, data lifecycle policy or guidelines, cookies management policy and procedures allow individuals to control their privacy preferences when browsing MHS websites. Review to verify the current Risk Management and Risk Analysis policy includes non-PHI personal data collected, used for analytics, and processed in routine reviews for privacy risk, particularly marketing data from MHS Websites, verify risk tolerance levels have been established to align with the organization's objectives and privacy requirements, and have developed procedures to review population subsets against model outcomes and through common bias assessment solutions.	200
C.	RISK MANAGEMENT	400
	Risk Management Framework Review the standards and guidelines for assessing and managing risks, which include setting objectives, establishing principles for corrective actions, identifying threats and vulnerabilities, analyzing the impact that PHI, PII and sensitive information losses may have and developing criteria for accepting risk levels.	200
	Inventory and Mapping	200
	Manage the update process for the MHS Application Inventory of PCI, PII, PHI data classifications to include an additional classification of who the data belongs to e.g., patients, employees or prospective employees, contractors. Ensure criticality tiers are defined across inventory maintenance standards and related program documentation to ensure consistency and accuracy of the information available in the Application Inventory to better prioritization mechanisms and inform business process owners and stakeholders of risk management decisions.	
D.	PATIENT'S RIGHTS	750
	Right of Access to Medical Records Investigate allegations of patient's denied right of access to their medical records within a timely manner, and provide written notification to patients.	150

Process patient requests for amendments to their medical records, present potential denials to the Privacy Subcommittee for approval, and provide written notification to patients.	
Request for Restrictions Process patient requests to restrict their medical records, present potential denials to the Privacy Subcommittee for approval, and provide written notification to patients.	100
Accounting of Disclosures Process patient requests for an accounting of disclosures of their medical records, present potential denials to the Privacy Subcommittee for approval, and provide the accounting of disclosure or denial notification in writing to patients.	150
Notice of Privacy Practices Prepare, update, and ensure the Notice of Privacy Practices is up to date and complies with the HIPAA requirements to inform the patient how MHS uses and disclosures patient protected health information, how MHS secures their protected information and maintains their privacy, and informs patient of their rights to complain to Health and Human Services and to MHS if they believe the privacy rights have been violated.	50
Notice of Breach of PHI Notify patient of any breach of their unsecured medical records when there is reason to believe the PHI has been accessed, acquired, used, or disclosed without authorization. Furthermore, notify the Secretary of small breaches of unsecured protected health information by March 1 of the following calendar year and breach of 500 or more individuals within 60 days and notify the State of Florida Department of Legal Affairs within 30 days.	150
PRIVACY & SECURITY TOTAL	5,450

INFLICTS OF INTEREST CONFLICTS MANAGEMENT	Hours
CONFLICTS MANAGEMENT	1,810
Distribution and Analysis mitigated. Determine that the risks of purchase schemes, kickbacks, bid rigging, etc. are mitigated.	900
Training Program Provide training throughout the organization about conflicts, how and when to disclose potential conflicts, and make available on the MHS LMS Aspire.	200
Policies Adherence Verify policy compliance policies for identification, evaluations and mitigation of potential and possible conflicts of interest.	200
Conflicts Management Application Development Work with Information Technology Application Development to drive the enhancements of the current Conflicts of Interest System to send, receive, and store workforce communications, to allow the user to use their prior year's disclosure when there has been no change to the disclosed conflict from year to year, to include a new template for the Physician Outside Activities Form with the same capabilities as the Conflicts of Interest system, and to have the COI Subcommittee documentations in the application.	200
Subcommittee with Conflicts Evaluation and Risk Instrument Process Conflict decision-tree flowchart, verify members of the COI Subcommittee have been training and complete the risk evaluations for each conflict of interest disclosed. Provide training on applicable laws and regulations related to the disclosed conflict, standardize tools and processes to mitigate conflicts, fielding questions and requests for additional information, coordination of Subcommittee votes and mitigation requirements. Implement updated and new software, including contracting, roll-out, training, and maintenance.	310
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST TOTAL	1,810
TLINE AND OTHER INVESTIGATIONS	
Hotline Investigate and respond to compliance hotline calls.	700
Privacy Investigate and respond to Privacy Reports of inappropriate access, Fairwarning co-worker snooping, VIP, break or bump the glass and other reports, Data Loss Prevention reports, HIE monitoring reports, and other reports	700
Internal Reports Investigate and respond to Internal Reports of suspected noncompliance.	700
Document Requests Document requests, audit, review, and response to HHS OIG, OCR, CMS, FCSO, RAC, TPE, UPIC SMRC, CERT, and any other scheduled or ad hoc audits.	600
Contract and License Reviews Evaluate contracts and license agreements to ensure compliance with CMS, Florida Statute on conflicts of interest, HIPAA and FIPA privacy and data security requirements.	300
INVESTIGATIONS TOTAL	3,000
MINISTRATIVE & OTHER	
Compliance, Internal Audit, Conflicts of Interest, Privacy Training and Development Includes New Employee Orientation, Leadership Essentials, Management Updates, Compliance Working Committee, Physician Compliance Training, HIPAA training, and Inservice sessions as needed.	2,200
Administrative and Other Includes special projects, meetings, etc. Includes Credit Union	800

#### A. ANNUAL IT SECURITY AUDITS

A. ANNUAL IT SECURITY AUDITS	Firm
	Protiviti e the security posture and risk exposures of external dentify information security system issues. Conduct Prescribing and Patient Medical Records.
evaluate the risk the organization faces if an att	Protiviti ansomware attack vectors, would be performed to acker, malicious code, or internal employee were to rom the inside, otherwise bypassing external network
Internal Vulnerability Assessment Conduct an annual scan to identify and evaluate MHS environments and to identify information se	Protiviti e the security posture and risk exposures of internal curity system issues.

В.	NEW IT SECURITY AUDITS	Firm
	Vendor Risk Delegation Protiviti will perform evaluation of rules and policies adopted to manage the risks of delegating responsibility to vendors and related entities of first tier, downstreatm, and related entities.	Protiviti
	Data Governance This review will include follow up on control of the effective data management and governance with an increased focus on data commercialization and interoperability.	Protiviti
	Application Review (i.e. Population Health, Telehealth) Protiviti will assist MHS to evaluate the system and security controls of Population Health and telehealth solutions, including an evaluation of the databases, servers, and infrastructure that support the applications, access management, and data governance.	Protiviti
	Incident Response Program Assessment Assess Information Technology Incident Response Program against industry best practices and standards to identify potential risks and vulnerabilities, measure maturity, forensic capabilities, and lessons learned process.	Protiviti
	NIST's Artifical Intelligence Framework Assess the business processes, policies and technologies that facilitates AI and consier the development of organizational AI management frameworks to suppport appropriate risk coverage.	Protiviti
	Life Sciences Measure against current transparency and explainability in artificial intelligence in the interpretable models and detailed documentaiton that are vital for regulatory compliance.	Protiviti
	International Privacy Evaluate the process to ensure privacy program is compliant with the GDPR and EU AI act that has influenced global data protection strategies. In addition, evaluate the readiness of the organization's privacy program as it relates to the American Privacy Rights Act of 2024 and read for any future changes.	Protiviti

INTERNAL & COMPLIANCE AUDITS	Firm
District Labs	TBD
Assess the processes for supplies and availability, medication reconciliation, and capturing medication errors. Identify where in the process tests are charged, evaluate the timeliness and accuracy of the test and the need for retesting at all laboratory locations. Maybe a joint audit with the nurses for "medically necessary". In Hallandale and is the same as the individual labs in regards to risk.	
Property Management (off-site facilities/non-hospitals and MOBs)	TBD
Managing general maintenance and special requests for items such as painting, mold mitigation,	

social distancing set up, etc. Perform minor maintenance such as changing light bulbs and AC filters. Hospital facility departments will have the same level of risk. The hospital facility departments report through the hospitals.

#### VII. WORK PERFORMED BY OUTSIDE AUDIT FIRMS

Cancer Institute Risk Assessment TBD Identify and assess the likelihood and potential impact of operational risks to the organization and evaluate how adequate controls are in reduing risk to ensure that residual risk is at a manageable level. Pharmacy PPP Regular quarterly audits to determine medication adherence **Physician Agreements Nelson Mullins** Broad & Cassel Determine whether Physician Agreements, including lease agreements, are in compliance with federal regulations. Verify that the work being performed and the payments being made are in accordance with an executed and current contract. **Evaluation of Corporate Compliance Programs RFP** Process Determine that the Compliance Program effectively articulates and demonstrates the organization's commitment to the compliance process and ethical business practices, a culture that promotes prevention, detection and resolution of conduct that does not conform to Federal and State laws. Memorial Manor PYA Assess the Memorial Manor to ensure appropriate processes are in place to ensure that infection prevention, meeting the regulatory requirements for quality, life safety, and emergency preparedness, and meet accreditation and the CMS and State skilled nursing facility requirements. Transplant Program TBD

Determine transplant program policies and procedures align with regulatory requirements and data reporting, and coding and billing are appropriate.



To:	Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
Date:	December 12 2024
From:	David Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer MHS
	Saul Kredi, Vice President, Chief Supply Chain Officer, MHS
Subject:	Action Plan: INTERNAL AUDIT OF REQUIREMENTS FOR REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) AT MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend Supply Chain Management (SCM) continue to work on revising the RFP Standard Practice.	We are going to work with Legal on creating a comprehensive Procurement Guideline and in conjunction with that, we will also revise the RFP Standard Practice.	8/1/2025
We recommend SCM establish standardized documentation of sole source vendors to include market research analysis and approval of the competitive bid exemption.	We will draft a policy to document this process.	8/1/2025
We recommend SCM maintain documentation to support the selection of all vendors and consultants for contracted services.	Training new staff on documentation of selection of all vendors is in process in conjunction with the sole source vendor policy. We will also be providing on-going education to the organization on sourcing products, services, and equipment as a refresher.	8/1/2025
We recommend SCM continue to review contracts near the end	Supply Chain will continue this practice. In addition, we will	8/1/2025

of term to determine the value		
and feasibility of rebidding the	any agreements that require	
products or services.	extension.	



To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS

Date: December 10, 2024

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From: Dave Smith, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, MHS

Subject: Action Plan: INTERNAL AUDIT OF FACILITIES MANAGEMENT AT MHS

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that the Facilities Management Directors work with the Construction Services Department to update the Standard Practice of Construction Services to align with the Facilities Matrix and acceptable practices.	Construction Services will update the Construction Services Standard Practice in collaboration with MHS Facilities Directors, Supply Chain Management and MHS CFO, ensuring alignment with Facilities Matrix and current practices.	June 1, 2025
We recommend that a policy and procedure is drafted specifically for Facilities Management department to address vendor selection, documentation of preferred vendors and vendors with exclusive products and services, Facilities Matrix, Purchase Order (PO) requirements and exceptions, vendor selection documentation in Workday, and vendor rotation.	MHS Facilities Directors, Construction Services and Supply Chain Management will develop a policy and procedure that address the Facilities Matrix requirements, including all necessary references to approvals, vendor selection, sole sourcing of vendors, ordering, verification and documentation requirements. MHS CFO will evaluate the need for vendor rotation requirements to include in said policy, if any.	June 1, 2025

We recommend that the Facilities Management team collaborate with Supply Chain Management and Accounts Payable to ensure that PO invoices are not paid as non- POs, to ensure that the open PO management control in place is effective.	Supply Chain Management & Accounts Payable department will develop a process to improve invoice and PO line item matching prior to invoice approvals at the entity level, and a reporting process for open PO line items that enables monitoring at the individual entity level.	June 1, 2025
	Requirement to utilize POs and confirm non-PO invoices will be addressed in Facilities Matrix policy and procedure being developed.	



To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS

**Date:** January 6, 2025



From: Jeffrey Sturman, Senior Vice President and Chief Digital Officer

#### Subject: Action Plan: INTERNAL AUDIT OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE GOVERNANCE AT MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that AI best practices be developed and established to provide guidance on AI acceptable uses within the healthcare system.	Draft guidance document is complete. We are in the process of getting feedback from stakeholders and will have it published in policyStat.	3/31/2025
We recommend a policy that provides guidance for governing, mapping, measuring, and managing AI risks at MHS.	IT is working on developing governance group. Which will be part of data and analytics governance group. We should have a charter and measures to mitigate AI risks at MHS	9/30/2025



- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- Date: February 25, 2025

From: Joseph Stuczynski, Chief Executive Officer, MHW Katherine Wong, Chief Financial Officer, MHW

Subject: Action Plan: COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF THE 340B PROGRAM AT MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM (MHS) - FY 2025 THIRD QUARTER

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend nursing leadership to reeducate the staff on verbal/telephone orders as per MHS policies.	Tips and Educations for Nursing leaders has been shared with MHW Nursing leadership on 2- 26-2025.	4/1/2025
	Nursing Managers have been huddling to their respective teams.	
We recommend nursing leadership to develop, implement, and monitor a process/workflow to ensure that the MHS policy on "Medication Overrides" is followed.	Epic Workbench report was created for MHW Nursing Leadership, and the Pharmacy Operations Manager is currently validating to ensure data is capturing the information correctly. Pharmacy Operations Manager is working with Director of Nursing, Lotta Tall to review and identify opportunities for reducing non-emergent overrides.	Overall estimated completion date: 4/1/2025 for the new report with the other action items already completed and implemented.
	The Clinical Pharmacists at MHW are now running the report 3-4 times daily to capture in real time and have the nurse	

enter the corresponding telephone/verbal order.	



To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS

**Date:** February 25, 2025

From: Philoron Wright, Chief Executive Officer, MRHS David Webb, Chief Financial Officer, MRHS Down Webl

Subject: Action Plan: COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF THE 340B PROGRAM AT MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM (MHS)- FY 2025 THIRD QUARTER

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend nursing leadership to reeducate the staff on verbal/telephone orders as per MHS policies.	Nursing education regarding verbal/telephone orders starting April 1 <sup>st</sup>	4/30/25
We recommend nursing leadership to develop, implement, and monitor a process/workflow to ensure that the MHS policy on "Medication Overrides" is followed.	Nursing and Pharmacy to develop an audit process for Medication overrides. Ongoing auditing for 3 months starting 5/1/25	7/1/2025



- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- Date: March 3, 2025
- From: Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MRH Walter Bussell, Chief Financial Officer, MRH W.Butter
- Subject: Action Plan: COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF THE DOCUMENTATION AND BILLING OF THE MEDICARE-SEVERITY DIAGNOSIS RELATED GROUP (MS-DRG) 207 and MS-DRG 208 AT MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that Health Information Management continue to provide education to coding staff on respiratory failure and calculating mechanical ventilation hours by including MS-DRG 207 and 208 routinely in their regular audits for coding.	HIM will monitor respiratory failure and mechanical ventilation hours by including DRGs 207 & 208 in routine coding audits. Education for coding respiratory failure and calculating ventilation hours is available for staff to review and refresher will be provided for coding staff. Additionally, HIM has collaborated with Respiratory Therapy to ensure hours for mechanical ventilation is appropriately documented in EPIC.	Routine auditing will be ongoing and refresher education will be completed by 5/31/2025.



- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- Date: March 13,2025

From: Aurelio Fernandez, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MRH Walter Bussell, Chief Financial Officer, MRH

#### Subject: Action Plan COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF DOCUMENTATION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES IN THE HEMATOLOGY ONCOLOGY INPATIENT DEPARTMENT AT MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend reeducating the Registered Nurses (RN) on the "Medication Administration - Policy Statement" and "Scheduling Medications Administration".	<ul> <li>Leadership will conduct a thorough review during huddle and staff meeting of the "Medication Administration-Policy Statement" and "Scheduling Medication Administration" to ensure all key points and updates are clearly identifying timely removal and administration of medication from automated dispensing cabinet (ADC).</li> <li>Unit leadership will utilize the audit provided by pharmacy to inspect compliance and follow up with staff accordingly. Pharmacy audit tool includes undocumented waste and narcotic discrepancies.</li> <li>Policy review and sign in sheet will be returned to Corporate Compliance to validate completion of action plan on or by April 18, 2025</li> </ul>	April 18, 2025
We recommend reeducating RNs to include supporting documentation on the Medication Administration Record for the	<ul> <li>Leadership will conduct a thorough review during huddle and staff meeting of the "Medication Administration- Policy Statement" and</li> </ul>	April 18, 2025

reason the total dose removed was wasted.	"Scheduling Medication Administration" focusing on the proper procedure for documenting medication waste, including the requirements to specify the reason for the waste and accurately reflect this in the medication administration
	<ul> <li>Unit leadership will utilize the audit provided by pharmacy to inspect compliance and follow up with staff accordingly. Pharmacy audit tool includes undocumented waste and narcotic discrepancy.</li> </ul>

cc: Shane Strum, Interim Chief Executive Officer, MHS

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- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- **Date:** February 11, 2025
- **From:** Mario Salceda-Cruz, Chief Operating Officer, MPG Esther Surujon, Chief Financial Officer, MPG
- Subject: Action Plan: COMPLIANCE AUDIT FOR UROLOGY EVALUATION AND MANAGEMENT AND PROCEDURES FOR MEMORIAL PHYSICIAN GROUP PROFESSIONAL CODING AND BILLING

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that MPG Business Office correct and rebill or refund accounts as appropriate.	Account refunded	03/31/2025
We recommend that the Administrative Director of Urology coordinate with the Auditor of Coding Compliance Education to conduct a reeducation session for the providers on documentation guidelines, requirements for telehealth, and to have the providers re-review the MPG Copy and Paste Policy	Auditor of Coding Compliance/Education will conduct a reeducation session for the Urology providers on documentation guidelines, requirements for telehealth, and copy and paste.	05/30/2025

cc: Shane Strum, Interim President and CEO, MHS



- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- **Date:** March 12, 2025
- **From:** Mario Salceda-Cruz, Chief Operating Officer, MPG Esther Surujon, Chief Financial Officer, MP
- Subject: Action Plan: COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY EVALUATION AND MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR MEMORIAL PHYSICIAN GROUP PROFESSIONAL CODING AND BILLING

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that Memorial Physician Group (MPG) Business Office correct and rebill or refund accounts as appropriate.	MPG Business Office will correct and rebill or refund accounts as appropriate.	04/30/2025
We recommend that the MPG Business Office reeducate providers on medical record documentation, coding, and billing to support medical necessity and services billed.	Auditor of Coding Compliance/Education will conduct a reeducation session for the providers on documentation guidelines, coding, and billing to support medical necessity and service billed.	05/30/2025



- To: Denise DiCesare, Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, MHS
- Date: February 14, 2025
- From: Felicia Turnley, Chief Executive Officer, MHP J. Humley Patrick Connor, Chief Financial Officer, MHP DC and
- Subject: Action Plan: FOLLOW-UP COMPLIANCE AUDIT OF THE IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM MEDICARE (IM) NOTICE AT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PEMBROKE

Attached is our Action Plan, which identifies the steps which will be taken to address the recommendations made in the above referenced audit.

Recommendations	Response/Action Plan	Estimated Completion Date
We recommend that the Patient Financial Services (PFS) management continue to provide ongoing reeducation to staff on Medicare requirements of providing the initial IM including the required timeframe, necessary required documentation and ensure that the IM is maintained in the patient's medical records.	Staff education to be completed during huddles and via e-mail communication for those unable to attend. Reviewed during annual performance review of competencies individually with staff assigned to visit patients in the EDs and on patient floors. Training session during Team Lead meeting on 04/14/25. Staff Meeting training scheduled for 04/21/25 and 04/25/25.	03/31/25 Annually 04/30/25
We recommend the PFS management continue to perform regular prospective reviews on Medicare and Medicare advantage inpatient accounts to ensure compliance with the completion of Medicare requirements.	PFS Managers will audit 50 IMM accounts for compliance monthly.	March 31,2025 and monthly thereafter Ongoing

We recommend that the Case Management (CM) management continue to provide ongoing reeducation to staff on Medicare requirements of providing the follow up IM including the required timeframe, necessary required documentation and ensure that the IM is maintained in the patient's medical records.	Education as routine topic during monthly staff meetings to confirm all staff members including new staff, are up to date with the regulations and requirements. First meeting 2/27/25	Monthly through 7/31/25 Added to agenda thereafter based on monthly audit findings
We recommend the CM management continue to perform regular prospective reviews on Medicare and Medicare advantage inpatient accounts to ensure compliance with the completion of Medicare requirements.	Audits to be conducted monthly on 50 accounts to assure compliance and improvement.	Ongoing

#### COMPLIANCE AND AUDIT DEPARTMENT POLICY

Date: July 2000

**Date Reviewed:** August 2001; May 2002; May 2003; June 2004; May 2005; January 2007; September 2009; September 2011; August 2013; July 2021; July 2023; February 2025

**Date Revised:** May 2005; September 2011; February 2025

Title: POLICY NO. 1-A: Charter

**Purpose:** To establish the Compliance and Audit Department mission, access to records, and audit approach

#### Policies:

#### I. Mission

The Compliance and Audit Department's (Compliance and Audit) mission is to construct and maintain a Corporate Compliance Program to be followed by South Broward Hospital District employees and agents which is reasonably capable of reducing the prospect of criminal conduct. The Program will include: (1) The establishment and maintenance of compliance standards and procedures to be followed by employees and agents; (2) Assurance that substantial discretionary authority is not delegated to individuals whom the organization knew, or should have known through the exercise of due diligence, had a propensity to engage in illegal activities; (3) Effective communication of the standards and procedures to all employees and agents; (4) Maintenance of monitoring and auditing systems to detect criminal conduct by employees and agents without fear of retribution; and (5) Steps to respond appropriately to detected offenses and to prevent further similar offenses.

Compliance and Audit's mission is also to provide the Board of Commissioners (Board), the Compliance and Audit Committee of the Board, the Chief Executive Officer, and the Administrators of the facilities of Memorial Healthcare System (MHS), with an independent, risk-based, and objective appraisal of the adequacy of internal controls and MHS operations.

Compliance and Audit will be an independent function reporting to the Audit and Compliance Committee and the Chief Executive Officer. The Compliance and Audit function enhances governance, risk management, and controls processes, and provides assurance, advice, insight, and foresight for the Board and Senior Management decision-making and oversight, provides reputation and credibility with stakeholders, and serves public interest.

#### II. Access to Records, Information, and Reports

The Board authorizes Compliance and Audit be granted full and complete, unrestricted access to all MHS functions, records, data, physical properties, and personnel relevant and pertinent to carry out the compliance and audit functions. Compliance and Audit will be kept apprised of all significant changes to accounting, clinical, or management of information systems. Compliance and Audit will be kept apprised of all outside audit engagements, including those performed by governmental agencies. Resulting reports will be made available to Compliance and Audit.

Records and information given to Compliance and Audit will be handled in the same prudent manner as by those employees normally accountable for them as prescribed by the Institute of Internal Auditors' Code of Ethics (See Compliance and Audit Department Policy 1-C).

#### III. Authority Limited

The Board grants the Compliance and Audit function the authority to provide the Board and senior management with objective assurance. Compliance and Audit's authority is created and supported by its direct reporting to the Board, which allows for unrestricted access to the Board. Compliance and Audit has no direct responsibility or any authority over any of the activities or operations that they review. Except for the establishment and maintenance of the compliance standards and procedures, they will not develop or install procedures, prepare records, or engage in activities which would normally be reviewed by internal auditors. The Board authorizes Compliance and Audit to allocate resources, including personnel within or outside the organization, set the frequency, subjects and scope of audit work, audit techniques utilized, and issue communications to accomplish audit objectives. It is the role of management to establish and maintain the internal controls necessary to safeguard the assets of MHS. Recommendations on standards of control applicable to a specific activity may be included in a written report of audit findings which is provided to operations and financial management for review and implementation.

#### Independence, Organizational Position, and Reporting Relationships

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will be positioned at a level in the organization that enables internal audit services and responsibilities to be performed without interference from management, thereby establishing the independence of the internal audit function. The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will report functionally to the Board and administratively on day-to-day operations to the President and Chief Executive Officer. This positioning provides the organizational authority and status to bring matters directly to senior management and escalate matters to the Board, when necessary, without interference and supports the auditors' ability to maintain objectivity.

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will confirm to the Board, at least annually, the organizational independence of the Compliance and Audit function. If the governance structure does not support organizational independence, the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will document the characteristics of the governance structure limiting independence and any safeguards employed to achieve the principle of independence. The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will disclose to the Board any interference auditors encounter related to the scope, performance, or communication of Compliance and Audit work and its effectiveness.

#### Changes to the Charter

Circumstances may justify a follow-up discussion between the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, Board, and senior management on the Compliance and Audit charter. Such circumstances may include but are not limited to a significant acquisition or reorganization within the organization, changes in the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, Board, and/or senior management, changes to the organization's strategies, objectives, risk profile, or the environment in which the organization operates, or new laws or regulations that affect the scope of MHS compliance and internal audits.

### **Board Oversight**

Board responsibilities are outlined in the Board Charter. To establish, maintain, and ensure that MHS's Compliance and Audit function has sufficient authority to fulfill its duties, the Board will discuss with the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer and senior management other topics that should be included in the Compliance and Audit charter, approve the Compliance and Audit function's charter, periodically review the Compliance and Audit charter with the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer to consider changes affecting the organization, approve the risk-based Compliance and Audit Work Plan, collaborate with senior management to determine the qualifications and competencies the organization expects in a Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, authorize the appointment and removal of the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, approve the remuneration of the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer, review the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer's performance, and determine whether scope or resource limitations are inappropriate.

# Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer Roles and Responsibilities

*Ethics and Professionalism* - The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will ensure that compliance and internal auditors conform with Audit Standards and the principles of Ethics and Professionalism that are integrity, objectivity, competency, due professional care, and confidentiality. Auditors must understand, respect, meet, and contribute to the legitimate and ethical expectations of the organization and be able to recognize conduct that is contrary to those expectations. Auditors are to encourage and promote an ethics-based culture in the organization and report organizational behavior that is inconsistent with the ethical expectations, as described in the MHS Code of Conduct.

#### Objectivity

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will ensure that the Compliance and Audit function remains free from all conditions that threaten the ability of compliance and internal auditors to carry out their responsibilities in an unbiased manner, including matters of engagement selection, scope, procedures, frequency, timing, and communication. If the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer determines that objectivity may be impaired in fact or appearance, the details of the impairment will be disclosed to appropriate parties.

Compliance and internal auditors will maintain an unbiased mental attitude that allows them to perform engagements objectively. Auditors believe in their work product, do not compromise quality, and do not subordinate their judgment on audit matters to others, either in fact or appearance. Auditors will have no direct operational responsibility or authority over any of the activities they review.

Accordingly, compliance and internal auditors will not implement internal controls, develop procedures, install systems, or engage in other activities that may impair their judgment. Such activities include assessing specific operations for which they had responsibility within the previous year, performing operational duties, approving or initiating transactions external to the audit function, and directing the activities of any South Broward Hospital District or MHS employee that is not employed by the Compliance and Audit function. Compliance and Internal auditors will disclose impairments of independence or objectivity, in fact or appearance, to appropriate parties and at least annually, maintain objectivity in gathering, evaluating, and communicating information, fairly assess all available and relevant facts and circumstances and take necessary precautions to avoid conflicts of interest, bias, and undue influence.

#### IV. Audit Approach

Audits will be conducted according to an Annual Risk-Based Work Plan that considers the input of the Board and senior management approved by the Audit and Compliance Committee. Special audits may be conducted at the discretion of the Board, Chief Executive Officer, or the Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer. Reviews of and adjustments to the Work Plan, as necessary, in response to changes in the healthcare industry and MHS's business, risks, operations, programs, systems, and controls.

Audits will generally be preceded by an entrance conference with the department head and/or administrator with responsibility for the area being audited. Exit conferences will be held with the same individuals at the close of the audit, prior to the issuance of the report, to allow those

individuals an opportunity to respond to the audit findings. The administrator and chief financial officer with responsibility for the area being audited are expected to respond to the findings, with recommendations for corrective action, within 10 days of the exit conference.

Compliance and Audit will issue its report to the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Chief Financial Officer, General Counsel (if warranted) and the Administrator(s) and Chief Financial Officer(s) responsible for the area audited.

Six months following the issuance of the report, the department head and/or administrator with responsibility for the area audited will report to the Compliance and Audit department the status of the recommendations. Follow up on engagement findings to confirm the implementation and recommendations and action plan items were implemented and effective should be part of the report narrative. Follow up review results are communicated to the Board and senior management.

A quarterly summary of the Compliance and Audit reports will be presented by the Chief Compliance and Audit Officer to the Compliance and Audit Committee.

#### Managing the Compliance and Internal Audit Function

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer has the responsibility to ensure the Compliance and Audit function collectively possesses or obtains knowledge or skill and other competencies and qualifications needed to meet the requirements of auditing standards.

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer has the responsibility to identify and consider trends and emerging issues that could impact MHS and communicate them to Board and senior management. Emerging trends that foster successful auditing practices will be considered and established.

Relevant MHS policies and procedures will be adhered to unless conflicting with the Audit and Compliance charter. If a conflict should exist, resolution should be documented and communicated to the Board and senior management.

The Compliance and Audit function will coordinate activities with the work of other internal or external providers of assurance and advisory services. Reliance on the internal or external providers work will be considered. If coordination or reliance cannot be achieved, it will be communicated to senior management and if needed, to the Board.

#### Communication with the Board and Senior Management

The Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer will report regularly to the board and senior management regarding significant revisions to the Compliance and Audit Work Plan and budget, impairments to independence, significant risk exposures and control issues including fraud risks, and management's responses to risk that is determined to be unacceptable or greater than MHS's risk tolerance levels.

# Approved by the Board members at the Audit and Compliance Committee meeting on [date].

### Acknowledgments/Signatures

Chief Compliance and Internal Audit Officer

Audit & Compliance Chair

Chief Executive Officer [optional]

Date

Date

Date

### South Broward Hospital District

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Elizabeth Justen, Chairwoman • Steven Harvey, Vice Chairman • Douglas A. Harrison, Secretary Treasurer

Brad Friedman • Dr. Luis E. Orta • Laura Raybin Miller Shane Strum, President and Chief Executive Officer

Group:	S.B.H.D. Finance Committee	Date:	April 17, 2025
Chairwoman:	Ms. Elizabeth Justen	Time:	4:00 p.m.
Vice Chairman:	Mr. Steven Harvey		
Location	Executive Conference Room, 3111 Stirling	Road, Hol	lywood, Florida, 33312
In Attendance:	Ms. Elizabeth Justen, Mr. Douglas Harr Mr. Shane Strum, Mr. Alan Whaley Ms. Margie Vargas, Mr. Jeffrey Sturman, M Rampat, Mr. Saul Kredi, Ms. Cheryl Boud Mr. Gary Wyniemko (NEPC), Mr. David M Ms. Denise Miller (Willis Towers Watson), a	r, Ms. I r. Joseph cher, Ms. 100re (N	Linda Epstein, Mr. David Smith, Stuczynski, Mr. Irfan Mirza, Mr. Veda Sarah Griffith, Mr. Richard Probert, EPC), Ms. Stephanie Kinchla (NEPC),

#### SUBJECT: Public Meeting Notice Requirement

Ms. Justen called the meeting to order at 4:15 p.m. Ms. Epstein certified the meeting was properly noticed.

#### SUBJECT: Board Roll Call

Present: Ms. Elizabeth Justen Mr. Douglas Harrison Mr. Brad Friedman Ms. Laura Miller (via Webex)

#### SUBJECT: Public Comments

Ms. Justen opened the floor for public comments, of which there were none.

#### SUBJECT: Retirement Plan Actuarial Valuation Report and Presentation

Ms. Miller from Willis Towers Watson (WTW), the District's pension actuary, presented the annual actuarial valuation report and summary presentation for the Retirement Plan for Employees of South Broward Hospital District. Key report highlights included the following:

- Participants: 8,132 (down -1.5% from prior year)
- Discount Factor: 7.00%
- Minimum Required Cash Contributions: FY25 \$25.7M
- GASB 68 Expense / (Income): FY25 \$28.1M
- Cash Contributions: FY25 (estimate): \$47.5M
- Funded Status FYE 2025: 98.6%

#### MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL • MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL SOUTH • JOE DIMAGGIO CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WEST • MEMORIAL HOSPITAL MIRAMAR • MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PEMBROKE • MEMORIAL MANOR WTW reported the Plan remains actuarially sound, assuming the District continues to fund the Plan in accordance with the assumptions and the required contribution amounts shown in their actuarial report.

A motion was made and seconded to recommend the Board of Commissioners accept the actuarial report for the pension plan.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Board of Commissioners accepts the Actuarial Report from Willis Towers Watson for the Retirement Plan for Employees of the South Broward Hospital District for the 2024/2025 plan year

#### SUBJECT: Financial Assistance Policy and IRS Section 501(r) Update

Annually, the Board of Commissioners reviews and adopts a Financial Assistance Policy. The Affordable Care Act of 2010 created Section 501(r) of the Internal Revenue Code that includes added requirements for tax-exempt hospitals related to Community Health Needs Assessments, Financial Assistance Policies, Limitations on Charges and Billing and Collection Policies. Ms. Cheryl Boucher reviewed changes to the financial policy and the committee requested that these changes be reviewed by the Legal department and brought back to next month's meeting for approval.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Standard Practice – Transfer / Access to Emergency Care

This item was postponed until next month.

#### SUBJECT: Market Update

Mr. Wyniemko presented a brief market update for March 2025. He noted that March was a rough month for stocks, with uncertainty over tariff policy driving volatility. Technology and growth stocks experienced higher levels of volatility on concerns surrounding AI and valuations. In contrast, falling interest rates led to rising bond prices and positive returns for most fixed income sectors.

The market update was provided for informational purposes only.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Operating Funds Monthly Flash Report

Ms. Wyniemko reviewed the Monthly Flash Performance Report for the Operating Funds for the month ending March 31, 2025. The portfolio returned 0.2% for the month and 7.7% for the fiscal year-to-date, compared to policy benchmark returns of 0.5% and 8.5%, respectively. Total assets in the Operating Funds were reported at \$2.67 billion.

The monthly flash report was presented for informational purposes only.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Retirement Plan Monthly Flash Report

Ms. Wyniemko reviewed the Monthly Flash Performance Report for the Retirement Plan for the month ending March 31, 2025. The plan returned -2.6% for the month and 7.6% fiscal year-to-date, compared to policy benchmark returns of -2.6% and 9.9%, respectively. Total assets in the Retirement Plan were reported at \$1.04 billion.

The monthly flash report was presented for informational purposes only.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Defined Contribution Plans Monthly Flash Report

Ms. Kinchla reviewed the Monthly Flash Performance Report for Defined Contribution Plans. As of March 31, 2025, plan assets totaled \$1.71 billion, with the largest concentration in JPMorgan blend target date funds, representing 62.5%.

The monthly flash report was presented for informational purposes only.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Operating Plan - Asset Allocation Discussion

Mr. Wyniemko and Mr. Moore presented various asset allocation mixes for the Operating Fund portfolio, showing the impact of higher allocations to equity and alternate asset classes. There was a demonstration of NEPC's Skyan Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) tool. There will be additional discussions for the Committee and management to decide on a new asset allocation mix.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: Employee Special Discretionary Recognition Proposal

Mr. Strum and Ms. Vargas discussed with committee a one-time Employee Special Discretionary Recognition payout for fiscal year 2025. Some discussion ensued. A motion was made and seconded to request Board of Commissioners approval of a one-time Employee Special Discretionary Recognition payout for fiscal year 2025.

#### The Finance Committee recommends the Board of Commissioners approves a one-time Employee Special Discretionary Recognition payout for fiscal year 2025

#### SUBJECT: Financial Report

Mr. Mirza presented an overview of the Financial Results for the month and year ending March 31, 2025. The committee reviewed and discussed these operating results. The financial reports will be formally presented to the full Board at its regular meeting on April 23, 2025.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

#### SUBJECT: New Business

The following items were discussed with the committee:

(i) Same Day Surgery Center at Memorial Hospital West

Mr. Stuczynski discussed the purchase of the Same Day Surgery Center at Memorial Hospital West. Some discussion ensued. A motion was made and seconded to request Board of Commissioners approval for the purchase of the Same Day Surgery Center at Memorial Hospital West.

#### The Finance Committee recommends the Board of Commissioners approves the purchase of the Same Day Surgery Center at Memorial Hospital West

(ii) Mr. Sturman discussed the annual renewal of the Microsoft Licenses.

#### No action is required by the Board of Commissioners.

Mr. Friedman left the meeting at 5:25 p.m. The Finance Committee adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Elizabeth Justen Chairwoman, Finance Committee



## **Retirement Plan for Employees** of South Broward Hospital District

**Actuarial Valuation Review** 

April 2025





### Agenda

**Purpose of today's meeting:** Review the assumption experience study, funding and GASB valuation results

Action: Finance Committee approval of the May 1, 2024 funding valuation in advance of April Board of Commissioners meeting

### Agenda

- Introduction and executive summary
- Funding
- Financial reporting



Denise Miller, EA Lead Actuary



Jason Naddell, FSA, EA Senior Support

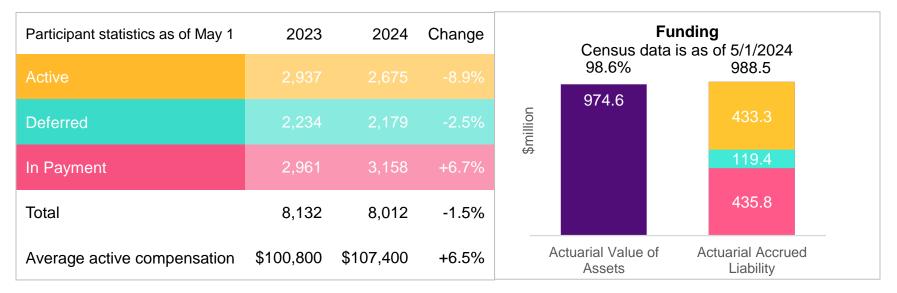
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## Introduction and Executive Summary



## Pension Plan Overview

- Plan is closed to new employees hired or rehired after 10/31/2011
- Payment forms include monthly annuities and unlimited lump sums (effective 8/1/2024)
- Reduction in number of active participants and total participants
- Higher than expected increase in average plan eligible compensation

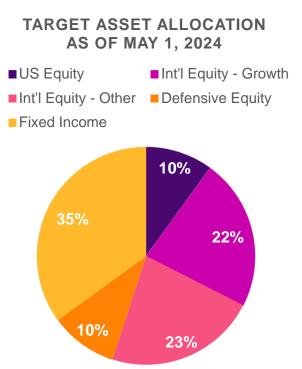


#### Notes

- Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) is the benefit obligation for funding valuation purposes and was measured with a 7.0% valuation interest rate
- Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) is used for funding valuation purposes and phases in investment gains and losses over 5 years



### Assets



\$000s	April 30, 2023	April 30, 2024
Beginning fair value of assets	\$855,992	\$889,120
Contributions	39,894	43,650
Investment return	32,548	100,505
Benefit payments – annuities	(36,865)	(41,153)
Benefit payments – lump sums	(2,345)	(2,190)
Administrative expenses	<u>(105)</u>	<u>(111)</u>
Net change	33,128	100,701
Investment manager fee accrual	N/A	(1,151)
Ending fair value of assets (FVA)	\$889,120	\$988,670
Investment return	3.8%	11.2%
Actuarial value of assets (AVA)	\$910,783	\$974,644
AVA / FVA	102.4%	98.6%

Actuarial value of assets incorporates a smoothing of investment gains and losses over 5 years



# Assumption Experience Study

- An assumption experience study was performed in late 2024 to review the plan's experience compared to the assumptions over the past five years for the following:
  - Salary increase
  - Termination rates
  - Retirement rates
- Salary increases were about 2% higher than assumed resulting in losses
- Actual terminations were about 20% less than assumed resulting in losses
- Actual retirements were about 25% lower than assumed and generally later than assumed resulting in gains
- Proposed assumption changes to better reflect past and anticipated future experience resulted in the following impacts:
  - +2.6M increase in minimum required contribution
  - +3.3M increase in GASB expense

# **Cash Contributions**

	Plan Year Contributions				
\$ millions	2023/2024	2024/2025		Est'd 2025/2026	
Valuation interest rate	6.6%	7.0%	Change	7.0%	
Minimum Required	\$36.7	\$25.7	(\$11.0)	\$19.4	
Actual/Assumed	\$43.7	\$47.5	\$3.8	TBD	

- \$11.0M decrease in minimum required contribution under Florida State Statutes from 2023/2024 plan year to 2024/2025 mainly attributable to:
  - Increase in valuation interest rate
  - Partially offset by the net impact of new demographic and salary increase assumptions
- Estimated plan year 2025/2026 contribution is \$6.3M lower than 2024/2025 mainly attributable to:
  - Estimated assets exceed obligations which extinguishes all past amortization bases leaving only the normal cost and assumed administrative expenses
  - Unlimited lump sum option plan change effective 8/1/2024 and first recognized in 5/1/2025 valuation is about \$1.2M of the decrease
  - Assumes adoption of new FRS mortality at May 1, 2025 (~\$0.1M)

### The plan is estimated to be overfunded for 2025/2026 resulting in a lower required cash contribution



# GASB 68 Expense/(Income)

### **Operating Expense**

() millions			Fiscal Year E	nding April 30			
\$ millions -	2024	2025		Esťd 2026		Esťd 2026	
Discount rate	6.6%	7.0%		7.0%		7.0%	
Demographic assumptions	Old	Old	Old New				
Lump sum plan change	No	No	Change	No	Change	Yes	Change
Expense/(Income)	\$39.0	\$28.1	(\$10.9)	\$9.4	(\$18.7)	(\$12.8)	(\$22.2)

### • FYE 2024 to FYE 2025: \$10.9M decrease

- Attributable to increase in discount rate from 6.6% to 7.0% and asset gains
- FYE 2025 to estimated FYE 2026 before new assumptions: \$18.7M decrease
   Reduction mainly attributable to completed recognition of a FYE 2021 investment loss base
- Estimated FYE 2026 to FYE 2026 with unlimited lump sum plan change and new assumptions: \$22.2M decrease
  - Net \$6.1M increase from assumption changes
    - \$2.8M of \$6.1M is due to an assumed additional 2% merit increase for 2025
  - Liability changes from plan amendments are not amortized under GASB
    - \$28M estimated liability and GASB expense reduction
  - Propose to review and possibly update lump sum election assumption of 50% for April 30, 2025 measurement date
    - If revised assumption is 1/2 of assumed rate, impact on expense would be reduced accordingly



## Funding



# **Cash Contributions**

### Required minimum contribution under State of Florida Statutes

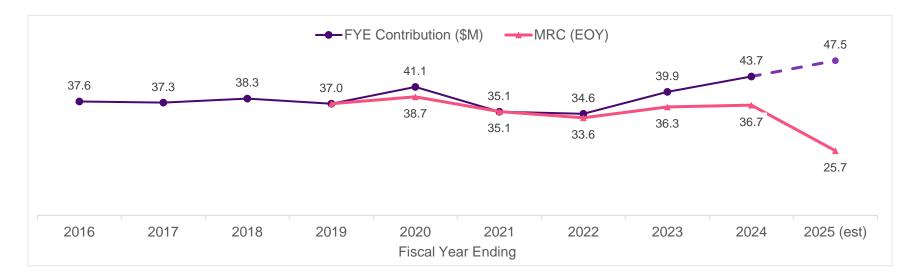
	Contribution for Plan Year				
\$000s	2023/2024	2024/2025			
Valuation interest rate	6.60%	7.00%			
Required contribution					
a. Normal cost (including expected expenses)	\$19,997	\$19,630			
b. Amortization of unfunded actuarial accrued liability 1	14,416	4,344			
c. Interest	2,271	1,679			
d. Total	\$36,684	\$25,653			
Actual (or assumed) benefit payments	\$43,344	\$46,619			
Actual (or assumed) contribution funded	\$43,650	\$47,500			
1. Amortization based on average future working life expectancy; currently 9 years using new assumptions					

### Primary reasons for the lower contribution requirement for 2024/2025:

- \$45.4M liability gain due to increase in valuation interest rate from 6.60% to 7.00%; offset by
- Net \$10.0M liability loss due to new salary scale, retirement and termination rate assumptions



## **Contribution History**



# Factors contributing to increasing costs and/or higher volatility

- Closed and aging population
- Change in valuation interest rate
  - 7.50% to 7.00% on 5/1/2015
  - 6.75% on 5/1/2020
  - 6.60% on 5/1/2021
  - 7.00% on 5/1/2024
- Unlimited lump sum plan change

\$000s	Actual FYE 2025	Projected FYE 2026
Valuation Interest Rate	7.00%	7.00%
Market Value of Assets (MVA)	988,670	1,059,200
Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA)	974,644	1,061,100
Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)	988,504	1,004,200
Unfunded AAL (AAL – AVA)	13,860	(56,900)
Funded % (AVA/AAL)	98.6%	105.7%



## Next Steps

- WTW to attend SBHD Board of Commissioners meeting in April
- WTW to file the May 1, 2024 valuation report with the State along with the Required State of Florida disclosures
- MHS to post final valuation report on MHS website
- Recommend review of funding strategy given plan's emergence into a surplus position



## **Financial Reporting**



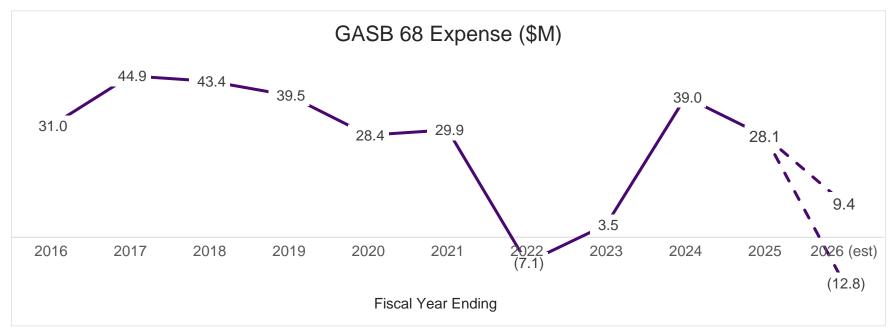
# GASB 68 Financial Position and Expense

	Fiscal Year Ended			
\$000s	4/30/2024	4/30/2025		
Discount Rate/Assumed Asset Return	6.60%/6.60%	6.60%/7.00%		
Valuation/Census Date	5/1/2022	5/1/2023		
Measurement Period	5/1/2022 - 4/30/2023	5/1/2023 – 4/30/2024		
Investment return during measurement period	3.8%	11.2%		
Fiduciary Net Position (FNP)	889,120	988,670		
Total Pension Liability (TPL)	1,017,249	1,030,614		
Net Pension Liability (TPL – FNP)	128,129	41,945		
Funded Percentage (FNP / TPL)	87.4%	95.9%		
GASB 68 Pension Expense	\$39,022	\$28,148		

- Increase in discount rate from 6.6% to 7.0% and higher than assumed investment return resulted in a reduction in GASB expense
- Due to required actuarial cost method for GASB, the GASB funded status is less than the funded status under the State of Florida funding rules



## GASB Expense History



- Projected liability assumes extra 2% merit pay increase effective in 2025 to align with MHS retention efforts
- Projected 2026 expense assumes 0.5% return on assets for the period from 1/1/2025 to 4/30/2025
- Final assets (with accrued investment offset) as of April 30, 2025 will determine pension expense/(income) for FYE 2026
- Unlimited lump sum plan change estimated to reduce expense by \$28.3M and is fully recognized in FYE 2026
  - Estimate assumes a 50% take rate, a lower election rate will increase expense

\$M	Actual	Projected
FYE	2025	2026
Discount Rate	7.00%	7.00%
Fiduciary Net Position	988.7	965.1
Total Pension Liability	1,030.6	1,071.3
Funded Percentage	95.9%	98.9%
Pension Expense/(Income)	28.1	(12.8)



## Next Steps

- May 2025: MHS provides final April 30, 2025 asset information
- May 2025: MHS provides update on actual lump sum election experience and WTW to work with MHS to determine ongoing lump sum election rate assumption
- June 2025: WTW to provide GASB 67/68 report



## Appendix



## **Actuarial Certification**

The results included in this presentation are based upon census data, asset data and plan provisions provided by South Broward Hospital District for the May 1, 2023 and May 1, 2024 valuations. We have reviewed this information for overall reasonableness and consistency, but have neither audited nor independently verified this information. The accuracy of the results in this presentation is dependent upon the accuracy and completeness of the underlying information.

Actuarial assumptions and methods were selected by South Broward Hospital District with the concurrence of WTW. More detailed valuation results, summaries of actuarial assumptions, methods and models, summaries of plan provisions and description of data sources used in developing these results can be found in the May 1, 2024 valuation report dated March 2025. Therefore, such information, and the reliances and limitations of the valuation report and its use, should be considered part of this presentation.

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## Valuation Purposes and Measurement Periods

	Funding Valuation	GASB 67 Plan Accounting	GASB 68 MHS Accounting
Description	Required cash funding for the plan year	Plan financial statements included within MHS' financial report	MHS financial statements included within MHS' financial report
Rules	Part VII, Chapter 112 of Florida Statutes	GASB 67	GASB 68
Year Ending	April 30, 2025	April 30, 2025	April 30, 2026
Measurement Date *	May 1, 2024	April 30, 2025	April 30, 2025
Measurement Period	May 1, 2024 – April 30, 2025	May 1, 2024 – April 30, 2025	May 1, 2024 – April 30, 2025
Liability Valuation Date	May 1, 2024	May 1, 2024	May 1, 2024
Census Date	May 1, 2024	May 1, 2024	May 1, 2024

\***Note**: Benefit liabilities for GASB 67 and 68 are projected from the valuation date to the measurement date by adjusting for benefit payments, expected growth in benefit obligations, changes in key assumptions and plan provisions, and for any significant changes in plan demographics that occurred during the measurement period.

