



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF
COMMUNITY HEALTH

2012 Hospital Financial Survey

Part A : General Information

1. Identification

UID:HOSP226

Facility Name: Gwinnett Medical Center - Duluth

County: Gwinnett

Street Address: 3620 Howell Ferry Road

City: Duluth

Zip: 30096

Mailing Address: 3620 Howell Ferry Road

Mailing City: Duluth

Mailing Zip: 30096

2. Report Period

Please report data for the hospital fiscal year ending during calendar year 2012 only.

Do not use a different report period.

Please indicate your hospital fiscal year.

From: 7/1/2011 To:6/30/2012

Please indicate your cost report year.

From: 07/01/2011 To:06/30/2012

Check the box to the right if your facility was **not** operational for the entire year. ☐

If your facility was **not** operational for the entire year, provide the dates the facility was operational.

Part B : Survey Contact Information

Person authorized to respond to inquiries about the responses to this survey.

Contact Name: Hans Schermerhorn

Contact Title: Senior Governmental Reimbursement Advisor

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Part C : Financial Data and Indigent and Charity Care

1. Financial Table

Please report the following data elements. Data reported here must balance in other parts of the HFS.

Revenue or Expense	Amount
Inpatient Gross Patient Revenue	142,173,109
Total Inpatient Admissions accounting for Inpatient Revenue	5,830
Outpatient Gross Patient Revenue	264,961,977
Total Outpatient Visits accounting for Outpatient Revenue	90,291
Medicare Contractual Adjustments	97,597,972
Medicaid Contractual Adjustments	28,973,189
Other Contractual Adjustments:	116,236,429
Hill Burton Obligations:	0
Bad Debt (net of recoveries):	27,488,305
Uncompensated Indigent Care (net):	12,764,951
Uncompensated Charity Care (net):	4,690,272
Other Free Care:	780,096
Other Revenue/Gains:	560,014
Total Expenses:	119,655,392

2. Types of Other Free Care

Please enter the amount for each type of other free care. The amounts entered here must equal the total "Other Free Care" reported in Part C. Question 1. Use the blank line to indicate the type description and amount for other free care that is not included in the types listed.

Other Free Care Type	Other Free Care Amount
Self-Pay/Uninsured Discounts	0
Admin Discounts	0
Employee Discounts	0
	0
Total	0

Part D : Indigent/Charity Care Policies and Agreements

1. Formal Written Policy

Did the hospital have a formal written policy or written policies concerning the provision of indigent and/or charity care during 2012? (Check box if yes.) ☒

2. Effective Date

What was the effective date of the policy or policies in effect during 2012?

05/01/2011

3. Person Responsible

Please indicate the title or position held by the person most responsible for adherence to or interpretation of the policy or policies you will provide the department.?

Assistant Vice President, Revenue Management

4. Charity Care Provisions

Did the policy or policies include provisions for the care that is defined as charity pursuant to HFMA guidelines and the definitions contained in the Glossary that accompanies this survey (i.e., a sliding fee scale or the accomodation to provide care without the expectation of compensation for patients whose individual or family income exceeds 125% of federal poverty level guidelines)? (Check box if yes.) ☒

5. Maximum Income Level

If you had a provision for charity care in your policy, as reflected by responding yes to item 4, what was the maximum income level, expressed as a percentage of the federal poverty guidelines, for a patient to be considered for charity care (e.g., 185%, 200%, 235%, etc.)?

300%

6. Agreements Concerning the Receipt of Government Funds

Did the hospital have an agreement or agreements with any city or county concerning the receipt of government funds for indigent and/or charity care during 2012? (Check box if yes.) ☒

Part E : Indigent And Charity Care

1. Gross Indigent and Charity Care Charges

Please indicate the totals for indigent and charity care for the categories provided below. If the hospital used a sliding fee scale for certain charity patients, only the net charges to charity should be reported (i.e., gross patient charges less any payments received from or billed to the patient.) Total Uncompensated I/C Care must balance to totals reported in Part C.

Patient Type	Indigent Care	Charity Care	Total
Inpatient	5,669,180	1,808,692	7,477,872
Outpatient	7,136,831	2,881,580	10,018,411
Total	12,806,011	4,690,272	17,496,283

2. Sources of Indigent and Charity Care Funding

Please indicate the source of funding for indigent and/or charity care in the table below.

Source of Funding	Amount
Home County	41,060
Other Counties	0
City Or Cities	0
Hospital Authority	0
State Programs And Any Other State Funds (Do Not Include Indigent Care Trust Funds)	0
Federal Government	0
Non-Government Sources	0
Charitable Contributions	0
Trust Fund From Sale Of Public Hospital	0
All Other	0
Total	41,060

3. Net Uncompensated Indigent and Charity Care Charges

Total net indigent care must balance to Part C net indigent care and total net charity care must balance to Part C net charity care.

Patient Type	Indigent Care	Charity Care	Total
Inpatient	5,648,650	1,808,692	7,457,342
Outpatient	7,116,301	2,881,580	9,997,881
Total	12,764,951	4,690,272	17,455,223

Part F : Patient Origin

1. Total Gross Indigent/Charity Care By Charges County

Please report Indigent/Charity Care by County in the following categories. For non Georgia use Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, or Other-Out-of-State.

To add a row press the button. To delete a row press the minus button at the end of the row.

(You may enter the data on the web form or upload the data to the web form using the .csv file.)

