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Form 990

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2012 , 2012, and ending 06-30-2013

B Check if applicable ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN		D Employer identification number 27-0814858	
	Doing Business As			
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 2817 ST JOHNS BLVD Suite		Room/suite	
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 Joplin, MO 64804			
	F Name and address of principal officer Gary Pulsipher CEO 2817 St Johns Blvd Joplin,MO 64804		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
		H(b) Are all affiliates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list (see instructions)		
		H(c) Group exemption number ▶ 0928		
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ◀(insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527				
J Website: ▶ www.mercy.net				

K Form of organization ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶	L Year of formation 2009	M State of legal domicile MO
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Part I

Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities AS THE SISTERS OF MERCY BEFORE US, WE BRING TO LIFE THE HEALING MINISTRY OF JESUS THROUGH OUR COMPASSIONATE CARE AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE		
2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets			
3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	11	
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	8	
5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a)	5	1,603	
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	145	
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	628,166	
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	360,805	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	528,847	208,287
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	95,439,204	162,929,691
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	152,481	-78,454
	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	388,753,022	234,817,594
		484,873,554	397,877,118
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	2,013,519	431,085
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	81,353,101	70,964,125
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 0		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	141,241,117	140,326,716
	18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	224,607,737	211,721,926
	19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	260,265,817	186,155,192
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	327,967,789	523,608,469
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	30,384,188	39,605,000
	22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	297,583,601	484,003,469

Part II

Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here	Signature of officer		Date		
	Shelly Hunter CFO		2014-05-08		
Type or print name and title					
Paid Preparer Use Only	Prnt/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ▶ ERNST & YOUNG US LLP			Firm's EIN ▶	
	Firm's address ▶ 190 CARONDELET PLAZA SUITE 1300 CLAYTON, MO 63105			Phone no (314) 290-1000	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) ☐ Yes ☐ No

Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

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1

Briefly describe the organization’s mission

AS THE SISTERS OF MERCY BEFORE US, WE BRING TO LIFE THE HEALING MINISTRY OF JESUS THROUGH OUR COMPASSIONATE CARE AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE

2

Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If “Yes,” describe these new services on Schedule O

3

Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If “Yes,” describe these changes on Schedule O

4

Describe the organization’s program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a

(Code) (Expenses \$ 4,215,984 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 42,227,102)

FROM THE MERCY SISTERS WHO FOUNDED OUR HOSPITAL IN 1896 AS A 10-BED HOSPITAL TO THE 367-BED REGIONAL TERTIARY CARE FACILITY THAT WAS DESTROYED BY AN F5 TORNADO MAY 22, 2011, TO A POST DISASTER 60 BED TEMPORARY HOSPITAL, TO A 150,000 SQUARE FOOT INTERIM HOSPITAL USED SINCE APRIL 2012, AS CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES ON A PERMANENT FACILITY (THIS PERMANENT 900,000 SQUARE FOOT STRUCTURE WILL HAVE ROOM TO GROW FROM 205 BEDS TO 264 BEDS AND IS PLANNED TO OPEN IN THE SPRING OF 2015), MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN CONTINUES ITS MISSION OF PROVIDING HEALTHCARE TO THE FOUR-STATE REGION WITH COMPASSION AND A DEEP DESIRE TO HELP THE PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITY WE SERVE ALL PERSONS IN THE COMMUNITY ON A NON-DISCRIMINATORY BASIS AND OPERATE A 24-HOUR EMERGENCY ROOM 365 DAYS PER YEAR THAT IS OPEN TO ALL PERSONS REGARDLESS OF ABILITY TO PAY MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN PARTICIPATES IN MEDICARE AND MEDICAID AND HAS AN ACTIVE CHARITY CARE PROGRAM FROM DIAGNOSTICS AND TREATMENT TO REHABILITATION AND PREVENTION, WE OFFER THE MOST EXPERIENCED AND SOPHISTICATED CARDIOVASCULAR SERVICES IN THIS REGION OUR CARDIOLOGISTS AND CARDIOVASCULAR SURGEONS WORK TOGETHER AS A TEAM TO IDENTIFY THE BEST POSSIBLE TREATMENT FOR EVERY PATIENT, AND THEY HAVE THE MOST ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES AND TREATMENTS AT THEIR DISPOSAL THE CURRENT FACILITY INCLUDES A CATH LAB, FOUR STATE-OF-THE-ART SURGICAL SUITES AND THE LATEST TECHNOLOGY IN DIAGNOSTICS AND TREATMENT FOR YOUR HEART, AND IS ALSO EQUIPPED AND STAFFED TO PERFORM OPEN HEART PROCEDURES

4b

(Code) (Expenses \$ 5,980,638 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 64,936,114)

AT MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN, WE ARE COMMITTED TO OFFERING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY THE MOST EXTENSIVE CANCER PROGRAM IN THE 19-COUNTY AREA SURROUNDING JOPLIN WE REALIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF COMPLETE CANCER CARE BACK IN 1979 SINCE THAT TIME, WE HAVE CONTINUED TO INVEST IN THE LATEST TECHNOLOGY, AND IN HIRING THE BEST HEALTH PROFESSIONALS THOUGH THE 2011 TORNADO DESTROYED MANY OF OUR ON-CAMPUS CANCER SERVICES, WE QUICKLY REESTABLISHED OUR INFUSION CENTER, ONCOLOGY AND HEMATOLOGY SERVICES OUR EXPERIENCED TEAM OF MEDICAL AND RADIATION ONCOLOGISTS, HEMATOLOGIST, PATHOLOGISTS, RADIOLOGISTS, NURSES AND THERAPISTS ARE ONCE AGAIN HELPING PATIENTS BEAT CANCER WE ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT YOUR PROGNOSIS IMPROVES DRAMATICALLY WHEN YOUR TREATMENT SUPPORTS YOUR BODY, MIND AND SPIRIT THAT’S WHY WE OFFER NUTRITIONAL COUNSELING, SUPPORT GROUPS AND INSIST ON THE BEST NURSING CARE LIKEWISE, WE KNOW THE IMPACT OF CANCER EXTENDS BEYOND THE PATIENT, SO OUR STAFF IS SENSITIVE TO THE NEEDS OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS WITH THE OPENING OF OUR NEW 150,000-SQUARE-FOOT INTERIM HOSPITAL, AS WELL AS THE PERMANENT HOSPITAL THAT’S UNDER CONSTRUCTION, WE’RE RESTATING OUR COMMITMENT TO SERVE THE JOPLIN COMMUNITY THAT MEANS, EVEN AS WE REBUILD, WE’RE STILL EXPLORING BETTER WAYS TO TREAT CANCER OUR LONG-TERM PROMISE IS TO BUILD UPON THE FOUNDATION WE ESTABLISHED DECADES AGO, AND ULTIMATELY, TO GIVE EACH OF OUR PATIENTS THE BEST CANCER CARE IN THE REGION

4c

(Code) (Expenses \$ 8,014,548 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 25,299,784)

MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN'S EXPERTISE IS NEVER MORE EVIDENT THAN IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS OUR EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT HAS EXPANDED WITH MORE SPACE AND FUNCTIONALITY THAN EVER BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT INCLUDES 3 TRIAGE ROOMS, 17 EXAM ROOMS, 3 TRAUMA ROOMS, AND 18 CRITICAL CARE BEDS AT ANY TIME, DAY OR NIGHT, WE HAVE SURGEONS AND ANESTHESIOLOGISTS READY TO TEND TO YOU OR YOUR LOVED ONE, PLUS QUICK ACCESS TO PHYSICIANS IN ORTHOPEDICTS, NEUROSURGERY, INTERNAL MEDICINE AND OTHER SPECIALTIES WE EQUIP OUR STAFF WITH TOP OF THE LINE CARDIAC MONITORING SYSTEMS, ENABLING THEM TO TAKE CARE OF EVEN THE MOST CRITICAL PATIENTS AND, WHEN SECONDS COUNT, WE OFFER MED-FLIGHT AIR MEDICAL SERVICE WITH THE MOST EXPERIENCED PILOTS AND STAFF, AND TWO ON-SITE HELIPADS DURING THE YEAR MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN SERVED 29,262 PATIENTS THROUGH OUR EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

4d

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ 109,004,410 including grants of \$ 431,085) (Revenue \$ 264,264,576)

4e

Total program service expenses

127,215,580

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A 	1 Yes	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? 	2 Yes	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I 	3	No
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II 	4 Yes	
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I 	6	No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II 	7	No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III 	8	No
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV 	9	No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V 	10	No
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI 	11a Yes	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII 	11b	No
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII 	11c	No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX 	11d Yes	
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11e Yes	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11f	No
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII 	12a	No
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional 	12b Yes	
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13	No
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	No
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b	No
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15	No
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16	No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)	17	No
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18	No
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H 	20a Yes	
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? 	20b Yes	

Part IV

Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21	Yes	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22	Yes	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23	Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	24a		No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a		No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b		No
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highest compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26		No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27		No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b		No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . .	29		No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31		No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34	Yes	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	Yes	
b	If 'Yes' to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b	Yes	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36		No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> . . .	37		No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

Part V

Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.		
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.		
1c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	Yes	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.		
2b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions).	Yes	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	Yes	
3b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.	Yes	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		No
5b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		No
5c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?		No
6b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
7a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?		No
7b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
7c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		No
7d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.		
7e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		No
7f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		No
7g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		
7h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.		
9a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		
9b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
10a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.		
10b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
11a	Gross income from members or shareholders.		
11b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
12b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.		
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
13a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.		
13b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans.		
13c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand.		
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		No
14b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.		

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure

For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	11	
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O			
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	8	
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2	No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3	No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4	No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	5	No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	6	Yes
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	7a	Yes
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	7b	Yes
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following		
8a	The governing body?	8a	Yes
8b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	Yes
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9	No

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	No
10b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	Yes
11b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Yes
12b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Yes
12c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Yes
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Yes
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Yes
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
15a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	No
15b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Yes
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	16a	No
16b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	

Section C. Disclosure

17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. ☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization SHELLY HUNTER CFO 2817 ST JOHNS BLVD JOPLIN, MO (417) 625-2459

Part VII

Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year
- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid

List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee "

List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Bazzano DO Stephen	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	0 0									
(2) Brau RSM Sr Annrene	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	7 0									
(3) Brown Rick	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	0 0									
(4) Buckman RSM Sr Mary Jeremy	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	2 0									
(5) Curtis MD Brian	1 0	X						0	1,035,562	18,201
Physician & Board member	59 0									
(6) Dumm Elizabeth	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	0 0									
(7) Hendricks RSM Sr Rebecca	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	12 0									
(8) Incrivaglia RSM Sr Victoria	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member - through 11/12	1 0									
(9) Smith DO D Sean	1 0	X						0	471,758	23,038
Physician & Board member	59 0									
(10) Thomas Danny	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	1 0									
(11) Wheeler DO Frederic	1 0	X						0	0	0
Board member	1 0									
(12) Pulsipher Gary W	25 0	X		X				0	577,756	167,885
Chief executive officer	35 0									
(13) Hunter Shelly	25 0			X				0	282,063	36,160
Chief financial officer	35 0									
(14) Bringle Dottie	40 0				X			448,815	0	46,537
COO/CNO THROUGH 8/12	20 0									
(15) Day Bradley Kim	2 0				X			0	987,614	348,680
PRES- CENTRAL COMM THRU 3/1/13	58 0									
(16) Hennessey III William	5 0				X			0	257,186	50,175
Regional VP-Marketing	55 0									
(17) Marion Tanya	4 0				X			0	232,635	43,308
Regional VP-Human Resources	56 0									

Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns . . .	1a					
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c	0				
	d	Related organizations	1d	53,658				
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	154,629				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$		0				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f		208,287				
Program Service Revenue	2a	NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE	Business Code 621110	104,062,586	104,062,586		0	
	b	REFERENCE LAB	621500	58,867,105	58,315,643	551,462	0	
	c							
	d							
	e							
	f	All other program service revenue						
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f		162,929,691				
	Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		6,546			6,546
4		Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . .		0				
5		Royalties		0				
6a		Gross rents	(i) Real 944,405	(ii) Personal				
		b	Less rental expenses					
		c	Rental income or (loss)	944,405	0			
		d	Net rental income or (loss)		944,405	1,400		943,005
7a		Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
		b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses		85,000			
		c	Gain or (loss)		-85,000			
		d	Net gain or (loss)		-85,000			-85,000
8a		Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18						
		a						
b		Less direct expenses	b	0				
c		Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . .		0				
9a		Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19						
		a						
b		Less direct expenses	b					
c		Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . .		0				
10a		Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances						
	a							
b	Less cost of goods sold . . .	b						
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . .		0					
	Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code					
11a	Cafe & Vending	711120	730,187	730,187	0	0		
b	INSURANCE PROCEEDS/ASSET IMPAIRMENT	900099	230,174,184	230,174,184		0		
c	ALL OTHER REVENUE	900099	2,968,818	2,892,114	76,704	0		
d	All other revenue							
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d		233,873,189					
12	Total revenue. See Instructions		397,877,118	396,176,114	628,166	864,551		

Part IX

Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21.	348,915	348,915		
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22.	82,170	82,170		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16.	0	0		
4	Benefits paid to or for members.	0	0		
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	1,306,339	1,045,071	261,268	0
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0	0	0	0
7	Other salaries and wages.	53,194,678	42,555,742	10,638,936	0
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	2,188,273	1,750,618	437,655	0
9	Other employee benefits.	10,501,982	8,401,586	2,100,396	0
10	Payroll taxes.	3,772,853	3,018,282	754,571	0
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
a	Management.	0	0	0	0
b	Legal.	150,979	0	150,979	0
c	Accounting.	37,366	0	37,366	0
d	Lobbying.	14,309	0	14,309	0
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			0
f	Investment management fees.	0	0	0	0
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	22,961,838	17,450,997	5,510,841	0
12	Advertising and promotion.	81,642	18,591	63,051	0
13	Office expenses.	3,292,185	2,445,016	847,169	0
14	Information technology.	68,343	67,983	360	0
15	Royalties.	0	0	0	0
16	Occupancy.	5,850,128	830,676	5,019,452	0
17	Travel.	496,676	395,861	100,815	0
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.	0	0	0	0
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	14,100	53	14,047	0
20	Interest.	0	0	0	0
21	Payments to affiliates.	0	0	0	0
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	21,013,429	1,647,519	19,365,910	0
23	Insurance.	566,241	561,718	4,523	0
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O):				
a	Bad Debt.	17,354,321	17,354,200	121	0
b	Repairs & Maintenance.	747,772	179,343	568,429	0
c	Shared Service Fees.	38,034,914	290,339	37,744,575	0
d	Drugs & Medical Supplies.	28,568,906	28,568,906	0	0
e	All other expenses.	1,073,567	201,994	871,573	
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	211,721,926	127,215,580	84,506,346	0
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).	0			

Part X

Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X

				(A)		(B)
				Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		109,009,184	1	195,465,676
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		0	2	0
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		0	3	0
	4	Accounts receivable, net		14,932,924	4	19,136,077
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	5	0
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	6	0
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		55,705	7	110,571
	8	Inventories for sale or use		3,835,127	8	4,489,228
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		1,221,519	9	171,790
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a252,221,846			
	b	Less accumulated depreciation	10b30,404,847	160,952,832	10c	221,816,999
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		0	11	0
	12	Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11		0	12	0
	13	Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		0	13	0
	14	Intangible assets		0	14	0
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11		37,960,498	15	82,418,128
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		327,967,789	16	523,608,469
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		30,190,175	17	39,421,615
	18	Grants payable		0	18	0
	19	Deferred revenue		161,623	19	152,883
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		0	20	0
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		0	21	0
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		0	22	0
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		0	23	0
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		0	24	0
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D		32,390	25	30,502
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		30,384,188	26	39,605,000
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets		297,503,792	27	483,833,407
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		79,809	28	170,062
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		0	29	0
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.					
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund			31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
	33	Total net assets or fund balances		297,583,601	33	484,003,469
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		327,967,789	34	523,608,469

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	397,877,118
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	211,721,926
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	186,155,192
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	297,583,601
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	215,254
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	49,422
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	484,003,469

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2a	No
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both ☐ Separate basis ☒ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis	2b	Yes
2c	If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	2c	Yes
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	3a	No
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	3b	

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN	Employer identification number 27-0814858
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Part I

Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box)

- 1

☐

A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2

☐

A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E)
- 3

☒

A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4

☐

A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5

☐

An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II)
- 6

☐

A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7

☐

An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II)
- 8

☐

A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
- 9

☐

An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33¹/₃% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33¹/₃% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III)
- 10

☐

An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11

☐

An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h

a

☐

Type I

b

☐

Type II

c

☐

Type III - Functionally integrated

d

☐

Type III - Non-functionally integrated
- e

☐

By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f

☐

If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g

☐

Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

(i)

A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?