# May 1, 2024 Participant Data Summary

	May 1, 2024	May 1, 2023	Change
Total membership			
Active Employees	2,675	2,937	(8.9%)
Retirees and Beneficiaries	3,158	2,961	6.7%
Terminated Vested	<u>2,179</u>	<u>2,234</u>	<u>(2.5%)</u>
Total	8,012	8,132	(1.5%)
Covered Payroll (\$M)	\$287.4	\$296.1	(2.9%)
Active participant statistics			
Average Compensation	\$107,428	\$100,822	6.6%
Average Age	57	56	+1 yr
Average Service	20.4	19.6	+0.8 yr
Average monthly benefit for inactive p	participants		
Retirees & Beneficiaries	\$1,146	\$1,091	5.0%
Terminated Vested Participants	\$678	\$669	1.3%

# Observations Total participant count decreased 1.5% but active participant count decreased 9% Average compensation increased 6.6% Versus ~4.8% expected increase including additional 2% merit increase \$2.2M lump sum payments in 2023/2024 \$43.3M in total benefit payments



# Total Demographic Experience Gains/(Losses)

Salary experience was a major driver of loss experience

Plan Year	Total G/(L)	Total G/(L) as % of funding obligation	Salary G/(L)	Salary G/(L) as % of funding obligation	Non-Salary G/(L)	Non-Salary G/(L) as % of funding obligation
2023 / 2024	(\$22.8)	(2.2%)	(\$11.7)	(1.1%)	(\$11.1)	(1.1%)
2022 / 2023	(21.2)	(2.3%)	(12.7)	(1.4%)	(8.5)	(0.9%)
2021 / 2022	(28.1)	(3.1%)	(20.0)	(2.2%)	(8.1)	(0.9%)
2020 / 2021	(5.9)	(0.7%)	1.4	0.2%	(7.3)	(0.9%)
2019 / 2020	5.0	0.6%	3.5	0.4%	1.5	0.2%

Dollar amounts in millions

- Non-salary experience generally resulted in losses
  - About half was associated with mortality
- Funding mortality is prescribed by Florida statute
- GASB mortality is selected by MHS/actuary



# Salary Increase Assumption

Even without extra 2% temporary merit adjustments, salary progression exceeded assumption

Age	5/1/2024 Count	5/1/2024 Pay (\$M)	Current Assumption	Actual *	Alternative
Under 35	6	\$0.4	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%
35 - 39	67	6.1	5.25%	5.50%	5.25%
40 - 44	216	20.7	4.00%	6.10%	5.00%
45 - 49	318	38.1	3.50%	5.50%	4.50%
50 - 54	512	58.6	3.00%	5.00%	4.00%
55 - 59	663	70.5	2.50%	4.70%	3.50%
60+	893	93.0	2.25%	4.20%	3.25%
Total	2,675	\$287.4			

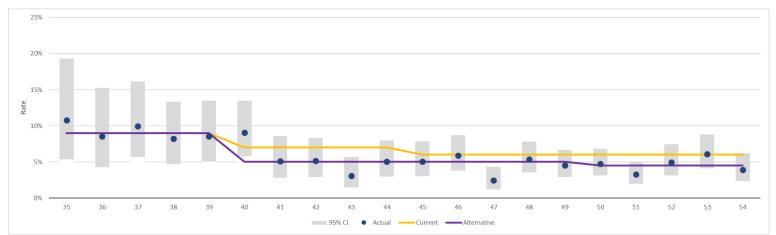
\* Reflects increase in base pay **excluding** the additional 2% merit increase in effect starting in 2022

- Experience supports increasing salary increase rates
- Alternative rates reflect MHS
   perspective that recent increases
   were higher than future long-term
   expectations



# Active Termination Assumption

Propose adjustments to reduce non-retirement termination rates



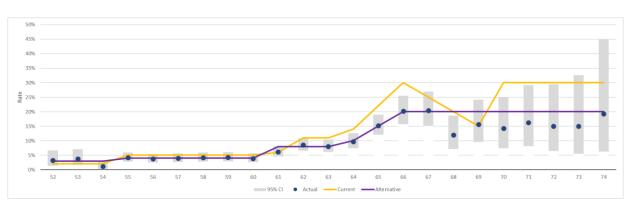
- Actual terminations about 20% lower than expected
- Experience during COVID years was not significantly different
- Termination rates only applicable below age 55 since retirements are assumed to apply from age 55
  - All participants have 10 or more years of service as of 5/1/2024
- Alternative assumption
  - \$5M increase in funding liability
  - \$0.4M increase in funding normal cost

Non-retirement termination					
Age	Actual	Expected	Current Assump.	Alt.	Expected Alt.
35 - 39	72	72	9%	9%	72
40 - 44	82	107	7%	5%	76
45 - 49	107	139	6%	5%	116
50 - 54	<u>118</u>	<u> 156</u>	6%	4.5%	<u>117</u>
Total	379	474			381



# Active Retirement Assumption

Propose to reflect 5-year experience in new assumption as compromise between Covid and post-Covid years



- Experience for the five-year period supports lower assumed retirement rates at ages 62 and older and minor adjustments below age 62
- Alternative assumption
  - \$19M decrease in funding liability
  - \$0.7M decrease in funding normal cost

Age	Actual	Current Rates	Alt. Rates	Expected under Alt.
52 - 54	19	2%	3%	22
55 - 60	181	5%	4%	179
61	49	6%	8%	64
62 - 63	123	11%	8%	118
64	58	14%	10%	60
65	79	22%	15%	78
66	70	30%	20%	69
67	49	25%	20%	48
68	19	20%	20%	32
69	20	15%	20%	26
70 - 74	_42	30%	20%	54
Total	709			750



## Impact on 5/1/2024 Funding Liabilities and Costs

\$M	Experience	Alt. Termination <sup>1</sup>	Alt. Retirement	Salary
Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)	\$978.4	\$983.5	\$964.2	\$988.5
Cumulative AAL changes	N/A	\$5.1 0.5%	(\$14.2) (1.5%)	\$10.1 1.0%
Amortization period for new bases	7 yrs	8 yrs	9 yrs	9 yrs
Normal Cost (NC) (beginning of year)	\$18.6	\$19.0	\$18.3	\$19.5
Cumulative NC changes	N/A	\$0.4 2.2%	(\$0.3) (1.6%)	\$0.9 4.8%

Valuation Interest Rate / Expected Return on Assets: 7.00% <sup>1</sup> Includes impact of removal of disability decrement

Projected Unit Credit actuarial cost method

- Propose to implement changes with May 1, 2024 funding valuation
- Change in AAL is amortized over average future working lifetime (9-years)



# Impact on 5/1/2024 GASB 67/68 Liabilities

Propose to implement for the measurement period ending April 30, 2025

\$M	Experience	Alt. Termination <sup>1</sup>	Alt. Retirement	Salary
Total Pension Liability (TPL)	\$1,041.5	\$1,038.9	\$1,021.2	\$1,046.2
Cumulative impact of TPL changes	N/A	(\$2.6) (0.2%)	(\$20.3) (1.9%)	\$4.7 0.5%
Service Cost (SC)	\$9.6	\$10.9	\$10.6	\$12.3
Cumulative impact of SC changes	N/A	\$1.3 13.8%	\$1.0 10.4%	\$2.7 28.1%
Amortization period for experience gain/losses and assumption changes	2.40 yrs	2.63 yrs	2.90 yrs	2.90 yrs
Est. expense impact for measurement period ending 4/30/2025 (amortization only)				
Est. expense impact for measurement p	eriod ending 4/30	/2026 (SC and am	ortization) <sup>2</sup>	\$4.5
<sup>1</sup> Includes impact of removal of disability decrement				

<sup>2</sup> Ignores interest cost impact

Valuation Interest Rate / Expected Return on Assets: 7.00%

Entry Age Normal actuarial cost method

- Straight-line recognition of change in TPL in year of measurement
- Service cost change impacts year following adoption measurement period



## Historical Return on Plan Assets

	Actua		
Period	Market Value	Actuarial Value	- Assumed Return
2014/2015	4.6%	7.2%	7.5%
2015/2016	(2.0%)	4.4%	7.0%
2016/2017	10.7%	5.7%	7.0%
2017/2018	8.5%	6.0%	7.0%
2018/2019	7.7%	6.2%	7.0%
2019/2020	(1.3%)	5.0%	7.0%
2020/2021	28.9%	9.9%	6.75%
2021/2022	(3.1%)	7.9%	6.6%
2022/2023	3.8%	6.3%	6.6%
2023/2024	11.2%	7.0%	6.6%

- 10-yr average market value return is 6.6% and is 6.6% on an actuarial value basis
- Market value return average over last 5 years is 7.3%

## Historical Salary Increases

Period	Actual	Assumed
2014/2015	2.9%	3.1%
2015/2016	4.3%	3.3%
2016/2017	3.3%	3.5%
2017/2018	2.7%	3.7%
2018/2019	3.3%	4.0%
2019/2020	3.3%	4.2%
2020/2021	2.9%	2.9%
2021/2022	8.4%	2.9%
2022/2023	6.5%	2.8%
2023/2024	5.9%	2.8%

 Salary increase assumption for 2023/2024 is based on age-graded rates from 6.00% to 2.25% with an assumed average of 2.8%

## **Overview of Pension Plan Provisions**

Coverage	Full-time employees hired or rehired before November 1, 2011	
<ul> <li>Benefit Accrual Rate*</li> <li>Participants under Prior Plan</li> <li>Participants under New Plan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>{1% of first \$84,520 of final 5-year average pay (F5) plus 1.5% of F5 in excess of \$84,520 but not more than \$203,290 plus 3% of F5 over \$203,290} times years of service</li> <li>{0.75% of F5 up to ½ monthly Social Security Taxable Wage Base* (SSTWB) plus 1.25% of F5 in excess of ½ SSTWB but not more than SSTWB plus 1.75% of F5 in excess of SSTWB} times years of service</li> </ul>	
Compensation	Excludes overtime, bonuses or other special compensation	
Normal Retirement Age (NRA)	Age 65 & 5 years of service Prior plan participants: age 62 & 20 years of service, or age 55 & 30 years of service, if earlier	
Normal Payment Form	Single life annuity. Optional forms available.	
Vesting	100% after 5 years of service	
Early Retirement Factors (ERFs)	Age 55 & 10 years of service. For Prior Plan participants age 52 & 20 years of service, if earlier. Accrued benefit reduced by 7.2%/year for first 5 years, then 3.6% per year for next 5 years preceding NRA - e.g., 46% or 56.8% for Prior Plan participants at age 55 depending on years of service (46% for New Plan participants).	
Death Benefits	Pre-retirement death benefit of 50% survivor annuity payable to spouse if participant was employed and age 55 & 10 years of service, or had 20 years of service at death	
Disability Benefits	Accrued benefit (automatic 100% vesting) payable at disability (total and permanent). Subject to reduction if payments begin prior to NRA.	

\* The \$84,520 and \$203,290 integration levels apply for the 2024/2025 plan year and increase by 3% per year. Effective for new hires as of 5/1/2010, the accrual rate changed to the New Plan formula shown above. SSTWB for 2024/2025 plan year is \$168,600.





## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Revised April 20242025

#### I. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Any Patient may ask for financial assistance. Anyone else who is responsible for paying for the patient's care may also ask for financial assistance. All emergency and medically necessary care are covered under the financial assistance policy. Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) provides screening for and treatment of emergency medical conditions in accord with the Standard Practice titled "Transfer/Access to Emergency Care", attached to this policy. In cases where this Standard Practice does not apply, requests to schedule Memorial Healthcare services in advance are reviewed for financial assistance on a case by case basis. Patients seeking Emergency Care will be treated without regard for whether they are eligible for Financial Assistance under this policy.

This policy applies to all South Broward Healthcare District facilities. Note that Memorial Ambulatory Surgery Centers are not included because they are either not owned or operated by the South Broward Hospital District.

This Financial Assistance Policy will help you understand when financial assistance will be given.

Financial Assistance may mean charity care (as defined by either the State of Florida or District policies) or certain uninsured discounts, as explained further below.

For charity care, the patient or responsible party must not be able to pay for the patient's medical care. The ability to pay is determined by using the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG), patient or guarantor income, and family size. The federal government updates these guidelines annually. The ability to pay is also determined by examining assets and, if required, liabilities and potential litigation results for pending third party liability claims.

When asked, MHS will determine if the patient or responsible party has the ability to pay. This examination, or screening, for financial assistance is free of charge. The amount of the requested financial assistance must be more than \$500, for all accounts combined.

Patients may elect not to provide financial documentation but instead be provided financial assistance in the form of discounted self-pay rates. These are available for Emergency Department visits as well as most outpatient procedures and inpatient stays.

Financial assistance will not be granted to any uninsured non-resident of the South Broward Hospital District for non-emergent, medically necessary care that can be provided by their local safety net facility. If no safety net provider exists for that patient, financial assistance will be determined on a case by case basis.

The rest of this Financial Assistance Policy provides more information about how you may ask for financial assistance. It tells you when you will be considered eligible to get financial assistance. It tells you how much financial assistance you will get when you meet the requirements of this Financial Assistance Policy.

#### II. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND DISCOUNT AMOUNTS

- A. MHS will perform credit and asset checks to determine the patient's or responsible party's ability to pay. MHS will gather information about a patient's or other responsible party's income and assets family size and, if required needed, their assets, expenses and liabilities. The result will determine their eligibility for financial assistance, the amount of the discount they will receive and the amount they will be required to pay.
- B. MHS will provide Financial Assistance counseling upon request, without additional charge, before or after the patient receives services.
- C. Inpatient admissions may be screened for Medicaid eligibility. If screening criteria indicate potential eligibility, the patient/responsible party may be required to submit an\_application to Medicaid prior to approval for Financial Assistance.
- D. A Patient or responsible party may request financial assistance for any debt greater than \$500. This means all uninsured patient responsibility amounts as well as insured patient balances after insurance payment. This includes deductibles, coinsurance, copayments, and non-covered charges. The following criteria is used when MHS considers the request:
  - i. <u>Patient or responsible party may qualify for 100% discount if the following</u> <u>applies:</u>
    - 1. The Patient or responsible party must complete a signed Financial Evaluation Form.
    - The Patient or responsible party has a total household income of less than or equal to 200% of the FPG (Per the 2024-2025 FPG a family of four which makes \$62,40064,300 per year is at 200% of the FPG), as described in Table A; and
    - 3. The Patient or responsible party has household liquid assets less than \$105,000. Liquid assets include cash, checking account balances, savings account balances, vehicles, boats, marketable personal property, stocks, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, and real property other than homestead. Liquid assets do not include primary residence, first vehicle or retirement funds not accessible without incurring a penalty; or

- The Patient or responsible party has a balance due which exceeds 25% of their annual household income, but only if the annual household income is less than 4 times the FPG for a family of 4; or
- 5. The Patient is unidentified after 6 months. During the 6 months MHS will exhaust all efforts to identify the patient including working with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies.
- ii. <u>Patient or responsible party may qualify for a sliding scale discount if the</u> <u>following applies:</u>
  - Patient or responsible party has a total household income of between 201% and 400% (Per the 2024-2025 FPG a family of four which makes \$124,800128,600 is at 400%) of the FPG;
  - 2. The amount of discount depends on the income of the Patient or responsible party and the facility. (See Table A for guidance); or
  - 3. At no point will a patient who qualifies for financial assistance be responsible for more than 10% of their annual total household income.
- iii. Patients may be presumptively screened for financial assistance without a signed financial assistance application. This screening uses the FinThrive community based proprietary model. MHS will also consider prior accounts incurred within the prior twelve months<u>or twelve months after last</u> <u>insurance payment</u>.
  - 1. Patient or responsible party has a total household income of less than or equal to 200% of the FPG will qualify for the 100% discount.
  - 2. Patient or responsible party with a total household income of between 201% and 400% will qualify for the sliding scale discount.
  - 3. At no point will a patient who qualifies for financial assistance be responsible for more than 10% of their annual total household income.
- iv. Other financial assistance may be provided under the abbreviated Financial Assistance approval process described below:
  - 1. Medicaid exhausted days or outpatient benefits
  - 2. Involuntary treatment under the Baker Act
  - 3. The patient is deceased, no estate has been filed with the court of the patient's county of residence after <u>one yearsix months</u> from the date

of death. When this criterion has been verified by MHS, the outstanding balances will be discounted by 100%.

- 4. Patients who have a valid financial assistance approval from the North Broward Hospital District will not have to reapply for South Broward Hospital District financial assistance for emergent services.
- E. Income and asset<u>Financial</u>-information for residents of the South Broward Hospital District who qualify for financial assistance will be accepted-valid for one year, unless MHS has reason to question it. When MHS approves financial assistance for a Patient or responsible party, MHS will also consider accounts incurred within the prior twelve months. For purposes of the Financial Assistance Policy, a Resident is: one who makes his or her home in the geographic boundaries of the South Broward Hospital District, where he or she dwells permanently or for an extended period of time and not as a visitor, tourist, or for some other temporary purpose or temporary convenience, and not acting a sham of dwelling in residence.
- F. Patients or responsible parties can apply for financial assistance for up to one year after the date of service<u>or twelve months after last insurance payment</u>.
- G. Residents of the South Broward Hospital District who have been accepted into membership in the Memorial Primary Care will have co-payments for:
  - i. Outpatient Pharmacy services
  - ii. Primary Care Clinic visits
  - iii. Hospital outpatient services
  - iv. Emergency Department visits
- H. Patients or responsible parties who qualify for financial assistance and do not reside in the South Broward Hospital District will be approved only for each date of service.
- I. Upon request from the patient or responsible party, MHS will send a written statement that they qualify for financial assistance.
- J. This Financial Assistance Policy only applies to services provided by MHS at its facilities and services provided by MHS employed physicians. A listing of the medical

staff reflecting their adherence to this Financial Assistance Policy may be found here: https://www.mhs.net/-/media/mhs/files/patients-and-visitors/financialassistance/en/providers.pdf?la=en

#### III. BASIS FOR CALCULATING AMOUNTS CHARGED TO PATIENTS

Once MHS determines that a Patient or responsible party is eligible to receive financial assistance under this Financial Assistance Policy, he or she will not be charged more than the Amounts Generally Billed (AGB). At MHS the AGB is determined through the "Look-back method" which is calculated as follows:

MHS reviews *all* past claims that have been paid in a twelve month period. This includes claims for Medicare, commercial and managed care plans over a 12-month period. This amount does include patient co-insurance; copayments and deductibles. Medicaid replacement plans are not included in these calculations. This amount is the *sum of expected payments*.

The AGB percentage is calculated by dividing the sum of the payments by the sum of total charges billed. This percentage is then multiplied by the total charges for each patient encounter to arrive at the AGB for that encounter. MHS calculated the AGB for each facility and adopted the lowest rate for each MHS facility. Patients may request in writing the current AGB for each facility and/or how the uninsured discount compares to insurance discounts.

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documentation as described in Table D, as soon as possible<u>when applying for</u> primary care services or waiver of Medicare patient responsibility. Extraordinary collection activity will be placed on hold up to 120 days from the date of request for assistance, while patient or responsible parties are in the Financial Assistance Policy application process. This hold on the collection activity allows a reasonable time to receive all required documents to determine eligibility. The Eligibility department staff will notify the patient in writing or by phone call of missing or incomplete documentation.

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### V. APPEAL OF ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION

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- A. The following steps will be taken to collect patient balances if no financial assistance is requested or otherwise applied under the above policies, or after financial assistance has been denied:
  - i. An initial bill is sent to the Patient or responsible party after discharge.

- A statement is sent 30 days after the initial bill, with further statements every 30 days over the next 90 days. If a partial payment is received, the statement series will be restarted and continue for 120 days.
- iii. Calls may be placed during this time period.
- iv. 120 days after discharge, if no one has requested financial assistance, or if no payment plan has been put into place, and no partial payment received, the account may be placed with a primary debt collection agency.
- v. After 1 year the account may be placed with a secondary debt collection agency.
- B. In the case of a Public Health Emergency (PHE) MHS may determine that no patient statements will be sent <u>and no patient collection actions taken</u> until such time as the PHE impact has been reduced in South Broward County. This determination will be made by the Vice President of Revenue Cycle and the Chief Financial Officer of MHS.
- C. During the first 120 days from the date the first post-discharge billing statement is provided, MHS will not begin any of the collection actions stated below in this section. Further, MHS will notify the Patient or responsible party 30 days in advance of beginning any of the collection actions stated below in this section.
  - i. filing any lawsuit
  - ii. filing for a judgment
  - iii. reporting to one or more credit bureau(s)
  - iv.iii. Defer or deny care after an Emergency Medical Condition has been determined not to exist by the patient's physician if the Patient or responsible party has outstanding balances placed with bad debt agencies until adequate payment arrangements have been made for their bad debt balances.

#### VII. EFFORTS TO WIDELY PUBLICIZE THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

- A. MHS will make the Financial Assistance Policy, the Financial Evaluation Form and a plain language summary of the Financial Assistance Policy available on its website, <u>www.mhs.net/financialaid</u>, in all languages required by Section 501(r) regulations. These documents can also be requested in person at any MHS hospital facility or by calling the Patient Financial Services Department at (954) 276-5501.
- B. Public notices will be clearly and conspicuously posted in locations visible to the public including all registration areas. These notices will explain that MHS offers a Financial Assistance Program to individuals who are uninsured or underinsured.

Notification of this policy, which shall include contact information, shall be distributed by MHS by various means, including notices attached to patient statements and notices attached to the patient admission forms in admitting and registration areas and through other public places as MHS may elect. The Financial Assistance Policy, Financial Assistance Program Application Form and the Plain Language Summary will be made available in English, Spanish, French, French Creole, Portuguese, Vietnamese and Russian. Questions regarding this policy can be made during business hours at (954) 276-5501.



## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Revised April 2026

#### I. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Any Patient may ask for financial assistance. Anyone else who is responsible for paying for the patient's care may also ask for financial assistance. All emergency and medically necessary care are covered under the financial assistance policy. Memorial Healthcare System (MHS) provides screening for and treatment of emergency medical conditions in accord with the Standard Practice titled "Transfer/Access to Emergency Care", attached to this policy. In cases where this Standard Practice does not apply, requests to schedule Memorial Healthcare services in advance are reviewed for financial assistance on a case by case basis. Patients seeking Emergency Care will be treated without regard for whether they are eligible for Financial Assistance under this policy.

This policy applies to all South Broward Healthcare District facilities. Note that Memorial Ambulatory Surgery Centers are not included because they are either not owned or operated by the South Broward Hospital District.

This Financial Assistance Policy will help you understand when financial assistance will be given.

Financial Assistance may mean charity care (as defined by either the State of Florida or District policies) or certain uninsured discounts, as explained further below.

For charity care, the patient or responsible party must not be able to pay for the patient's medical care. The ability to pay is determined by using the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG), patient or guarantor income, and family size. The federal government updates these guidelines annually. The ability to pay is also determined by examining assets and, if required, liabilities and potential litigation results for pending third party liability claims.

When asked, MHS will determine if the patient or responsible party has the ability to pay. This examination, or screening, for financial assistance is free of charge. The amount of the requested financial assistance must be more than \$500, for all accounts combined.

Patients may elect not to provide financial documentation but instead be provided financial assistance in the form of discounted self-pay rates. These are available for Emergency Department visits as well as most outpatient procedures and inpatient stays.

Financial assistance will not be granted to any uninsured non-resident of the South Broward Hospital District for non-emergent, medically necessary care that can be provided by their local safety net facility. If no safety net provider exists for that patient, financial assistance will be determined on a case by case basis.

The rest of this Financial Assistance Policy provides more information about how you may ask for financial assistance. It tells you when you will be considered eligible to get financial assistance. It tells you how much financial assistance you will get when you meet the requirements of this Financial Assistance Policy.

#### II. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND DISCOUNT AMOUNTS

- A. MHS will gather information about a patient's or other responsible party's income and family size and, if needed, their assets, expenses and liabilities. The result will determine their eligibility for financial assistance, the amount of the discount they will receive and the amount they will be required to pay.
- B. MHS will provide Financial Assistance counseling upon request, without additional charge, before or after the patient receives services.
- C. Inpatient admissions may be screened for Medicaid eligibility. If screening criteria indicate potential eligibility, the patient/responsible party may be required to submit an application to Medicaid prior to approval for Financial Assistance.
- D. A Patient or responsible party may request financial assistance for any debt greater than \$500. This means all uninsured patient responsibility amounts as well as insured patient balances after insurance payment. This includes deductibles, coinsurance, copayments, and non-covered charges. The following criteria is used when MHS considers the request:
  - i. <u>Patient or responsible party may qualify for 100% discount if the following</u> <u>applies:</u>
    - 1. The Patient or responsible party must complete a signed Financial Evaluation Form.
    - The Patient or responsible party has a total household income of less than or equal to 200% of the FPG (Per the 2025 FPG a family of four which makes \$64,300 per year is at 200% of the FPG), as described in Table A; and
    - 3. The Patient or responsible party has household liquid assets less than \$10,000. Liquid assets include cash, checking account balances, savings account balances, vehicles, boats, marketable personal property, stocks, bonds, or other negotiable instruments, and real property other than homestead. Liquid assets do not include primary residence, first vehicle or retirement funds not accessible without incurring a penalty; or
    - 4. The Patient or responsible party has a balance due which exceeds 25% of their annual household income, but only if the annual household income is less than 4 times the FPG for a family of 4; or

- 5. The Patient is unidentified after 6 months. During the 6 months MHS will exhaust all efforts to identify the patient including working with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies.
- ii. <u>Patient or responsible party may qualify for a sliding scale discount if the</u> <u>following applies:</u>
  - Patient or responsible party has a total household income of between 201% and 400% (Per the 2025 FPG a family of four which makes \$128,600 is at 400%) of the FPG;
  - 2. The amount of discount depends on the income of the Patient or responsible party and the facility. (See Table A for guidance); or
  - 3. At no point will a patient who qualifies for financial assistance be responsible for more than 10% of their annual total household income.
- iii. Patients may be presumptively screened for financial assistance without a signed financial assistance application. This screening uses the FinThrive community based proprietary model. MHS will also consider prior accounts incurred within the prior twelve months or twelve months after last insurance payment.
  - 1. Patient or responsible party has a total household income of less than or equal to 200% of the FPG will qualify for the 100% discount.
  - 2. Patient or responsible party with a total household income of between 201% and 400% will qualify for the sliding scale discount.
  - 3. At no point will a patient who qualifies for financial assistance be responsible for more than 10% of their annual total household income.
- iv. Other financial assistance may be provided under the abbreviated Financial Assistance approval process described below:
  - 1. Medicaid exhausted days or outpatient benefits
  - 2. Involuntary treatment under the Baker Act
  - 3. The patient is deceased, no estate has been filed with the court of the patient's county of residence after six months from the date of death. When this criterion has been verified by MHS, the outstanding balances will be discounted by 100%.

