



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF  
COMMUNITY HEALTH

**2014 Home Health Survey**

**Part A : General Information**

**1. Identification**

**UID:HHA070**

**Facility Name:** Visiting Nurses Association of Greater Tift Co

**County:** Tift

**Street Address:** 2014 Hwy 41 N

**City:** Tifton

**Zip:** 31794

**Mailing Address:** 2014 Hwy 41 N

**Mailing City:** Tifton

**Mailing Zip:** 31794

**Medicaid Provider?**

Check the box to the right if the agency is a medicaid provider ☒

If you indicated yes above, please report the medicaid number below.

NONE

**Medicare Provider?**

Check the box to the right if the agency is a medicare provider ☒

If you indicated yes above, please report the medicare number below.

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**2. Report Period**

Report Data for the full twelve month period, January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014 (365 days).

***Do not use a different report period.***

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:** Sandy Albertson

**Contact Title:** CFO

**Phone:** 229-386-8571

**Fax:** 229-386-1525

**E-mail:** visitingnurses@hotmail.com

## Part C : Ownership, Operation and Management

### 1. Ownership, Operation and Management

As of the last day of the report period, indicate the operation/management status of the facility and provide the effective date. Using the drop-down menus, select the organization type. If the category is not applicable, the form requires you only to enter Not Applicable in the legal name field. You must enter something for each category.

#### A. Agency Owner

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date
Eva Fletcher	Not for Profit	06/01/1978

#### B. Owner's Parent Organization

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date

#### C. Agency Operator

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date
Eva Fletcher	Not for Profit	06/01/1978

#### D. Operator's Parent Organization

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date

#### E. Management Contractor

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date

#### F. Management's Parent Organization

Full Legal Name (Or Not Applicable)	Organization Type	Effective Date

### 2. Branch Offices

If your agency has a branch office or branch offices please check the box to the right. ☐

### 3. Branch Office Locations

If your agency operates branch offices please provide the following information on branch locations.

Branch Office	Street Address	Street City	County	Date Est.
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## Part D : Agency Utilization and Patient Caseload Information

### 1. Health-Related Visits

Please report the number of health-related visits (not units) during the report period by service/discipline. Also, please provide the per visit rate your agency charges for providing each of the services indicated. Use the blank lines to report other services/disciplines.

Service/Discipline	Number of Visits	Charge per Visit
Skilled Nursing	5,843	150
Physical Therapy	1,759	200
Home Health Aide	4,249	120
Occupational Therapy	60	200
Medical Social Services	0	0
Speech Pathology	54	200
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0

### 2. Agency Caseload

Please report the total number of cases at the end of the business day on December 31, 2014.

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### 4. Completed Medicare Episodes of Care

Provide the total number of completed Medicare episodes of care during the report year. Include all completed episodes including Low Utilization Payment Adjustments (LUPA).

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### 5. Health-Related Patients by Race/Ethnicity

Please report the number of health-related patients during the report period using the following race and ethnicity categories.

Race/Ethnicity	Number of Patients
American Indian/Alaska Native	0
Asian	2
Black/African American	61
Hispanic/Latino	3
Pacific Islander/Hawaiian	0
White	252
Multi-Racial	0

### 6. Health-Related Patients by Gender

Report the number of health-related patients by gender served during the report period.

Gender	Number of Patients
Male	103
Female	215

### 7. Health-Related Visits by Payer

Please report the number of Health-Related visits, unduplicated patients, and the gross and net

patient revenue during the report period by each payer. Please note that gross and net patient revenue totals must balance to those reported in Part E.)

Payer	Patients	Visits	Gross Revenue	Net Revenue
Medicare	206	9,424	1,380,700	911,847
Medicaid	0	0	0	0
Other Government Payers	0	0	0	0
Managed Care (HMO/PPO)	52	2,162	323,270	213,890
Other Third Party Insurers	12	177	26,950	16,560
Self Pay	4	202	30,010	0
Other Non Government	0	0	0	0

## Part E : Agency Financial Summary, Indigent and Charity Care Provided and Patient Point of Origin

### 1. Indigent and/or Charity Care Policy

Check the box to the right if the agency had a formal written policy or written policies concerning the provision of indigent and/or charity care during 2014. ☒

If you indicated yes above, please indicate the effective date of the policy or policies.

12/01/1996

### 2. Person Responsible

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

Eva Fletcher, President

### 3. Charity Care Provision

Check the box if the policy or policies included provision for the care that is defined as charity. ☒

### 4. Financial Table

Please complete the following financial table for the 2014 calendar year. Please note that Total Uncompensated Indigent and Charity Care Charges (automatically calculated by the database) should not exceed Gross Indigent and Charity Care Charges.