(ii)

A family member of a person described in (i) above?

(iii)

A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

h

☐

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1 - 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2012

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10)						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage						
14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))		14				
15 Public support percentage for 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14		15				
16a 33 1/3% support test—2012. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
b 33 1/3% support test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization						▶
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions						▶

Part IIISupport Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage			
15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15		
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16		

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage			
17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17		
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18		
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2012. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶			
b 33 1/3% support tests—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶			
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ▶			

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Explanation

SCHEDULE C

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

▶ Complete if the organization is described below. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ See separate instructions.

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If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B
- Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered “Yes” to Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

1	Provide a description of the organization’s direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV	
2	Political expenditures	▶ \$
3	Volunteer hours	

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

1	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955	▶ \$
2	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955	▶ \$
3	If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?	☐ Yes ☐ No
4a	Was a correction made?	☐ Yes ☐ No
b	If “Yes,” describe in Part IV	

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

1	Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities	▶ \$
2	Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities	▶ \$
3	Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b	▶ \$
4	Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	☐ Yes ☐ No
5	Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization’s funds Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV	

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-

Part II-A

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A
- Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)
- B
- Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)															
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)															
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)															
d Other exempt purpose expenditures															
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)															
f Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns															
<table><tr><td>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</td><td>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</td></tr><tr><td>Not over \$500,000</td><td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td><td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td><td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td><td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td></tr><tr><td>Over \$17,000,000</td><td>\$1,000,000</td></tr></table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
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Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e														
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000														
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000														
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)															
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-															
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-															
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		☐ Yes	☐ No												

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)
(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response to lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity.		(a)		(b)
		Yes	No	Amount
1	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a	Volunteers?		No	
b	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?		No	
c	Media advertisements?		No	0
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		No	0
e	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		No	0
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		No	0
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?		No	0
h	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?		No	0
i	Other activities?	Yes		14,309
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i.			14,309
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?		No	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B

Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a	Current year	2a	
b	Carryover from last year	2b	
c	Total	2c	
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4	If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

Part IV

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, line 2, and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE C, PART II-B, LINE 1(I)	SUPPLEMENTAL LOBBYING INFORMATION	THE FILING ORGANIZATION IS A MEMBER OF AND PAYS DUES TO THE FOLLOWING HOSPITAL ASSOCIATIONS: AMERICAN HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, MISSOURI HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, AND CATHOLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION. DUES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013, WERE \$16,307, \$45,739, AND \$38,653, RESPECTIVELY. APPROXIMATELY 23.98% OF AMERICAN HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION DUES, 20.2% OF MISSOURI HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION DUES, AND 3.00% OF CATHOLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION DUES WERE ATTRIBUTABLE TO LOBBYING ACTIVITIES PERFORMED BY THESE ASSOCIATIONS.

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

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Name of the organization
MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN

Employer identification number
27-0814858

Part I

Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)	
4	Aggregate value at end of year	
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? ☐ Yes ☐ No	

Part II

Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1

Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) ☐ Preservation of an historically important land area

☐ Protection of natural habitat ☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure

☐ Preservation of open space

2

Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a	Total number of conservation easements
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements
c	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register

3

Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶_____

4

Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶_____

5

Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6

Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶_____

7

Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶\$ _____

8

Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9

In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b

If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶\$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶\$ _____

2

If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a

Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1

▶\$ _____

b

Assets included in Form 990, Part X

▶\$ _____

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Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

3

Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a

☐ Public exhibition

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

b

☐ Scholarly research

e

☐ Other

c

☐ Preservation for future generations

4

Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII

5

During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a

Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

☐

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a)Current year	(b)Prior year	b (c)Two years back	(d)Three years back	(e)Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment

b

Permanent endowment

c

Temporarily restricted endowment

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i) unrelated organizations

3a(i)

Yes

No

(ii) related organizations

3a(ii)

Yes

No

b

If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

3b

Yes

No

4

Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b)Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		20,291,786		20,291,786
b Buildings		23,181,563	20,636,700	2,544,863
c Leasehold improvements		2,460,779	1,593,734	867,045
d Equipment		41,458,273	7,927,970	33,530,303
e Other		164,829,445	246,443	164,583,002
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				221,816,999

Schedule D (Form 990) 2012

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12			
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)		5	

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a		
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)		5	

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2	ASC 740 FOOTNOTE	THE CONSOLIDATED AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF MERCY HEALTH AND AFFILIATES DO NOT INCLUDE A FOOTNOTE TO REPORT THE ORGANIZATION'S LIABILITY FOR UNCERTAIN TAX PROVISIONS UNDER ASC 740, AS THEY ARE DEEMED IMMATERIAL FOR DISCLOSURE

SCHEDULE H
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Hospitals

OMB No 1545-0047

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▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 20.
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

Name of the organization
MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN

Employer identification number
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Part I

Financial Assistance and Certain Other Community Benefits at Cost

		Yes	No	
1a	Did the organization have a financial assistance policy during the tax year? If "No," skip to question 6a	1a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," was it a written policy?	1b	Yes	
2	If the organization had multiple hospital facilities, indicate which of the following best describes application of the financial assistance policy to its various hospital facilities during the tax year ☒ Applied uniformly to all hospital facilities ☐ Applied uniformly to most hospital facilities ☐ Generally tailored to individual hospital facilities			
3	Answer the following based on the financial assistance eligibility criteria that applied to the largest number of the organization's patients during the tax year a Did the organization use Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) as a factor in determining eligibility for providing <i>free</i> care? If "Yes," indicate which of the following was the FPG family income limit for eligibility for <i>free</i> care ☒ 100% ☐ 150% ☐ 200% ☐ Other _____ % b Did the organization use FPG as a factor in determining eligibility for providing <i>discounted</i> care? If "Yes," indicate which of the following was the family income limit for eligibility for discounted care ☐ 200% ☐ 250% ☐ 300% ☐ 350% ☒ 400% ☐ Other _____ % c If the organization used factors other than FPG in determining eligibility, describe in Part VI the income based criteria for determining eligibility for free or discounted care Include in the description whether the organization used an asset test or other threshold, regardless of income, as a factor in determining eligibility for free or discounted care	3a	Yes	
		3b	Yes	
4	Did the organization's financial assistance policy that applied to the largest number of its patients during the tax year provide for free or discounted care to the "medically indigent"?	4	Yes	
5a	Did the organization budget amounts for free or discounted care provided under its financial assistance policy during the tax year?	5a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization's financial assistance expenses exceed the budgeted amount?	5b		No
c	If "Yes" to line 5b, as a result of budget considerations, was the organization unable to provide free or discounted care to a patient who was eligible for free or discounted care?	5c		
6a	Did the organization prepare a community benefit report during the tax year?	6a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization make it available to the public?	6b		No
	Complete the following table using the worksheets provided in the Schedule H instructions Do not submit these worksheets with the Schedule H			

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Financial Assistance and Certain Other Community Benefits at Cost

Financial Assistance and Means-Tested Government Programs	(a) Number of activities or programs (optional)	(b) Persons served (optional)	(c) Total community benefit expense	(d) Direct offsetting revenue	(e) Net community benefit expense	(f) Percent of total expense
a Financial Assistance at cost (from Worksheet 1)			7,143,483		7,143,483	3 680 %
b Medicaid (from Worksheet 3, column a)			44,565,265	37,207,062	7,358,203	3 790 %
c Costs of other means-tested government programs (from Worksheet 3, column b) .						
d Total Financial Assistance and Means-Tested Government Programs .			51,708,748	37,207,062	14,501,686	7 470 %
Other Benefits						
e Community health improvement services and community benefit operations (from Worksheet 4)			1,330,356	6,106	1,324,250	0 680 %
f Health professions education (from Worksheet 5)			170,665		170,665	0 090 %
g Subsidized health services (from Worksheet 6)			773,367	513,416	259,951	0 130 %
h Research (from Worksheet 7)			210,750	9,240	201,510	0 100 %
i Cash and in-kind contributions for community benefit (from Worksheet 8)			2,538,881		2,538,881	1 310 %
j Total Other Benefits			5,024,019	528,762	4,495,257	2 310 %
k Total. Add lines 7d and 7j .			56,732,767	37,735,824	18,996,943	9 780 %

Part IICommunity Building Activities

Complete this table if the organization conducted any community building activities during the tax year, and describe in Part VI how its community building activities promoted the health of the communities it serves.

	(a) Number of activities or programs (optional)	(b) Persons served (optional)	(c) Total community building expense	(d) Direct offsetting revenue	(e) Net community building expense	(f) Percent of total expense
1Physical improvements and housing			1,750		1,750	0 %
2Economic development						
3Community support			31,695		31,695	0 020 %
4Environmental improvements						
5Leadership development and training for community members						
6Coalition building						
7Community health improvement advocacy			1,886		1,886	0 %
8Workforce development			59,693		59,693	0 030 %
9Other			19,418		19,418	0 010 %
10Total			114,442		114,442	0 060 %

Part IIIBad Debt, Medicare, & Collection Practices

Section A. Bad Debt Expense

1

Did the organization report bad debt expense in accordance with Heathcare Financial Management Association Statement No. 15?

1

Yes

2

Enter the amount of the organization's bad debt expense. Explain in Part VI the methodology used by the organization to estimate this amount.

2

10,919,635

3

Enter the estimated amount of the organization's bad debt expense attributable to patients eligible under the organization's financial assistance policy. Explain in Part VI the methodology used by the organization to estimate this amount and the rationale, if any, for including this portion of bad debt as community benefit.

3

4

Provide in Part VI the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes bad debt expense or the page number on which this footnote is contained in the attached financial statements.

Section B. Medicare

5

Enter total revenue received from Medicare (including DSH and IME).

5

60,963,099

6

Enter Medicare allowable costs of care relating to payments on line 5.

6

80,637,319

7

Subtract line 6 from line 5. This is the surplus (or shortfall).

7

-19,674,220

8

Describe in Part VI the extent to which any shortfall reported in line 7 should be treated as community benefit. Also describe in Part VI the costing methodology or source used to determine the amount reported on line 6. Check the box that describes the method used.

☐

Cost accounting system

☒

Cost to charge ratio

☐

Other

Section C. Collection Practices

9a

Did the organization have a written debt collection policy during the tax year?

9a

Yes

9b

If "Yes," did the organization's collection policy that applied to the largest number of its patients during the tax year contain provisions on the collection practices to be followed for patients who are known to qualify for financial assistance? Describe in Part VI.

9b

Yes

Part IVManagement Companies and Joint Ventures

(owned 10% or more by officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and physicians—see instructions)

(a) Name of entity	(b) Description of primary activity of entity	(c) Organization's profit % or stock ownership %	(d) Officers, directors, trustees, or key employees' profit % or stock ownership %	(e) Physicians' profit % or stock ownership %
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Part V

Facility Information

Section A. Hospital Facilities

(list in order of size from largest to smallest—see instructions)
How many hospital facilities did the organization operate during the tax year?
1

Name, address, and primary website address

		Licensed hospital	General medical & surgical	Children's hospital	Teaching hospital	Critical access hospital	Research facility	ER-24 hours	ER-other	Other (Describe)	Facility reporting group
1	Mercy Hospital Joplin 2817 ST JOHNS BLVD JOPLIN, MO 64804	X	X					X			

Part V Facility Information (continued)

Section B. Facility Policies and Practices

(Complete a separate Section B for each of the hospital facilities or facility reporting groups listed in Part V, Section A)

Mercy Hospital Joplin

Name of hospital facility or facility reporting group

For single facility filers only: line Number of Hospital Facility (from Schedule H, Part V, Section A)

1

		Yes	No
Community Health Needs Assessment (Lines 1 through 8c are optional for tax years beginning on or before March 23, 2012)			
1 During the tax year or either of the two immediately preceding tax years, did the hospital facility conduct a community health needs assessment (CHNA)? If "No," skip to line 9 If "Yes," indicate what the CHNA report describes (check all that apply) a ☒ A definition of the community served by the hospital facility b ☒ Demographics of the community c ☒ Existing health care facilities and resources within the community that are available to respond to the health needs of the community d ☒ How data was obtained e ☒ The health needs of the community f ☒ Primary and chronic disease needs and other health issues of uninsured persons, low-income persons, and minority groups g ☒ The process for identifying and prioritizing community health needs and services to meet the community health needs h ☐ The process for consulting with persons representing the community's interests i ☒ Information gaps that limit the hospital facility's ability to assess the community's health needs j ☐ Other (describe in Part VI) 2 Indicate the tax year the hospital facility last conducted a CHNA 20 <u>12</u> 3 In conducting its most recent CHNA, did the hospital facility take into account input from representatives of the community served by the hospital facility, including those with special knowledge of or expertise in public health? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the hospital facility took into account input from persons who represent the community, and identify the persons the hospital facility consulted 4 Was the hospital facility's CHNA conducted with one or more other hospital facilities? If "Yes," list the other hospital facilities in Part VI 5 Did the hospital facility make its CHNA report widely available to the public? If "Yes," indicate how the CHNA report was made widely available (check all that apply) a ☒ Hospital facility's website b ☒ Available upon request from the hospital facility c ☐ Other (describe in Part VI) 6 If the hospital facility addressed needs identified in its most recently conducted CHNA, indicate how (check all that apply to date) a ☒ Adoption of an implementation strategy that addresses each of the community health needs identified through the CHNA b ☐ Execution of the implementation strategy c ☐ Participation in the development of a community-wide plan d ☐ Participation in the execution of a community-wide plan e ☐ Inclusion of a community benefit section in operational plans f ☐ Adoption of a budget for provision of services that address the needs identified in the CHNA g ☒ Prioritization of health needs in its community h ☒ Prioritization of services that the hospital facility will undertake to meet health needs in its community i ☐ Other (describe in Part VI) 7 Did the hospital facility address all of the needs identified in its most recently conducted CHNA? If "No," explain in Part VI which needs it has not addressed and the reasons why it has not addressed such needs 8a Did the organization incur an excise tax under section 4959 for the hospital facility's failure to conduct a CHNA as required by section 501(r)(3)? b If "Yes" to line 8a, did the organization file Form 4720 to report the section 4959 excise tax? c If "Yes" to line 8b, what is the total amount of section 4959 excise tax the organization reported on Form 4720 for all of its hospital facilities? \$_____	1	Yes	
	3	Yes	
	4		No
	5	Yes	
	7	Yes	
	8a		No
	8b		

Part V

Facility Information (continued)

Financial Assistance Policy		Yes	No
9 Did the hospital facility have in place during the tax year a written financial assistance policy that Explained eligibility criteria for financial assistance, and whether such assistance includes free or discounted care?		9	Yes
10 Used federal poverty guidelines (FPG) to determine eligibility for providing <i>free</i> care? If "Yes," indicate the FPG family income limit for eligibility for free care <u>100</u> % If "No," explain in Part VI the criteria the hospital facility used		10	Yes
11 Used FPG to determine eligibility for providing <i>discounted</i> care? If "Yes," indicate the FPG family income limit for eligibility for discounted care <u>400</u> % If "No," explain in Part VI the criteria the hospital facility used		11	Yes
12 Explained the basis for calculating amounts charged to patients? If "Yes," indicate the factors used in determining such amounts (check all that apply)		12	Yes
a ☒ Income level			
b ☒ Asset level			
c ☒ Medical indigency			
d ☐ Insurance status			
e ☐ Uninsured discount			
f ☐ Medicaid/Medicare			
g ☐ State regulation			
h ☐ Other (describe in Part VI)			
13 Explained the method for applying for financial assistance?		13	Yes
14 Included measures to publicize the policy within the community served by the hospital facility? If "Yes," indicate how the hospital facility publicized the policy (check all that apply)		14	Yes
a ☒ The policy was posted on the hospital facility's website			
b ☐ The policy was attached to billing invoices			
c ☒ The policy was posted in the hospital facility's emergency rooms or waiting rooms			
d ☒ The policy was posted in the hospital facility's admissions offices			
e ☐ The policy was provided, in writing, to patients on admission to the hospital facility			
f ☒ The policy was available upon request			
g ☐ Other (describe in Part VI)			
Billing and Collections			
15 Did the hospital facility have in place during the tax year a separate billing and collections policy, or a written financial assistance policy (FAP) that explained actions the hospital facility may take upon non-payment?		15	Yes
16 Check all of the following actions against an individual that were permitted under the hospital facility's policies during the tax year before making reasonable efforts to determine the patient's eligibility under the facility's FAP			
a ☐ Reporting to credit agency			
b ☐ Lawsuits			
c ☐ Liens on residences			
d ☐ Body attachments			
e ☐ Other similar actions (describe in Part VI)			
17 Did the hospital facility or an authorized third party perform any of the following actions during the tax year before making reasonable efforts to determine the patient's eligibility under the facility's FAP? If "Yes," check all actions in which the hospital facility or a third party engaged		17	No
a ☐ Reporting to credit agency			
b ☐ Lawsuits			
c ☐ Liens on residences			
d ☐ Body attachments			
e ☐ Other similar actions (describe in Part VI)			