- Patients who have a valid financial assistance approval from the North Broward Hospital District will not have to reapply for South Broward Hospital District financial assistance for emergent services.
- E. Financial information for residents of the South Broward Hospital District who qualify for financial assistance will be valid for one year, unless MHS has reason to question it. When MHS approves financial assistance for a Patient or responsible party, MHS will also consider accounts incurred within the prior twelve months. For purposes of the Financial Assistance Policy, a Resident is: one who makes his or her home in the geographic boundaries of the South Broward Hospital District, where he or she dwells permanently or for an extended period of time and not as a visitor, tourist, or for some other temporary purpose or temporary convenience, and not acting a sham of dwelling in residence.
- F. Patients or responsible parties can apply for financial assistance for up to one year after the date of service or twelve months after last insurance payment.
- G. Residents of the South Broward Hospital District who have been accepted into membership in the Memorial Primary Care will have co-payments for:
  - i. Outpatient Pharmacy services
  - ii. Primary Care Clinic visits
  - iii. Hospital outpatient services
  - iv. Emergency Department visits
- H. Patients or responsible parties who qualify for financial assistance and do not reside in the South Broward Hospital District will be approved only for each date of service.
- I. Upon request from the patient or responsible party, MHS will send a written statement that they qualify for financial assistance.
- J. This Financial Assistance Policy only applies to services provided by MHS at its facilities and services provided by MHS employed physicians. A listing of the medical staff reflecting their adherence to this Financial Assistance Policy may be found here:

https://www.mhs.net/-/media/mhs/files/patients-and-visitors/financialassistance/en/providers.pdf?la=en

#### III. BASIS FOR CALCULATING AMOUNTS CHARGED TO PATIENTS

Once MHS determines that a Patient or responsible party is eligible to receive financial assistance under this Financial Assistance Policy, he or she will not be charged more than the Amounts Generally Billed (AGB). At MHS the AGB is determined through the "Look-back method" which is calculated as follows:

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# MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

# **STANDARD PRACTICE**

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## Title: TRANSFER/ACCESS TO EMERGENCY CARE

I. In no event shall the provision of emergency services, the acceptance of a medically necessary transfer or the return of a patient pursuant to Section III.(B) below, be based upon, or affected by, the person's race, ethnicity, religious/national origin, citizenship, age, gender, pre-existing medical condition, physical or mental handicap, insurance/economic status, or sexual preference.

II. 42 U.S.C. 1395 dd (sometimes referred to as Emergency Medical Treatment Active Labor Act or "EMTALA") and regulations promulgated thereunder at 42 CFR Section 489 et. Seq., and Ch. 395.1041, Fla Stat. create certain obligations on the part of hospitals with emergency departments and on the part of physicians providing emergency services and care.

III. In compliance with applicable law, Memorial Healthcare System ("MHS") hospitals shall provide emergency services and care for any emergency medical condition when:

- A. Any person requests either personally or through an authorized individual (such as a healthcare surrogate or proxy) emergency services and care; or
- B. Emergency services and care are requested on behalf of a person by:
  - 1. An emergency medical services provider who is rendering care or transporting the person; or
  - 2. Another hospital, when such hospital is seeking medically necessary transfer.
- IV. The term "emergency medical condition" means:
  - A. A medical condition manifesting itself by acute symptoms of sufficient severity (which may include severe pain) such that the absence of immediate medical attention could reasonably be expected to result in any of the following:
    - 1. Serious jeopardy to patient health, including a pregnant woman or fetus;
    - 2. Serious impairment to bodily functions; or

- 3. Serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part.
- B. With respect to a pregnant woman:
  - 1. That there is inadequate time to effect safe transfer to another hospital prior to delivery;
  - 2. That a transfer may pose a threat to the health and safety of the patient or fetus; or
  - 3. That there is evidence of labor, which means the process of childbirth beginning with the latent or early phase of labor or there is onset and persistence of uterine contractions or there is rupture of the membranes and continuing through the delivery of the placenta.

NOTE: For purposes of this Standard Practice, a patient experiencing contractions should be considered to be in true labor unless a physician certifies that after a reasonable time of observation the patient is in false labor.

- V. The term "emergency services and care" means:
  - A. An appropriate medical screening examination within the capabilities of the Hospital's Emergency Department including ancillary services available to the Emergency Department, to determine if an emergency medical condition exists. The examinations must be conducted by persons determined by the Hospital as qualified to conduct such examinations.
  - B. Examination and evaluation by a physician or to the extent permitted by applicable law by other appropriate personnel under the supervision of a physician, who determine if an emergency medical condition exists.
  - C. If an emergency medical condition does exist, the care, treatment or surgery by a physician necessary to stabilize the emergency medical condition, within the service capability of the facility.

"Stabilize or stabilized" means that no material deterioration of the patient's condition is likely, within reasonable medical probability, to result from or occur during the transfer.

VI. Under the law, neither the hospital nor its employees, nor any physician, dentist, or podiatrist shall be liable in any action arising out of a refusal to render emergency services or care if the refusal is made after screening, examining and evaluating the patient and is based on the determination that the person is either not suffering from an emergency medical condition, that the hospital does not have the service capability, or is at service capacity and unable to render those services.

## Procedure:

I. Access to Care

Emergency services and care and appropriate screening to determine the existence or absence of an emergency medical condition shall not be delayed in order to ascertain the ability to pay for such emergency services and care. Inquiries may be made regarding ability to pay if those inquiries do not cause a delay in medical screening or treatment. Each MHS Hospital accepting a person in need of emergency services and care via transfer from another hospital shall not require the transferring hospital, or any person or entity, to guarantee payment as a condition of receiving the transferred patient. The Hospital shall not require any contractual agreement, any type of pre-planned transfer agreement, or any other arrangement to be made prior to or at the time of transfer as a condition of receiving a transferred patient.

II. Posting of Notice

Notice in English, Spanish and Creole, specifying the patient's rights to emergency services and care and the service capability of the hospital shall at all times be conspicuously posted in the Emergency Departments.

- III. <u>Transfer Arrangements</u>
  - A. Medically necessary transfers shall be made to the geographically closest hospital able to provide the needed service, unless the geographically closest hospital is either at service capacity or unless a prior arrangement between hospitals is in place.
  - B. When the condition of the patient improves, and the service capability of the receiving hospital is no longer required, the receiving hospital may transfer the patient to another hospital and the transferring hospital shall receive the patient within its service capability.
- IV. Transfer of Patients from a Memorial Healthcare System Hospital
  - A. A patient suffering from an emergency medical condition may not be transferred from the hospital to another hospital unless:
    - 1. The patient or a person who is legally responsible for the patient and acting on the patient's behalf, after being informed of the hospital's obligation under this section and of the risk of transfer, requests the transfer. The hospital will seek to obtain this request in writing, indicating the reasons for the request as well as the risks and benefits of the transfer; or
    - 2. A physician has signed a certification that based upon the reasonable risks and benefits to the patient and based upon the information available at the time of transfer, the medical benefits reasonably expected from the provision of appropriate medical treatment at another hospital, outweigh potential increased risks to the patient's medical condition; or

- 3. If a physician is not physically present in the emergency services area at the time an individual is transferred, a qualified medical person may sign a certification that a physician with staff privileges, and after appropriate consultation, has determined that the medical benefits, reasonably expected from the provision of appropriate medical treatment at another medical facility, outweigh the potential increased risks to the individual's medical condition. The certification shall summarize the basis for such determination. The consulting physician must subsequently sign the certification.
- B. Each MHS Hospital will not transfer a patient unless the patient has been accepted for transfer by the facility for which transfer is sought.
- C. If the medical benefits of transfer do not outweigh the risks, patients who are not stable will be discouraged from requesting transfer and shall be advised of risks. If the patient or the legally responsible person acting on the patient's behalf persists in the transfer request, the request shall be made in writing, signed by the person making the request and the transfer shall be considered Against Medical Advice. The attached form (see Attachment #1) may be used to document the request.
- D. In medical emergencies, when a transfer must be made due to the hospital's inability to provide treatment as described above, such transfer must be approved by the Administrator-on-Call. The Nursing Director or Administrative Officer can approve the transfers to Memorial Regional Hospital if the need is of the above specified nature and a log of the patient's name, transferring and receiving physician, as well as the appropriate reason for transfer must be maintained.
- E. <u>All</u> air ambulance transfers, regardless of the receiving facility, must be approved by the Administrator-on-Call. For local (South Florida) air ambulance transfer of emergencies, contact the appropriate agency listed on Attachment #2.
- F. Nursing Director/Administrative Officer will complete transfer request form attached (see Attachment #3) and coordinate transport.
- G. Indigent Patients

When for medical reasons an indigent patient requires transfer to another hospital, transportation must be arranged either through a public agency or at the hospital's expense, with Administration's approval.

1. When transferring to the Veterans Administration Hospital ("VAH"), the attending physician should contact the VAH admitting physician, request and receive authorization for VAH transportation.

2. When transferring to Jackson Memorial Hospital ("JMH") or another institution outside Broward County, a 24-hour advance notice should be provided to the Clinical Effectiveness Department; this will allow adequate time to secure transportation or approval for payment from the appropriate public agency, (i.e., Health and Rehabilitative Services ("HRS"), Broward County Primary Care, U.S. Public Health Department.

If the transfer to JMH is an emergency and the patient is an active Medicaid recipient, the ambulance company is provided the Medicaid number for billing purposes and the Clinical Effectiveness Department is notified of the transfer as soon as possible for follow-up with HRS.

3. If payment for transportation cannot be obtained from any other source, or if possibility of assistance from a public agency cannot be determined, the transfer may be billed to the hospital, with Administration approval. The Clinical Effectiveness Department should be contacted to investigate possible retroactive reimbursement.

### V. Transfer of Patients to Memorial Healthcare System Hospitals

- A. Subject to appropriate bed availability, staffing and other resources needed in the provision of care, patients in other hospitals having no insurance or other financial means of payment for services rendered, will receive approval for transfer if **all** of the following conditions are met:
  - 1. The patient requires emergency treatment (which includes patients in active labor); and
  - 2. The hospital seeking transfer does not have the service available to prevent deterioration of the patient's condition; <u>and</u>
  - 3. An agreement exists between both the referring and accepting ER physicians concerning the stability of the patient's condition for transfer.

IN SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, THE MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM HOSPITAL WILL NOT ASK QUESTIONS ABOUT THE PATIENT'S ABILITY TO PAY UNLESS THE TRANSFER IS APPROVED.

- B. Subject to the above requirements and the availability of appropriate bed space, staffing, and other resources needed for the care of specific patients, MHS may approve requests for transfer of the following patients:
  - 1. Patients requiring or preferring services at a MHS Hospital who have adequate insurance or other financial resources to pay for hospitalization, shall receive approval for transfer. The Accounts Receivable Management Office will verify that insurance is in force and

the nature of the benefits. Nothing in this section limits the Memorial Healthcare System's right to receive payment for services rendered to such patient or Memorial Healthcare System's right to seek transfer of the patient to any facility, including the original referring facility once the patient's condition is stabilized.

- 2. Telephone calls may be received at any time of the day or night from administrators, nurses, social workers and doctors representing hospitals in and out of the South Broward Hospital District when seeking consent from an MHS representative, for a patient's acceptance to an MHS Hospital.
- 3. Transfers within MHS Facilities:

The requirements specified in this Standard Practice apply equally to transfers between MHS facilities, including, without limitation, transfers between Memorial Regional Hospital, Memorial Regional Hospital South, Memorial Hospital West, Memorial Hospital Miramar and Memorial Hospital Pembroke. For transfers to MHP between MHS Facilities, the Administrator On-Call's Designee is the receiving Hospital's Admitting/Bed Control Department. For difficult and/or complicated cases needing transfer to the respiratory care floor, prior approval must be obtained by the Director and/or Administrator as appropriate.

"Decanted" patients will be considered those patients in a MHS ED that require admission but can be transferred to an appropriate MHS facility due to capacity concerns at the present facility. "Decanting" as it relates to patients, is a process to relieve the pressure in an ED that is approaching capacity and level patient volumes across MHS.

"Decanting" is driven by the patient's diagnosis and initiated by a physician decision that the patient is medically appropriate to transfer. After the patient/Healthcare Surrogate gives consent to transfer, the patient is transferred to a MHS hospital unit.

### 4. <u>Medical Condition:</u>

The following information should be obtained by the receiving physician (accepting physician/ER physician if emergent) concerning the patient's medical condition:

a. Does the patient's condition warrant emergency or elective care?

b. Does the patient have a condition, illness, injury or disease which cannot be treated at the requesting facility?

## 5. <u>Except in situations involving patients who require emergency</u> <u>treatment</u>,

the following information must be obtained prior to the transfer request being evaluated by the Administrator-on-Call:

- a. <u>Residency:</u> The residency of the patient in the South Broward Hospital District should be verified by reference to the local telephone directory, current cross reference directory and through communication when required, with the patient, family members or friends. A resident of the South Broward Hospital District shall be defined as "any person" making his/her home or place of abode within the geographical boundaries of the hospital district and with no present intention of moving outside of the district.
- b. <u>Financial Data:</u> The Accounts Receivable Management Office will verify insurance coverage and/or financial resources including eligibility for government assistance programs and district charity to pay for hospitalization.
- c. <u>Stable for Transfer:</u> The patient transfer shall not be approved unless both the referring and receiving physician confer and reach a unanimous decision that the patient is in stable condition for transfer.
- 6. <u>Treating Physicians:</u> All transfer patients must be admitted by a member of MHS' medical staff. A physician may then be assigned when appropriate, in accordance with the Medical Staff By-laws and policies concerning assignment of patients.
- 7. <u>Clinical Effectiveness Department:</u> A Case Manager will evaluate the appropriateness of the transfer, based on MHS' criteria used for services to be rendered.
- 8. <u>Medical Records:</u> All transfers require any copies of pertinent portions of inpatients' and/or outpatients' medical records which include at a minimum, lab results, x-ray reports, EKG report, History & Physical and consultative reports, which are not contained in the electronic medical record.
- 9. <u>Hospital In-Patient Transfer Procedure from non-MHS Hospitals.</u>

## For Memorial Hospital West:

a. Day (8:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m., Monday – Friday; 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., Saturday and Sunday): Calls should be routed to Bed Control. Bed Control will complete the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form.

- b. Bed Control will verify the patient's insurance and obtain transfer and admission authority action, when necessary.
- c. The Nursing Director or the Administrative Officer when appropriate, will be notified of Transfer Request and will contact the Administrator-on-Call for approval.

### For Memorial Hospital Pembroke:

- a. Weekdays (7:00 am to 4:00 pm): Calls should be routed to Admissions: Patient Financial Representative will contact the administrator on call for approval/disapproval;
  - i. Admitting will notify the referring hospital of the approval/disapproval;
  - ii. Admitting will complete the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form; original will remain with the patient chart, yellow copy to be forwarded to the nursing office.
- b. Weekends, evenings, nights (4:00 pm to 7:00 am) and holidays: Calls should be routed to the Administrative Officer who will consult with the Patient Financial Representative and obtain approval for the transfer from the Administrator-On-Call.
  - i. Administrative Officer will notify the referring hospital of approval/disapproval.
  - ii. Administrative Officer will ensure that the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form is completed. Original will remain with the patient chart, yellow copy to be forwarded to the nursing office.

## For Memorial Hospital Miramar:

- a. Weekdays (8:00 am to 4:00 pm): Calls should be routed to the Clinical Effectiveness Department. The CE Director or designee will contact Bed Control to review demographics, reason for transfer, referring physician service availability and for verification of insurance coverage and authorization. The CE Director or designee will then contact the Administrator on Call for approval.
  - i. If approved, Bed Control will complete the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form and the CE Director or designee will notify the originating facility; the original form will remain with the patient chart, yellow copy to be forwarded to the nursing office.
- b. Weekends, evenings, nights (4:00 pm to 8:00 am) and holidays: Calls should be routed to the Administrative Officer who will contact the Clinical Effectiveness Director or designee to obtain approval for the transfer from the Administrator-On-Call.

- i. Administrative Officer will notify the referring hospital of approval/disapproval.
- ii. Administrative Officer will ensure that the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form is completed. Original will remain with the patient chart, yellow copy to be forwarded

# For Memorial Regional Hospital/ Memorial Regional Hospital South/Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital:

to the nursing office.

- a. Calls should be routed to the Call Center/Transfer Center 24/7. The Transfer Center RN or Bed Control Representative will complete the Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form, for all transfers other than ED to ED.
  - i. Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form will be forwarded to Patient Financial Service Representatives/Bed Control for insurance verification.
  - ii. Patient Financial Service Representative recommends approval/disapproval of insurance and forwards Inter-Hospital Transfer Request form to Transfer Center RN.
  - iii. Transfer Center RN/ Director of MHS Transfer Center/ Administrative Director of Patient Financial Services or designee approves/disapproves transfer request.
  - iv. Bed Control will be notified of approval/disapproval in a timely manner.
  - v. The Transfer Center RN or Bed Control will notify the referring hospital of approval/disapproval. After business hours, the Transfer Center RN will notify the Administrative Officer for approval/disapproval. The Administrator-On-Call is notified at the discretion of the Administrative Officer.
- b. Requests for all Behavioral Health patient transfers, whether from an inpatient or emergency department setting, will be routed through the Call Center/Transfer Center.

## Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Transport Team

When a request is made for transportation using the services of the Neonatal/Pediatric Transport Team for the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, the following procedure should be followed:

a. The request will be evaluated by the Transport Team and the Neonatologist or Pediatric Intensivist on duty at the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital. If the transport or transfer request is accepted by the Transport Team, in conjunction with the Transfer Center RN and the Neonatologist or Pediatric Intensivist, approval by the Administrator-on-Call is not required, except for International patients.

- b. All transfer requests are routed via the Transfer Center, (954) 986-6330 and the transfer nurse will facilitate Physician to Physician communication via a recorded line for quality assurance purposes. Once the patient has been accepted by the JDCH Physician, the transfer nurse will notify the appropriate transport team. The transport nurse will call to obtain patient report from the referral facility.
- c. If the request for transport or transfer is not accepted by the Transport Team, the request for transfer shall be forwarded to the Nurse Manager/Supervisor and the procedure applicable to all other transfer requests shall be followed.

## Memorial Regional Transport Team

When a request is made for transportation using the services of the Adult Transport Team (Cardiovascular, Maternal Fetal or Neuro Science Transport Team) the following procedure should be followed:

- a. All transfer requests are routed via the Transfer Center, (954) 265-6338 and the transfer nurse will facilitate Physician to Physician communication via a recorded line for quality assurance purposes. Once the patient has been accepted by the MRH Physician, the transfer nurse will notify the appropriate transport team. The transport nurse will call to obtain patient report from the referral facility.
  - 10. <u>ED to ED Transfers:</u> Calls will be routed to the Call Center/Transfer Center 24/7 and the patient will be approved based on physician to physician report.
  - 11. <u>Maintenance of Records and Logs</u> Each MHS Hospital shall maintain records of each transfer made or received for a period of ten years. These records shall be included in a transfer log, as well as in the permanent medical record of any patient being transferred or received. Each MHS Hospital shall maintain a record log of all patients who request emergency care and services, or persons on whose behalf emergency care and services are requested, for a period of ten years.

### VI. Emergency Response on Hospital Property

Hospital property means the entire main hospital campus, including the parking lot, sidewalk and driveway, but excluding other areas or structures that are located within 250 yards of the hospital's main building and are not part of the hospital, such as physician offices, restaurants, shops, or other non-medical facilities. It also includes medical facilities of MHS that function as departments of a MHS hospital, including those located off the hospital campus.

If any person on hospital property requires or reasonably appears to need examination or treatment for an emergency medical condition, staff shall respond to the extent of available staff and equipment and when necessary and appropriate, arrange for transportation of the person to the hospital's emergency department.

When necessary and appropriate to arrange for treatment and/or transportation, staff may dial 911 and obtain EMS services. Treatment if required, shall be provided to the extent of available staff and resources and should continue while awaiting EMS response.

### VII. <u>Transportation of a Patient from an Off-Campus Hospital Department</u>

- A. Department personnel shall:
  - 1. Arrange for transportation of the patient unless refused by the patient or guardian or healthcare surrogate or proxy.
  - 2. Transportation shall be the closest and most appropriate facility necessary to prevent injury to the patient.
  - 3. Whenever possible, consistent with (1.) and (2.) above, arrange for transportation to the closest MHS Hospital with appropriate facilities to provide emergency services and care to the patient. Transportation shall be by EMS unless refused by the patient or determined not to be necessary by a physician.
  - 4. Contact the destination Emergency Department to prepare for the patient's arrival.

FOR PATIENTS UNDER THE BAKER ACT, REFER TO THE MHS STANDARD PRACTICES TITLED "INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENT, BAKER ACT" AND "TRANSFER REQUEST—BAKER ACT."

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Aurelio M. Fernandez, III, ACHE President and Chief Executive Officer

### ATTACHMENT #1

### **REQUEST FOR TRANSFER AGAINST MEDICAL ADVICE**

### READ THIS FORM CAREFULLY AND COMPLETELY BEFORE SIGNING

I have been advised that my medical condition is considered "unstable" and the physician caring for me strongly recommends against transfer. The risks of transfer include the following:

I understand that there may be additional risks and it is not possible to list every complication that may result from transfer.

I understand that this transfer is considered against medical advice, and I willingly and knowingly assume all risks associated with the transfer.

I have read and fully understand the above form and I am requesting to be transferred to:

Signature of Patient Time Date

Signature of Legal Representative Witness

## ATTACHMENT #2

## Air Ambulance Agencies

Administrator-On-Call approval is needed prior to contact.

### Local Emergency Transfer (Orlando and South)

- 1. Broward Sheriff's Department 305-765-4321 Dispatch 305-772-3670 Airport Station
- 2. Metro Dade 305-596-8571 Dispatch 305-233-5000 Special Detail Office
- Coast Guard Air Station 305-536-5611 Rescue Coordination Center Agencies to Contact (Fixed Wings) Long Distance (North of Orlando)

## Air Force (Mast) Assistance/Coast Guard (Miami):

To be used as last resort in the event that no commercial carrier is available, or medical intervention of immediate nature is needed; Contact Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center at **305-536-5611**.

## **Commercial Air Ambulances.**

Aero Ambulance Int'l.	800-749-2376
Air Ambulance America	800-262-8526
Air Ambulance Professional	800-752-4195
Air Care Int'l	800-762-7060
Air Medical Services	800-443-0013
Air Trek, Inc.	800-633-5387
Airborne Medical Service	800-241-1234
Care Flight	800-282-6878
Corporate Angels (Indgt)	914-328-1313
Eastern Air Charter	800-370-8680
Federal Air Ambulance	800-336-4586
Lifeguard Air Ambulance	800-262-4688
Lifeguard Air Rescue	800-446-7142

This Standard Practice applies to all of the hospitals and facilities owned and operated by the South Broward Hospital District d/b/a Memorial Healthcare System including, but not limited to, Memorial Regional Hospital, which includes Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital and Memorial Regional Hospital South, Memorial Hospital Pembroke, Memorial Hospital West, and Memorial Hospital Miramar, unless otherwise stated.