Revenue or Expense	Amount
Gross Patient Revenue	1,760,930
Medicare Contractual Adjustments	437,727
Medicaid & Peachcare Contractual Adjustments	0
Other Contractual Adjustments	129,618
<b>Total Contractual Adjustments</b>	<b>567,345</b>
Bad Debt	21,278
Indigent Care Gross Charges	0
Indigent Care Compensation	0
<b>Uncompensated Indigent Care (Net)</b>	<b>0</b>
Charity Care Gross Charges	0
Charity Care Compensation	0
<b>Uncompensated Charity Care (Net)</b>	<b>0</b>
Other Free Care	30,010
<b>Total Net Patient Revenue</b>	<b>1,142,297</b>
<b>Adjusted Gross Patient Revenue</b>	<b>1,301,925</b>
Other Revenue	0
<b>Total Net Revenue</b>	<b>1,142,297</b>
Total Expenses	1,186,015
<b>Adjusted Gross Revenue</b>	<b>1,301,925</b>
<b>Total Uncompensated I/C Care</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Percent Uncompensated Indigent/Charity Care</b>	<b>0.00%</b>

### 5. Indigent or Charity Care Cases

Report the number of home health care patients who were classified as being indigent or charity care cases and for which patient charges were written off to indigent or charity care accounts as reported in Part E, Question 4 above.

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## **6. Patient Point of Origin**

Report the number of home health care patients who were referred to your agency by each of the following healthcare points of origin

Point of Origin	Number of Patients Referred
Hospitals (via discharge planner)	157
Physicians	60
Other Home Health Agencies	1
All Other Healthcare Providers	7

## **7. Referral Hospitals**

Please provide the names of the hospitals above who referred patients during the report year.

Hospital Name	Patients Referred
Tift Regional Medical Center	124
Colquitt Medical Center	1
Crisp Regional Hospital	5
Dorminy Medical Center	4
Emory University Hospital	3
Medical Center of GA	4
Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital	8
Phoebe Worth Medical Center	4
UF Shands Hospital	1
VAMC Augusta	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>157</b>

## Part F : Agency Workforce Information

This information is being collected to support Georgia's healthcare workforce planning activities.

### **1. Budgeted FTE**

Please report the number of budgeted fulltime equivalents (FTEs) and the number of vacancies as of 12-31-2014.

Profession	Budgeted FTEs	Vacant Budgeted FTEs	Contract/Temporary Staff FTEs
Registered Nurses (RNs Advanced Practice)	6	0	0
Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs)	1	0	0
Aides/Assistants	2	0	0
Allied Health/Therapists	0	0	2

## **2. Filling Vacancies**

Please enter the average time needed during the past six months to fill each type of vacant position.

Type of Vacancy	Average Time Needed to Fill Vacancies
Registered Nurse	
Licensed Practical Nurse	
Aide/Assistant	
Allied Health/Therapists	

## **Part G : Monthly Admissions, Readmissions and Utilization by Patient County**

### **1. Monthly Admissions and Readmissions**

Provide the number of new admissions and readmissions in each of the months during the report year

Month	New Admissions	Re-Admissions
January	6	11
February	7	4
March	8	6
April	8	1
May	11	6
June	28	2
July	11	3
August	15	2
September	15	6
October	18	7
November	17	5
December	18	10

### **2A. Patient Origin Part A.**

Patient Origin - Report the admissions, visits, and caseload by county for the report period. Caseload totals are for 1/1/2014. Admissions should capture all admissions during the report year. Visits should capture all visits during the report year. Report patients served for the four age cohort groups. The Total Patients column will be automatically calculated. You will not be able to enter data in that column. Also provide patients for ages 60 to 79 in the column provided.

County	Beginning Caseload	Admissions	Total Visits	Patients 60-79	I/C Patients	Patients Under 18	Patients 18-64	Patients 65-79	Patients 80 & Over	Total by Age
Ben Hill	6	19	930	11	0	0	3	10	12	25
Berrien	0	4	78	3	0	0	1	2	1	4
Cook	2	6	381	6	0	0	0	6	2	8
Crisp	1	2	186	1	0	0	0	1	2	3
Irwin	0	16	348	7	0	0	8	7	2	17
Turner	25	47	3,344	37	0	0	15	30	27	72
Wilcox	1	5	47	0	0	0	2	0	4	6
Worth	6	13	648	6	0	0	3	6	10	19
Tift	52	112	6,003	76	0	0	21	65	78	164



Total by Age	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	127	138	318
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## 2B. Patient Origin Part B.

Please report the Gross Charges, Adjusted Gross Patient Revenue and Net Uncompensated Charges by County. The grand total of each of these must balance to the Gross Patient Revenue, Adjusted Gross Patient Revenue and Net Uncompensated Charges reported in Part E Question 4.

County	Gross Charges	Adjusted Gross Patient Revenue	Net Uncompensated Charges
Ben Hill	133,680	93,680	0
Berrien	12,420	38,786	0
Cook	54,470	43,007	0
Crisp	27,950	12,669	0
Irwin	52,010	30,338	0
Turner	495,800	359,736	0
Wilcox	7,620	16,892	0
Worth	93,280	68,345	0
Tift	883,700	638,472	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,760,930</b>	<b>1,301,925</b>	<b>0</b>

## 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.*

**Authorized Signature:** Sandy Albertson

**Date:** 12/27/2021

**Title:** CFO

**Comments:**

We do not have a Medicaid provider #. I would not let me send it without marking the box that I did have one so I marked the box and put none where the ID number was to go.