Part V

Facility Information (continued)

- 18
- Indicate which efforts the hospital facility made before initiating any of the actions listed in line 17 (check all that apply)
- a

☐

Notified individuals of the financial assistance policy on admission
- b

☐

Notified individuals of the financial assistance policy prior to discharge
- c

☐

Notified individuals of the financial assistance policy in communications with the patients regarding the patients' bills
- d

☐

Documented its determination of whether patients were eligible for financial assistance under the hospital facility's financial assistance policy
- e

☐

Other (describe in Part VI)

Policy Relating to Emergency Medical Care

		Yes	No
19	Did the hospital facility have in place during the tax year a written policy relating to emergency medical care that requires the hospital facility to provide, without discrimination, care for emergency medical conditions to individuals regardless of their eligibility under the hospital facility's financial assistance policy? If "No," indicate why	Yes	
a	☐ The hospital facility did not provide care for any emergency medical conditions		
b	☐ The hospital facility's policy was not in writing		
c	☐ The hospital facility limited who was eligible to receive care for emergency medical conditions (describe in Part VI)		
d	☐ Other (describe in Part VI)		

Charges to Individuals Eligible for Assistance under the FAP (FAP-Eligible Individuals)

20	Indicate how the hospital facility determined, during the tax year, the maximum amounts that can be charged to FAP-eligible individuals for emergency or other medically necessary care		
a	☐ The hospital facility used its lowest negotiated commercial insurance rate when calculating the maximum amounts that can be charged		
b	☐ The hospital facility used the average of its three lowest negotiated commercial insurance rates when calculating the maximum amounts that can be charged		
c	☐ The hospital facility used the Medicare rates when calculating the maximum amounts that can be charged		
d	☒ Other (describe in Part VI)		
21	During the tax year, did the hospital facility charge any FAP-eligible individuals to whom the hospital facility provided emergency or other medically necessary services, more than the amounts generally billed to individuals who had insurance covering such care? If "Yes," explain in Part VI		No
22	During the tax year, did the hospital facility charge any FAP-eligible individuals an amount equal to the gross charge for any service provided to that individual? If "Yes," explain in Part VI		No

Part V

Facility Information (continued)

Section C. Other Health Care Facilities That Are Not Licensed, Registered, or Similarly Recognized as a Hospital Facility

(list in order of size, from largest to smallest)

How many non-hospital health care facilities did the organization operate during the tax year?

8

Name and address	Type of Facility (describe)
1 Mercy Infusion Center 3001 McClelland Boulevard Joplin, MO 64804	Other
2 Thousand Oaks Medical Building 1905 W 32nd Joplin, MO 64804	Breast Center and Other
3 Regional Eye Center Bldg 1531 W 32nd Suites 105 109 A and Joplin, MO 64804	OP Rehab
4 Mercy Home Health and Hospice 4500 E 32nd Street Joplin, MO 64804	Home Care/Hospice
5 Mercy Behavioral Health 5615 W 32nd Street Joplin, MO 64804	Behavioral Health
6 MERCY MEDICAL SUPPLY - JOPLIN 3120 S MAIN STREET STE 10 JOPLIN, MO 64804	DME RETAIL LOCATION
7 MERCY HOME HEALTH AND HOSPICE - COLUMBUS 101 WSYCAMORE COLUMBUS, KS 66725	HOME CARE/HOSPICE
8 MERCY NEOSHO 2550 LUSK DRIVE NEOSHO, MO 64850	PHYSICIAN CLINIC/PRACTICE (RURAL HEALTH CLINIC)
9	
10	

Part VI

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the following information

- 1

Required descriptions. Provide the descriptions required for Part I, lines 3c, 6a, and 7, Part II, Part III, lines 4, 8, and 9b, Part V, Section A, and Part V, Section B, lines 1j, 3, 4, 5c, 6i, 7, 10, 11, 12h, 14g, 16e, 17e, 18e, 19c, 19d, 20d, 21, and 22
- 2

Needs assessment. Describe how the organization assesses the health care needs of the communities it serves, in addition to any needs assessments reported in Part V, Section B
- 3

Patient education of eligibility for assistance. Describe how the organization informs and educates patients and persons who may be billed for patient care about their eligibility for assistance under federal, state, or local government programs or under the organization's financial assistance policy
- 4

Community information. Describe the community the organization serves, taking into account the geographic area and demographic constituents it serves
- 5

Promotion of community health. Provide any other information important to describing how the organization's hospital facilities or other health care facilities further its exempt purpose by promoting the health of the community (e g , open medical staff, community board, use of surplus funds, etc)
- 6

Affiliated health care system. If the organization is part of an affiliated health care system, describe the respective roles of the organization and its affiliates in promoting the health of the communities served
- 7

State filing of community benefit report. If applicable, identify all states with which the organization, or a related organization, files a community benefit report
- 8

Facility reporting group(s). If applicable, for each hospital facility in a facility reporting group provide the descriptions required for Part V, Section B, lines 1j, 3, 4, 5c, 6i, 7, 10, 11, 12h, 14g, 16e, 17e, 18e, 19c, 19d, 20d, 21, and 22

Identifier	ReturnReference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART I, LINE 6A		THE ORGANIZATION'S COMMUNITY BENEFIT REPORT IS PREPARED BY ITS PARENT ENTITY, MERCY HEALTH (EIN 43-1423050) FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART I, LINE 7, COLUMN F TOTAL EXPENSES FROM FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 25, COLUMN (A) ARE \$211,721,926 INCLUDED IN THIS AMOUNT WAS BAD DEBT EXPENSE (CHARGES) OF \$17,354,321 EXPENSES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CALCULATING LINE 7, COLUMN (F) ARE \$194,367,605 FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART I, LINE 7G SUBSIDIZED HEALTH SERVICES THE ORGANIZATION DID NOT INCLUDE ANY PHYSICIAN CLINIC COSTS ON LINE 7G FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART II PAST COMMUNITY NEED DISCUSSIONS CONFIRMED REPEATEDLY THAT A HEALTHY COMMUNITY SUPPORTS WELL BEING OF RESIDENTS LIKEWISE, ACCESS TO A FAIR FAMILY WAGE AFFORDS FAMILIES OPPORTUNITIES TO GAIN EDUCATION THAT IN TURN HAS SHOWN TO LEAD TO LEVERAGING HEALTH OPPORTUNITIES SOLID INFRASTRUCTURE AND A STABLE ECONOMY SET A CONTEXT FOR CITIZENS TO REACH POTENTIAL AND IN TURN CONTRIBUTE TO SOCIETY FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS OUR COMMUNITY HAS NOTABLE POVERTY RATES AND HIGH NUMBERS OF CHILDREN WITH REDUCED OR FREE LUNCHES IN OUR SCHOOLS COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITY NEEDS TO BE A PRIORITY COMMUNITY BUILDING ACTIVITIES ADDRESS ROOT CAUSES OF HEALTH RELATED PROBLEMS MULTIDISCIPLINARY COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS AND COLLABORATION ADDRESS SYSTEMIC MALFUNCTION AND ROOT CAUSES OF ISSUES LIKE POVERTY, VIOLENCE AND HOMELESSNESS AMONG OTHERS THEY STRENGTHEN THE COMMUNITY'S ABILITY TO PROMOTE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATIONS HAVE A WIDE RANGE OF EXPERTISE TO BRING TO THE TABLE AS EACH COMMUNITY TACKLES THESE SYSTEMIC CHALLENGES OUR INVOLVEMENT WITH UNITED WAY'S ADVANCING THE COMMON GOOD WITH ITS FOCUS ON INCOME, EDUCATION, HEALTH AND SAFETY AS WELL AS A SAFETY NET IS ONE EXAMPLE OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM HAS SELECTED UNITED WAY'S INTRODUCTION OF THE NATIONAL CIRCLES CAMPAIGN AS A PRIORITY FOR THEIR TIME BECAUSE ENCOURAGING ONE FAMILY AT A TIME MAY GRADUALLY EAT AWAY AT POVERTY RATES IN OUR AREA FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART III, LINE 2 TO DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF BAD DEBT EXPENSE, AT COST, BAD DEBT EXPENSE ATTRIBUTABLE TO PATIENT ACCOUNTS WAS MULTIPLIED BY A RATIO OF COST TO CHARGES THE RATIO OF COST TO CHARGES USED WAS BASED ON DETAILED COST ACCOUNTING, WHERE AVAILABLE WHERE COST ACCOUNTING IS NOT AVAILABLE, COST REPORT COST TO CHARGE RATIOS WERE UTILIZED FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART III, LINE 3 THE FILING ORGANIZATION DETERMINED THAT THE ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF BAD DEBT EXPENSE (AT COST) ATTRIBUTABLE TO PATIENTS ELIGIBLE UNDER THE ORGANIZATION'S CHARITY CARE POLICY IS \$0 ALTHOUGH THE CHARITY CARE POLICY REQUIRES THE PARTICIPATION OF THE PATIENT REQUESTING ASSISTANCE, WE HAVE A PROCESS UNDER PRESUMPTIVE CHARITY (REFER TO DISCLOSURE FOR PART III, #9B) TO ADDRESS ACCOUNTS FOR PATIENTS WHO DO NOT PROVIDE THE INFORMATION WE BELIEVE THAT OUR CHARITY POLICY IS COMPREHENSIVE ENOUGH TO CAPTURE ALMOST ALL PATIENTS WHO QUALIFY FOR CHARITY CARE FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART III, LINE 4 THE TEXT OF THE FOOTNOTE THAT IS INCLUDED IN MERCY HEALTH AND SUBSIDIARIES AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THAT DESCRIBES BAD DEBT EXPENSE IS AS FOLLOWS "PATIENT ACCOUNTS THAT ARE UNCOLLECTED, INCLUDING THOSE PLACED WITH COLLECTION AGENCIES, ARE INITIALLY CHARGED AGAINST THE ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCOUNTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH COLLECTION POLICIES OF THE HEALTH SYSTEM AND, IN CERTAIN CASES, ARE RECLASSIFIED TO CHARITY CARE IF DEEMED TO OTHERWISE MEET THE HEALTH SYSTEM'S CHARITY CARE POLICY THE PROVISION FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES IS BASED UPON MANAGEMENT'S ASSESSMENT OF HISTORICAL AND EXPECTED NET COLLECTIONS CONSIDERING BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, TRENDS IN HEALTH CARE COVERAGE, AND OTHER COLLECTION INDICATORS PERIODICALLY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, MANAGEMENT ASSESSES THE ADEQUACY OF THE ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES BASED UPON THE PAYOR COMPOSITION AND AGING OF RECEIVABLES AS OF THE REPORTING DATE WITH CONSIDERATION OF THE HISTORICAL PAYMENT AND WRITE-OFF EXPERIENCE BY PAYOR CATEGORY THE RESULTS OF THESE REVIEWS ARE THEN USED TO MAKE ANY MODIFICATIONS TO THE PROVISION FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES TO ESTABLISH AN APPROPRIATE ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES AFTER SATISFACTION OF AMOUNTS DUE FROM INSURANCE, THE HEALTH SYSTEM FOLLOWS ESTABLISHED GUIDELINES FOR PLACING PAST-DUE PATIENT BALANCES WITH COLLECTION AGENCIES " FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART III, LINE 8 IT IS THE POSITION OF MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN THAT 100% OF ANY SHORTFALL SHOULD BE TREATED AS COMMUNITY BENEFIT THIS AMOUNT REPRESENTS COST OF PROVIDING SERVICES THAT REMAIN UNCOMPENSATED TO THE PROVIDER THE UNREIMBURSED COSTS OF MEDICARE IS CALCULATED BY THE GROSS CHARGES NET OF THE COST TO CHARGE RATIO LESS ANY PAYMENTS, DEDUCTIONS OR REIMBURSEMENTS USING THE ANNUAL MEDICARE COST REPORT (CMS FORM 2552-96) FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART III, LINE 9B MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN'S ("MERCY'S") DEBT COLLECTION POLICY PROVIDES THAT MERCY WILL PERFORM A REASONABLE REVIEW OF EACH INPATIENT ACCOUNT BEFORE TURNING AN ACCOUNT TO A THIRD-PARTY COLLECTION AGENT AND PRIOR TO INSTITUTING ANY LEGAL ACTION FOR NON-PAYMENT, TO ASSURE THAT THE PATIENT AND PATIENT GUARANTOR ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ANY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (E G , MEDICAID) AND DO NOT QUALIFY FOR COVERAGE THROUGH MERCY'S COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE POLICY AFTER HAVING BEEN TURNED OVER TO A THIRD-PARTY COLLECTION AGENT, ANY PATIENT ACCOUNT THAT IS SUBSEQUENTLY DETERMINED TO HAVE MET THE MERCY HOSPITAL COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE POLICY IS REQUIRED TO BE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY BY THE THIRD-PARTY COLLECTION AGENT TO MERCY FOR APPROPRIATE FOLLOW-UP MERCY REQUIRES ITS THIRD-PARTY COLLECTION AGENTS TO INCLUDE A MESSAGE ON ALL STATEMENTS INDICATING THAT IF A PATIENT OR PATIENT GUARANTOR MEETS CERTAIN STIPULATED INCOME REQUIREMENTS, THE PATIENT OR PATIENT GUARANTOR MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE MERCY UTILIZES THE "SEARCH AMERICA" TOOL TO ENHANCE THE ABILITY TO DETERMINE CHARITY QUALIFICATION PRESUMPTIVE CHARITY WILL BE GRANTED IN SITUATIONS WHERE MERCY HOSPITAL HAS BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM PATIENTS OR THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS NOT COMPLETE ENOUGH TO MAKE A CHARITY DETERMINATION MERCY UTILIZES PRESUMPTIVE CHARITY PRIOR TO BAD DEBT PLACEMENT FOR CHARITY ADJUSTMENTS IN EXCESS OF \$6,500 IN THESE CASES, MERCY UTILIZES THE SEARCH AMERICA REPORT STATUS OF "PROBABLE CHARITY" AS THE BASIS FOR ASSIGNING THE CHARITY LEVEL MERCY WILL PURSUE APPROPRIATE MEANS IN THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS FROM PATIENTS WITH AN ESTABLISHED ABILITY TO PAY OR AN UNWILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE IN VALIDATING ELIGIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE THESE APPROPRIATE MEANS MAY INCLUDE LEGAL ACTION CONSISTENT WITH MERCY MISSION AND VALUES ADDITIONALLY THEY MAY INCLUDE LIENS UPON REAL PROPERTY AND REASONABLE WAGE GARNISHMENTS LEGAL ACTIONS WILL GENERALLY NOT INCLUDE BANK GARNISHMENT, REPOSSESSION OF ASSETS OR FORECLOSURES TO ENFORCE SATISFACTION OF A LIEN MERCY HAS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES ESTABLISHED TO ADDRESS THE INITIATION OF LEGAL ACTION AND ANNUALLY REVIEWS COMPLIANCE WITH ALL POLICIES FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART V, LINE 3 COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT PLEASE REFER TO THE ORGANIZATION'S COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT WHICH CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.MERCY.NET/COMMUNITY-BENEFITS FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART V, LINE 20 ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR CHARITY CARE DISCOUNTS THE FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR INCOME ARE THE BASIS FOR DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR CHARITY CARE DISCOUNTS FOR EXAMPLE, INDIVIDUALS WITH INCOMES BELOW 100% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR FREE CARE INDIVIDUALS WITH INCOMES GREATER THAN 100% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR CARE AT DISCOUNTED RATES DEPENDING ON THEIR INCOME LEVEL AND/OR THE AMOUNT DUE TO THE HOSPITAL ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AFTER APPROPRIATE DISCOUNTS HAVE BEEN APPLIED, ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE MADE FOR AN INTEREST-FREE MONTHLY PAYMENT PLAN GENERALLY, NO PATIENT'S FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY WILL BE GREATER THAN 20% OF ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME OR 10% OF NET ASSETS (WHICH EVER IS GREATER), ADJUSTED TO CONSIDER AVAILABILITY OF OTHER ASSETS THAT COULD BE USED TOWARD MAKING PAYMENTS FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 2 NEEDS ASSESSMENT MERCY HEALTH BELIEVES THAT ITS COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT PROCESS IS COMPREHENSIVE ENOUGH TO CAPTURE SUBSTANTIALLY ALL OF THE COMMUNITY'S NEEDS THEREFORE NO FURTHER STEPS WERE TAKEN TO IDENTIFY ADDITIONAL NEEDS FORM 990, SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 3 THE FILING ORGANIZATION HAS PRINTED MATERIAL AVAILABLE AT EACH POINT OF REGISTRATION IN OUR FACILITY, IN ADDITION TO ELECTRONICALLY AVAILABILITY AT OUR WEB SITE AT MERCY.NET FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION AS A PART OF OUR HEALING MINISTRY, THE FILING ORGANIZATION IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING QUALITY HEALTHCARE SERVICES TO PATIENTS REGARDLESS OF THEIR FINANCIAL SITUATION WE OFFER PAYMENT ASSISTANCE FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT HAVE INSURANCE OR WHO ARE IN FINANCIAL NEED UNINSURED PATIENT DISCOUNTS A DISCOUNT FROM THE HOSPITAL'S REGULAR BILLED CHARGES WILL BE PROVIDED TO PATIENTS WHO DO NOT HAVE

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Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990

DLN: 93493134052944

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

Open to Public
Inspection

Name of the organization
MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN

Employer identification number
27-0814858

Part I

General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1

Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2

Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II

Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) Community Health Clinic of Joplin 701 S Joplin Street Joplin, MO 64801	43-1643962	501(c)(3)	24,000				Support of the local community health clinic
(2) Joplin Regional Prosperity Initiative 320 E 4th Street Joplin, MO 64801	43-1386973	501(c)(3)	15,000				Support of seven counties working together to make your business expansion or location successful and profitable in the Joplin area
(3) Missouri Southern State University 601 S Jefferson Ave Springfield, MO 65806	43-0813540	GOV'T	15,000				Providing support to the Joplin Area Catholic Schools to utilize MSSU athletics facility
(4) Wildcat Glades Conservation & Audubon CNTR 201 W Riviera Drive Suite A Joplin, MO 64801	13-1624102	501(c)(3)	12,500				Support the local audubon center
(5) Mercy CSC - ROI 701 S Joplin Joplin, MO 64801	46-0468368	N/A		273,051 FMV		UNUSED SUPPLY INV	OUTDATED INVENTORY TO GO TO THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES

2

Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table

3

3

Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

2

Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a)Type of grant or assistance	(b)Number of recipients	(c)Amount of cash grant	(d)Amount of non-cash assistance	(e)Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f)Description of non-cash assistance
(1) Indigent	1230		82,170 Other		Transportation, meds

Part IV

Supplemental Information.

Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Schedule I, PART I, LINE 2	DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION'S PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING THE USE OF GRANTS	THE ASSISTANCE PROVIDED IS INTENDED TO BE USED FOR THE GENERAL OPERATING PURPOSES OF THE DONEE THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS IS NOT MONITORED AFTER GRANTS ARE GIVEN

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No 1545-0047

2012

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization
MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN

Employer identification number
27-0814858

Part I

Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No
1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items ☒ First-class or charter travel ☒ Travel for companions ☒ Tax idemnification and gross-up payments ☐ Discretionary spending account ☒ Housing allowance or residence for personal use ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees ☐ Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef)		
b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1bYes	
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2Yes	
3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III ☐ Compensation committee ☐ Independent compensation consultant ☐ Form 990 of other organizations ☐ Written employment contract ☐ Compensation survey or study ☐ Approval by the board or compensation committee		
4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization		
a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4aYes	
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4bYes	
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III	4c	No
Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.		
5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of		
a The organization?	5a	No
b Any related organization? If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III	5b	No
6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of		
a The organization?	6a	No
b Any related organization? If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III	6b	No
7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7Yes	
8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53 4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III	8	No
9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?	9	

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
See Additional Data Table								

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 1		CHARTER TRAVEL IS PROVIDED TO CERTAIN EMPLOYEES AS AND WHEN APPROPRIATE, AND AS DEEMED NECESSARY FOR BUSINESS TRAVEL. AFTER CHARTER TRAVEL APPROVAL HAS BEEN GRANTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FINANCIAL JUSTIFICATION PROCESS, THE APPROVED CHARTER TRAVEL FOR BUSINESS IS A REIMBURSABLE EXPENSE WHICH IS NOT TAXABLE TO THE EMPLOYEES. TRAVEL FOR COMPANIONS IS PROVIDED IN RARE INSTANCES AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CO-WORKER TRAVEL AND OTHER EXPENSE POLICY AND PROCEDURES. WHERE COMPANION TRAVEL HAS RESULTED IN A TAXABLE EVENT, THE EMPLOYEES ARE TAXED FOR SUCH TRAVEL. LIMITED INSTANCES OF TAX GROSS-UPS MAY HAVE OCCURRED WITH RESPECT TO EXECUTIVES. HOUSING BENEFITS ARE PROVIDED THROUGH A RELOCATION PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMPANY POLICY. SUCH BENEFITS ARE SUBJECT TO TAX TO THE EMPLOYEE. PAYMENT BY THE COMPANY OF COSTS FOR TEMPORARY HOUSING FOR EMPLOYEES FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE COMPANY IS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CO-WORKER TRAVEL AND OTHER EXPENSE POLICY AND PROCEDURES. AS A REIMBURSABLE EXPENSE, THIS TYPE OF LODGING IS NOT TAXABLE TO THE EMPLOYEE. FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART I, QUESTION 3. MERCY HOSPITAL JOPLIN RELIES ON A RELATED ORGANIZATION, REFER TO SCHEDULE O, PART VI, QUESTION 15A AND 15B FOR THE PROCESS THE RELATED ORGANIZATION FOLLOWS. FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART I, QUESTION 4A. THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL RECEIVED A SEVERANCE PAYMENT DURING CALENDAR 2012: DOTTIE BRINGLE, \$115,570. FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART I, QUESTION 4B. MERCY HEALTH OFFERS SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT PLANS TO CERTAIN EXECUTIVES WHICH PROVIDE BENEFITS UPON RETIREMENT BASED ON COMPENSATION, AGE AT THE TIME OF BENEFIT COMMENCEMENT, LENGTH OF SERVICE WITH THE COMPANY AND/OR ITS AFFILIATES, AND LENGTH OF TENURE IN THE PLAN. THE INDIVIDUALS REPORTABLE ON THIS RETURN WHO PARTICIPATE IN THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT PLANS INCLUDE: GARY PULSIPHER, SHELLY HUNTER, DOTTIE BRINGLE, BRADLEY DAY, TANYA MARION, MICHAEL MERRIGAN, WILLIAM HENNESSEY III, MICHELE STEWART, AND JON SWOPE. THE AMOUNT OF ALL ACCRUED BENEFITS IS INCLUDED IN COMPENSATION AMOUNTS PROVIDED IN SCHEDULE J, PART II, COLUMN (C). FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART I, QUESTION 7. MERCY HEALTH PROVIDES A NON-FIXED BONUS PLAN FOR WHICH CERTAIN TIERS OF ITS EMPLOYEES ARE ELIGIBLE. FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013 (JULY 1, 2012 - JUNE 30, 2013), PAYMENT OF ALL OR PART OF THE BONUS WAS CONTINGENT UPON ATTAINMENT OF CERTAIN FINANCIAL TARGETS. PAYMENTS ARE MADE ANNUALLY IN OCTOBER FOLLOWING (I) THE CONCLUSION OF THE FISCAL YEAR AND (II) DETERMINATION OF GOAL ACHIEVEMENT. BONUS OPPORTUNITIES ARE TIERED PERCENTAGES AND ARE DEPENDENT UPON THE LEADERSHIP LEVEL AND ATTAINMENT PERCENTAGE. MERCY'S ATTAINMENT OF FINANCIAL GOALS IS REVIEWED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF MERCY HEALTH AND IS THEN TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT WHEN ANALYZING EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION FOR REASONABLENESS.

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Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & Incentive compensation	(iii) Other compensation				
Curtis MD Brian	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	902,761	98,571	34,230	7,814	10,387	1,053,763	0
Smith DO D Sean	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	372,521	53,747	45,490	9,163	13,875	494,796	0
Pulsipher Gary W	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	348,416	200,724	28,616	150,502	17,383	745,641	0
Hunter Shelly	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	180,957	79,029	22,077	26,516	9,644	318,223	0
Bringle Dottie	(i)	144,897	96,758	207,160	39,842	6,695	495,352	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Day Bradley Kim	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	630,366	322,225	35,023	334,446	14,234	1,336,294	0
Hennessey III William	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	136,234	65,059	55,893	35,029	15,146	307,361	0
Marion Tanya	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	137,188	70,088	25,359	28,325	14,983	275,943	0
Merrigan Michael	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	227,959	96,337	54,154	49,389	7,420	435,259	0
Stewart Michele	(i)	86,463	0	22,773	0	5,332	114,568	0
	(ii)	135,431	50,220	37,674	52,172	10,406	285,903	0
Swope Jon	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	481,585	249,457	27,670	212,960	17,729	989,401	0
Wachter Theresa	(i)	133,990	45,423	22,645	9,333	6,276	217,667	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Watson Robert	(i)	73,731	56,160	12,078	6,067	6,381	154,417	0
	(ii)	96,870	0	28,041	0	8,864	133,775	0
Bechtel Randy	(i)	141,291	15,912	31,988	3,976	9,274	202,441	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bigando Kelli M	(i)	105,782	23,319	24,036	7,613	14,575	175,325	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Honeywell Robert J	(i)	138,053	14,588	20,233	9,602	10,925	193,401	0
	(ii)	5,410	0	513	0	475	6,398	0
Manley Dennis G	(i)	135,511	12,291	11,430	10,358	6,173	175,763	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wright Alan	(i)	125,719	0	30,592	3,557	1,350	161,218	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SCHEDULE O

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART III, QUESTION 4D	DESCRIPTION OF OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES	

SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I

Identification of Disregarded Entities (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II

Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
See Additional Data Table							

Part III

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1) Merc Ambu Surg CTR 7301 Rogers Av Fort Smith, AR 72903 71-0827721	AMBUL SURG CTR	AR	NA									
(2) RES OPT & INNOV 645 Maryville Centre Dr 200 St Louis, MO 63141 46-0468368	CENTRAL DIST	MO	NA									
(3) SO OK DIAG CTR 1011 14TH Ave NW Ardmore, OK 73401 43-1971232	MRI Services	OK	NA									
(4) Fort Smith EMS 1701 S Greenwood Fort Smith, AR 72901 71-0416615	Emergency Med	AR	NA									
(5) St Ed Mer Med MOB 7301 Rogers Ave Fort Smith, AR 72903 71-0554050	Office Building	AR	NA									

Part IV

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end- of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512 (b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
See Additional Data Table									

Part V

Transactions With Related Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.)

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

a Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties or (iv) rent from a controlled entity

b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)

c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)

d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)

e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

f Dividends from related organization(s)

g Sale of assets to related organization(s)

h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)

i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)

j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)

l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)

m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)

n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)

o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses

q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)

s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

Yes

No

1a

No

1b

No

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Yes

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No

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No

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No

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No

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Yes

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Yes

1r

No

1s

No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of other organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
See Additional Data Table			

Schedule R (Form 990) 2012

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

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Part VII

Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE R, PART V		LAWSON ERP SOFTWARE IS THE PRIMARY ACCOUNTING SOFTWARE USED BY MERCY HEALTH AND SUBSIDIARIES THE MAJORITY OF THE INTERCOMPANY/RELATED ORGANIZATION TRANSACTIONS ARE PROCESSED THROUGH LAWSON VIA INTERCOMPANY JOURNAL ENTRIES WITH THE CURRENT DESIGN OF THE ERP SYSTEM, THERE ARE VARIOUS LIMITATIONS ON THE RELATED ORGANIZATION INFORMATION THAT CAN BE EXTRACTED FROM LAWSON DUE TO THESE LIMITATIONS, MOST OF THE RELATED ORGANIZATION ACTIVITY FOR THE FILING ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED ON SCHEDULE R, PART V, IN LINES C, P AND Q

Form 990, Schedule R, Part IV - Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end- of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
Frontenac Properties Inc 14528 S Outer Forty Suite 100 Chesterfield, MO 63017 52-1914421	HOLDING COMP	DE	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Inveno Health Inc 1235 E Cherokee Street Springfield, MO 65804 26-4509571	RESEARCH	MO	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Mercy Community Services Inc 401 Woodland Hills Blvd Fort Scott, KS 66701 48-1078101	RETAIL PHARMACY	KS	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Mercy Health Center Condominium Inc 4300 W Memorial Rd Oklahoma City, OK 73120 68-0640970	REAL ESTATE	OK	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Mercy Health Network of the Southern Reg 1011 14th Avenue NW Ardmore, OK 73401 73-1580607	HEALTH CARE	OK	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Mercy Health Network Inc 4300 W Memorial Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120 73-1381689	HEALTH CARE	OK	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Mercy Managed Care Corporation 4300 W Memorial Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120 73-1441665	HOLDING COMP	OK	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
UH L Corp Inc 645 Maryville Centre Drive Suite 1 St Louis, MO 63141 74-2499535	HOLDING COMP	MO	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Unity Support Services Inc 645 Maryville Centre Drive Suite 1 St Louis, MO 63141 43-1797042	PRACTICE MGT	MO	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
Jefferson Land Company Inc 14528 South Outer Forty Suite 100 Chesterfield, MO 63017 43-1330360	HOLDING COMP	MO	NA	C-Corp				Yes	
The Apothecary Services Inc PO Box 350 Crystal City, MO 63019 43-1627267	RETAIL PHARMACY	MO	NA	C-Corp				Yes	

--> **Form 990, Schedule R, Part V - Transactions With Related Organizations**

(a) Name of other organization	(b) Transaction type(a-s)	(c) Amount Involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
Mercy Health East Communities	p	251,555	FMV
Mercy Health Foundation Joplin	p	2,396,286	FMV
Mercy Health Northwest Arkansas Communities	q	97,071	FMV
Mercy Health Springfield Communities	p	172,826	FMV
Mercy Hospital Carthage	q	21,935,616	FMV
Mercy Hospital Springfield	p	142,736	FMV
Mercy Hospitals East Communities	p	196,309	FMV
Mercy Kansas Communities Inc	q	528,271	FMV
MHM Support Services	p	57,308,262	FMV
Resource Optimization & Innovation LLC	p	4,076,453	FMV

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Mercy Health
Years Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012
With Report of Independent Auditors

Ernst & Young LLP



Mercy Health

Consolidated Financial Statements and Supplementary Information

Years Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

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Report of Independent Auditors

The Board of Directors
Mercy Health

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Mercy Health, which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2013 and 2012, and the related consolidated statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free of material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Mercy Health at June 30, 2013 and 2012, and the consolidated results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with U S generally accepted accounting principles

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The consolidating balance sheet, statement of operations, and statement of changes in net assets are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Ernst + Young LLP

September 25, 2013

Mercy Health

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(In Thousands)

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 337,406	\$ 337,324
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for uncollectible receivables of \$203,757 in 2013 and \$171,015 in 2012	609,360	506,351
Inventories	96,489	78,717
Short-term investments	27,465	26,206
Other current assets	279,606	282,204
Total current assets	1,350,326	1,230,802
Investments	1,482,953	1,338,053
Property and equipment, net	2,549,270	2,281,591
Other assets	464,483	333,139
Total assets	<u>\$ 5,847,032</u>	<u>\$ 5,183,585</u>
Liabilities and net assets		
Current liabilities		
Current maturities of long-term obligations	\$ 20,366	\$ 21,218
Accounts payable	153,292	136,273
Accrued payroll and related liabilities	346,645	318,411
Accrued liabilities and other	274,696	338,290
Total current liabilities	794,999	814,192
Insurance reserves and other liabilities	393,189	400,804
Pension liabilities	313,121	362,324
Long-term obligations, less current maturities	1,070,911	810,204
Total liabilities	2,572,220	2,387,524
Net assets		
Unrestricted	3,196,931	2,724,806
Restricted	77,881	71,255
Total net assets	3,274,812	2,796,061
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 5,847,032</u>	<u>\$ 5,183,585</u>

See accompanying notes.