Inp Ad-I = Inpatient Admissions (Indigent Care)

Inp Ch-I = Inpatient Charges (Indigent Care)

Out Vis-I = Outpatient Visits (Indigent Care)

Out Ch-I = Outpatient Charges (Indigent Care)

Inp Ad-C = Inpatient Admissions (Charity Care)

Inp Ch-C = Inpatient Charges (Charity Care)

Out Vis-C = Outpatient Visits (Charity Care)

Out Ch-C = Outpatient Charges (Charity Care)

County	Inp Ad-I	Inp Ch-I	Out Vis-I	Out Ch-I	Inp Ad-C	Inp Ch-C	Out Vis-C	Out Ch-C
Alabama	0	0	1	7,041	0	0	0	0
Barrow	5	61,050	49	103,708	9	72,501	45	108,494
Bartow	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	565
Ben Hill	0	0	2	9,392	0	0	0	0
Berrien	0	0	1	655	0	0	0	0
Carroll	0	0	2	20,583	0	0	0	0
Cherokee	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,694
Clarke	0	0	1	26,357	1	27,641	1	22
Clayton	3	45,870	4	8,240	2	68,577	4	39,027
Cobb	0	0	10	34,863	0	0	1	75
Columbia	0	0	1	937	0	0	0	0
Dawson	1	20,314	2	3,669	1	1,065	4	595
DeKalb	22	478,489	147	426,402	6	76,765	64	131,871
Douglas	0	0	5	12,278	0	0	0	0
Elbert	1	250	2	1,521	0	0	0	0
Fayette	0	0	2	648	0	0	0	0
Florida	0	0	2	10,737	0	0	0	0
Forsyth	1	16,502	19	21,495	4	8,596	8	7,925
Fulton	7	153,226	48	119,164	5	57,191	34	69,615
Gwinnett	304	4,774,019	2,180	6,101,525	179	1,306,469	1,299	2,336,559
Habersham	0	0	1	16,787	0	0	1	3,079
Hall	0	0	22	41,750	0	0	12	17,076
Henry	0	0	1	145	1	1,661	2	1,110
Jackson	2	10,758	10	21,151	1	19,909	11	23,135
Madison	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12,394
Meriwether	0	0	2	1,276	0	0	0	0
Newton	1	3,975	1	16,431	0	0	10	13,256
North Carolina	0	0	4	831	0	0	0	0
Oconee	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,978
Other Out of State	5	71,657	31	63,084	4	109,173	20	49,087
Paulding	0	0	3	10,874	0	0	0	0
Peach	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,373

Putnam	0	0	3	8,016	0	0	0	0
Rockdale	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9,580
South Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3,246
Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,444
Union	0	0	5	2,027	0	0	1	899
Walton	2	33,070	11	36,921	2	59,144	4	47,481
Whitfield	0	0	1	8,323	0	0	0	0
Total	354	5,669,180	2,573	7,136,831	215	1,808,692	1,531	2,881,580

Indigent Care Trust Fund Addendum

1. Indigent Care Trust Fund

Did your hospital receive funds from the Indigent Care Trust Fund during its Fiscal Year 2012?
(Check box if yes.) ☐

2. Amount Charged to ICTF

Indicate the amount charged to the ICTF by each State Fiscal Year (SFY) and for each of the patient categories indicated below during Hospital Fiscal Year 2012.

Patient Category		SFY 2011 7/1/10-6/30/11	SFY2012 7/1/11-6/30/12	SFY2013 7/1/12-6/30/13
A.	Qualified Medically Indigent Patients with incomes up to 125% of the Federal Poverty Level Guidelines and served without charge.	0	12,806,011	0
B.	Medically Indigent Patients with incomes between 125% and 200% of the Federal Poverty Level Guidelines where adjustments were made to patient amounts due in accordance with an established sliding scale.	0	2,317,831	0
C.	Other Patients in accordance with the department approved policy.	0	2,372,441	0

3. Patients Served

Indicate the number of patients served by SFY.

SFY 2011 7/1/10-6/30/11	SFY2012 7/1/11-6/30/12	SFY2013 7/1/12-6/30/13
0	2,726	0

Reconciliation Addendum

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Electronic Signature

Please note that the survey WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED without the authorized signature of the Chief Executive Officer or Executive Director (principal officer) of the facility. The signature can be completed only AFTER all survey data has been finalized. By law, the signatory is attesting under penalty of law that the information is accurate and complete.

I state, certify and attest that to the best of my knowledge upon conducting due diligence to assure the accuracy and completeness of all data, and based upon my affirmative review of the entire completed survey, this completed survey contains no untrue statement, or inaccurate data, nor omits requested material information or data. I further state, certify and attest that I have reviewed the entire contents of the completed survey with all appropriate staff of the facility. I further understand that inaccurate, incomplete or omitted data could lead to sanctions against me or my facility. I further understand that a typed version of my name is being accepted as my original signature pursuant to the Georgia Electronic Records and Signature Act.

Signature of Chief Executive: Phillip R. Wolfe

Date: 12/11/2013

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

I hereby certify that I am the financial officer authorized to sign this form and that the information is true and accurate. I further understand that a typed version of my name is being accepted as my original signature pursuant to the Georgia Electronic Records and Signature Act.

Signature of Financial Officer: Thomas Y. McBride III

Date: 12/11/2013

Title: Executive Vice President and CFO

Comments:

Deductions were estimated for professional fees due to lack of transaction code to specifically identify professional fee contractals and adjustments for accounts that had both hospital and professional fee charges. Indigent and Charity Care charges reported in E.1. of the survey represent charges written off to indigent or charity and are net of payments from any payor including state programs. Payments reported in E.2. of the survey are payments for indigent or charity care that were not posted at the account level. A 10% Self-Pay Discount was offered starting in FY12 due to requirements for retaining tax exempt status. If this discount had not been made, amount would likely be classified as Bad Debt, Indigent or Charity, therefore, amount was categorized as Bad Debt on the HFS.