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Form 990  Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax	OMB No 1545-0047
	Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations) ▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public ▶ Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990	2014 Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning 04-01-2014 , and ending 03-31-2015

B Check if applicable ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return/terminated ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	C Name of organization NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION INC		D Employer identification number 44-0580870	
	% JON DOOLITTLE		E Telephone number (660) 726-3941	
	Doing business as NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER			
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) 705 N COLLEGE ST		Room/suite	
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code ALBANY, MO 64402		G Gross receipts \$ 17,039,315	
F Name and address of principal officer JON DOOLITTLE 705 N COLLEGE ST ALBANY, MO 64402		H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
I Tax-exempt status ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) () ☐ (Insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527		H(b) Are all subordinates included? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "No," attach a list (see instructions)		
J Website: WWW.NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG		H(c) Group exemption number		
K Form of organization ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other			L Year of formation 1955	M State of legal domicile MO

Part I	Summary
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Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER SERVES AS A COMPASSIONATE, EFFICIENT HEALTH HOME THAT ENCOURAGES WELLNESS, RESTORES HEALTH AND PROMOTES A SUPERIOR QUALITY OF LIFE		
	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	5
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	1
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2014 (Part V, line 2a)	5	205
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	1	
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	84,257	
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	-1,529	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year 69,111	Current Year 73,661
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	16,735,436	16,504,393
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	211,468	87,217
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	497,233	359,869
	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	17,513,248	17,025,140
	Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	15,878
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)		10,311,289	10,414,266
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)		7,824,748	8,529,107
18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		18,151,915	26,155,796
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12		-638,667	-9,130,656
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Beginning of Current Year		End of Year
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	16,690,097	17,078,840
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	2,683,717	12,125,198
	22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	14,006,380	4,953,642

Part II	Signature Block
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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	*****			2016-02-15	
	Signature of officer			Date	
	JON DOOLITTLE REGIONAL PRESIDENT				
	Type or print name and title				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Michael J Engle		Preparer's signature Michael J Engle		Date
	Firm's name ▶ BKD LLP		Firm's EIN ▶		Check ☐ if self-employed PTIN P00482834
	Firm's address ▶ 1201 Walnut Suite 1700 Kansas City, MO 641062246		Phone no (816) 221-6300		

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 or note to any line in this Part III

1

Briefly describe the organization's mission

WITH THE HELP OF TRUSTED, INTEGRATED PARTNERS, NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER SERVES AS A COMPASSIONATE, EFFICIENT HEALTH HOME THAT ENCOURAGES WELLNESS, RESTORES HEALTH AND PROMOTES A SUPERIOR QUALITY OF LIFE

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 \$ 4,846,888 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 3,708,287)

INPATIENT HOSPITAL CARE OUR ACUTE CARE AND SWINGBED PROGRAM SAW A TOTAL OF 2,157 PATIENT DAYS MEDICARE PATIENT DAYS CONSISTED OF 1,834 DAYS OR 85% OF TOTAL DAYS MEDICAID PATIENT DAYS WERE 7% OR 152 PATIENT DAYS

4b

(Code) (Expenses \$ 3,295,309 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 2,521,195)

EMERGENCY SERVICES TOTAL PATIENTS SEEN IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM WERE 2,563 OF THAT AMOUNT 40% OF REVENUE WAS FROM MEDICARE PATIENTS AND 17% WAS FROM MEDICAID PATIENTS

4c

(Code) (Expenses \$ 13,539,872 including grants of \$ 7,212,423) (Revenue \$ 10,359,168)

OUTPATIENT SERVICES THERE WERE 24,105 OUPATIENT VISITS MEDICARE PATIENTS ACCOUNTED FOR 52 44% AND MEDICAID PATIENTS WERE 10 26%

4d

Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e

Total program service expenses ▶

21,682,069

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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	No
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 Yes	
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	No
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 Yes	
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 other assistance to or for any foreign organization? 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 other assistance to or for foreign individuals? 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 Yes	
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 or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government 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 or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22		No
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 25a</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), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) 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	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <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	Yes	
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 or note to any line in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable.	72	
1b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	0	
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	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.	2a	205
b	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).	2b	Yes
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	Yes
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O.	3b	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)?	4a	No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).		
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a	No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b	No
c	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c	
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?	6a	No
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).		
a	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?	7a	Yes
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b	Yes
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c	No
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d	
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e	No
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f	No
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g	
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h	
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8	
9a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a	
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b	
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12.	10a	
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities.	10b	
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders.	11a	
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them).	11b	
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year.	12b	
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.		
a	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.	13a	
b	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.	13b	
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand.	13c	
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.	14b	