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Consolidated Statements of Operations (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Operating revenues		
Patient service revenues (net of contractuals and discounts)	\$ 4,207,934	\$ 3,879,408
Provision for uncollectible receivables	(333,467)	(268,365)
Net patient service revenues	3,874,467	3,611,043
Capitation revenues	263,607	258,978
Other operating revenues	242,811	242,622
Total operating revenues	4,380,885	4,112,643
Operating expenses		
Salaries and benefits	2,530,547	2,328,935
Supplies and other	1,349,398	1,264,543
Medical claims expense	110,748	120,819
Interest	12,976	11,808
Depreciation and amortization	286,526	264,125
Total operating expenses	4,290,195	3,990,230
Operating income before Joplin operations and related insurance recovery (Note 3)	90,690	122,413
Joplin insurance proceeds, net	230,174	388,100
Joplin operating revenues	155,848	95,577
Joplin operating expenses	(223,291)	(247,339)
Total operating income	253,421	358,751
Nonoperating gains (losses)		
Investment returns, net	157,656	(8,301)
Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swaps, net	16,353	(49,819)
Other, net	(12,677)	(2,001)
Total nonoperating gains (losses), net	161,332	(60,121)
Excess of revenues over expenses	414,753	298,630
Other changes in unrestricted net assets		
Pension liability adjustments	45,427	(121,025)
Gain from discontinued operations	—	8,435
Net assets released from restrictions for property acquisitions	6,238	3,131
Other	5,707	1,403
Increase in unrestricted net assets	\$ 472,125	\$ 190,574

See accompanying notes

Mercy Health

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Increase in unrestricted net assets	\$ 472,125	\$ 190,574
Restricted net assets		
Pledges, bequests, and gifts for specific purposes	20,324	16,069
Investment returns, net	3,898	146
Net assets released from restrictions	(17,706)	(15,015)
Other	110	(184)
Increase in restricted net assets	6,626	1,016
Increase in net assets	478,751	191,590
Net assets at beginning of year	2,796,061	2,604,471
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 3,274,812</u>	<u>\$ 2,796,061</u>

See accompanying notes.

Mercy Health

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Operating activities		
Change in net assets	\$ 478,751	\$ 191,590
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities		
Net gain from discontinued operations	—	(8,435)
Pension liability adjustments	(45,427)	121,025
Pledges, bequests, and gifts for specific purposes	(20,324)	(16,069)
Unrealized (gain) loss on interest rate swap	(27,053)	37,866
Depreciation and amortization	307,575	282,818
Provision for uncollectible receivables	351,198	274,416
Insurance recoveries in excess of non-cash impairment charges	(230,174)	(388,100)
Net loss (gain) on disposal of property	534	(488)
Changes in assets and liabilities		
Accounts receivable	(428,420)	(307,668)
Investments classified as trading	(135,914)	64,864
Inventories and other current assets	(14,756)	(22,170)
Accounts payable	10,057	23,243
Accrued liabilities and other	(25,657)	58,850
Insurance reserves and other liabilities	13,743	(7,663)
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>234,133</u>	<u>304,079</u>
Investing activities		
Additions to property and equipment, net	(474,322)	(428,434)
Insurance recoveries	295,259	388,100
Net change in notes receivable and other assets	(31,424)	(28,295)
Net increase in alternative investments	(20,507)	(59,260)
Business acquisitions	(224,725)	(30,295)
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(455,719)</u>	<u>(158,184)</u>

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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (continued) (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Financing activities		
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt, net of original issue discount and financing costs	\$ 257,126	\$ 376,425
Principal payments on long-term obligations	(16,472)	(404,919)
Payment on long-term obligations assumed in an acquisition	(39,310)	—
Pledges, bequests, and gifts for specific purposes	20,324	16,069
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	<u>221,668</u>	<u>(12,425)</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents from continuing operations	82	133,470
Cash flows from discontinued operations		
Net cash provided by assets of discontinued operations held for sale – operating activities	—	4,819
Net cash provided by assets of discontinued operations held for sale – investing activities	—	3,616
Net cash used by assets of discontinued operations held for sale – financing activities	—	—
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents from discontinued operations	<u>—</u>	<u>8,435</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	82	141,905
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	337,324	195,419
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>\$ 337,406</u>	<u>\$ 337,324</u>
Supplemental disclosures		
Cash paid for interest	\$ 17,637	\$ 13,770
Assets acquired through capital leases	\$ —	\$ 43,976

See accompanying notes

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June 30, 2013

1. Organization

Mercy Health, formerly known as the Sisters of Mercy Health System, changed its name in fiscal 2012 to Mercy Health (Mercy) in an effort to better serve its patients and communities, as well as to honor the health system's heritage

Mercy was incorporated in September 1986 and is the sole corporate member of various health care corporations. Mercy is sponsored by Mercy Health Ministry, a public juridic person whose board members include Sisters of Mercy and lay leaders. Prior to sponsorship by Mercy Health Ministry, Mercy was sponsored by the Institute of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, Regional Community of St. Louis, a religious order of the Roman Catholic Church (Sisters of Mercy).

Mercy is incorporated as a not-for-profit corporation under the laws of the state of Missouri and is a tax-exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

Mercy's ministry office (headquarters) is located in St. Louis, Missouri. Mercy and Subsidiaries (the Health System) comprise the following corporations and their subsidiaries:

- Mercy Health Fort Smith Communities, Fort Smith, Arkansas
- Mercy Health Hot Springs Communities, Hot Springs, Arkansas
- Mercy Health Northwest Arkansas Communities, Rogers, Arkansas
- Mercy Health East Communities, St. Louis, Missouri
- Mercy Health Springfield Communities, Springfield, Missouri
- Mercy Health Oklahoma Communities, Inc., Oklahoma City and Ardmore, Oklahoma
- Mercy Ministries of Laredo, Laredo, Texas
- Mercy Health Southwest Missouri/Kansas Communities, Joplin, Missouri and Independence and Fort Scott, Kansas

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

1. Organization (continued)

Each subsidiary above is a separately incorporated not-for-profit corporation and is tax-exempt pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Code. All significant intercompany transactions and balances have been eliminated in consolidation.

Significant Acquisitions and Divestitures

Acquisitions

Subsidiaries of the Health System entered into asset purchase agreements to make certain acquisitions, including a hospital, physician practices, an ambulatory surgery center, several medical office buildings, and other assets for a gross purchase price of approximately \$272.6 million (\$224.7 million net of cash acquired) in fiscal 2013 and \$35.4 million (\$30.3 million net of cash acquired) in fiscal 2012, respectively. All of these transactions were accounted for as acquisitions in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 958-805, *Business Combinations – Not-for-Profit Entities*.

These acquisitions expanded the Health System's footprint and provided patients with access to a greater number of specialists and enhanced the coordination of health services.

The operating results of entities acquired are included in the Health System's consolidated financial statements from the date of acquisition. Operating revenues of the entities acquired in fiscal 2013 included in the consolidated statement of operations was \$143.6 million for the year ended June 30, 2013. Operating revenues of the entities acquired in fiscal 2012 included in the consolidated statement of operations was \$55.4 million for the year ended June 30, 2012.

On an unaudited pro forma basis, had the Health System completed the fiscal 2013 acquisitions as of the beginning of each fiscal year presented, the acquisitions would have reported \$226.6 million and \$227.2 million in additional operating revenues in fiscal year 2013 and 2012, respectively, and \$2.7 million and \$5.0 million in additional excess of revenues over expenses for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. However, the unaudited pro forma information is not necessarily indicative of the historical results that would have been obtained had the transactions actually occurred on those dates, nor of future results.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

1. Organization (continued)

The Health System allocated the purchase price of the acquired businesses to assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their fair values, which is a level 3 measurement. The excess of the purchase price over fair value of net assets acquired was recorded as goodwill. The goodwill can be attributed to benefits that the Health System expects to realize from operating efficiencies and increased revenues.

The following table summarizes the acquisition date fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed.

	Fiscal Acquisitions	
	2013	2012
Assets acquired		
Cash	\$ 47,893	\$ 5,069
Accounts receivable	25,787	13,366
Inventories and other current assets	9,626	2,620
Property and equipment	166,551	11,387
Goodwill	97,752	11,094
Other long-term assets	1,797	12
Total assets acquired	349,406	43,548
Liabilities assumed		
Accounts payable	6,177	2,894
Accrued and other liabilities	12,100	5,290
Long-term obligations*	58,511	—
Total liabilities assumed	76,788	8,184
	<u>\$ 272,618</u>	<u>\$ 35,364</u>

*The Health System assumed \$36.1 million of debt related to a fiscal 2013 acquisition. On February 1, 2013, as part of a purchase agreement, the Health System legally defeased and paid off the long-term obligations for \$39.3 million, including principal, interest, and early payment penalties.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

1. Organization (continued)

Letter of Intent

In April 2012, the Health System signed an agreement in principle to sell the assets and operations associated with Mercy Health Hot Springs Communities to Capella Healthcare Inc – a private, for-profit system based in Franklin, Tennessee. In June 2013, the Health System and Capella mutually agreed to terminate the Asset Purchase Agreement.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Investments in highly liquid debt instruments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased, excluding amounts classified as investments, are considered cash equivalents. The Health System routinely invests in money market mutual funds. These funds generally invest in highly liquid U.S. government and agency obligations. Financial instruments that potentially subject the Health System to concentrations of credit risk include the Health System's cash and cash equivalents. The Health System places its cash and cash equivalents with institutions with high credit quality. However, at certain times, such cash and cash equivalents are in excess of government-provided insurance limits.

Inventories

Inventories, which consist principally of medical supplies and pharmaceuticals, are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost is determined principally using the average cost method.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost or, if donated, at fair value at the date of receipt.

Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of land and leasehold improvements, buildings, and equipment. The estimated useful lives are as follows: land and leasehold improvements, 2 to 30 years; buildings, 3 to 40 years; and equipment, 2 to 20 years.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Property and equipment under capital lease obligations are amortized using the straight-line method over the lease term or the estimated useful life of the leased asset, whichever period is shorter. Such amortization is included with depreciation in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.

Asset Impairment

The Health System periodically evaluates the carrying value of its long-lived assets for impairment when indicators of impairment are identified. These evaluations are primarily based on the estimated recoverability of the assets' carrying value based on undiscounted cash flows. Impairment write-downs are recognized in operating income at the time the impairment is identified.

Other Assets

Other assets consist primarily of investment securities held under deferred compensation arrangements, land held for future development, fair value of interest rate swaps in asset positions, and investments in unconsolidated affiliates. The equity method of accounting is used for investments in unconsolidated affiliates where the Health System does not have significant control or where ownership is 50% or less. The equity income or loss on these investments is recorded in other operating revenues in the consolidated statements of operations.

Goodwill

The Health System records goodwill arising from a business combination as the excess of purchase price and related costs over the fair value of identifiable tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed. The Health System annually reviews the carrying value of goodwill for impairment. In addition, a goodwill impairment assessment is performed whenever circumstances indicate a potential impairment may exist. The Health System has seven reporting units at which fair value is measured. If such circumstances suggest that the recorded amounts of any of these assets cannot be recovered, the carrying values of such assets are reduced to fair value. If the carrying value of any of these assets is impaired, a material charge may be incurred to results of operations. There was no goodwill impairment during 2013 or 2012.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Net Assets

The Health System's net assets and activities are classified into two classes, restricted and unrestricted, based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Restricted net assets include temporarily restricted net assets (73% and 71% of restricted net assets at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively), whose use by the Health System has been limited by donors to a specific time period or for a particular purpose, and permanently restricted net assets (27% and 29% of restricted net assets at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively), which must be maintained by the Health System in perpetuity with the related investment income available to support the donor-designated purpose. The general nature of the donor restrictions is to support the Health System's indigent care mission and health education programs and to assist with capital projects.

Net Patient Service Revenues and Patient Accounts Receivable

Patient service revenues (net of contractually and discounts) are recorded during the period the health care services are provided and are reported at estimated net realizable amounts from patients, third-party payors, and others for services rendered, including estimated retroactive revenue adjustments due to future audits, reviews, and investigations. Estimates of contractual allowances under managed care health plans are based upon the services provided, historical payment rates and the payment terms specified in the related contractual agreements. Revenues related to uninsured patients have discounts applied in accordance with the Health System policy. Net patient service revenue is reported net of the provision for uncollectible receivables.

Patient accounts receivable that are deemed uncollectible, including those placed with collection agencies, are initially charged against the allowance for uncollectible accounts in accordance with collection policies of the Health System and, in certain cases, are reclassified to charity care if deemed to otherwise meet the Health System's charity care policy. The provision for uncollectible receivables is based upon management's assessment of historical and expected net collections considering business and economic conditions, trends in health care coverage, and other collection indicators. Periodically throughout the year, management assesses the adequacy of the allowance for uncollectible receivables based upon the payor composition and aging of receivables with consideration of the historical payment and write-off experience by payor category. The results of these reviews are then used to make any modifications to the provision for uncollectible receivables to establish an appropriate allowance for uncollectible receivables. After satisfaction of amounts due from insurance, the Health System follows established guidelines for placing past-due patient balances with collection agencies.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Retroactive third-party adjustments are considered in the recognition of revenue on an estimated basis in the period the related services are rendered, and such amounts are adjusted in future periods as adjustments become known. Adjustments to revenue based on prior periods increased net patient service revenues by approximately \$13.0 million and \$30.0 million in 2013 and 2012, respectively, due to revised estimates consisting primarily of retroactive third-party adjustments for years that are subject to audits, reviews, and investigations. Included in the \$30.0 million recognized in 2012 is \$16.6 million which relates to the Medicare Rural Floor Budget Neutrality Act settlement (Settlement). This Settlement with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services involved approximately 2,200 hospitals nationwide and was made to resolve a challenge made by the plaintiff hospitals for underpayment of inpatient Medicare services dating back to 1999.

Capitation Revenues and Medical Claims Expense

Certain Mercy Subsidiaries have entered into various risk-based contracts with certain health maintenance organizations (HMOs). Under these arrangements, the Subsidiaries receive capitated payments based on the demographic characteristics of covered members in exchange for providing certain medical services to those members. These payments are reflected as capitation revenues in the consolidated statements of operations. The Subsidiaries recognize medical claims expense for services provided. The medical claims expense represents claims paid, claims reported but not yet paid, and an estimate of claims incurred but not reported (IBNR). The claims IBNR amount is estimated based upon prior experience modified for current trends. The claims IBNR amount was \$11.7 million and \$21.0 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and was included in accrued liabilities and other in the consolidated balance sheets.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Electronic Health Record Incentive Program

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 included provisions for implementing health information technology under the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH). The provisions were designed to increase the use of electronic health record (EHR) technology and establish the requirements for a Medicare and Medicaid incentive payment program beginning in 2011 for eligible physicians and hospitals (collectively providers) that adopt and meaningfully use certified EHR technology. Eligibility for annual Medicare incentive payments is dependent on providers demonstrating meaningful use of EHR technology in each period over a four to five year period ending in 2016. Initial Medicaid incentive payments are available to providers that adopt, implement, or upgrade certified EHR technology. Providers must demonstrate continued meaningful use of such technology in subsequent years to qualify for additional Medicaid incentive payments.

The Health System accounts for EHR incentive payments as other operating revenue. The Health System utilizes a grant accounting model to recognize EHR incentive revenues and records incentive revenue ratably throughout the incentive reporting period when it is reasonably assured that the respective eligible provider will meet the meaningful use objectives for the reporting period and that the grants will be received. The EHR reporting period for hospitals is based on the federal fiscal year, which runs from October 1 through September 30, and for physicians is based on the calendar year. The Health System recognized revenue of approximately \$36.6 million and \$49.5 million during the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. The Health System believes that the eligible providers that met meaningful use objectives will continue to meet the objectives through their applicable reporting periods. Income from incentive payments is subject to retrospective adjustment as the incentive payments are calculated using Medicare cost report data that is subject to audit. In addition, the Health System's compliance with the meaningful use criteria is subject to audit by the federal government.

In addition, the Health System has an incentive program with its physicians whereby the Health System compensates eligible physicians if certain criteria are met. The Health System expensed approximately \$14.0 million and \$16.7 million for incentives paid to physicians for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. These amounts are included in salaries and benefits in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations. The net amount reflected in the consolidated statements of operations for the EHR incentive program is \$22.6 million and \$32.8 million for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Services to the Community

In support of its mission, the Health System provides care to patients who personally bear a significant financial burden relative to their health care services and are deemed to be medically indigent. Traditional charity care includes the cost of services provided to persons who cannot afford health care because of the financial burden of the health care services and/or who are uninsured or underinsured. Traditional charity care also includes services for which the patient may not participate in the charity care process but are otherwise deemed to meet the Health System's charity care policy.

Because the Health System does not pursue collection of amounts determined to qualify as charity care, such amounts are not reported as net patient service revenue. The cost of traditional charity care was \$116.3 million and \$126.8 million in 2013 and 2012, respectively. The Health System estimates cost of charity care using a calculated ratio of costs to charges by hospital and applies that ratio to the relevant gross charges respectively, less any payments received.

Health care services to patients under government programs, such as Medicare and Medicaid, are also considered part of the Health System's benefit provided to the community since a portion of such services are reimbursed at amounts less than cost. In addition, the Health System maintains community benefit programs designed to positively impact the health status of the communities served. These services include various clinics and outreach programs (designed to deliver health care services to underserved communities), medical education and research activities, and direct cash and in-kind charitable contributions.