#### Table A: Financial Assistance Discount Matrix

Memorial Regional Hospital					
BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				

#### Joe DiMaggio Hospital

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				

#### Memorial Hospital Pembroke

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				

#### Memorial Hospital Miramar

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	80% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	79% Discount				

#### Memorial Regional Hospital South

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	<mark>82% Discount</mark> 83% Discount				

#### Memorial Hospital West

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT				
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT			
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount			
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount			
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount			
301% - 350% of FPG	85% Discount			
351% - 400% of FPG	85% Discount			

## Memorial Employed Physician Group/Urgent Care/Specialty Pharmacy

	BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INC	DME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up t	o 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
2019	% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251	% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
3019	% - 350% of FPG	80% Discount				
351	% - 400% of FPG	75% Discount				

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#### Memorial Primary Care Centers and Outpatient Behavioral Health

BALANCES DUE FROM PATIENT					
INCOME	AMOUNT OF DISCOUNT				
Up to 200% of FPG	100% Discount				
201% - 250% of FPG	90% Discount				
251% - 300% of FPG	85% Discount				
301% - 350% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				
351% - 400% of FPG	82% Discount				
	83% Discount				





# APRIL 2025 MATERIALS MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

# **APRIL 2025**

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# POST TARIFF MARKET UPDATE



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# **NEPC MARKET OUTLOOK**



Recession risks are high should the effective tariff rate on imported goods remain above 20%, but we expect rates to be negotiated lower



Brace for volatility as tariff policy uncertainty and additional announcements are likely to continue buffeting equity markets



Periods of heightened market fear offer elevated long-term returns and we encourage rebalancing back into the S&P 500



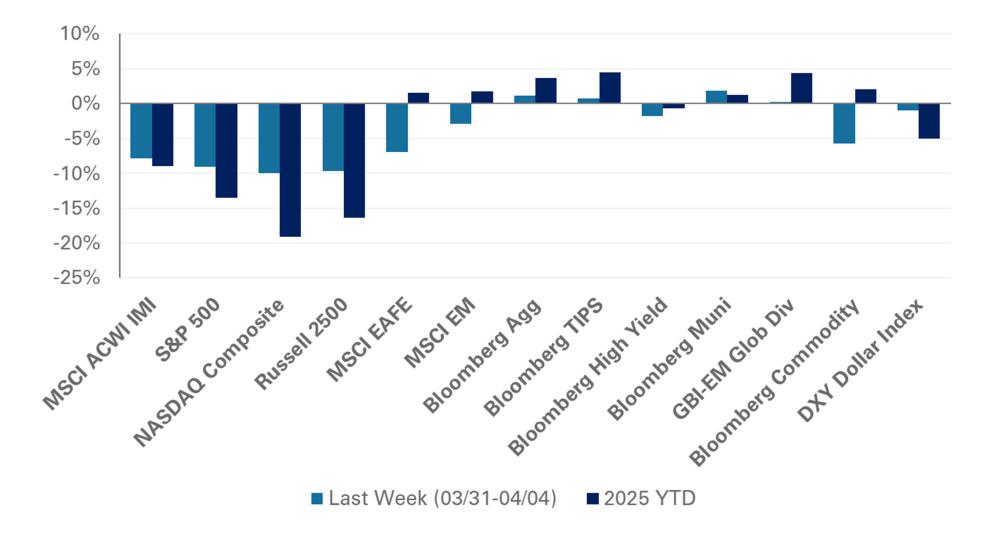
We recommend investors to ensure they have appropriate safe-haven fixed-income exposure and sufficient liquidity for cash flow needs



We urge investors to stay the course and not pull away from markets when panic takes hold; look for opportunities should the rout deepen

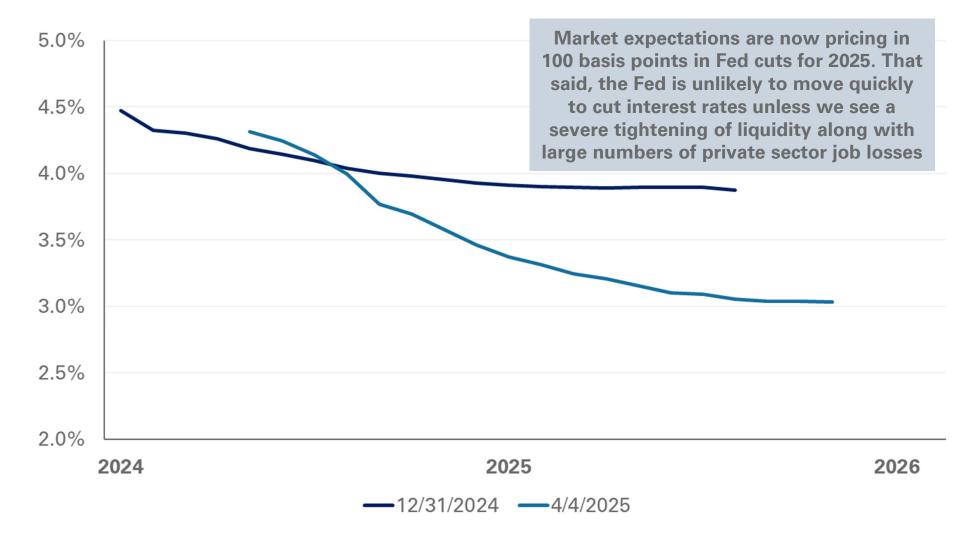


# **TARIFF AND RECESSION FEARS HIT MARKETS** TOTAL RETURNS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup> AND 2025



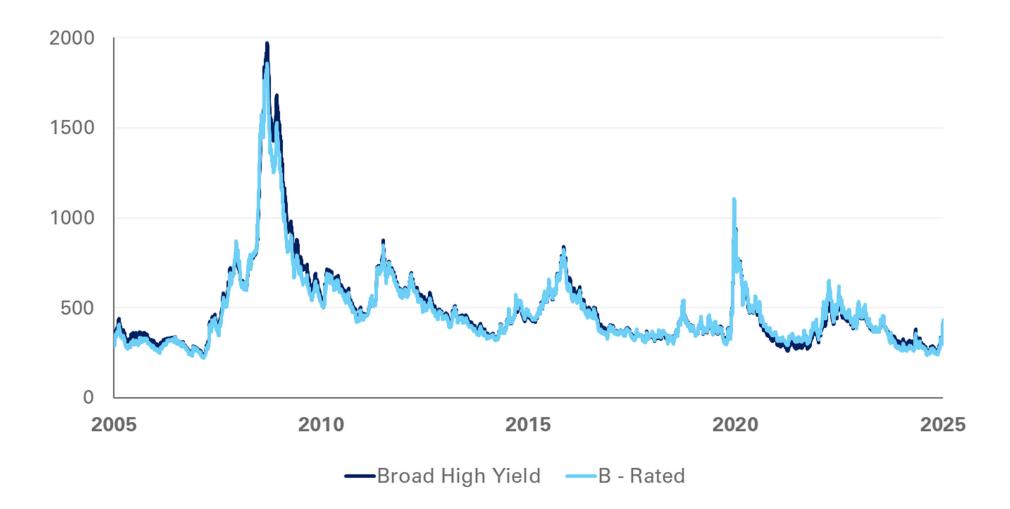


# **MARKETS ARE HOPING FOR MORE FED RATE CUTS** FED FUNDS FUTURES EXPECTATIONS



Source: FactSet

# **CREDIT IS NOT BLARING RECESSION ALARMS YET** U.S. HIGH YIELD OPTION-ADJUSTED SPREADS





Sources: Bloomberg, FactSet

# MARCH 2025 CAPITAL MARKET UPDATE



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# **TRAILING ANNUAL INDEX PERFORMANCE**

Equity						
Mar-25 YTD 1 YR 3 YR 5 YR 10						
MSCI ACWI	-4.0%	-1.3%	7.2%	6.9%	15.2%	8.8%
S&P 500	-5.6%	-4.3%	8.3%	9.1%	18.6%	12.5%
Russell 1000	-5.8%	-4.5%	7.8%	8.7%	18.5%	12.2%
Russell 2000	-6.8%	-9.5%	-4.0%	0.5%	13.3%	6.3%
Russell 2500	-6.3%	-7.5%	-3.1%	1.8%	14.9%	7.5%
MSCI EAFE	-0.4%	6.9%	4.9%	6.1%	11.8%	5.4%
MSCI EM	0.6%	2.9%	8.1%	1.4%	7.9%	3.7%

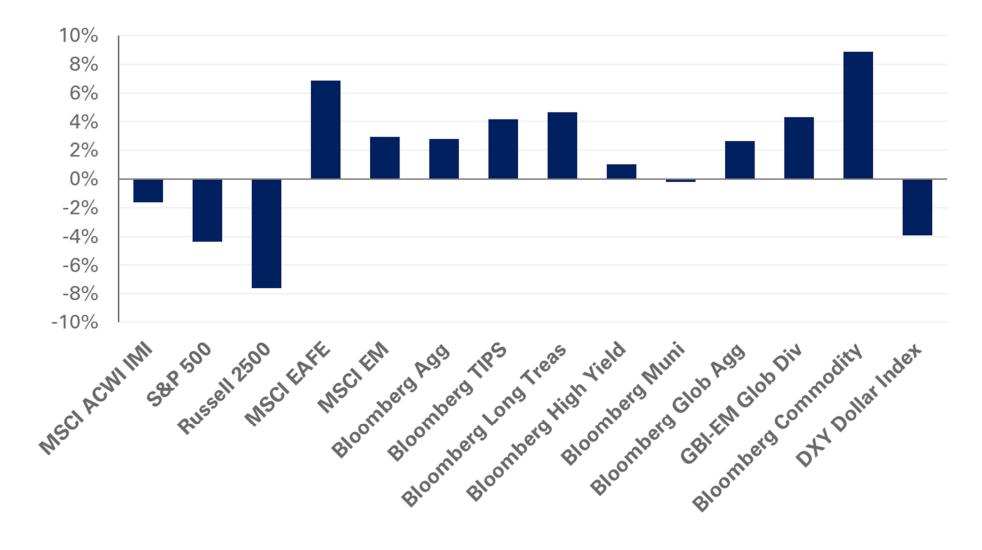
Credit								
Mar-25         YTD         1 YR         3 YR         5 YR         10 YR								
BBG Global Agg	0.6%	2.6%	3.0%	-1.6%	-1.4%	0.6%		
BBG US Agg	0.0%	2.8%	4.9%	0.5%	-0.4%	1.5%		
BBG Credit	-0.2%	2.4%	4.9%	1.1%	1.3%	2.3%		
BBG US HY	-1.0%	1.0%	7.7%	5.0%	7.3%	5.0%		
BBG Muni	-1.7%	-0.2%	1.2%	1.5%	1.1%	2.1%		
BBG Muni HY	-1.2%	0.8%	5.6%	2.9%	4.3%	4.3%		
BBG TIPS	0.6%	4.2%	6.2%	0.1%	2.4%	2.5%		
BBG 20+ STRIPS	-2.7%	4.8%	-3.9%	-13.8%	-13.0%	-2.3%		
BBG Long Treasuries	-0.9%	4.7%	1.3%	-7.2%	-7.9%	-0.6%		
BBG Long Credit	-1.4%	2.5%	2.1%	-2.2%	-0.5%	2.1%		
BBG Govt/Credit 1-3 Yr	0.5%	1.6%	5.6%	3.1%	1.6%	1.7%		
JPM EMBI Glob Div	-0.8%	2.2%	6.8%	3.4%	3.5%	3.2%		
JPM GBI-EM Glob Div	1.5%	4.3%	4.0%	2.7%	2.3%	1.3%		

Real Assets						
Mar-25         YTD         1 YR         3 YR         5 YR         10 YR						
BBG Commodity	3.9%	8.9%	12.3%	-0.8%	14.5%	2.8%
Alerian Midstream Index	1.8%	6.3%	39.5%	19.8%	33.6%	7.4%
NAREIT Composite Index	-2.4%	2.9%	9.2%	-1.7%	9.7%	5.6%



Source: S&P, MSCI, Russell, Bloomberg, JPM, Alerian, FTSE, FactSet

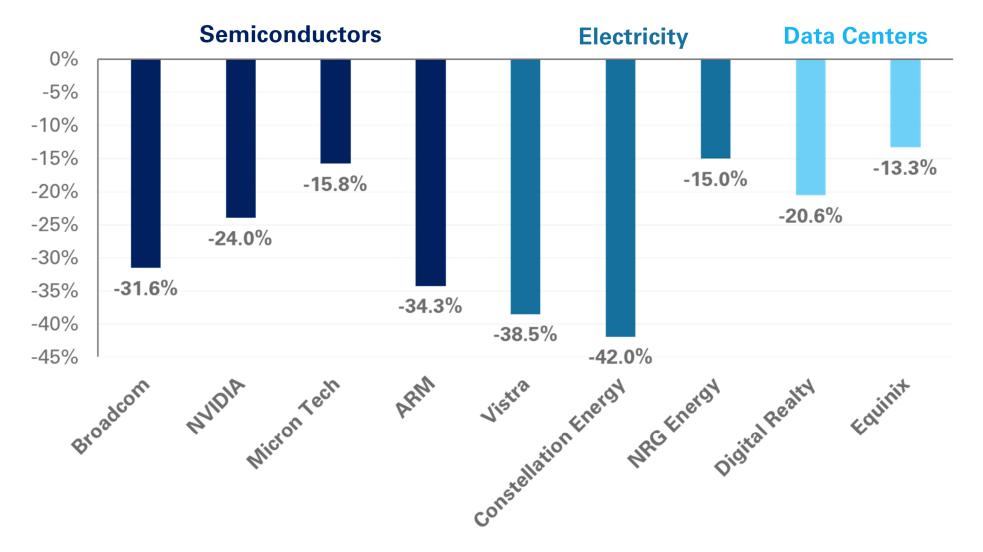
# **RISK-OFF U.S. POSTURE PERMEATED MARKETS** QUARTERLY TOTAL RETURNS





Sources: S&P, Russell, MSCI, JPM, Bloomberg, FactSet

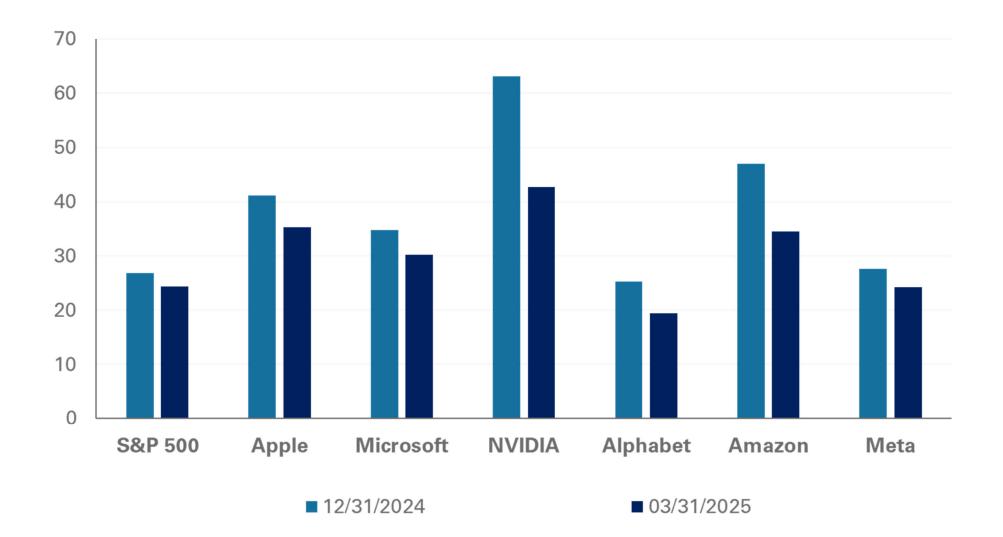
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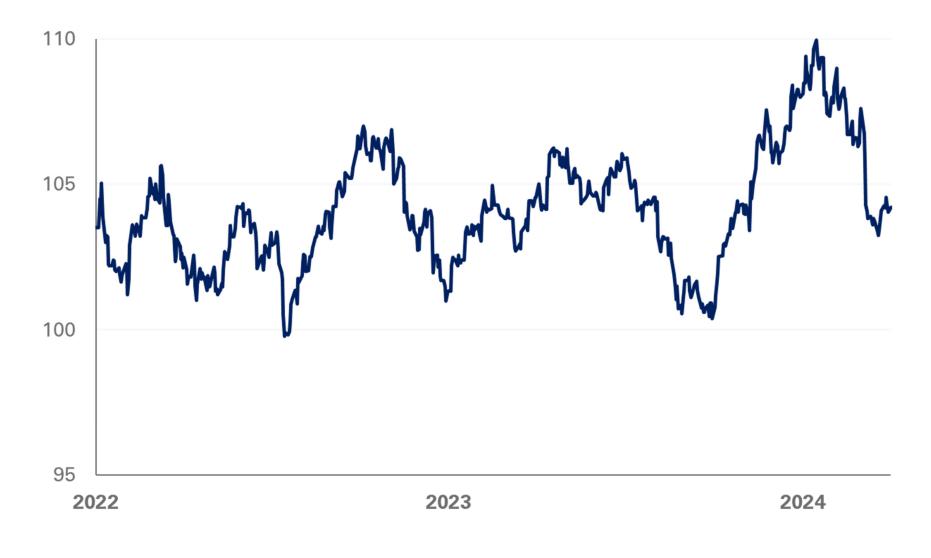


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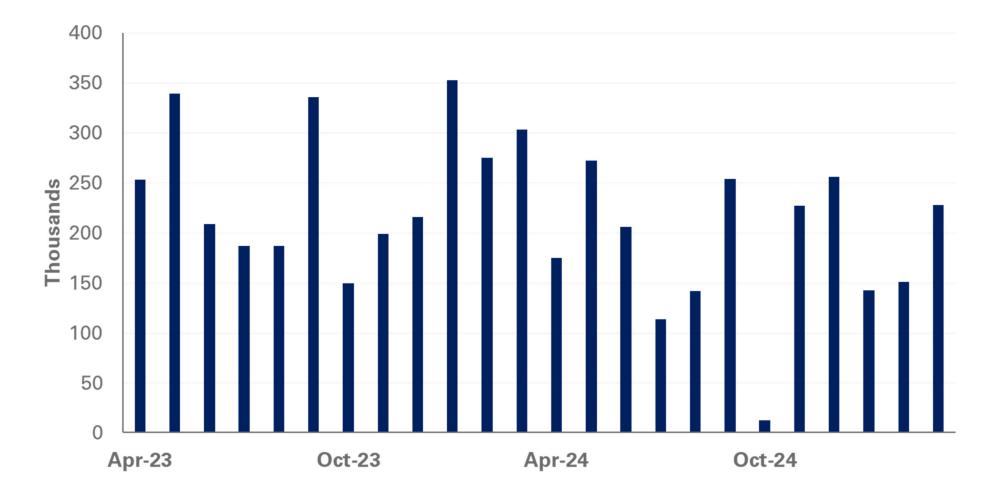


# NON-U.S. RETURNS BOLSTERED BY WEAKER USD DXY INDEX





# FEDERAL CUTS HAVE YET TO IMPACT JOBS DATA U.S. NONFARM PAYROLLS: MONTHLY JOBS ADDED





Sources: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, FactSet



# PERFORMANCE UPDATE

March 31, 2025



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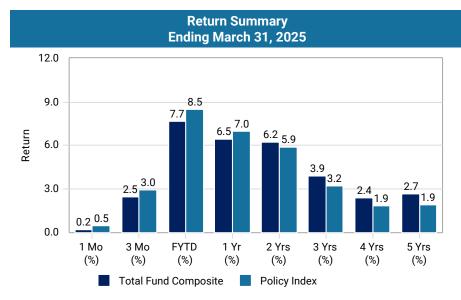
SOUTH BROWARD HOSPITAL DISTRICT – OPERATING FUNDS

March 31, 2025



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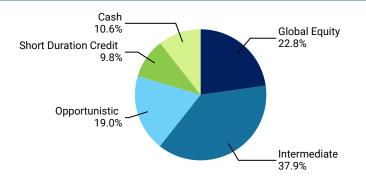
# MHS Operating Plan **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**



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		Total Fund Comp	oosite 📃 Net	Cash Flow	

	Current (\$)	Current (%)	Policy (%)	Differences (%)
Global Equity	607,184,533	22.8	20.0	2.8
Intermediate	1,010,482,841	37.9	35.0	2.9
Opportunistic	506,156,932	19.0	20.0	-1.0
Short Duration Credit	261,812,514	9.8	10.0	-0.2
Cash	281,691,423	10.6	15.0	-4.4
Total	2,667,328,244	100.0	100.0	0.0

**Current Allocation** 



Summary of Cash Flows											
	1 Month	FYTD	1 Year	5 Years							
Beginning Market Value	2,662,083,841	2,571,092,637	2,601,159,732	2,203,237,124							
Net Cash Flow		-100,045,068	-100,045,068	128,707,196							
Net Investment Change	5,244,403	196,280,675	166,213,581	335,383,924							
Ending Market Value	2,667,328,244	2,667,328,244	2,667,328,244	2,667,328,244							



	Allocati	on		Performance (%)							
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	FYTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	2 Yrs (%)	3 Yrs (%)	4 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	
Total Fund Composite	2,667,328,244	100.0	0.2	2.5	7.7	6.5	6.2	3.9	2.4	2.7	
Policy Index			0.5	3.0	8.5	7.0	5.9	3.2	1.9	1.9	
Fixed Income Composite	1,778,452,288	66.7	0.4	2.5	7.2	5.9	4.6	2.6	0.8	1.0	
Short Term Composite	261,812,514	9.8	0.5	2.1	6.6	5.9	4.6	3.1	1.2	1.2	
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			0.5	2.0	6.5	5.7	4.4	2.8	1.1	1.3	
Lord Abbett Short Duration	131,731,674	4.9	0.5	2.1	6.6	5.9	4.7	3.1			
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			0.5	2.0	6.5	5.7	4.4	2.8			
Loop Capital Asset Management	130,080,840	4.9	0.5	2.1	6.6	6.0	4.6	3.0	1.2	1.2	
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			0.5	2.0	6.5	5.7	4.4	2.8	1.1	1.3	
Intermediate Term Composite	1,010,482,841	37.9	0.4	2.4	7.2	5.9	4.6	2.6	0.8	1.0	
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			0.4	2.4	7.1	5.7	4.2	2.2	0.6	0.9	
Galliard Intermediate Government	245,687,168	9.2	0.3	2.5	7.7	6.2	4.9	2.7	1.0	1.1	
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			0.4	2.4	7.1	5.7	4.2	2.2	0.6	0.9	
Merganser Intermediate Bond	238,178,961	8.9	0.4	2.6	7.2	6.0	4.7	2.6	0.8	1.0	
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			0.4	2.4	7.1	5.7	4.2	2.2	0.6	0.9	
Fort Washington Intermediate Bond	203,748,834	7.6	0.3	2.4	7.0	5.7	4.4	2.4			
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			0.4	2.4	7.1	5.7	4.2	2.2			
Lord Abbett Intermediate Bond	234,522,732	8.8	0.4	2.4	7.2	5.8	4.4	2.4			
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			0.4	2.4	7.1	5.7	4.2	2.2			
PFM - Self Insurance Fund	48,995,266	1.8	0.5	2.0	6.6	5.9	4.7	3.0	1.3	1.4	
ICE BofA 1-5 Yr Treasury & Agency			0.5	2.0	6.3	5.5	4.0	2.5	0.9	0.7	
PFM - Disability Fund	21,688,156	0.8	0.5	2.0	6.6	5.9	4.6	3.0	1.3	1.4	
ICE BofA 1-5 Yr Treasury & Agency			0.5	2.0	6.3	5.5	4.0	2.5	0.9	0.7	
PFM - Workmen's Compensation Fund	11,846,315	0.4	0.4	1.5	5.7	5.5	4.7	3.3	1.9	1.6	
ICE BofA U.S. Agencies, 1-3yr			0.4	1.4	5.5	5.3	4.4	3.0	1.5	1.4	
PFM - Health & Dental Fund	5,815,410	0.2	0.4	1.5	5.7	5.6	4.7	3.3	1.8	1.6	
ICE BofA U.S. Agencies, 1-3yr			0.4	1.4	5.5	5.3	4.4	3.0	1.5	1.4	



	Allocation									
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	FYTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	2 Yrs (%)	3 Yrs (%)	4 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)
Opportunistic Composite	506,156,932	19.0	0.3	2.7	7.6	6.0	4.5	2.3	0.7	0.8
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			0.3	2.6	7.6	5.6	3.9	1.6	0.1	0.4
Galliard Opportunistic	156,505,971	5.9	0.3	2.8	8.1	6.2	4.6	2.2	0.6	0.8
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			0.3	2.6	7.6	5.6	3.9	1.6	0.1	0.4
Merganser Opportunistic	156,374,383	5.9	0.4	2.8	7.4	6.0	4.5	2.4	0.8	0.8
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			0.3	2.6	7.6	5.6	3.9	1.6	0.1	0.4
Fort Washington Active Fixed Income	193,276,578	7.2	0.3	2.6	7.3	5.7	4.5	2.4		
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			0.3	2.6	7.6	5.6	3.9	1.6		
Global Equity Composite	607,184,533	22.8	-0.4	3.0	11.1	8.8	12.0	7.7	7.3	11.0
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			1.0	6.2	16.0	12.9	12.0	5.6	6.4	9.7
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility Equity	291,960,746	10.9	0.8	6.1	13.9	10.7	13.2	8.6	7.8	11.1
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			1.0	6.2	16.0	12.9	12.0	5.6	6.4	9.7
Parametric Global Defensive Equity	315,223,787	11.8	-1.6	0.4	8.7	7.1	11.0	7.0	6.8	10.8
50% MSCI ACWI / 50% 90 Day T-Bill			-1.8	-0.1	7.7	6.2	10.1	5.9	5.4	9.0
Cash Composite	281,691,423	10.6	0.4	1.1	4.7	5.1	5.2	4.3	3.2	2.6
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	4.5	5.0	5.1	4.2	3.2	2.6
PNC Treasury Management	281,687,139	10.6	0.4	1.1	4.7	5.1	5.2	4.3	3.2	2.6
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	4.5	5.0	5.1	4.2	3.2	2.6
U.S. Bank Cash	4,285	0.0								
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	4.5	5.0	5.1	4.2	3.2	2.6

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\* Policy Index consist of 35% Bloomberg Intermediate U.S. Gov/Credit, 20% Bloomberg U.S. Intermediate Aggregate, 10% Bloomberg 1-5 Year Gov/Credit, 20% MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net), and 15% 90 Day U.S. T-Bills.