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 or note to any line 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	5	
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	1	
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	Yes
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	Yes
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	a The governing body?	8a	Yes
8b	b 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	b 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
	b 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	b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Yes
12c	c 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	a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	15a	Yes
15b	b Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	No
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	b 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	MO
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, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records JON DOOLITTLE 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY, MO 64402 (660) 726-3941	

Part VII

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line 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			

Part VII

(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			

1b	Sub-Total			
c	Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A			
d	Total (add lines 1b and 1c)	2,464,241	2,794,880	420,465

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 12

		Yes	No
3	Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	3	No
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	4	Yes
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>	5	No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
HAVE A NICE DAY ANESTHESIA, BKD LLP,	ANESTHESIA SERVICES	141,795
HEARTLAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER,	ACCOUNTING SERVICES	121,892
WEATHERBY LOCUMS INC,	CLINICAL SERVICES	116,224
DOCS WHO CARE,	ER PHYSICIANS	104,905
	CLINICIANS	249,038

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶5

Part VIII

Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a	Federated campaigns 1a				
	b	Membership dues 1b				
	c	Fundraising events 1c	32,744			
	d	Related organizations 1d				
	e	Government grants (contributions) 1e	39,417			
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above 1f	1,500			
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f	73,661			
Program Service Revenue	2a	NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE				
		Business Code				
		621110	15,332,394	15,332,394		
	b	EHR INCENTIVE PAYMENTS	102,112	102,112		
	c	340(B) PHARMACY INCOME	1,069,887	1,069,887		
	d					
	e					
	f	All other program service revenue				
Other Revenue	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f	16,504,393			
	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	87,217			87,217
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds	0			
	5	Royalties	0			
	6a	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		Gross rents	2,567			
		Less rental expenses				
	b					
	c	Rental income or (loss)	2,567	0		
	d	Net rental income or (loss)	2,567			2,567
	7a	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory				
		Less cost or other basis and sales expenses				
	b					
	c	Gain or (loss)				
	d	Net gain or (loss)	0			
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 32,744 of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18				
		a	8,320			
	b	Less direct expenses b	14,175			
	c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	-5,855			-5,855
	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	CAFETERIA	811000	76,033		76,033
	b	VENDING MACHINE	900099	769		769
	c	MISCELLANEOUS	900099	286,355	84,257	202,098
	d	All other revenue				
	e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d	363,157			
	12	Total revenue. See Instructions	17,025,140	16,504,393	84,257	362,829

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 or note to any line 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 domestic organizations and domestic governments See Part IV, line 21	7,212,423	7,212,423		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals See Part IV, line 22	0			
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,333,972	495,852	838,120	
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			
7	Other salaries and wages	6,797,379	5,913,527	883,852	
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	79,280	62,491	16,789	
9	Other employee benefits	1,649,945	1,168,469	481,476	
10	Payroll taxes	553,690	434,938	118,752	
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management	0			
b	Legal	0			
c	Accounting	167,119		167,119	
d	Lobbying	0			
e	Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17	0			
f	Investment management fees	2,843		2,843	
g	Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	1,893,737	1,037,078	856,659	
12	Advertising and promotion	26,471		26,471	
13	Office expenses	806,051	487,786	318,265	
14	Information technology	217,923	145,230	72,693	
15	Royalties	0			
16	Occupancy	380,459	273,533	106,926	
17	Travel	102,206	75,985	26,221	
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	0			
20	Interest	31,600		31,600	
21	Payments to affiliates	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	909,702	719,418	190,284	
23	Insurance	283,975	224,340	59,635	
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	1,132,790	1,132,790		
b	REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	798,039	561,050	236,989	
c	EDUCATION	23,833	18,231	5,602	
d	MEDICAL SUPPLIES	1,662,893	1,662,893		
e	All other expenses	89,466	56,035	33,431	
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	26,155,796	21,682,069	4,473,727	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)				

Part X

Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

				(A)		(B)
				Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		1,026,436	1	4,873,379
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		21,839	2	0
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		0	3	0
	4	Accounts receivable, net		2,625,375	4	1,875,775
	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		0	7	0
	8	Inventories for sale or use		268,265	8	183,857
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		276,602	9	290,873
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a5,351,619			
	b	Less accumulated depreciation	10b238,355	5,799,063	10c	5,113,264
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		1,840,394	11	4,741,692
	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		4,832,123	15	0
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		16,690,097	16	17,078,840
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		1,451,773	17	1,276,942
	18	Grants payable		0	18	0
	19	Deferred revenue		18,387	19	14,176
	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		1,213,557	23	105,387
	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		0	25	10,728,693
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		2,683,717	26	12,125,198
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		10,021,833	27	4,820,877
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		3,851,782	28	0
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		132,765	29	132,765
	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		14,006,380	33	4,953,642
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		16,690,097	34	17,078,840