These community benefit programs also include the activities of Mercy Ministries of Laredo (MML), Mercy Caritas, Catherine's Fund, and Mercy Family Center that are administered by the Health System. These programs finance charitable activities to help meet the needs of the poor, sick, and uneducated.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Investments

Investments include assets set aside through resolution by the Board of Directors for future long-term purposes, including capital improvements and self insurance. In addition, investments include amounts contributed by donors with stipulated restrictions. These assets include investments in equity securities and debt securities, which are measured at fair value. The cost of securities sold is based on the specific-identification method. The Health System accounts for its ownership interest in alternative investments under the equity method. Management has utilized the best available information for reported alternative investment values, which in some instances are valuations as of an interim date.

For purposes of recognizing investment returns as a component of excess of revenues over expenses, substantially all investments, other than alternative investments, are considered to be trading securities. Unrestricted investment returns, including alternative investments, are included in nonoperating gains (losses) in the consolidated statements of operations. Investment returns arising from donor-restricted resources are reported as a direct increase or decrease in restricted net assets in the consolidated statements of changes in net assets, consistent with the donors' restrictions. In addition, cash flows from the purchases and sales of marketable securities designated as trading are reported as a component of operating activities in the accompanying consolidated statements of cash flows.

Derivative Financial Instruments

Derivative instruments are contracts between the Health System and a third party (counterparty) that provide for economic payments between the parties based on changes in a defined market security or index or combination thereof. The Health System's derivative financial instruments are primarily interest rate swap agreements utilized as part of its debt management process. The Health System recognizes all derivative instruments as either assets or liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets at fair value. The Health System does not account for any of its interest rate swap agreements as hedges, and accordingly, realized and unrealized gains (losses) and net settlement payments are reflected as a component of nonoperating gains (losses) in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Pledges, Bequests, and Gifts for Specific Purposes

Unconditional promises to give cash and other assets are reported at fair value at the date the promise is received. Conditional promises to give and indications of intentions to give are reported at fair value at the date the gift is received. Gifts are recorded as an increase in restricted net assets if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the assets. Upon expenditure in accordance with a donor's restrictions and when the asset is placed in service, net assets restricted for capital acquisitions are reported as direct additions to unrestricted net assets, and assets restricted for operating purposes are reported as an increase in other operating revenues. Donor-restricted contributions for operating purposes whose restrictions are met within the same year as received, and contributions received by donors without restrictions, are reflected as other operating revenues in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.

Unconditional promises to give, less an allowance for uncollectible amounts, are recorded as receivables in the year made. Net pledges receivable of \$3.3 million and \$7.0 million were included in other current assets and other assets, respectively, at June 30, 2013. Net pledges receivable of \$3.1 million and \$7.9 million were included in other current assets and other assets, respectively, at June 30, 2012.

Functional Classification of Expenses

The Health System provides general health care services to residents within communities served, including acute inpatient, subacute inpatient, physician, outpatient, ambulatory, long-term, and home care, as well as related general and administrative services.

The Health System does not present expense information by functional classification because its resources and activities are primarily related to providing health care services. Furthermore, since the Health System receives substantially all of its resources from providing health care services in a manner similar to a business enterprise, other indicators contained in these consolidated financial statements are considered important in evaluating how well management has discharged its stewardship responsibilities.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) *(Tables in Thousands)*

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Operating Indicator

The Health System's operating indicator (operating income before Joplin operations and related insurance recovery) includes all unrestricted revenue, gains and other support, and expenses directly related to the recurring and ongoing health care operations during the reporting period. The operating indicator excludes operating revenues, expenses and insurance proceeds related to Joplin (see Note 3), nonoperating gains and losses, pension liability adjustments, gain from discontinued operations, and net assets released from restrictions for property acquisitions.

Performance Indicator

The Health System's performance indicator (excess of revenues over expenses) includes all changes in unrestricted net assets other than pension liability adjustments, gain from discontinued operations, and net assets released from restrictions for property acquisitions.

Operating and Nonoperating Gains (Losses)

The Health System's primary mission is to meet the health care needs in its market areas by providing general health care services to residents within communities served, including acute inpatient, subacute inpatient, physician, outpatient, ambulatory, long-term, and home care, as well as related general and administrative services. Activities directly associated with the furtherance of this purpose are considered to be operating activities. Other activities that result in gains or losses peripheral to the Health System's primary mission are considered to be nonoperating. Nonoperating activities include net investment returns and net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swaps.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Estimates also affect the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

3. Joplin Operations and Related Insurance Recovery

On May 22, 2011, an EF-5 tornado struck parts of the city of Joplin, Missouri, including Mercy's acute care hospital and adjacent medical office buildings. Management determined the damage was so severe that these facilities were considered completely impaired at June 30, 2011, and the facilities were subsequently demolished. The Health System has continued to provide health care services in temporary facilities, but capacity is limited.

At the date of the tornado, the Health System maintained insurance coverage of \$750 million, which covered emergency response, temporary facilities, property damage, business interruption, and related costs, subject to a \$50,000 deductible. The claim has been final settled as of December 2012. As of June 30, 2013, the Health System has received \$733.4 million in total insurance proceeds related to this event. The breakdown between fiscal 2013 and 2012 is described below.

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Insurance proceeds – property damage	\$ 23,259	\$ 263,100
Insurance proceeds – business interruption	272,000	125,000
Total insurance proceeds received	<u>\$ 295,259</u>	<u>\$ 388,100</u>

As a result of settling the claim, an impairment charge of \$65.1 million was recorded to reduce certain assets, primarily temporary facilities, to fair value. The impairment is netted against 2013 Joplin insurance proceeds in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

3. Joplin Operations and Related Insurance Recovery (continued)

Since the post-tornado operations of Joplin are not comparable to the pre-tornado operations and since Joplin's results are impacted significantly by insurance proceeds, management has determined that Joplin's financial results should be segregated in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations for both periods presented

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Operating revenues		
Patient service revenues (net of contractually and discounts)	\$ 168,451	\$ 91,442
Provision for uncollectible receivables	(17,731)	(6,051)
Net patient service revenues	150,720	85,391
Other operating revenues	5,128	10,186
Total operating revenues	155,848	95,577
Operating expenses		
Salaries and benefits	73,907	84,050
Supplies and other	128,335	144,596
Depreciation and amortization	21,049	18,693
Total operating expenses	223,291	247,339
Joplin insurance proceeds, net of impairment charge	230,174	388,100
Joplin operating income	\$ 162,731	\$ 236,338

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

4. Net Patient Service Revenue and Patient Receivables

The following is a summary of the Health System's patient service revenues, net of contractual allowances and discounts (before the provision for uncollectible receivables) by major payor. Medicare and Medicaid managed plans are grouped with Medicare and Medicaid, respectively.

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Medicare	\$ 1,561,984	\$ 1,356,873
Medicaid	490,201	424,509
Managed care/other	1,897,725	1,849,947
Self-pay	258,024	248,079
	\$ 4,207,934	\$ 3,879,408

Laws and regulations governing the Medicare and Medicaid programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term. Noncompliance with Medicare and Medicaid laws and regulations can make the Health System subject to significant regulatory action, including substantial fines and penalties, as well as exclusion from the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

The Health System provides health care services through inpatient and outpatient care facilities located in several states. The Health System grants credit to patients in return for health care services rendered to said patients, substantially all of whom are residents of the communities served. The Health System does not require collateral or other security in extending credit to patients, however, it routinely obtains assignment of (or is otherwise entitled to receive) patients' benefits payable under their health insurance programs, plans, or policies (e.g., Medicare, Medicaid, HMOs, and commercial insurance policies). At June 30, 2013 and 2012, approximately 37% and 36%, respectively, of net accounts receivable were collectible from governmental payors (including Medicare and Medicaid), with approximately 50% of net accounts receivable collectible from commercial insurance and managed care payors for both 2013 and 2012.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued) (Tables in Thousands)

4. Net Patient Service Revenue and Patient Receivables (continued)

The allowance for uncollectible receivables was approximately \$203.8 million and \$171.0 million as of June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. These balances as a percent of accounts receivable net of contractual allowances were approximately 25% as of June 30, 2013 and 2012. The Health System's allowance for uncollectible receivables covered approximately 60% and 54% of self-pay patient receivables, including patient responsibility, as of June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. The Health System has experienced an increase in write-off trends related to bad debt and charity driven by higher unemployment, loss of employer-sponsored insurance plans, and rising patient responsibility balances. The Health System reviews and updates its uninsured discount rate on an annual basis. There have been no significant changes to the charity care policies for the years ended June 30, 2013 or 2012. The Health System does not maintain a material allowance for uncollectible receivables from third-party payors, nor did it have significant writeoffs from third-party payors.

The following is a summary of the Health System's allowance for uncollectible receivables activity:

Balance at July 1, 2011	\$ 187,756
Provision for uncollectible receivables	268,365
Provision for uncollectible receivables – Joplin	6,051
Accounts written off, net of recoveries and other	(291,157)
Balance at June 30, 2012	\$ 171,015
Provision for uncollectible receivables	333,467
Provision for uncollectible receivables – Joplin	17,731
Accounts written off, net of recoveries and other	(318,456)
Balance at June 30, 2013	<u>\$ 203,757</u>

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5. Investments

The following is a summary of investments

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Board-designated	\$ 1,471,640	\$ 1,321,605
Restricted by donor or grantor	38,778	42,654
Total investments	1,510,418	1,364,259
Less short term investments	(27,465)	(26,206)
	<u>\$ 1,482,953</u>	<u>\$ 1,338,053</u>

The following is a summary of investments by classification

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 151,762	\$ 93,477
Fixed income		
Corporate debt securities	73,428	73,209
Government agencies and obligations (U S and foreign)	63,157	93,678
Other debt securities	56,987	36,436
Commingled and mutual funds	112,101	147,477
Equity securities		
Domestic equities – common stock	320,128	262,603
International equities – common stock	247,645	226,820
Real assets – commodities	33,457	38,837
Alternative investments		
Hedge funds	323,820	245,697
Private equity investments	91,834	99,466
Real assets – limited partnerships	18,211	24,816
Other	17,888	21,743
	<u>1,510,418</u>	<u>1,364,259</u>
Less short term investments	<u>(27,465)</u>	<u>(26,206)</u>
Total investments	<u>\$ 1,482,953</u>	<u>\$ 1,338,053</u>

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5. Investments (continued)

The following is a summary of investment returns

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Investments		
Interest and dividends	\$ 24,026	\$ 23,758
Realized gains, net	40,954	34,013
Interest expense on Series 2001 bonds	(2,202)	(2,417)
Unrealized gains (losses), net	94,878	(63,655)
Investment returns included in nonoperating gains (losses), net	157,656	(8,301)
Investment returns included in restricted net assets	3,898	146
Total investment returns	<u>\$ 161,554</u>	<u>\$ (8,155)</u>

The Health System's investments are exposed to various kinds and levels of risk. Fixed income securities expose the Health System to interest rate risk, credit risk, and liquidity risk. As interest rates change, the value of many fixed income securities is affected, particularly those with fixed rates. Credit risk is the risk that the obligor of the security will not fulfill its obligations. Liquidity risk is affected by the willingness of market participants to buy and sell given securities. Equity securities expose the Health System to market risk, performance risk, and liquidity risk. Market risk is the risk associated with major movements of the equity markets, both foreign and domestic. Performance risk is the risk associated with a company's operating performance. Liquidity risk as previously defined tends to be higher for foreign equities and equities related to small capitalization companies.

Certain of the Health System's investments are made through alternative investments, primarily private equity limited partnership investments and hedge funds. These investments provide the Health System with a proportionate share of the investment gains and losses. The fund manager has full discretionary authority over the investment decisions and provides the net asset valuation. The hedge funds and private equity funds present risks similar to those of traditional investments, as well as some additional risks. Due to the fact that these funds are invested through limited partnerships or other limited access-type vehicles, pricing is infrequent and liquidity may also be limited, in some cases, up to 24 months for hedge funds. Due to infrequent

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5. Investments (continued)

pricing and illiquidity of underlying investments, it is common practice for private equity funds to require investors to commit to a ten-year investment period, although the distribution of capital is likely to occur prior to the ten-year termination date. These investments may also employ leverage, which may lead to additional risk of loss. These investments are subject to market risk, default risk, interest rate risk, and credit risk as well as various other types of risks. At June 30, 2013, the Health System has commitments to fund \$72.2 million in these investments.

At the balance sheet dates, receivables and payables for investment trades not settled are presented with other current assets and other current liabilities. Unsettled sales resulted in receivables due from brokers of \$186.6 million and \$196.6 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Unsettled buys resulted in payables of \$144.2 million and \$164.5 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

6. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurements and disclosures topic of the FASB ASC establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurement) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurement).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy and a description of the valuation methodologies used for instruments measured at fair value are as follows:

Level 1 – Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date.

Level 2 – Pricing inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1, which are either directly observable or can be derived or supported from observable data as of the reporting date.

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6. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

Level 3 – Pricing inputs include those that are significant to the fair value of the financial asset or financial liability and are not observable from objective sources. In evaluating the significance of input, the Health System generally classifies assets or liabilities as Level 3 when their fair value is determined using unobservable inputs that individually, or when aggregated with other unobservable inputs, represent more than 10% of the fair value of the assets or liabilities. These inputs may be used with internally developed methodologies that result in management's best estimate of fair value.

Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis was determined using the following inputs at June 30, 2013:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Investments				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 151,469	\$ 293	\$ –	\$ 151,762
Equity securities				
Domestic equities – common stock	319,308	820	–	320,128
International equities – common stock	95,343	152,302	–	247,645
Fixed income				
Corporate debt securities	–	73,428	–	73,428
Government agencies and obligations (U.S. and foreign)	–	63,157	–	63,157
Other debt securities	399	56,588	–	56,987
Commingled and mutual funds	1,375	110,726	–	112,101
Real assets – commodities	21,332	12,125	–	33,457
Other	–	2,535	–	2,535
	589,226	471,974	–	1,061,200
Deferred compensation plan assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	488	–	–	488
Equities – mutual funds	123,695	–	–	123,695
Other	–	5,249	50,642	55,891
	124,183	5,249	50,642	180,074
Total assets	\$ 713,409	\$ 477,223	\$ 50,642	\$ 1,241,274
Liabilities				
Interest rate swap agreements	\$ –	\$ 53,845	\$ –	\$ 53,845
Total liabilities	\$ –	\$ 53,845	\$ –	\$ 53,845

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6. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following table is a rollforward of the deferred compensation plan assets classified within Level 3 of the valuation hierarchy

	Other
Fair value at July 1, 2012	\$ 42,493
Purchases, issuances, settlements, and sales	
Purchases	18,478
Sales	(12,042)
Actual return on plan assets	1,713
Transfers in and/or out of Level 3	—
Fair value at June 30, 2013	<u>\$ 50,642</u>

Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis was determined using the following inputs at June 30, 2012

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Investments				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 89,338	\$ 4,139	\$ —	\$ 93,477
Equity securities				
Domestic equities – common stock	262,603	—	—	262,603
International equities – common stock	86,200	140,620	—	226,820
Fixed income				
Corporate debt securities	—	73,209	—	73,209
Government agencies and obligations (U.S. and foreign)	—	93,678	—	93,678
Other debt securities	703	35,733	—	36,436
Commingled and mutual funds	44,645	102,832	—	147,477
Real assets – commodities	26,200	12,637	—	38,837
Other	—	6,390	—	6,390
	<u>509,689</u>	<u>469,238</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>978,927</u>
Deferred compensation plan assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	619	—	—	619
Equities – mutual funds	106,398	—	—	106,398
Other	—	6,103	42,493	48,596
	<u>107,017</u>	<u>6,103</u>	<u>42,493</u>	<u>155,613</u>
Interest rate swap agreements	—	9,441	—	9,441
Total assets	<u>\$ 616,706</u>	<u>\$ 484,782</u>	<u>\$ 42,493</u>	<u>\$ 1,143,981</u>
Liabilities				
Interest rate swap agreements	\$ —	\$ 86,636	\$ —	\$ 86,636
Total liabilities	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 86,636</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 86,636</u>

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6. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following table is a rollforward of the deferred compensation plan assets classified within Level 3 of the valuation hierarchy

	<u>Other</u>
Fair value at July 1, 2011	\$ 42,572
Purchases, issuances, settlements, and sales	
Purchases	18,336
Sales	(19,189)
Actual return on plan assets	774
Transfers in and/or out of Level 3	—
Fair value at June 30, 2012	<u>\$ 42,493</u>

Investments in the fair value tables above exclude alternative investments, which are recorded under the equity method of accounting, of \$433.9 million and \$370.0 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Investments in the fair value tables above also exclude land held for investment, which is recorded at cost, of \$15.4 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012.

Deferred compensation plan assets and interest rate swaps (assets) are reported in other assets, and interest rate swaps (liabilities) are reported in insurance reserves and other liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets.