	Allocati	on		Performance (%)							
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total Fund Composite	2,667,328,244	100.0	5.7	6.7	-5.9	1.1	3.9	5.3	1.2	1.3	1.1
Policy Index			5.0	5.7	-7.1	1.0	3.9	5.7	1.2	0.8	0.9
Short Term Composite	261,812,514	9.8	4.2	5.1	-5.2	-1.0	3.2	3.5	1.6	0.7	0.8
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			3.8	4.9	-5.5	-1.0	4.7	5.0	1.4	1.3	1.6
Lord Abbett Short Duration	131,731,674	4.9	4.1	5.1	-4.9						
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			3.8	4.9	-5.5						
Loop Capital Asset Management	130,080,840	4.9	4.2	5.1	-5.6	-0.9	3.2	3.5	1.6	0.7	1.0
Blmbg. 1-5 Year Gov/Credit			3.8	4.9	-5.5	-1.0	4.7	5.0	1.4	1.3	1.6
Intermediate Term Composite	1,010,482,841	37.9	3.6	5.5	-7.5	-1.0	4.8	4.6	1.5	1.3	1.2
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			3.0	5.2	-8.2	-1.4	6.4	6.8	0.9	2.1	2.1
Galliard Intermediate Government	245,687,168	9.2	3.9	5.8	-8.1	-0.6	5.1	4.6	1.5	1.4	1.3
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			3.0	5.2	-8.2	-1.4	6.4	6.8	0.9	2.1	2.1
Merganser Intermediate Bond	238,178,961	8.9	3.5	5.5	-7.6	-1.0	4.6	4.6	1.5	1.3	1.2
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			3.0	5.2	-8.2	-1.4	6.4	6.8	0.9	2.1	2.1
Fort Washington Intermediate Bond	203,748,834	7.6	3.2	5.6	-7.9						
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			3.0	5.2	-8.2						
Lord Abbett Intermediate Bond	234,522,732	8.8	3.3	5.5	-7.7						
Blmbg. Intermed. U.S. Government/Credit			3.0	5.2	-8.2						
PFM - Self Insurance Fund	48,995,266	1.8	4.1	5.0	-5.0	-0.9	4.6	4.6	1.4	1.1	1.3
ICE BofA 1-5 Yr Treasury & Agency			3.4	4.3	-5.2	-1.1	4.2	4.2	1.5	0.7	1.1
PFM - Disability Fund	21,688,156	0.8	4.0	5.0	-5.1	-0.9	4.6	4.6	1.3	1.1	1.3
ICE BofA 1-5 Yr Treasury & Agency			3.4	4.3	-5.2	-1.1	4.2	4.2	1.5	0.7	1.1
PFM - Workmen's Compensation Fund	11,846,315	0.4	4.5	5.1	-3.0	-0.5	2.8	3.5	1.6	0.7	1.0
ICE BofA U.S. Agencies, 1-3yr			4.3	4.7	-3.7	-0.4	2.7	3.5	1.8	0.7	1.0
PFM - Health & Dental Fund	5,815,410	0.2	4.6	5.0	-3.1	-0.5	2.8	3.5	1.7	0.7	1.0
ICE BofA U.S. Agencies, 1-3yr			4.3	4.7	-3.7	-0.4	2.7	3.5	1.8	0.7	1.0



	Allocation			Performance (%)							
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Opportunistic Composite	506,156,932	19.0	3.1	5.7	-8.5	-1.4	6.3	5.9	1.3	2.0	1.6
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			2.5	5.2	-9.5	-1.3	5.6	6.7	0.9	2.3	2.0
Galliard Opportunistic	156,505,971	5.9	3.3	5.7	-9.2	-1.1	6.6	5.9	1.3	2.2	1.6
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			2.5	5.2	-9.5	-1.3	5.6	6.7	0.9	2.3	2.0
Merganser Opportunistic	156,374,383	5.9	3.1	5.6	-8.3	-1.4	5.9	5.8	1.4	1.7	1.6
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			2.5	5.2	-9.5	-1.3	5.6	6.7	0.9	2.3	2.0
Fort Washington Active Fixed Income	193,276,578	7.2	3.0	5.8	-8.2						
Blmbg. U.S. Intermediate Aggregate			2.5	5.2	-9.5						
Global Equity Composite	607,184,533	22.8	13.0	11.2	-6.0	12.7	1.4	17.0			
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			11.4	7.7	-10.3	13.9	2.7	21.1			
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility Equity	291,960,746	10.9	13.5	8.0	-4.5	12.0	-3.9	22.7			
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			11.4	7.7	-10.3	13.9	2.7	21.1			
Parametric Global Defensive Equity	315,223,787	11.8	12.7	14.6	-7.5	13.1	2.6	14.1			
50% MSCI ACWI / 50% 90 Day T-Bill			11.3	13.6	-8.5	9.0	9.1	14.1			
Cash Composite	281,691,423	10.6	5.3	5.1	1.3	0.1	0.8	2.4	1.9	0.9	0.5
PNC Treasury Management	281,687,139	10.6	5.3	5.1	1.3	0.1	0.8	2.4	1.9	0.9	0.5
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			5.3	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.3	1.9	0.9	0.3
U.S. Bank Cash	4,285	0.0									
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			5.3	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.3			

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# MHS Operating Plan CASH FLOW SUMMARY BY MANAGER

1 Month Ending March 31, 2025									
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Cash Flows	Gain/Loss	Ending Market Value			
Lord Abbett Short Duration	\$131,024,738	-	-	-	\$706,936	\$131,731,674			
Loop Capital Asset Management	\$129,445,504	-	-	-	\$635,336	\$130,080,840			
Galliard Intermediate Government	\$244,844,070	-	-	-	\$843,098	\$245,687,168			
Merganser Intermediate Bond	\$237,145,425	-	-	-	\$1,033,535	\$238,178,961			
Fort Washington Intermediate Bond	\$203,064,352	-	-	-	\$684,482	\$203,748,834			
Lord Abbett Intermediate Bond	\$233,473,479	-	-	-	\$1,049,253	\$234,522,732			
PFM - Self Insurance Fund	\$48,761,718	-	-	-	\$233,548	\$48,995,266			
PFM - Disability Fund	\$21,583,784	-	-	-	\$104,371	\$21,688,156			
PFM - Workmen's Compensation Fund	\$11,793,805	-	-	-	\$52,510	\$11,846,315			
PFM - Health & Dental Fund	\$5,789,628	-	-	-	\$25,782	\$5,815,410			
Galliard Opportunistic	\$156,025,122	-	-	-	\$480,849	\$156,505,971			
Merganser Opportunistic	\$155,743,528	-	-	-	\$630,855	\$156,374,383			
Fort Washington Active Fixed Income	\$192,781,767	-	-	-	\$494,810	\$193,276,578			
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility Equity	\$289,725,212	-	-	-	\$2,235,534	\$291,960,746			
Parametric Global Defensive Equity	\$320,195,334	-	-	-	-\$4,971,547	\$315,223,787			
PNC Treasury Management	\$280,682,102	-	-	-	\$1,005,036	\$281,687,139			
U.S. Bank Cash	\$4,271	-	-	-	\$14	\$4,285			
Total	\$2,662,083,841	-	-	-	\$5,244,403	\$2,667,328,244			



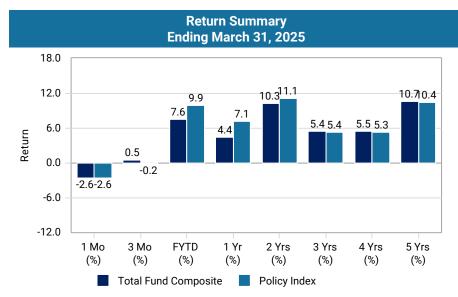


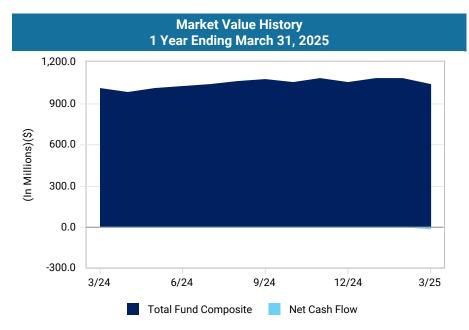
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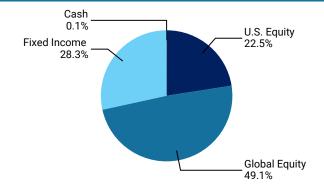
# MHS Retirement Plan **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**





	Current (\$)	Current (%)	Policy (%)	Differences (%)
U.S. Equity	234,827,626	22.5	20.0	2.5
Global Equity	511,650,132	49.1	45.0	4.1
Fixed Income	295,458,414	28.3	35.0	-6.7
Cash	1,079,720	0.1	0.0	0.1
Total	1,043,015,892	100.0	100.0	0.0

**Current Allocation** 



Summary of Cash Flows									
	1 Month	FYTD	1 Year	5 Years					
Beginning Market Value	1,085,319,881	987,517,133	1,015,375,773	639,811,720					
Net Cash Flow	-14,784,897	-19,683,863	-17,642,088	-27,710,664					
Net Investment Change	-27,519,093	75,182,623	45,282,207	430,914,835					
Ending Market Value	1,043,015,892	1,043,015,892	1,043,015,892	1,043,015,892					

# MHS Retirement Plan TOTAL FUND PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocati	on	Performance (%)							
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	FYTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	2 Yrs (%)	3 Yrs (%)	4 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)
Total Fund Composite	1,043,015,892	100.0	-2.6	0.5	7.6	4.4	10.3	5.4	5.5	10.7
Policy Index			-2.6	-0.2	9.9	7.1	11.1	5.4	5.3	10.4
Fixed Income Composite	295,458,414	28.3	-0.1	2.2	7.3	5.4	5.3	2.5	1.2	2.1
Custom Index			0.0	2.3	7.3	5.5	4.8	2.2	1.0	1.8
C.S. McKee Aggregate Fixed Income	192,844,226	18.5	0.0	2.7	7.9	5.0	3.8	0.8	-0.5	0.1
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			0.0	2.8	7.6	4.9	3.3	0.5	-0.7	-0.4
Chartwell High Yield	46,599,392	4.5	0.0	1.5	6.6	6.3	7.2	5.1	3.5	5.2
ICE BofA U.S. High Yield Cash Pay BB 1-3 Year			-0.1	1.4	6.8	6.7	7.3	5.5	4.0	6.1
Aristotle Floating Rate Income	56,011,405	5.4	-0.4	0.4	5.0	5.5	8.9	6.8	5.9	7.6
S&P UBS Leveraged Loan Index			-0.3	0.6	6.3	7.0	9.7	7.1	6.1	8.9
Wellington LCP Legacy Portfolio	3,391	0.0								
U.S. Equity Composite	234,827,626	22.5	-4.4	-3.2	10.7	7.3	14.9	7.6	8.6	15.5
CRSP U.S. Total Market TR Index			-5.9	-4.8	12.0	7.1	17.7	8.1	9.0	18.1
Vanguard Total Stock Market Fund	117,587,820	11.3	-5.8	-4.8	12.0	7.2	17.7	8.1	9.0	18.1
CRSP U.S. Total Market TR Index			-5.9	-4.8	12.0	7.1	17.7	8.1	9.0	18.1
Parametric Defensive Equity	117,239,806	11.2	-2.9	-1.5	9.4	7.4	12.5	7.3	8.3	12.5
50% S&P 500/50% 90 Day T-Bill			-2.7	-1.6	8.8	6.8	11.9	7.0	7.2	10.7
Global Equity Composite	511,650,132	49.1	-3.1	1.4	6.4	2.6	11.5	6.3	6.9	14.7
MSCI AC World Index (Net)			-4.0	-1.3	10.8	7.2	14.9	6.9	7.0	15.2
Dodge & Cox	214,036,679	20.5	-1.2	6.1	8.1	5.5	13.0	7.3	8.1	18.6
MSCI AC World Index Value (Net)			-1.0	4.8	12.0	8.6	13.2	6.6	7.1	14.4
Walter Scott & Partners	238,633,206	22.9	-5.6	-3.5	3.3	-1.7	9.9	4.9	5.6	12.3
MSCI World Growth (Net)			-7.5	-7.8	9.8	5.4	17.6	7.6	8.0	16.6
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility	58,980,246	5.7	0.8	6.1	13.9	10.7	13.2	8.5	7.8	11.1
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			1.0	6.2	16.0	12.9	12.0	5.6	6.4	9.7
Cash Composite	1,079,720	0.1	0.3	1.1	4.4	4.8	5.0	3.7	2.8	2.2
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	4.5	5.0	5.1	4.2	3.2	2.6

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• Memorial Health Systems' Fiscal Year ends in April.

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• Policy Index consist of 40% MSCI ACWI, 5% MSCI ACWI Minimum Volatility, 25% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate, 10% CRSP US Total Market Index, 10% CBOE Put Write Index, 5% BofAML 1 -3 Year High Yield BB, and 5% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index.

• Custom Index consist of 71.4% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate, 14.3% BofA Merrill Lynch 1-3 Yrs High Yield BB, and 14.3% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index.

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# MHS Retirement Plan TOTAL FUND PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocati	Performance (%)					
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total Fund Composite	1,043,015,892	100.0	9.4	16.3	-11.9	13.4	11.0
Policy Index			12.7	15.7	-13.9	12.6	11.7
Fixed Income Composite	295,458,414	28.3	3.7	7.5	-9.5	-0.2	6.3
Custom Index			3.1	7.1	-10.0	0.1	6.7
C.S. McKee Aggregate Fixed Income	192,844,226	18.5	1.9	5.9	-12.9	-1.8	7.6
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			1.3	5.5	-13.0	-1.5	7.5
Chartwell High Yield	46,599,392	4.5	6.2	8.1	-3.0	2.3	4.2
ICE BofA U.S. High Yield Cash Pay BB 1-3 Year			6.7	8.9	-3.1	3.2	5.4
Aristotle Floating Rate Income	56,011,405	5.4	7.8	13.4	-0.8	4.6	1.6
S&P UBS Leveraged Loan Index			9.1	13.0	-1.1	5.4	2.8
Wellington LCP Legacy Portfolio	3,391	0.0					
U.S. Equity Composite	234,827,626	22.5	19.8	21.0	-13.8	21.8	13.6
CRSP U.S. Total Market TR Index			23.8	26.0	-19.5	25.7	21.0
Vanguard Total Stock Market Fund	117,587,820	11.3	23.8	26.0	-19.5	25.7	21.0
CRSP U.S. Total Market TR Index			23.8	26.0	-19.5	25.7	21.0
Parametric Defensive Equity	117,239,806	11.2	16.0	16.9	-7.7	17.2	5.0
50% S&P 500/50% 90 Day T-Bill			14.9	15.5	-8.2	13.7	10.1
Global Equity Composite	511,650,132	49.1	8.4	20.2	-12.8	19.0	12.4
MSCI AC World Index (Net)			17.5	22.2	-18.4	18.5	16.3
Dodge & Cox	214,036,679	20.5	5.1	20.3	-5.8	20.8	6.0
MSCI AC World Index Value (Net)			10.8	11.8	-7.5	19.6	-0.3
Walter Scott & Partners	238,633,206	22.9	10.1	23.1	-19.6	18.7	18.9
MSCI World Growth (Net)			25.9	37.0	-29.2	21.2	33.8
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility	58,980,246	5.7	13.5	8.0	-4.5	12.0	-3.9
MSCI AC World Minimum Volatility Index (Net)			11.4	7.7	-10.3	13.9	2.7
Cash Composite	1,079,720	0.1	5.1	4.2	0.7	0.0	0.4
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			5.3	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.7

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• Custom Index consist of 71.4% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate,14.3% BofA Merrill Lynch 1-3 Yrs High Yield BB, and 14.3% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index.

# MHS Retirement Plan CASH FLOW SUMMARY BY MANAGER

		1 Month Ending Ma	arch 31, 2025			
	Beginning Market Value	Contributions	Withdrawals	Net Cash Flows	Gain/ Loss	Ending Market Value
C.S. McKee Aggregate Fixed Income	\$194,422,859	-	-\$1,500,000	-\$1,500,000	-\$78,633	\$192,844,226
Chartwell High Yield	\$49,504,392	-	-\$2,905,000	-\$2,905,000	-	\$46,599,392
Aristotle Floating Rate Income	\$56,190,429	-	-	-	-\$179,024	\$56,011,405
Wellington LCP Legacy Portfolio	\$3,377	-	-	-	\$14	\$3,391
Vanguard Total Stock Market Fund	\$125,340,299	-	-\$421,595	-\$421,595	-\$7,330,884	\$117,587,820
Parametric Defensive Equity	\$122,565,810	-	-\$1,750,000	-\$1,750,000	-\$3,576,005	\$117,239,806
Dodge & Cox	\$216,537,451	-	-	-	-\$2,500,772	\$214,036,679
Walter Scott & Partners	\$255,697,209	-	-\$2,750,000	-\$2,750,000	-\$14,314,003	\$238,633,206
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility	\$58,528,637	-	-	-	\$451,610	\$58,980,246
Money Market	\$433,382	\$9,326,595	-\$8,908,856	\$417,739	\$2,671	\$853,792
Vanguard Treasury Money Market	\$6,096,036	\$3,694,364	-\$9,570,405	-\$5,876,041	\$5,933	\$225,928
Total	\$1,085,319,881	\$13,020,959	-\$27,805,856	-\$14,784,897	-\$27,519,093	\$1,043,015,892





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# Memorial Health System DC Plans ASSET ALLOCATION VS. POLICY

urrent Allocation		Current (\$)	Current (%)
62.5%	JPMorgan Target Date Funds	1,071,699,134	62.5
	Transamerica Stable Value	973,159	0.1
	Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	152,102,176	8.9
	Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	33,322,487	1.9
	Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)	8,005,164	0.5
	Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	20,855,120	1.2
	American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	29,137,639	1.7
	Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	130,855,335	7.6
	Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	96,363,373	5.6
	Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	42,854,606	2.5
	Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	17,667,538	1.0
	T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	31,920,277	1.9
	Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	36,631,932	2.1
	Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	19,055,044	1.1
	Charles Schwab Personal Choice	23,473,792	1.4
	Total Fund Composite	1,714,916,776	100.0

1.9% 0.5% 1.7% 7.6% 5.6%

0.9%



Current

# Memorial Healthcare System RSP Gold 403(b) Plan MULTI PERIOD ASSET ALLOCATION

	Total Func	1
	\$	%
Total Fund Composite	1,411,587,491	100.0
JP Morgan Target Date Funds	868,332,116	61.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	36,174,545	2.6
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	60,857,021	4.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	130,188,305	9.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	148,647,100	10.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	133,865,837	9.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	105,627,720	7.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	92,605,649	6.6
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	83,339,148	5.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)	45,772,495	3.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)	26,338,538	1.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)	4,915,760	0.3
Core Funds	524,148,605	37.1
Transamerica Stable Value	716,170	0.1
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	139,092,504	9.9
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	27,381,859	1.9
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)	7,158,220	0.5
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	16,529,979	1.2
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	25,509,298	1.8
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	106,169,938	7.5
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	77,235,901	5.5
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	35,930,289	2.5
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	14,795,581	1.0
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	26,477,395	1.9
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	30,538,173	2.2
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	16,613,297	1.2
Brokerage	19,106,770	1.4
Charles Schwab Personal Choice	19,106,770	1.4



# Memorial Healthcare System 401(a) Plan MULTI PERIOD ASSET ALLOCATION

	Total Fun	d
	\$	%
Total Fund Composite	129,638,962	100.0
JPMorgan Target Date Funds	109,157,279	84.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	1,081,949	0.8
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	2,712,876	2.1
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	7,323,701	5.6
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	10,109,265	7.8
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	13,717,860	10.6
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	14,124,857	10.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	17,279,408	13.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	18,629,017	14.4
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)	14,248,033	11.0
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)	8,107,399	6.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)	1,822,915	1.4
Core Funds	20,347,274	15.7
Transamerica Stable Value	166,109	0.1
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	1,609,361	1.2
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	583,364	0.4
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)	678,607	0.5
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	780,958	0.6
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	1,358,902	1.0
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	5,190,679	4.0
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	4,015,829	3.1
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	1,279,184	1.0
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	876,925	0.7
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	846,312	0.7
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	1,055,721	0.8
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	1,905,324	1.5
Brokerage	134,409	0.1
Charles Schwab Personal Choice	134,409	0.1



# Memorial Healthcare System 457(b) Plan MULTI PERIOD ASSET ALLOCATION

	Total Fur	nd
	\$	%
Total Fund Composite	151,929,413	100.0
JPMorgan Target Date Funds	75,480,546	49.7
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	3,244,760	2.1
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	5,588,101	3.7
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	12,169,342	8.0
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	13,279,826	8.7
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	11,421,495	7.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	9,590,051	6.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	9,338,637	6.1
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	7,380,663	4.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)	2,331,800	1.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)	1,007,088	0.7
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)	128,784	0.1
Core Funds	72,216,255	47.5
Transamerica Stable Value	2,292	0.0
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	11,267,819	7.4
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX) - 457(b) Retirement Plan	4,465,365	2.9
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX) - 457(b) Plan	168,337	0.1
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	2,639,260	1.7
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	2,264,458	1.5
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	19,272,913	12.7
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	14,732,160	9.7
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	5,536,744	3.6
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	1,995,032	1.3
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	4,362,105	2.9
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	4,973,348	3.3
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	536,423	0.4
Brokerage	4,232,613	2.8
Charles Schwab Personal Choice	4,232,613	2.8



# Memorial Healthcare System SERP 457(f) Plan MULTI PERIOD ASSET ALLOCATION

	Total Fund			
	\$	%		
Total Fund Composite	21,760,909	100.0		
JPMorgan Target Date Funds	18,729,193	86.1		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	1,219,776	5.6		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	8,800	0.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	4,320,009	19.9		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	7,403,126	34.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	3,575,449	16.4		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	1,950,455	9.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	211,659	1.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	39,920	0.2		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)		0.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)		0.0		
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)		0.0		
Core Funds	3,031,716	13.9		
Transamerica Stable Value	88,587	0.4		
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	132,493	0.6		
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	891,899	4.1		
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)		0.0		
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	904,923	4.2		
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	4,981	0.0		
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	221,806	1.0		
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	379,484	1.7		
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	108,389	0.5		
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)		0.0		
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	234,465	1.1		
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	64,690	0.3		
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)		0.0		
Brokerage		0.0		
Charles Schwab Personal Choice		0.0		



# Memorial Health System DC Plans PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocation			Performance (%)					
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	7 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)
Total Fund Composite	1,714,916,776	100.0							
JPMorgan Target Date Funds	1,071,699,134	62.5							
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	41,721,030	2.4	-1.5	1.2	6.4	3.8	6.4	4.5	4.5
S&P Target Date Retirement Income Index			-0.9	1.6	5.8	3.6	5.4	4.4	4.1
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	69,166,798	4.0	-1.5	1.2	6.4	3.9	6.7	4.7	4.9
S&P Target Date 2020 Index			-1.4	1.1	5.8	3.9	7.5	5.4	5.4
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	154,001,356	9.0	-1.7	1.1	6.4	4.0	8.1	5.4	5.6
S&P Target Date 2025 Index			-1.5	0.9	5.8	4.1	8.7	6.0	6.0
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	179,439,317	10.5	-2.1	0.7	6.5	4.6	9.7	6.2	6.4
S&P Target Date 2030 Index			-1.9	0.5	5.9	4.7	10.2	6.7	6.6
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	162,580,640	9.5	-2.5	0.2	6.5	5.2	11.4	7.0	7.1
S&P Target Date 2035 Index			-2.3	0.1	6.0	5.2	11.7	7.4	7.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	131,293,083	7.7	-2.9	-0.1	6.6	5.7	12.7	7.6	7.7
S&P Target Date 2040 Index			-2.7	-0.3	6.1	5.7	12.9	8.0	7.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	119,435,352	7.0	-3.2	-0.4	6.6	6.1	13.7	8.1	8.0
S&P Target Date 2045 Index			-2.9	-0.4	6.1	6.1	13.7	8.3	8.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	109,388,749	6.4	-3.3	-0.5	6.6	6.2	13.8	8.2	8.1
S&P Target Date 2050 Index			-3.1	-0.8	6.2	6.3	14.0	8.5	8.4
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)	62,352,327	3.6	-3.3	-0.5	6.6	6.3	13.8	8.2	8.1
S&P Target Date 2055 Index			-3.1	-0.8	6.2	6.3	14.2	8.5	8.4
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)	35,453,025	2.1	-3.3	-0.5	6.6	6.3			
S&P Target Date 2060 Index			-3.2	-0.9	6.2	6.3			
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)	6,867,458	0.4	-3.3	-0.5	6.3				
S&P Target Date 2065+ Index			-3.3	-1.0	6.3				