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	17,025,140
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	26,155,796
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-9,130,656
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	14,006,380
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	114,909
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	-36,991
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	4,953,642

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line 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		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	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	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?		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		

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Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(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) SERENA NAYLOR DIRECTOR/ CHAIR	1 0 0 0	X		X				0	0	0
(1) JOANN GIBBANY DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(2) KIM FINDLEY DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(3) MARY EWING DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(4) JIM HUMPHREY DIRECTOR/ VICE CHAIR	1 0 0 0	X		X				0	0	0
(5) ROBERT MILLER DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(6) ROBERT SMITH DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(7) MATTHEW PEARL DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(8) DR NASER SOGHRATI ER PHYSICIAN	40 0 0 0	X						277,742	0	13,181
(9) DR ANGELA MARTIN FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	40 0 0 0	X						292,121	0	15,600
(10) CRAIG THOMPSON DIRECTOR	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(11) MICHAEL PULIDO DIRECTOR/CHAIR	1 0 39 0	X		X				0	398,043	87,832
(12) JOHN P WILSON DIRECTOR, SECRETARY/TREASURER	1 0 39 0	X		X				0	615,593	55,886
(13) CURT KRETZINGER DIRECTOR/VICE-CHAIR	1 0 39 0	X		X				0	697,482	78,576
(14) S MARK LANEY MD DIRECTOR	1 0 39 0	X						0	1,083,762	34,032
(15) DONNA WALTER VP OF PATIENT CARE SERVICES	40 0 0 0			X				124,032	0	12,415
(16) JAMES CROUCH VP OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	40 0 0 0			X				122,874	0	12,415
(17) JON DOOLITTLE PRESIDENT AND CEO	40 0 0 0			X				203,174	0	15,600
(18) NATHAN BLACKFORD COO	40 0 0 0			X				155,800	0	15,600
(19) BARB AXON EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	36 0 0 0			X				3,378	0	292
(20) CHRISTINA GILLESPIE VP & CFO	40 0 0 0			X				111,980	0	15,600
(21) JILL CLAIR SECRETARY	40 0 0 0			X				41,491	0	15,600
(22) DR JACKIE MILLER FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	40 0 0 0					X		433,733	0	6,945
(23) DR KATIE DIAS FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	40 0 0 0					X		188,793	0	12,581
(24) DR ARTURO TENORIO FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	40 0 0 0					X		275,706	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors										
(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			
(26) JENNA A GIBSON PHARMACY DIRECTOR	40 0 0 0					X		123,394	0	14,155
(1) STACEY L KARNS PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT	40 0 0 0					X		110,023	0	14,155

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.
▶ Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION INC	Employer identification number 44-0580870
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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 33 1/3% 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 33 1/3% 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 in lines 11a through 11d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e, 11f, and 11g
- a

☐

Type I. A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
- b

☐

Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
- c

☐

Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
- d

☐

Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
- e

☐

Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization
- f

Enter the number of supported organizations _____
- g

Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

(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 listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
Total						

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) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(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) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(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 VI)						
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 section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						▶

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage			
14 Public support percentage for 2014 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14		
15 Public support percentage for 2013 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15		
16a 33 1/3% support test—2014. 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—2013. 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—2014. 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 VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization			▶
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2013. 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 VI 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) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(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) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(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 VI.)						
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 section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
15 Public support percentage for 2014 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	
16 Public support percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage		
17 Investment income percentage for 2014 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	
18 Investment income percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2014. 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—2013. 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 Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 11 of Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.	1	
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).	2	
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.	3a	
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.	3b	
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.	3c	
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes" and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.	4a	
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.	4b	
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.	4c	
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action, and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).	5a	
b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?	5b	
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?	5c	
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (a) its supported organizations, (b) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (c) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .	6	
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in IRC 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35-percent controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).	7	
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part II of Schedule L (Form 990).	8	
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .	9a	
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9(a)) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .	9b	
c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9(a)) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .	9c	
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of IRC 4943 because of IRC 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer b below.	10a	
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings).	10b	
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a	
b A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b	
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c	

Part IV

Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised or controlled the supporting organization.		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (1) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (2) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (3) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
3 By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions)			
a ☐ The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b ☐ The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
c ☐ The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).			
2 <u>Activities Test</u> Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
b Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
3 <u>Parent of Supported Organizations</u> Answer (a) and (b) below.			
a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI.	3a		
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

Part V – Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 ☐ Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov 20, 1970 **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year)	1	
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI) _____		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by .035	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7	☐ Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions)		