The following is a description of the Health System's valuation methodologies for assets and liabilities measured at fair value. Fair value for Level 1 is based upon quoted market prices. The fair value of certain Level 2 securities was determined using multiple price types of bid/offer, last traded, settlement, evaluated, and the official primary exchange close-time pricing, provided by third-party pricing services if quoted market prices were not available. The quality of the prices received is evaluated through price comparisons and tolerance level checks. These Level 2 investments include cash equivalents, domestic equities, international equities, corporate debt securities, government agencies and obligations, other debt securities, commingled funds and real assets – commodities. The fair values of the interest rate swap contracts, also Level 2 measurements, are determined based on the present value of expected future cash flows using discount rates appropriate with the risks involved. The valuations reflect a credit spread adjustment to the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) discount curve in order to reflect nonperformance risk. The credit spread adjustment is derived from the Health System's and other comparable rated entities' bonds priced in the market and adjusted with a gross up of the

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6. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

tax-exempt spread to a taxable equivalent spread for the Health System and counterparty bond trading levels (or credit default swap spreads) The fair values of other securities in the deferred compensation plan's assets are based on unobservable inputs and are recorded based on information provided by the trustee

The deferred compensation plans invest in a fully benefit-responsive guaranteed investment contract (GIC) with MetLife, which is a general account evergreen group annuity contract MetLife maintains the contributions in the general account The deferred compensation plans own a series of guarantees that are embedded in the insurance contract The contractual guarantees are backed up by the full faith and credit of MetLife, the contract issuer MetLife is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the deferred compensation plan There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer Such interest rates are reviewed on an annual basis for resetting

The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, pledges receivable, and current liabilities are reasonable estimates of their fair values due to the short-term nature of these financial instruments The fair value of the Health System's fixed-rate bonds is based on quoted market prices for the same or similar issues and approximates \$235.6 million and \$7.2 million as of June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, which is a level 2 measurement The carrying amount approximates fair value for all other long-term debt, which is variable rate, and excludes the impact of third-party credit enhancements

Due to the volatility of the financial market, there is a reasonable possibility of changes in fair value and additional gains and losses in the near term subsequent to June 30, 2013

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7. Property and Equipment

The following is a summary of property and equipment

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Land, land improvements and leasehold improvements	\$ 272,621	\$ 238,172
Buildings	2,807,888	2,600,791
Equipment	2,134,776	2,007,360
Construction-in-progress	276,595	120,036
	5,491,880	4,966,359
Less accumulated depreciation	(2,942,610)	(2,684,768)
Property and equipment, net	\$ 2,549,270	\$ 2,281,591

At June 30, 2013, construction and software-related contracts and commitments exist for capital improvements at certain of the Health System's facilities. The remaining commitment on these contracts at June 30, 2013 was approximately \$298.8 million, out of which \$239.7 million relates to the construction of the new hospital in Joplin. During the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, interest of \$3.6 million and \$0.8 million, respectively, was capitalized.

8. Other Assets

The following is a summary of other assets

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Deferred compensation plan assets	\$ 180,074	\$ 155,613
Goodwill and intangible assets	143,544	45,792
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates	60,253	43,340
Land held for future development	30,278	16,382
Notes receivable	13,948	12,961
Fair value of interest rate swaps	—	9,441
Other	36,386	49,610
	\$ 464,483	\$ 333,139

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9. Goodwill

The following table presents the changes in the carrying amount of goodwill during the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Balance at July 1, 2011	\$ 34,698
Acquisitions	11,094
Balance at June 30, 2012	<u>\$ 45,792</u>
Acquisitions	97,752
Balance at June 30, 2013	<u><u>\$ 143,544</u></u>

10. Liability Programs

The Health System administers a liability program to provide for general and professional liability risks within certain limits. Health care professional liabilities in excess of self-insured limits are insured on a claims-made basis subject to an annual maximum of \$20.0 million over the self-insured retention of \$10.0 million, after which the Health System would again be responsible. The recorded liabilities are based upon actuarial estimates of reported claims and IBNR claims using historical claim experience and other relevant industry and hospital-specific factors and trends, discounted at an interest rate of 4.75% for 2013 and 2012. The discounted general and professional liability was \$135.3 million and \$130.9 million at June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, which is included in accrued liabilities and insurance reserves in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets.

11. Employee Retirement Plans

Prior to July 1, 2011, the Health System sponsored an active defined benefit retirement plan (the Plan) to provide coverage under a single plan for groups acquired in business combinations. Pension benefits were provided to substantially all Health System employees through the Plan. As new employee groups were transitioned to the Plan, the Plan was modified through plan amendments to provide credit for service with the acquired provider. Plan benefits were originally provided based on a final average pay formula but were later transitioned to a cash

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

balance-type formula. The cash balance formula provided an annual pay credit, based on employee compensation and years of service, and an interest credit based on the 30-year U.S. Treasury bill rate, subject to a floor of 5.25%. Effective June 30, 2011, the Plan was closed to new entrants, and pay credits ceased. Interest credits continue to be paid under the Plan. The Plan is funded consistent with actuarial funding recommendations.

The Health System maintains various non-qualified defined benefit retirement plans that provide retirement income in excess of the limitations on benefits imposed by Internal Revenue Service (IRS) limitations to certain key executives. These plans are closed to new entrants.

The following table sets forth the Plan's and certain other of the Health System's pension plans' benefit obligations, fair value of plan assets, and funded status at the measurement date.

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Accumulated benefit obligation	<u><u>\$ 983,953</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,010,293</u></u>
Changes in projected benefit obligation		
Projected benefit obligation at beginning of period	\$ 1,020,307	\$ 966,632
Service cost	1,767	1,413
Interest cost	41,991	47,392
Actuarial (gain) loss	(14,542)	66,852
Benefits paid	(50,996)	(61,982)
Projected benefit obligation at end of period	<u><u>\$ 998,527</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,020,307</u></u>
Changes in plan assets		
Fair value of plan assets at beginning of period	\$ 654,649	\$ 718,489
Actual return on plan assets	72,275	(10,219)
Employer contributions	5,966	8,361
Benefits paid	(50,996)	(61,982)
Fair value of plan assets at end of period	<u><u>\$ 681,894</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 654,649</u></u>
Funded status of the Plan	<u><u>\$ (316,633)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ (365,658)</u></u>

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

Amounts recognized in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets at June 30 consist of

	2013	2012
Accrued liabilities and other	\$ 3,512	\$ 3,334
Pension liabilities	313,121	362,324
	\$ 316,633	\$ 365,658

No plan assets are expected to be returned to the Health System during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014

Included in unrestricted net assets are the following amounts that have not yet been recognized in net periodic pension cost

	Year Ended June 30	2013	2012
Unrecognized actuarial loss	\$ (377,090)	\$ (421,973)	
Unrecognized prior service cost	(3,017)	(3,561)	
	\$ (380,107)	\$ (425,534)	

Changes in plan assets and benefit obligations recognized in unrestricted net assets include

	Year Ended June 30	2013	2012
Current year actuarial gain (loss)	\$ 33,932	\$ (130,055)	
Amortization of actuarial loss	10,951	8,486	
Amortization of prior service credit	544	544	
	\$ 45,427	\$ (121,025)	

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The estimated net actuarial loss and prior service cost included in unrestricted net assets and expected to be recognized in net periodic benefit cost during the year ending June 30, 2014, are \$10.6 million and \$0.5 million, respectively. The impact of the change in discount rate on the projected benefit obligation of the plan was a decrease of approximately \$32.6 million for the year ended June 30, 2013, and an increase of approximately \$71.3 million for the year ended June 30, 2012.

The following is a summary of the components of net periodic pension cost:

	Year Ended June 30	
	2013	2012
Service cost, benefits earned during the period	\$ 1,767	\$ 1,413
Interest cost on projected benefit obligation	41,991	47,392
Expected return on plan assets	(52,885)	(52,984)
Amortization of unrecognized		
Prior service credit	544	544
Actuarial loss	10,951	8,486
Net periodic pension cost	<u>\$ 2,368</u>	<u>\$ 4,851</u>

Weighted-average assumptions used to determine the Plan's projected benefit obligation and net periodic benefit costs are as follows:

	Projected Benefit Obligation		Net Periodic Benefit Costs	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Discount rates	4.35–4.60%	4.05–4.20%	4.05–4.20%	5.00–5.15%
Rates of salary increase	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.00
Expected long-term return on plan assets	8.00	8.15	8.15	8.15

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The Plan's weighted-average asset allocations at June 30, 2013 and 2012, and target allocation by asset category are as follows

Asset Category	2013 Target	Plan Assets at June 30	
	Asset Allocation	2013	2012
Equity securities	40%	38%	37%
Debt securities	30	20	26
Alternative investments	30	34	33
Other	0	8	4
Total	100%	100%	100%

The Plan's assets measured at fair value were determined using the following inputs at June 30, 2013

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 78,447	\$ 12,219	\$ —	\$ 90,666
Equity securities				
Domestic equities – common stock	141,564	370	—	141,934
International equities – common stock	42,305	68,810	—	111,115
Fixed income				
Corporate debt securities	—	33,576	—	33,576
Government agencies and obligations (U S and foreign)	—	28,765	—	28,765
Other debt securities	180	12,105	—	12,285
Commingled and mutual funds	9	50,048	—	50,057
Real assets – commodities	9,470	5,478	—	14,948
Other	—	—	2,812	2,812
Hedge funds	—	—	146,018	146,018
Private equity	—	—	41,490	41,490
Real assets – limited partnerships	—	—	8,228	8,228
	\$ 271,975	\$ 211,371	\$ 198,548	\$ 681,894

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The following table is a rollforward of the pension plan assets classified within Level 3 of the valuation hierarchy

	Hedge Funds	Private Equity	Real Assets – Limited Partnerships	Other
Fair value at July 1, 2012	\$ 120,346	\$ 48,751	\$ 12,163	\$ 2,846
Purchases, issuances, and settlements	11,111	(8,073)	(3,402)	–
Actual return on plan assets	14,561	812	(533)	(34)
Transfers in and/or out of Level 3	–	–	–	–
Fair value at June 30, 2013	<u>\$ 146,018</u>	<u>\$ 41,490</u>	<u>\$ 8,228</u>	<u>\$ 2,812</u>

The Plan's assets measured at fair value were determined using the following inputs at June 30, 2012

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 45,966	\$ 12,304	\$ –	\$ 58,270
Equity securities				
Domestic equities – common stock	126,524	–	–	126,524
International equities – common stock	41,353	68,922	–	110,275
Fixed income				
Corporate debt securities	–	36,332	–	36,332
Government agencies and obligations (U S and foreign)	–	46,131	–	46,131
Other debt securities	346	2,734	–	3,080
Commingled and mutual funds	20,657	50,428	–	71,085
Real assets – commodities	12,652	6,194	–	18,846
Other	–	–	2,846	2,846
Hedge funds	–	–	120,346	120,346
Private equity	–	–	48,751	48,751
Real assets – limited partnerships	–	–	12,163	12,163
	<u>\$ 247,498</u>	<u>\$ 223,045</u>	<u>\$ 184,106</u>	<u>\$ 654,649</u>

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The following table is a rollforward of the pension plan assets classified within Level 3 of the valuation hierarchy

	Hedge Funds	Private Equity	Real Assets – Limited Partnerships	Other
Fair value at July 1, 2011	\$ 130,032	\$ 43,024	\$ 14,165	\$ 2,882
Purchases, issuances, and settlements	(7,677)	2,560	(296)	–
Actual return on plan assets	(2,009)	3,167	(1,706)	(36)
Transfers in and/or out of Level 3	–	–	–	–
Fair value at June 30, 2012	<u>\$ 120,346</u>	<u>\$ 48,751</u>	<u>\$ 12,163</u>	<u>\$ 2,846</u>

Fair value methodologies for Level 1 and Level 2 assets are consistent with the inputs described in Note 6. Level 3 securities, which consist of alternative investments (principally limited partnership interests in hedge funds and private equity funds) and a guaranteed investment contract, represent the Plan's ownership interest in the net asset value (NAV) of the respective partnership.

Management opted to use the NAV per share, or its equivalent, as a practical expedient for fair value of the Plan's interest in hedge funds and private equity funds. Valuations provided by the respective fund's management include variables such as the financial performance of underlying investments, recent sales prices of underlying investments, and other pertinent information. In addition, actual market exchanges at period-end provide additional observable market inputs of the exit price. The majority of these funds have restrictions on the timing of withdrawals, which may reduce liquidity, in some cases for up to 24 months in the case of hedge funds and up to 10 years for private equity funds. At June 30, 2013, the Plan has commitments to fund \$32.6 million in these investments.

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The Plan employs investment managers to invest fund balances in a structured portfolio of equity, fixed income, and alternative investments (which includes hedge funds, private equity, and real assets). The Plan retains outside consultants to support the overall asset allocation and manager selection process. The Plan's current investment policy was updated and approved in fiscal 2012. The performance of all managers is reviewed to test that market performance has been calculated accurately, to monitor performance versus peers and benchmarking, and to evaluate portfolio structure considering current and future needs based on economic forecasts and actuarial projections. The Health System believes that a diversified portfolio will limit the degree of risk to the Plan and stabilize the long-term results. The Plan's diversified blend of marketable securities also takes into consideration the cash flow requirements of the Plan to help ensure the ability to meet the monthly payout of benefits required. Projected rates of return for each asset category were selected after analyzing historical experience and future expectations of the returns and volatility for assets of that category.

The Health System expects to contribute at least \$3.0 million to the Plan during fiscal 2014.

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service, are expected to be paid by the Plan:

	<u>Amount</u>
Year Ending June 30	
2014	\$ 71,600
2015	77,800
2016	74,800
2017	79,500
2018	70,600
2019 through 2023	368,700
	<u>\$ 743,000</u>

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11. Employee Retirement Plans (continued)

The Health System has a defined-contribution 401(k) plan and a 403(b) plan for the benefit of substantially all employees. Participant contributions to the plans are subject to IRS limitations. The 401(k) plan has always included an employer-provided match contribution. Effective July 1, 2011, the 401(k) plan was amended to enhance the match contribution and add a non-matching service contribution to replace the pay credit previously earned under the defined benefit plan. The 403(b) plan allows participant contributions, and amounts contributed to the plan are eligible for a match contribution and service contribution under the provisions of the 401(k) plan.

The match contribution is equal to 50% of the first 4% of the participant's compensation contributed and 25% of the next 2% of the participant's compensation contributed. The service contribution is equal to compensation multiplied by a percentage of pay based on years of service (1%–9% for employees hired prior to July 1, 2011, and 1%–4% for those hired on July 1, 2011 or later). In order to earn a match contribution or service contribution, an employee must work at a rate of 1,000 hours during the year. Employees become vested in both match and service contributions upon the completion of three years of vesting service.

For the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, the total expenses incurred related to the 401(k) and 403(b) plans were \$89.6 million and \$79.4 million, respectively.

12. Long-Term Obligations

The following is a summary of long-term obligations:

	June 30	
	2013	2012
Revenue bonds, fixed interest rates of 3.0–5.0% due 2014 through 2042	\$ 260,742	\$ 6,500
Revenue bonds, variable interest rates with weighted-average interest rates of 0.60% and 0.50% in fiscal 2013 and 2012, respectively, due through June 2039	728,475	742,075
Other notes, mortgage notes, and capital lease obligations	102,060	82,847
	1,091,277	831,422
Less current maturities of long-term obligations	(20,366)	(21,218)
Long-term obligations, less current maturities	\$ 1,070,911	\$ 810,204

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12. Long-Term Obligations (continued)

Certain of Mercy's subsidiaries have executed a commitment agreement governing certain borrowing arrangements under the Mercy Master Trust Indenture and related agreements (Financing Agreements). While only the revenues of Mercy collateralize the outstanding borrowings of the Health System, each of these subsidiaries has committed to transfer such assets to Mercy to pay the amounts due on borrowings when they come due. The Financing Agreements contain certain restrictive covenants, including debt service coverage and liquidity ratios. At June 30, 2013, Mercy was in compliance with all covenants.

Tax-exempt revenue bonds have been issued by various issuing authorities, the proceeds of which were used by Mercy primarily to finance capital projects and to refinance existing indebtedness of certain subsidiaries.

Mercy has auction-rate securities aggregating to \$378.3 million. The interest rate is set through a weekly auction process among bond investors. Starting in fiscal 2008, due to the market-wide financial crisis, institutional buyers and investment banks opted not to participate in the market for securities of this type, causing a failure of the auction process and resulting in the bonds resetting to a maximum rate predefined in the bond agreement based on the higher of the current LIBOR or commercial paper index adjusted for the current rating and current tax rate plus a fixed spread.