## Memorial Health System DC Plans PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocation				Performance (%)					
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	7 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	
Core Funds	600,688,806	35.0	(70)	(^0)	(70)	(70)	(70)	(70)	(70)	
Transamerica Stable Value	973,159	0.1	0.2	0.6	2.6	2.4	1.8	1.7	1.5	
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	5.0	4.2	2.6	2.5	1.9	
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	152,102,176	8.9	0.2	0.6	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.8	
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.3	1.0	5.0	4.2	2.6	2.5	1.9	
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	33,322,487	1.9	-0.1	2.9	5.6	2.2	2.0	2.8	2.7	
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			0.0	2.8	4.9	0.5	-0.4	1.6	1.5	
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)	8,005,164	0.5	0.0	2.8	4.9	0.5	-0.5	1.6	1.4	
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			0.0	2.8	4.9	0.5	-0.4	1.6	1.5	
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	20,855,120	1.2	0.7	4.2	6.3	0.0	2.3	3.0	2.4	
Blmbg. U.S. TIPS			0.6	4.2	6.2	0.1	2.4	3.0	2.5	
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	29,137,639	1.7	-3.1	1.4	6.3	8.1	18.9	10.0	9.2	
Russell 1000 Value Index			-2.8	2.1	7.2	6.6	16.1	9.2	8.8	
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	130,855,335	7.6	-5.6	-4.3	8.2	9.1	18.6	13.2	12.5	
S&P 500 Index			-5.6	-4.3	8.3	9.1	18.6	13.2	12.5	
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	96,363,373	5.6	-8.4	-10.0	7.7	10.1	20.0	16.0		
Russell 1000 Growth Index			-8.4	-10.0	7.8	10.1	20.1	16.1		
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	42,854,606	2.5	-7.9	-8.9	-0.4	2.7	15.2	7.8	7.9	
Dow Jones U.S. Completion Total Stock Market Indx			-7.9	-8.9	-0.5	2.5	15.0	7.7	7.7	
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	17,667,538	1.0	-5.6	-7.1	-2.9	5.0	22.3	8.3	8.0	
Russell 2000 Value Index			-6.0	-7.7	-3.1	0.0	15.3	5.3	6.1	
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	31,920,277	1.9	-8.9	-11.1	-12.9	-4.3	7.0	7.5	9.4	
Russell 2000 Growth Index			-7.6	-11.1	-4.9	0.8	10.8	5.0	6.1	
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	36,631,932	2.1	-5.5	1.4	5.5	1.8	10.6	6.5	8.3	
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			-0.2	5.2	6.1	4.5	10.9	4.5	5.0	
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	19,055,044	1.1	0.1	6.2	6.8	5.1	11.2	4.5	5.1	
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			-0.2	5.2	6.1	4.5	10.9	4.5	5.0	
Brokerage	23,473,792	1.4								
Charles Schwab Personal Choice	23,473,792	1.4								

- All data prior to 5/2023 was received from Marquette Associate

- Transamerica Stable Value Fund is not an open option for plan participants

- Assets include: Memorial Healthcare System RSP Gold 403(b) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System 401(a) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System 457(b) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System SERP 457( Plan

- Performance is net of fees and is annualized for periods longer than one year. Performance is ranked within PARis's style-specific universes, where "1" refers to the top percentile and "100" th bottom percentile.

# Memorial Health System DC Plans TOTAL FUND PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocati	on				Perf	ormance	e (%)			
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total Fund Composite	1,714,916,776										
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend Income (JIYBX)	41,721,030		8.4	11.8	-13.7	6.3	9.6	14.1	-3.8	10.7	5.8
S&P Target Date Retirement Income Index			6.5	10.3	-11.2	5.1	8.8	13.3	-2.5	8.5	5.0
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2020 (JSYRX)	69,166,798		8.4	12.0	-13.7	6.4	10.1	15.5	-4.5	13.4	6.8
S&P Target Date 2020 Index			8.1	12.3	-12.8	8.8	10.2	16.5	-4.2	12.8	7.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2025 (JBYSX)	154,001,356		9.0	13.4	-15.2	9.1	11.3	18.3	-5.7	15.6	7.2
S&P Target Date 2025 Index			8.4	13.0	-13.1	10.7	11.2	18.4	-5.0	14.6	7.8
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2030 (JRBYX)	179,439,317		10.5	15.3	-16.1	11.3	12.2	20.4	-6.6	17.4	7.9
S&P Target Date 2030 Index			9.9	14.8	-14.0	12.6	11.9	20.4	-6.0	16.2	8.3
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2035 (JPYRX)	162,580,640		12.1	17.1	-16.7	14.1	12.6	22.3	-7.4	18.9	8.3
S&P Target Date 2035 Index			11.4	16.6	-15.0	14.9	12.8	22.2	-6.9	17.8	8.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2040 (JOBYX)	131,293,083		13.3	18.4	-17.2	15.9	13.0	23.8	-8.0	20.3	8.8
S&P Target Date 2040 Index			12.9	18.2	-15.6	16.5	13.4	23.4	-7.4	18.9	9.2
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2045 (JMYAX)	119,435,352		14.2	19.5	-17.6	17.7	13.1	24.6	-8.3	20.5	8.8
S&P Target Date 2045 Index			13.6	19.1	-15.8	17.5	13.7	24.0	-7.7	19.6	9.5
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2050 (JNYAX)	109,388,749		14.7	19.8	-17.6	17.8	13.4	24.6	-8.3	20.5	8.8
S&P Target Date 2050 Index			14.3	19.6	-16.0	18.0	13.9	24.4	-7.9	20.2	9.7
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2055 (JTYBX)	62,352,327		14.7	19.7	-17.6	17.8	13.2	24.7	-8.4	20.4	8.8
S&P Target Date 2055 Index			14.3	19.6	-16.0	18.2	13.9	24.5	-8.0	20.5	9.9
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2060 (JAAYX)	35,453,025		14.7	19.7	-17.4	17.8					
S&P Target Date 2060 Index			14.4	19.7	-16.0	18.0					
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Blend 2065 (JSBYX)	6,867,458		14.6	19.1							
S&P Target Date 2065+ Index			14.8	19.8							
Transamerica Stable Value	973,159		2.6	2.5	1.6	1.0	1.2	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.0
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			5.3	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.3	1.9	0.9	0.3
Transamerica Guaranteed Investment Option	152,102,176		2.6	2.5	2.2	2.3	1.6	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.0
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			5.3	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.3	1.9	0.9	0.3



# Memorial Health System DC Plans TOTAL FUND PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocati	on				Perf	ormance	e (%)			
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Dodge & Cox Income X (DOXIX)	33,322,487		2.3	7.8	-10.8	-0.9	9.5	9.7	-0.3	4.4	5.6
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			1.3	5.5	-13.0	-1.5	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.6
Fidelity US Bond Index (FXNAX)	8,005,164		1.3	5.5	-13.0	-1.8	7.8	8.5	0.0	3.5	2.5
Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index			1.3	5.5	-13.0	-1.5	7.5	8.7	0.0	3.5	2.6
Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index (FIPDX)	20,855,120		2.0	3.8	-12.0	5.9	10.9	8.3	-1.4	3.0	4.9
Blmbg. U.S. TIPS			1.8	3.9	-11.8	6.0	11.0	8.4	-1.3	3.0	4.7
American Beacon Large Cap Value Fund (AALRX)	29,137,639		15.2	13.5	-5.2	28.0	3.4	29.7	-12.0	17.1	16.0
Russell 1000 Value Index			14.4	11.5	-7.5	25.2	2.8	26.5	-8.3	13.7	17.3
Fidelity Spartan 500 Index (FXAIX)	130,855,335		25.0	26.3	-18.1	28.7	18.4	31.5	-4.4	21.8	12.0
S&P 500 Index			25.0	26.3	-18.1	28.7	18.4	31.5	-4.4	21.8	12.0
Fidelity Large Cap Growth Index (FSPGX)	96,363,373		33.3	42.8	-29.2	27.6	38.4	36.4	-1.6	30.1	
Russell 1000 Growth Index			33.4	42.7	-29.1	27.6	38.5	36.4	-1.5	30.2	
Fidelity Extended Market Index (FSMAX)	42,854,606		17.0	25.4	-26.4	12.4	32.2	28.0	-9.4	18.2	16.1
Dow Jones U.S. Completion Total Stock Market Indx			16.9	25.0	-26.5	12.4	32.2	27.9	-9.6	18.1	15.7
Dimensional US Targeted Value Strategy (DFFVX)	17,667,538		9.3	19.3	-4.6	38.8	3.8	21.5	-15.8	9.6	26.9
Russell 2000 Value Index			8.1	14.6	-14.5	28.3	4.6	22.4	-12.9	7.8	31.7
T. Rowe Price New Horizons (PRJIX)	31,920,277		4.0	21.5	-36.9	9.8	57.9	37.8	4.2	31.7	7.9
Russell 2000 Growth Index			15.2	18.7	-26.4	2.8	34.6	28.5	-9.3	22.2	11.3
Vanguard International-Growth (VWILX)	36,631,932		9.5	14.8	-30.8	-0.7	59.7	31.5	-12.6	43.2	1.8
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			5.5	15.6	-16.0	7.8	10.7	21.5	-14.2	27.2	4.5
Fidelity Global ex US Index (FSGGX)	19,055,044		5.3	15.6	-15.7	7.8	10.7	21.3	-13.9	27.4	4.6
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			5.5	15.6	-16.0	7.8	10.7	21.5	-14.2	27.2	4.5
Charles Schwab Personal Choice	23,473,792										

- All data prior to 5/2023 was received from Marquette Associates

- Transamerica Stable Value Fund is not an open option for plan participants

- Assets include: Memorial Healthcare System RSP Gold 403(b) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System 401(a) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System 457(b) Plan, Memorial Healthcare System SERP 457(f Plan

- Performance is net of fees and is annualized for periods longer than one year. Performance is ranked within PARis's style-specific universes, where "1" refers to the top percentile and "100" th bottom percentile.



# OPERATING PLAN – ASSET ALLOCATION REVIEW

**APRIL 2025** 



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## **MHS ASSET ALLOCATION – OPERATING PLAN**

- At the March 2025 meeting, the Finance Committee requested NEPC to model additional exposure to equity risk to the Operating portfolio, including Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) analytics
  - Incorporating additional risk into the portfolio can enhance long term performance, improve diversification, and strengthen resilience in evolving market conditions
  - A well-balanced allocation across the portfolio will allow the portfolio to capture growth opportunities across equities, credit markets, illiquidity premiums in private investments, and generate attractive risk-adjusted returns
  - By embracing a more dynamic and strategic risk framework, the Finance Committee can ensure a more robust and forward-looking investment strategy
  - The proposed discussion, detailed on the following slides, is an approach that gradually heightens risk by increasing the Global Equity allocation and introduces exposure to asset classes such as Diversified Credit, Global Multi-Sector Fixed Income, Private Equity and Private Credit



## **MHS OPERATING ASSET ALLOCATION**

	Current Policy	30% Equity	Alternative Mix
Cash	15.0%	15%	15.0%
Total Cash	15.0%	15%	15.0%
Global Equity	20.0%	30%	35.0%
Total Equity	20.0%	30%	35.0%
Diversified Credit	0.0%	0%	6.0%
Global Multi-Sector Fixed Income	0.0%	0%	7.0%
US Short-Term Fixed Income	10.0%	10.0%	10.0%
US Intermediate-Term Fixed Income	55.0%	45.0%	27.0%
Total Fixed Income	65.0%	55%	50.0%
Private Equity	0.0%	0%	0.0%
Private Debt	0.0%	0%	0.0%
Total Alternatives	0.0%	0%	0.0%

Expected Return 10 yrs	5.5%	5.6%	5.8%
Expected Return 30 yrs	5.9%	6.1%	6.3%
Standard Dev	5.4%	6.5%	7.7%
Sharpe Ratio (10 years)	0.25	0.23	0.22

#### Alternative Mix increases Global Equity exposure to 35% to enhance long-term growth potential

- At the March 2025 Finance Committee Meeting, NEPC illustrated the opportunity cost of a lower equity allocation
- For reference, NEPC noted if the Operating Plan had 10% more in equities over the trailing tenyear period, it would have resulted in an additional gain of over \$550M

 The Alternative Mix also introduces Diversified Credit and Global Multi-Sector Fixed Income

- Diversified Credit will invest across the credit spectrum based on market opportunity
- Global Multi-Sector will incorporate broad fixed income sector exposure and will invest across global markets



## FORWARD LOOKING ANALYSIS

	30% Equity	Alternative Mix	Broward Health Policy	Healthcare Operating Universe	MHS Retirement Portfolio
Cash	15%	15%	0%	5%	0%
Total Cash	15%	15%	0%	5%	0%
US Large-Cap Equity	0%	0%	0%	0%	20%
Global Equity	30%	35%	36%	44%	45%
Total Equity	30%	35%	36%	44%	65%
US Opportunistic	0%	6%	30%	40%	35%
Global Multi Sector Fixed Income	0%	7%	0%	0%	0%
Short Term Pool	10%	10%	0%	0%	0%
Intermediate Pool	45%	27%	0%	0%	0%
Total Fixed Income	55%	50%	30%	40%	35%
Real Estate - Core	0%	0%	12%	3%	0%
Private Real Assets - Infrastructure	0%	0%	5%	0%	0%
Total Real Assets	0%	0%	17%	3%	0%
Hedge Fund	0%	0%	10%	4%	0%
Private Equity	0%	0%	8%	4%	0%
Total Multi Asset	0%	0%	18%	8%	0%
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Expected Return 10 yrs	5.64%	5.80%	6.43%	6.04%	6.07%
Expected Return 30 yrs	6.12%	6.35%	7.35%	6.87%	7.13%
Standard Dev	6.5%	7.7%	11.3%	10.0%	12.4%
Sharpe Ratio (10 years)	0.23	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.15

As we evaluate the MHS Operating portfolio, forward looking risk and return expectations can provide a pathway forward

# Incrementally increasing the equity allocation drives up the expected return

- As US markets have seen a significant drawdown over the recent weeks, the market could present an attractive buying opportunity
- With this said, the Operating portfolio is built on the basis of achieving long-term growth

#### NEPC maintains the view that MHS is in a prudent financial position to increase risk

Broward Health, the Healthcare Operating Universe, and the MHS Retirement Portfolio are utilized in this analysis as a source of comparison



Information is based on MHS investment policy, Broward Health investment policy, and InvestmentMetrics Healthcare Operating Peer Universe

## **SCENARIO ANALYSIS: REGIME DEFINITIONS**

- NEPC scenario analysis highlights the impact of shifting economic and market regimes on the portfolio and potential asset allocation mixes
  - Asset returns are informed by changes in real growth, inflation, and credit spreads experienced across market regimes
  - Scenario returns are sensitive to current market pricing

# Expansion A high growth – low inflation regime with declining inflation. Equity valuations expand, earnings growth above expectations, and tightening credit spreads. Characteristic and tightening credit spreads. Statement of the provided and the provided

#### **Recession**

A low growth—low inflation regime with declining interest rates and declining inflation. Equity valuations contract, earnings growth below expectations, and widening credit spreads

#### **Overextension**

A high growth—high inflation regime with rising interest rates and rising inflation. Equity valuations contract, negative real earnings growth, and tightening credit spreads

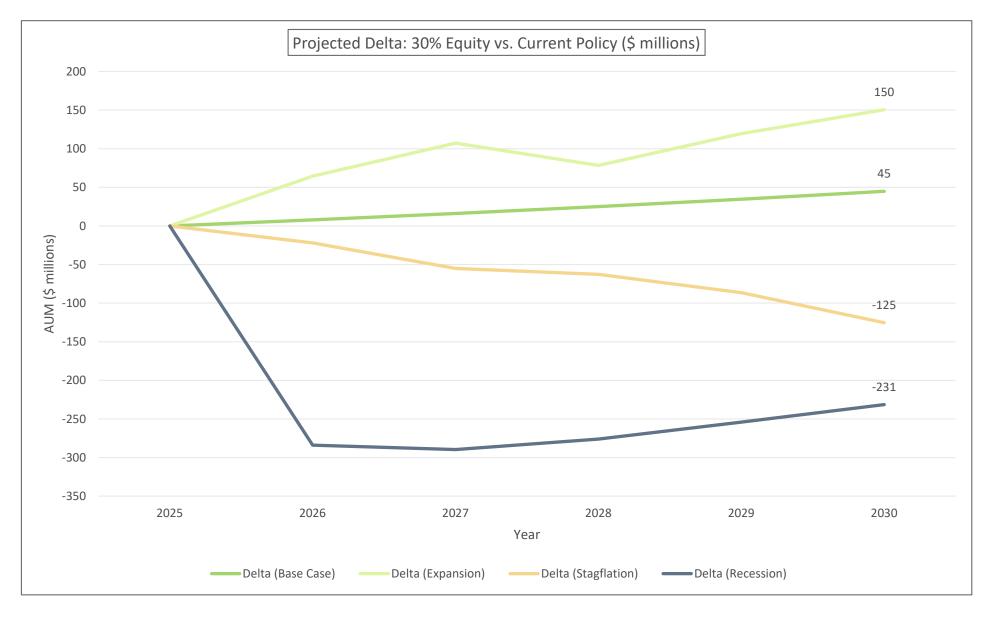


## **30% EQUITY MIX SCENARIO ANALYSIS**

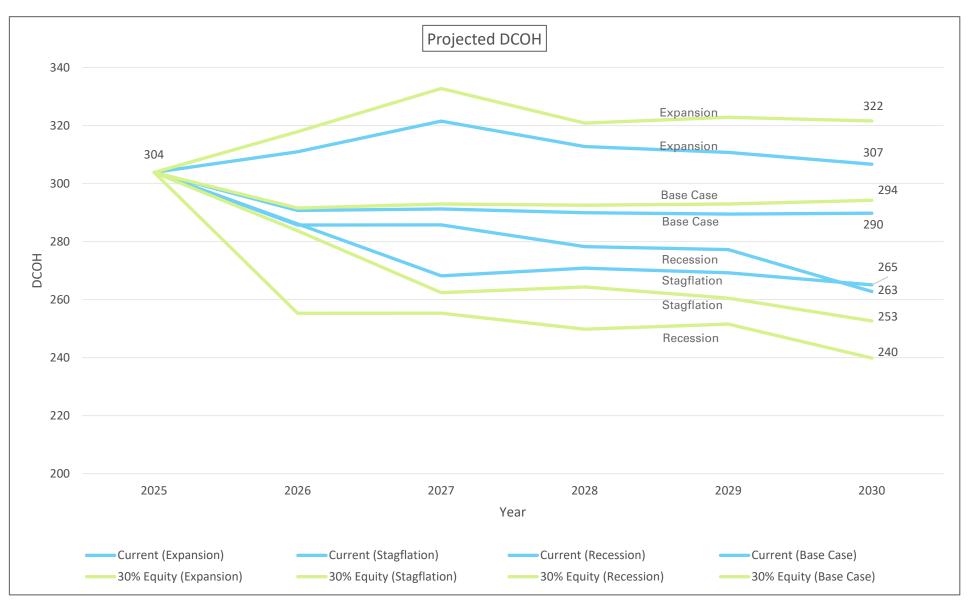


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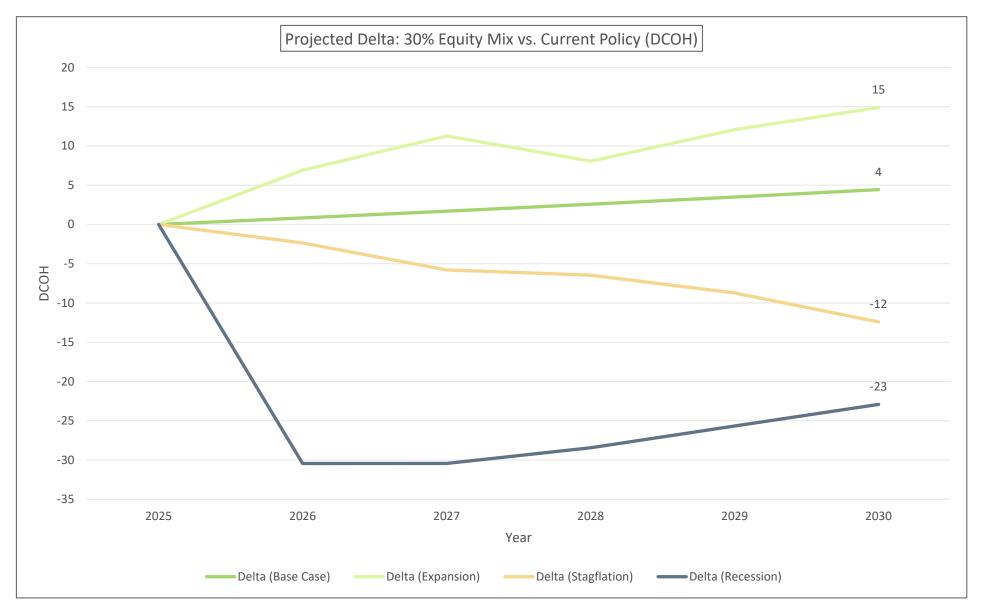




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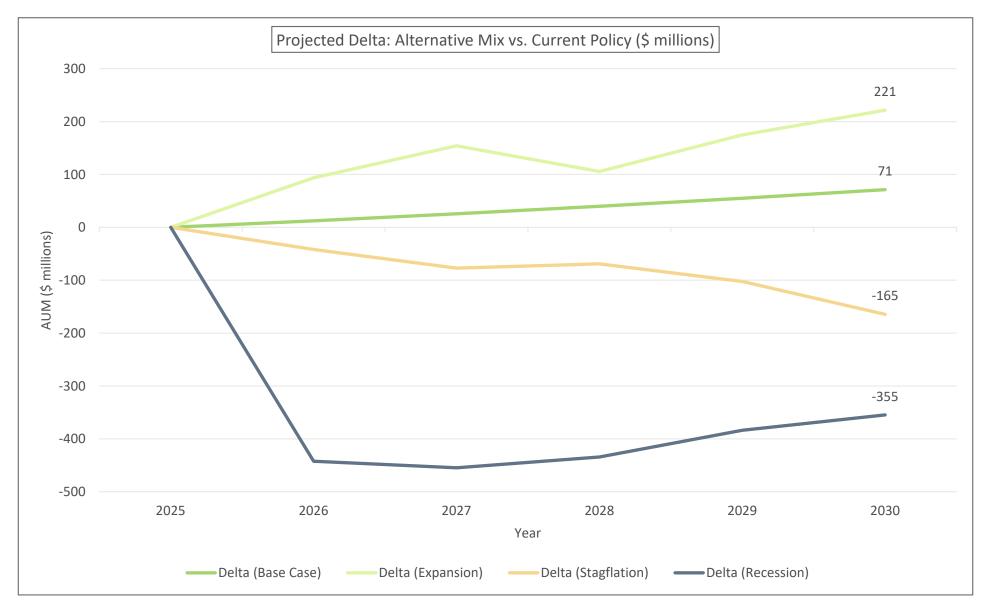