In November 2011, \$376.4 million of variable rate tax-exempt health facility revenue bonds were issued by the Health and Educational Facilities Authority of the State of Missouri on behalf of Mercy under the Master Trust Indenture. The proceeds of these bonds were used to refund the Series 2008 variable rate demand bonds aggregating \$376.4 million. These bonds were directly purchased by four banks and mature at various dates between June 1, 2012 and June 1, 2039. Interest is paid monthly at a borrowing rate based on a percentage of one-month LIBOR plus an applicable spread. The bonds include a mandatory put by the purchasing banks in November 2016 and November 2018. Mercy may elect to renegotiate with the initial purchasers, remarket or redeem the bonds.

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12. Long-Term Obligations (continued)

In December 2012, \$250.0 million of fixed rate tax-exempt health facility revenue bonds were issued by the Health and Educational Facilities Authority of the State of Missouri on behalf of Mercy under the Master Trust Indenture. The proceeds of these bonds were used to finance all or a portion of several capital projects, including a portion of the new hospital in Joplin, Missouri. The bonds have various maturities between November 15, 2019 and November 15, 2042. Coupon rates were set at 3-4% with yields to maturity ranging from 1.75-3.86%. Most of the bonds were sold at a premium to institutional and retail investors. The net premium paid to the Health System totaled \$7.1 million. Issuance costs totaled \$2.6 million. The bonds pay interest on May 15 and November 15 of each year, commencing May 15, 2013.

Other notes payable, mortgage notes payable, and capital lease obligations are secured by certain property and equipment of the specific borrowers.

In July 2012, as part of an acquisition, the Health System assumed a \$21.9 million fixed-rate commercial real estate loan. Interest is paid monthly at an annual rate of 7.25% and the debt matures on December 31, 2014.

Aggregate maturities of long-term obligations as scheduled at June 30, 2013, are as follows:

	<u>Amount</u>
Year Ending June 30	
2014	\$ 20,366
2015	39,548
2016	15,403
2017	8,737
2018	9,064
Thereafter	998,159
	<u>\$ 1,091,277</u>

Mercy has \$100.0 million of unused 364-day lines of credit with three banks. Agreements terminate on December 11, 2013, however, the Health System anticipates renewal of the agreements. There were no borrowings outstanding under these lines of credit as of June 30, 2013.

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13. Derivatives

The Health System has interest rate-related derivative instruments to manage its interest rate exposure on its variable-rate debt instruments and does not enter into derivative instruments for any purpose other than risk management. Interest rate swap contracts between the Health System and a third party (counterparty) provide for the periodic exchange of payments between the parties based on changes in a defined index and a fixed rate. These agreements expose the Health System to market risk and credit risk. Credit risk is the risk that contractual obligations of the counterparties will not be fulfilled. Concentrations of credit risk relate to groups of counterparties that have similar economic or industry characteristics that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic or other conditions. Counterparty credit risk is managed by requiring high credit standards for the Health System's counterparties. The Health System will enter into transactions where the counterparty rating is high enough to maintain the rating on Health System bonds. The interest rate swap contracts contain collateral provisions applicable to both parties to mitigate credit risk. The Health System does not anticipate nonperformance by its counterparties. Market risk is the adverse effect on the value of a financial instrument that results from a change in interest rates. The market risk associated with interest rate changes is managed by establishing and monitoring parameters that limit the types and degree of market risk that may be undertaken. Management also mitigates risk through periodic reviews of the Health System's derivative positions in the context of its blended cost of capital.

Effective December 4, 2012, the Health System terminated two constant maturity basis swap transactions with a total notional amount of \$250 million, resulting in a net payment to the Health System of \$4.7 million.

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13. Derivatives (continued)

The following is a summary of the outstanding positions under these interest rate swap agreements

Interest Rate Swap Type	Expiration Date	Health System Pays	Health System Receives	Notional Value June 30, 2013	Notional Value June 30, 2012
Fixed payor	June 2, 2031	3.36% – 3.751%	70% of one-month LIBOR	\$ 252,200	\$ 252,200
Fixed payor	June 2, 2031	3.848% – 3.856%	70% of one-month LIBOR	50,000	50,000
Fixed payor	June 1, 2016	3.94%	67% of one-month LIBOR	20,750	29,050
Constant maturity ¹	June 2, 2031	USD-BMA Municipal Swap	89% of 10-year SIFMA Index	–	125,000
Constant maturity ¹	January 1, 2016	89% of 10-year SIFMA Swap Rate	USD-BMA Municipal Swap Index	–	125,000

¹ Terminated December 4, 2012

The fair value of derivative instruments is as follows

Derivatives Not Designated as Hedging Instruments	Balance Sheet Location	June 30 2013	June 30 2012
Interest rate swap agreements	Other assets	\$ –	\$ 9,441
Interest rate swap agreements	Other liabilities	53,845	86,636

The effects of derivative instruments on the consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, are reflected in realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swaps in the consolidated statements of operations

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14. Operating Leases

Rent expense for the years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, totaled \$70.2 million and \$66.9 million, respectively.

Future minimum rental payments under noncancelable operating leases as of June 30, 2013, that have initial or remaining terms in excess of one year are as follows:

	<u>Amount</u>
Year Ending June 30	
2014	\$ 45,065
2015	37,639
2016	34,794
2017	32,660
2018	27,424
Thereafter	104,800
	<u>\$ 282,382</u>

Effective August 1, 2013, rent commenced on an operating lease for an orthopedic hospital at one of Mercy's subsidiaries. Future minimum rental payments under the lease agreement are approximately \$9.0 million per year over the initial lease term.

15. Commitments and Contingencies

Regulatory Compliance

The U.S. Department of Justice and other federal agencies are increasing resources dedicated to regulatory investigations and compliance audits of health care providers. The Health System is not exempt from these regulatory efforts and has received correspondence from federal agencies with regard to such initiatives. In consultation with legal counsel, management estimates these matters will be resolved without a material adverse effect on the Health System's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

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15. Commitments and Contingencies (continued)

Litigation

The Health System is involved in litigation arising in the normal course of business. After consultation with legal counsel, it is management's opinion that these matters will be resolved without a material adverse effect on the Health System's consolidated financial position or results of operations.

16. Subsequent Events

The Health System evaluated events and transactions occurring subsequent to June 30, 2013, through September 25, 2013, the date the consolidated financial statements were issued. During this period, there were no subsequent events that required recognition in the consolidated financial statements.

On July 1, 2013, a subsidiary of the Health System executed an agreement to lease a hospital and recorded a capital lease obligation of \$42.2 million.

Supplementary Information

Mercy Health

Consolidating Balance Sheet

(In Thousands)

June 30, 2013

	Fort Smith	Hot Springs	Rogers	Joplin	Kansas	Carthage
Assets						
Current assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 10.905	\$ (32.116)	\$ (6.376)	\$ 201.077	\$ 18.514	\$ (1.204)
Accounts receivable, net	35.330	29.898	29.249	19.794	6.818	12.790
Inventories	5.477	4.601	4.374	4.655	1.816	1.331
Short-term investments	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other current assets	(4.350)	(9.548)	(7.545)	(11.023)	(1.596)	(4.561)
Total current assets	47.362	(7.165)	19.702	214.503	25.552	8.356
Investments	2.272	357	8.748	220	1.226	(22)
Property and equipment, net	160.645	106.576	134.572	221.910	40.613	40.897
Other assets	22.753	9.980	2.983	1.603	(520)	—
Total assets	<u>\$ 233.032</u>	<u>\$ 109.748</u>	<u>\$ 166.005</u>	<u>\$ 438.236</u>	<u>\$ 66.871</u>	<u>\$ 49.231</u>
Liabilities and net assets						
Current liabilities						
Current maturities of long-term obligations	\$ 360	\$ 460	\$ 146	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 748
Accounts payable	4.853	5.057	8.884	29.677	2.491	1.587
Accrued payroll and related liabilities	10.930	10.443	7.938	8.502	3.891	1.231
Accrued liabilities and other	4.707	627	3.266	1.883	2.014	(5.735)
Total current liabilities	20.850	16.587	20.234	40.062	8.396	(2.169)
Insurance reserves and other liabilities	3.109	1.795	1	31	477	—
Pension liabilities	—	—	—	—	—	—
Long-term obligations, less current maturities	6.993	7.125	158	—	—	42.522
Total liabilities	30.952	25.507	20.393	40.093	8.873	40.353
Net assets						
Unrestricted	200.763	83.697	138.836	391.036	57.808	8.628
Restricted	1.317	544	6.776	7.107	190	250
Total net assets	202.080	84.241	145.612	398.143	57.998	8.878
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 233.032</u>	<u>\$ 109.748</u>	<u>\$ 166.005</u>	<u>\$ 438.236</u>	<u>\$ 66.871</u>	<u>\$ 49.231</u>

St. Louis	Springfield	Oklahoma	MML	Mercy	Eliminations	Total
\$ 63.322	\$ 13.902	\$ 74.534	\$ 480	\$ (5.632)	\$ –	\$ 337.406
201.011	181.800	92.526	–	144	–	609.360
21.908	28.907	10.298	–	13.122	–	96.489
–	–	–	–	27.465	–	27.465
18.156	13.463	(9.860)	338	395.730	(99.598)	279.606
304.397	238.072	167.498	818	430.829	(99.598)	1,350.326
25.657	27.609	6.390	26.229	1,384.267	–	1,482.953
765.354	490.853	210.248	2.717	374.885	–	2,549.270
158.130	125.025	52.573	1	91.955	–	464.483
<u>\$ 1,253,538</u>	<u>\$ 881,559</u>	<u>\$ 436,709</u>	<u>\$ 29,765</u>	<u>\$ 2,281,936</u>	<u>\$ (99,598)</u>	<u>\$ 5,847,032</u>
\$ 3.281	\$ 207	\$ 527	\$ –	\$ 14.637	\$ –	\$ 20.366
68.638	65.860	14.757	294	35.582	(84.388)	153.292
100.197	80.310	31.202	–	107.211	(15.210)	346.645
13.401	48.799	1.680	144	203.910	–	274.696
185.517	195.176	48.166	438	361.340	(99.598)	794.999
27.430	76.694	2.239	334	281.079	–	393.189
–	–	–	–	313.121	–	313.121
49.125	500	1.888	–	962.600	–	1,070.911
262.072	272.370	52.293	772	1,918.140	(99.598)	2,572.220
968.574	576.806	378.583	28.813	363.387	–	3,196.931
22.892	32.383	5.833	180	409	–	77.881
991.466	609.189	384.416	28.993	363.796	–	3,274.812
<u>\$ 1,253,538</u>	<u>\$ 881,559</u>	<u>\$ 436,709</u>	<u>\$ 29,765</u>	<u>\$ 2,281,936</u>	<u>\$ (99,598)</u>	<u>\$ 5,847,032</u>

Mercy Health

Consolidating Statement of Operations (In Thousands)

Year Ended June 30, 2013

	Fort Smith	Hot Springs	Rogers	Joplin	Kansas	Carthage
Operating revenues						
Patient service revenues (net of contractuals and discounts)	\$ 277.412	\$ 259.475	\$ 240.738	\$ –	\$ 72.732	\$ 67.386
Provision for uncollectible receivables	(31.479)	(26.602)	(19.694)	–	(6.343)	(6.041)
Net patient service revenues	245.933	232.873	221.044	–	66.389	61.345
Capitation revenues	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other operating revenues	8.914	4.283	5.318	–	5.202	534
Total operating revenues	254.847	237.156	226.362	–	71.591	61.879
Operating expenses						
Salaries and benefits	150.015	138.309	116.214	–	41.381	23.228
Supplies and other	112.402	100.307	94.636	–	28.068	34.387
Medical claims expense	–	–	–	–	–	–
Interest	573	573	29	–	1	2.556
Depreciation and amortization	13.115	12.978	12.332	–	3.757	3.637
Total operating expenses	276.105	252.167	223.211	–	73.207	63.808
Operating (loss) income before Joplin operations and related insurance recovery	(21.258)	(15.011)	3.151	–	(1.616)	(1.929)
Joplin insurance proceeds	–	–	–	230.174	–	–
Joplin operating revenues	–	–	–	155.848	–	–
Joplin operating expenses	–	–	–	(223.291)	–	–
Total operating (loss) income	(21.258)	(15.011)	3.151	162.731	(1.616)	(1.929)
Nonoperating gains (losses)						
Investment returns, net	1.116	201	602	119	46	(1)
Realized and unrealized gains on interest rate swaps	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other, net	(2.627)	(4.409)	2	66	(152)	–
Total nonoperating (losses) gains, net	(1.511)	(4.208)	604	185	(106)	(1)
(Deficit) excess of revenues over expenses	(22.769)	(19.219)	3.755	162.916	(1.722)	(1.930)
Other changes in unrestricted net assets						
Transfers from (to) Mercy, net	–	–	–	49	–	–
Pension liability adjustments	–	–	–	–	–	–
Net assets released from restrictions for property acquisitions	–	–	–	–	195	–
Other	1	45	–	124	125	(306)
Increase (decrease) in unrestricted net assets	\$ (22.768)	\$ (19.174)	\$ 3.755	\$ 163.089	\$ (1.402)	\$ (2.236)

	St. Louis		Springfield		Oklahoma		MML		Mercy		Eliminations		Total
\$	1,319,533	\$	1,420,495	\$	691,446	\$	319	\$	715	\$	(142,317)	\$	4,207,934
	(67,136)		(120,043)		(56,183)		–		54		–		(333,467)
	1,252,397		1,300,452		635,263		319		769		(142,317)		3,874,467
	30,646		232,961		–		–		–		–		263,607
	47,227		87,172		42,126		2,533		616,028		(576,526)		242,811
	1,330,270		1,620,585		677,389		2,852		616,797		(718,843)		4,380,885
	727,507		796,696		336,773		2,585		340,156		(142,317)		2,530,547
	495,748		578,721		278,477		1,559		201,619		(576,526)		1,349,398
	119		110,629		–		–		–		–		110,748
	3,896		10		12		–		5,326		–		12,976
	71,952		55,928		25,638		186		87,003		–		286,526
	1,299,222		1,541,984		640,900		4,330		634,104		(718,843)		4,290,195
	31,048		78,601		36,489		(1,478)		(17,307)		–		90,690
	–		–		–		–		–		–		230,174
	–		–		–		–		–		–		155,848
	–		–		–		–		–		–		(223,291)
	31,048		78,601		36,489		(1,478)		(17,307)		–		253,421
	2,171		(64)		415		2,776		150,275		–		157,656
	–		–		–		–		16,353		–		16,353
	(2,816)		30		(102)		–		(2,669)		–		(12,677)
	(645)		(34)		313		2,776		163,959		–		161,332
	30,403		78,567		36,802		1,298		146,652		–		414,753
	288,638		(11,732)		(1,298)		–		(275,657)		–		–
	–		–		–		–		45,427		–		45,427
	1,560		–		4,477		6		–		–		6,238
	(27)		3,012		2,263		(1)		471		–		5,707
\$	320,574	\$	69,847	\$	42,244	\$	1,303	\$	(83,107)	\$	–	\$	472,125

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Consolidating Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Year Ended June 30, 2013

(In Thousands)

	Fort Smith	Hot Springs	Rogers	Joplin	Kansas	Carthage
Increase (decrease) in unrestricted net assets	\$ (22,768)	\$ (19,174)	\$ 3,755	\$ 163,089	\$ (1,402)	\$ (2,236)
Restricted net assets						
Pledges, bequests, and gifts for specific purposes	504	(14)	1,104	3,871	2	250
Investment returns, net	—	19	—	—	—	—
Net assets released from restrictions	(951)	(323)	(237)	(507)	(206)	—
Other	—	5	—	709	—	—
Increase (decrease) in restricted net assets	(447)	(313)	867	4,073	(204)	250
Change in net assets	(23,215)	(19,487)	4,622	167,162	(1,606)	(1,986)
Net assets at beginning of year	225,295	103,728	140,990	230,981	59,604	10,864
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 202,080</u>	<u>\$ 84,241</u>	<u>\$ 145,612</u>	<u>\$ 398,143</u>	<u>\$ 57,998</u>	<u>\$ 8,878</u>

	St. Louis		Springfield		Oklahoma		MML		Mercy		Eliminations		Total
\$	320,574	\$	69,847	\$	42,244	\$	1,303	\$	(83,107)	\$	–	\$	472,125
	5,396		4,661		3,396		1,109		45		–		20,324
	1,902		1,976		1		–		–		–		3,898
	(6,774)		(1,983)		(5,541)		(1,094)		(90)		–		(17,706)
	186		(74)		–				(716)		–		110
	710		4,580		(2,144)		15		(761)		–		6,626
	321,284		74,427		40,100		1,318		(83,868)		–		478,751
	670,182		534,762		344,316		27,675		447,664		–		2,796,061
\$	991,466	\$	609,189	\$	384,416	\$	28,993	\$	363,796	\$	–	\$	3,274,812

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