## ALTERNATIVE MIX SCENARIO ANALYSIS



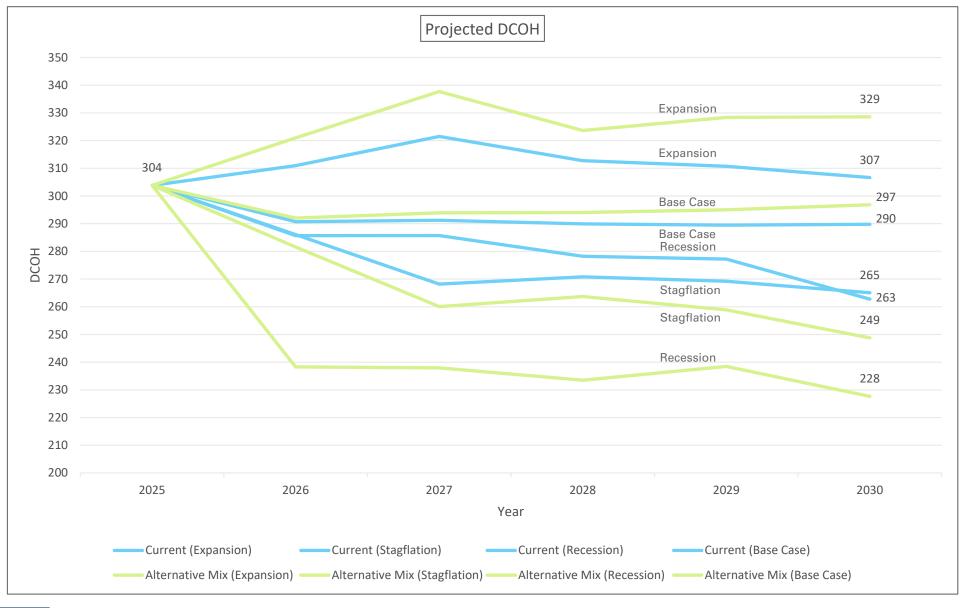
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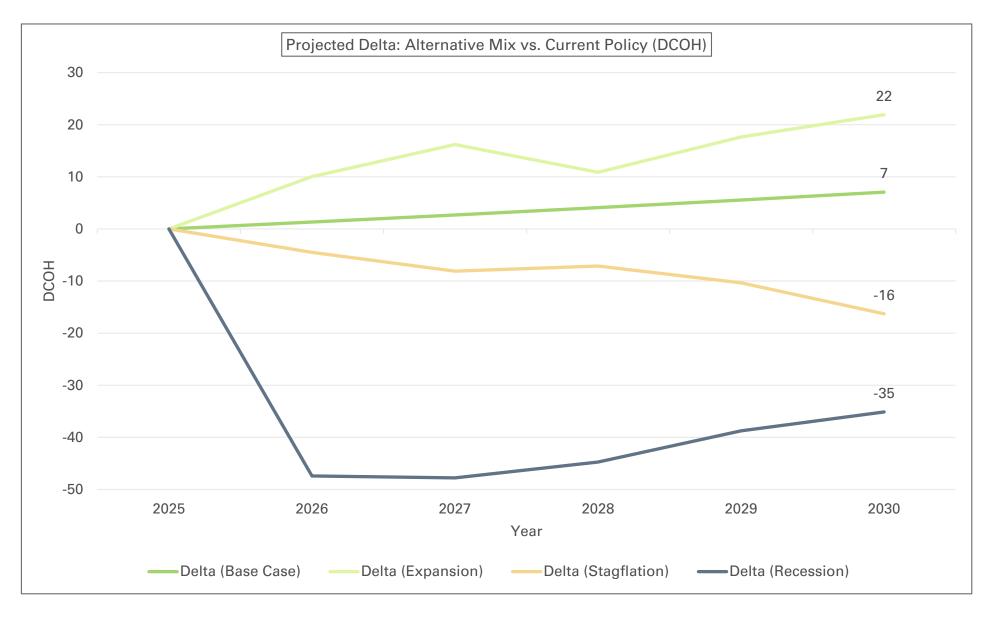














## OTHER OPERATING ASSET ALLOCATIONS



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# MHS OTHER OPERATING ASSET ALLOCATIONS FOR DISCUSSION

	Current Policy	Phase 1 Alternative Mix	Phase 2	Phase 3
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- NEPC is utilizing a stepwise approach to evolve the MHS Operating portfolio given the appetite for additional risk
- Phase 2 introduces allocations to Private Equity and Private Debt and includes the fixed income diversification that was set forth in the Alternative Mix

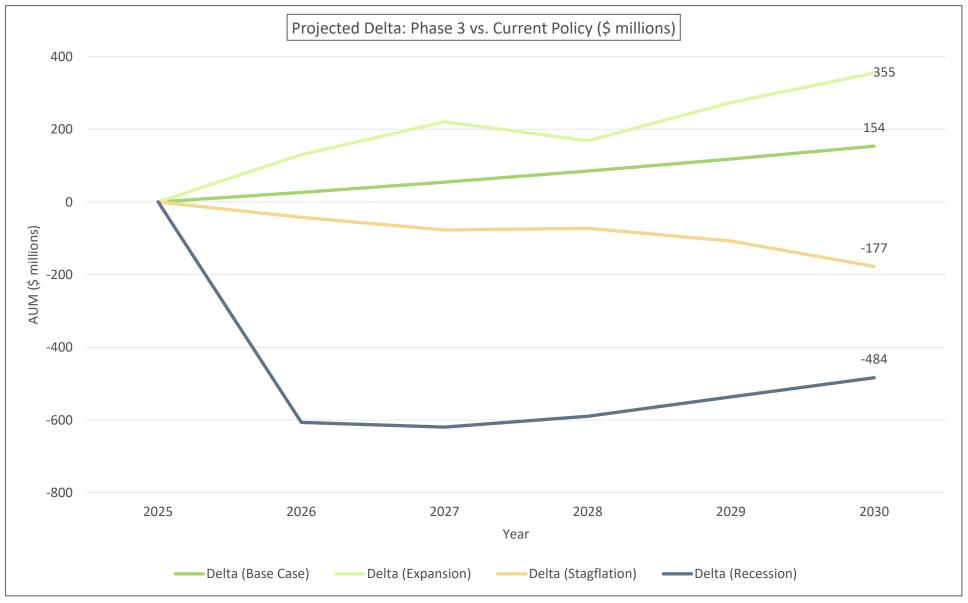
 Phase 3 is NEPC's goal asset allocation, which would increase private markets exposure at the expense of fixed income

- The private markets target allocation would be 15% of the total portfolio
- Note, building a private markets program to targets will take time due to the long-term nature of the asset class
- As we look to expand the portfolio into private markets, we recognize the importance of providing foundational education on these asset classes to ensure alignment and informed decision making across the Committee

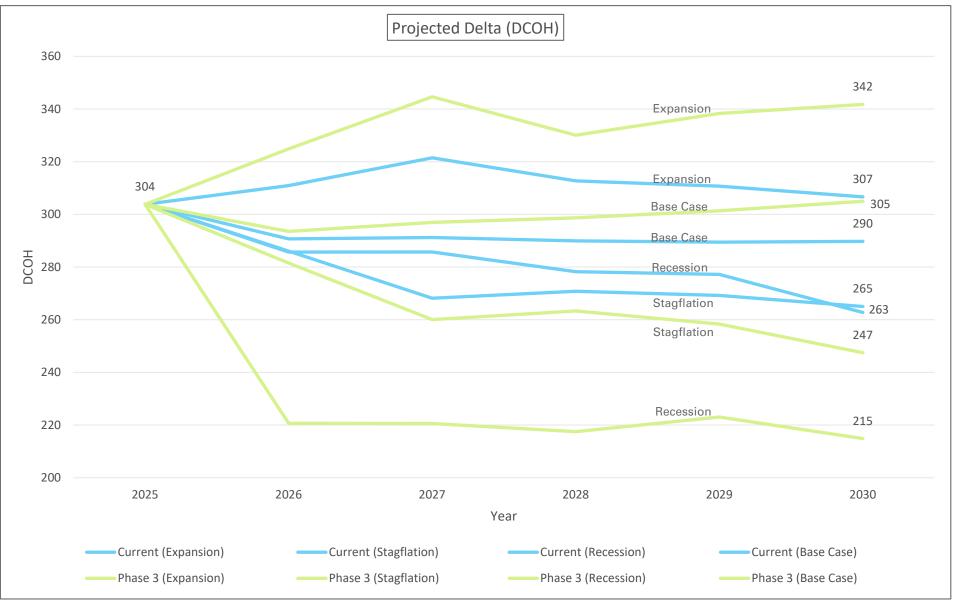


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## **OVERVIEW OF SCENARIOS**





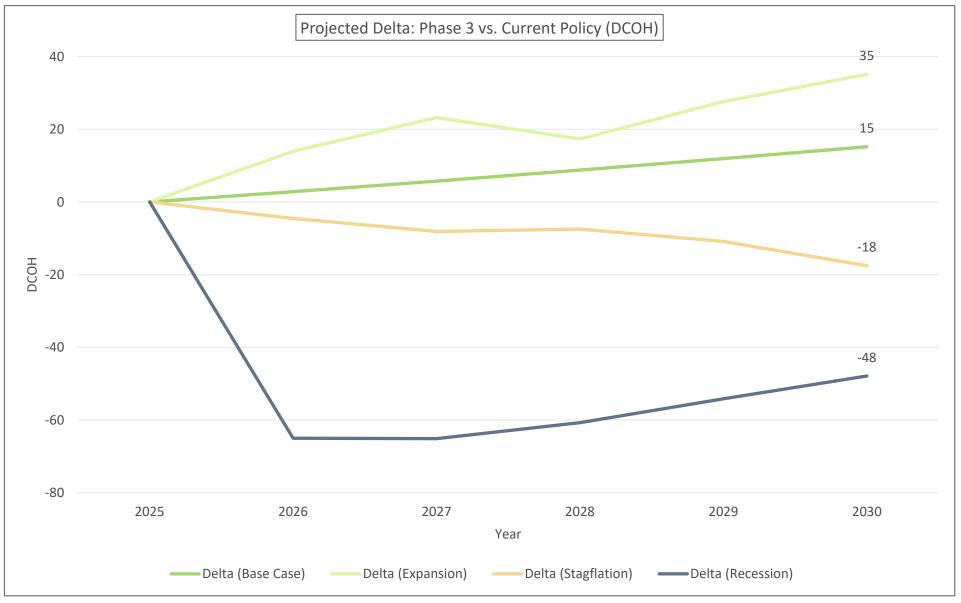


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## **OVERVIEW OF SCENARIOS**





### **SUMMARY** MHS OPERATING PLAN ASSET ALLOCATION

- Based on Committee feedback, approval of preferred mix
  - 30% Equity Mix
  - Alternative Mix 35% Equity, Fixed Income diversification
- NEPC will work with MHS Staff to provide private markets education to the Finance Committee, particularly in Private Equity and Private Debt
  - NEPC will seek the Committee's approval for Phase 2 and Phase 3 at a later date following better understanding of private asset classes





## ASSET CLASS EDUCATION OVERVIEW



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# **NEPC INVESTMENT TEAM**



### WE ARE INVESTORS FIRST



71 Investment Professionals<sup>3</sup>

**14 YEARS** Average Experience

- 22 Partners and Principals, 21 Years of Average Experience
- LP Experience: Endowments, Family Offices, Pension Funds
- GP Experience: Buyouts, Real Estate, Hedge Funds, Asset Managers

### OUR EDGE

Proprietary investment framework, overcoming bias, and Second-Level Thinking<sup>4</sup>

### **PROVEN RESULTS<sup>5</sup>**

Marketable securities: net outperformance of 0.8% Private markets: net outperformance vs. public markets of 4% - 7%



<sup>1</sup>As of 1/1/2025 <sup>2</sup>As of 12/31/2024, annual savings. Reflects only asset-based management fee vehicles with active exposure by NEPC's clients; includes both OCIO and advisory client managers. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Not all funds are suitable for all clients and some funds may be closed to new investment. <sup>3</sup>As of 1/1/2025 <sup>4</sup>https://www.oaktreecapital.com/docs/default-source/memos/2015-09-09-its-not-easy.pdf <sup>5</sup>Marketable securities annualized 10-year returns are as of 6/30/24 and are net of investment manager fees and net of estimated NEPC advisory fee of 10 bps. Average net return of NEPC's Focused Placement Lists (FPLs). FPL performance represents a weighted average net return of all 1- and 2-rated FPL strategies across current and former NEPC clients tracked through InvestorForce and PARis. Private markets returns are as of 12/31/23 and depict the pooled net IRR of NEPC's FPLs. Public Market Proxy Return is calculated as follows: average of annualized index returns from 2013-2023, 2014-2023, 2015-2023, 2017-2023, 2017-2023, 2018-2023, 2019-2023, 2020-2023, 221-2023, 2022-2023. Buyouts are compared to the S&P 500 Index, Venture is compared the Russell 2000 Index, Private Debt is compared to an index composed of 50% Bank of America Merrill Lynch US High Yield Index/50% S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan Index, Private Real Estate is compared to the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Index. Does not include accounts NEPC does not advise on. Hypothetical performance is shown for illustrative and informational purposes only and does not reflect returns that any investor actually attained. There is no guarantee that the hypothetical performance will be achieved in the future or than an investment will not result in losses.



# PRIVATE EQUITY AND PRIVATE CREDIT OVERVIEW

- Private Equity and Private Credit are sources of investment capital provided by institutions and high net worth individuals for the purposes of acquiring interests in companies and/or products
- The role in a portfolio is as a return enhancer, with the premium earned over other investment options serving to compensate for the liquidity risk
- Large investable universe
  - Over \$400 billion raised annually across strategies in each of the last six years
  - Approximately \$3.8 trillion in assets under management, including portfolio value and un-invested capital

### Two components of private equity/private debt return:

- Capital Appreciation: Derived from an increase in the value of an asset between acquisition and sale
- Current Income: Derived from portfolio company operations, loans and leases

### Investment diversification

- Not fully correlated with public equities
- Access to smaller companies and wider range of strategies



Source: Preqin. Fundraising and market size data as of December 31, 2019

# HOW PRIVATE EQUITY IS DIFFERENT FROM PUBLIC EQUITY

# **PUBLIC EQUITY**

Daily liquidity

Invested immediately

**Daily valuations** 

Market pricing

Fees as a % of NAV

**Regulated reporting** 

Benchmark managed

Some activism

## **PRIVATE EQUITY**

Illiquid, 10+ year funds

Invested over time

**Quarterly valuations** 

Estimated fair value

Fees as % of commitment

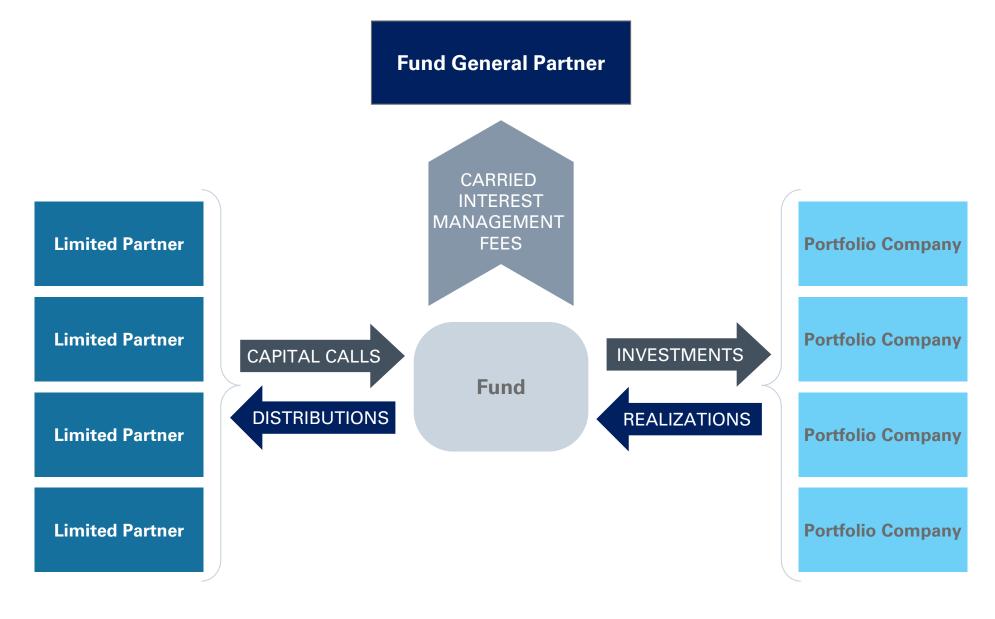
**Transparency varies** 

Managed for alpha

Active value creation



# MECHANICS OF INVESTING IN A PRIVATE EQUITY FUND





# HOW PRIVATE DEBT IS DIFFERENT FROM PUBLIC DEBT

## **PUBLIC DEBT**

Daily liquidity

Invested immediately

**Daily valuations** 

Market pricing

Fees as a % of NAV

**Regulated reporting** 

Benchmark managed

Some activism

## **PRIVATE DEBT**

Illiquid, 7-10 year funds

Invested over time

**Quarterly valuations** 

Estimated fair value

Fees as % of commitment

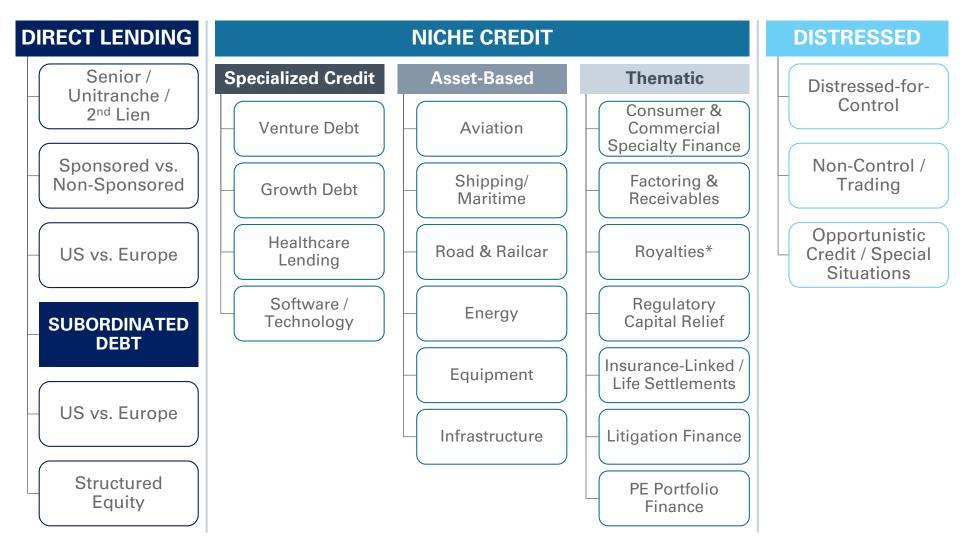
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# **NEPC PRIVATE DEBT TAXONOMY**



#### Yield-Oriented/Capital Preservation/ Lower Outcome Dispersion

\*Healthcare/Music/Film/Media/Energy & Minerals royalties

Maximized Return/Capital Appreciation/ Higher Outcome Dispersion



# APPENDIX



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# **GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

Alpha - Measures the relationship between the fund performance and the performance of another fund or benchmark index and equals the excess return while the other fund or benchmark index is zero.

Alpha Jensen - The average return on a portfolio over and above that predicted by the capital asset pricing model (CAPM), given the portfolio's beta and the average market return. Also known as the abnormal return or the risk adjusted excess return.

Annualized Excess Return over Benchmark - Annualized fund return minus the annualized benchmark return for the calculated return.

Annualized Return - A statistical technique whereby returns covering periods greater than one year are converted to cover a 12 month time span.

**Beta** - Measures the volatility or systematic risk and is equal to the change in the fund's performance in relation to the change in the assigned index's performance.

Information Ratio - A measure of the risk adjusted return of a financial security, asset, or portfolio.

#### Formula:

(Annualized Return of Portfolio - Annualized Return of Benchmark)/Annualized Standard Deviation(Period Portfolio Return – Period Benchmark Return). To annualize standard deviation, multiply the deviation by the square root of the number of periods per year where monthly returns per year equals 12 and quarterly returns is four periods per year.

**R-Squared** – Represents the percentage of a fund's movements that can be explained by movements in an index. R-Squared values range from 0 to 100. An R-Squared of 100 denotes that all movements of a fund are completely explained by movements in the index.

**Sharpe Ratio** - A measure of the excess return or risk premium per unit of risk in an investment asset or trading strategy.

**Sortino Ratio** - A method to differentiate between good and bad volatility in the Sharpe Ratio. The differentiation of up and down volatility allows the calculation to provide a risk adjusted measure of a security or fund's performance without upward price change penalties.

#### Formula:

Calculation Average (X-Y)/Downside Deviation (X-Y) \* 2 Where X=Return Series X Y = Return Series Y which is the risk free return (91 day T-bills) Standard Deviation - The standard deviation is a statistical term that describes the distribution of results. It is a commonly used measure of volatility of returns of a portfolio, asset class, or security. The higher the standard deviation the more volatile the returns are.

#### Formula:

(Annualized Return of Portfolio – Annualized Return of Risk Free) / Annualized Standard Deviation (Portfolio Returns)

**Tracking Error** - Tracking error, also known as residual risk, is a measure of the degree to which a portfolio tracks its benchmark. It is also a measure of consistency of excess returns. Tracking error is computed as the annualized standard deviation of the difference between a portfolio's return and that of its benchmark.

#### Formula:

Tracking Error = Standard Deviation (X-Y) \*  $\sqrt{(\# of periods per year)}$ Where X = periods portfolio return and Y = the period's benchmark return For monthly returns, the periods per year = 12 For quarterly returns, the periods per year = 4

**Treynor Ratio** - A risk-adjusted measure of return based on systematic risk. Similar to the Sharpe ratio with the difference being the Treynor ratio uses beta as the measurement of volatility.

#### Formula:

(Portfolio Average Return - Average Return of Risk-Free Rate)/Portfolio Beta

**Up/Down Capture Ratio** - A measure of what percentage of a market's returns is "captured" by a portfolio. For example, if the market declines 10% over some period, and the manager declines only 9%, then his or her capture ratio is 90%. In down markets, it is advantageous for a manager to have as low a capture ratio as possible. For up markets, the higher the capture ratio the better. Looking at capture ratios can provide insight into how a manager achieves excess returns. A value manager might typically have a lower capture ratio in both up and down markets, achieving excess returns by protecting on the downside, whereas a growth manager might fall more than the overall market in down markets, but achieve above-market returns in a rising market.

 $\label{eq:upsideCapture} UpsideCapture = TotalReturn(FundReturns)/TotalReturns(BMReturn) \ when \ Period Benchmark \ Return \ is \ > = \ 0$ 

DownsideCapture = TotalReturn(FundReturns)/TotalReturns(BMReturn) when Benchmark <0



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# Finance Committee Review MHW Surgery Expansion: MSDSC

April 17, 2025

### MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

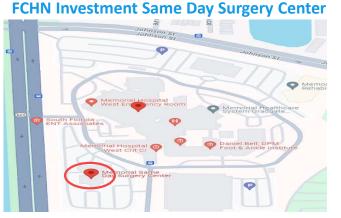
# Strategic Clearinghouse Review | MHW Surgery Expansion: MSDSC

Background

#### **Overview of Same Day Surgery Center**



- Opened June 1994 > Ambulatory Surgical Facility of So FL LLLP leased & operated
- Square Footage: 19,450 sq/ft
- OR: 4 + 2 new
- Procedure Rooms: 3
- Specialties: Ophthalmology, Pain Management, Gastroenterology, Plastics, OBGYN, Otolaryngology, Orthopedic, Urology, Podiatry (total ~8k cases/yr)
- Management Company: AmSurg (No Equity)



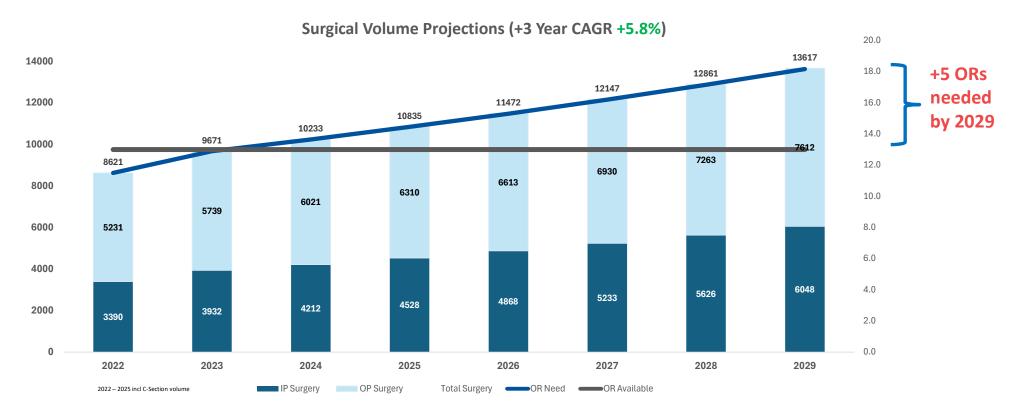
- Investment Date: March 2013
- FCHN Ownership: 51%
- Physician Ownership: 49%
- Cash Investment: \$2,600,000
- Cash Distributions: \$4,420,714
- Lease Payments to MHS: +\$18M LTD (since 1994)

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### 🛛 💓 🛛 MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

# Strategic Clearinghouse Review | MHW Surgery Expansion: MSDSC

Background – MHW OR Capacity +5.8% Compounded Annual growth rate over the past 3 years FY22-FY24 (combined IP or OP)



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### MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

# Strategic Clearinghouse Review | MHW Surgery Expansion: MSDSC

Proforma & ROI Assumptions



Prelim FMV range: 20.2M – 23.5M

		Rental Income	FCHN 51% Payout	FINAL
	\$16M Purchase Price, Volume Loss,		,	
Year 1	\$ (14,436,058) Implementation Cost	\$ (888,000)	\$ 6,120,000	\$ (9,204,058)
Year 2	\$ 10,233,970 Backfill with West Volumes	\$ (888,000)	\$-	\$ 9,345,970
Year 3	\$ 10,438,650 2% YOY Growth	\$ (888,000)	\$-	\$ 9,550,650
Year4	\$ 10,647,423 2% YOY Growth	\$ (888,000)	\$-	\$ 9,759,423
Year 5	\$ 10,860,371 2% YOY Growth	\$ (888,000)	\$-	\$ 9,972,371
	\$ 27,744,356	\$ (4,440,000)	\$ 6,120,000	\$ 29,424,356
5 Yr Internal Rate of Return	62%			96%

Payback within 4 years

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MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

# **Thank You**