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI) See instructions	
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI) See instructions	
9 Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6	
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2014	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2014
1 Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2014 (reasonable cause required--see instructions)			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014			
a From 2009.			
b From 2010.			
c From 2011.			
d From 2012.			
e From 2013.			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2009 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f			
4 Distributions for 2014 from Section D, line 7 \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
c Remainder Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2014, if any Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2014 Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions)			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2015. Add lines 3j and 4c			
8 Breakdown of line 7			
a From 2010.			
b From 2011.			
c From 2012.			
d From 2013.			
e From 2014.			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Return Reference

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.**

▶ **Information about Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at**

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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) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

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

Name of the organization NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION INC	Employer identification number 44-0580870
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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		
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														
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 separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2011	(b) 2012	(c) 2013	(d) 2014	(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	
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		No	
e	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		No	
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?	Yes		11,818
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?		No	
h	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?		No	
i	Other activities?		No	
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i.			11,818
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

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, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE C, PART II-B, LINE 1F	A PORTION OF DUES PAID TO THE MHA AND AHA ARE USED FOR LOBBYING

Part IV

Return Reference

Explanation

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990,
Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

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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 value of contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate value of 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) Revenue 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

Revenue 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

b

☐ Scholarly research

c

☐ Preservation for future generations

d

☐ Loan or exchange programs

e

☐ Other
- 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
- | | |
|----|--------|
| | Amount |
| 1c | |
| 1d | |
| 1e | |
| 1f | |

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance
- 2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?

☐ 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	132,765	132,765	132,765	132,765	132,765
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	24,556	56,276	42,003	6,077	36,702
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	24,556	56,276	42,003	6,077	36,702
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	132,765	132,765	132,765	132,765	132,765

- 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 100 000 %
- 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)

No

(ii) related organizations

3a(ii)

No
- b

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

3b
- 4

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

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. 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				
b Buildings		0	0	0
c Leasehold improvements		3,734,203	6,891	3,727,312
d Equipment		1,413,511	138,483	1,275,028
e Other		110,924	0	110,924
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				5,113,264

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	15,963,293
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	114,909
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	14,175
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	129,084
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	15,834,209
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	1,190,931
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	1,190,931
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	17,025,140

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	17,816,743
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	14,175
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	14,175
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	17,802,568
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	8,353,228
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	8,353,228
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	26,155,796

Part XIII Supplemental Information

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.

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART V, LINE 4	THE ENDOWMENT IS USED FOR ANY AND ALL HOSPITAL EXPENSES OF ANY NATURE
UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS DISCLOSURE	MANAGEMENT HAS EVALUATED THEIR INCOME TAX POSITIONS UNDER THE GUIDANCE INCLUDED IN ASC 740. BASED ON THEIR REVIEW, MANAGEMENT HAS NOT IDENTIFIED ANY MATERIAL UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS TO BE RECORDED OR DISCLOSED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINES 2D & 4B	LINE 2D SPECIAL EVENT EXPENSES \$ 14,175 LINE 4B UBI GROSS RECEIPTS \$ 21,150 NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTION 36,991 BAD DEBT EXPENSE 1,132,790 ----- \$ 1,190,931
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B	LINE 2D SPECIAL EVENT EXPENSES \$ 14,175 LINE 4B BAD DEBT EXPENSE \$ 1,132,790 UBI GROSS RECEIPTS 21,150 GRANTS TO NWMC FOUNDATION 7,199,288 ----- TOTAL 8,353,228

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SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information Regarding
Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Employer identification number

44-0580870

Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- 1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.
- a☐ Mail solicitations

e☐ Solicitation of non-government grants

b☐ Internet and email solicitations

f☐ Solicitation of government grants

c☐ Phone solicitations

g☐ Special fundraising events

d☐ In-person solicitations

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

☐ Yes☐ No

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total ▶						

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		<u>GOLF TOURNAMENT</u> (event type)	 (event type)	<u>0</u> (total number)	(add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	41,064		41,064
	2	Less Contributions . . .	32,744		32,744
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	8,320		8,320
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes	575		575
	5	Noncash prizes . . .	560		560
	6	Rent/facility costs . . .	1,840		1,840
	7	Food and beverages .	1,843		1,843
	8	Entertainment	1,000		1,000
	9	Other direct expenses .	8,357		8,357
	10	Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶			
	11	Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶			
					(14,175)
					-5,855

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Revenue		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
	1 Gross revenue				
Direct Expenses	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Non-cash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	☐ Yes _____ % ☐ No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				
	8 Net gaming income summary Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) ▶				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities _____

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain _____

11

Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?

☐ Yes ☐ No

12

Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?

☐ Yes ☐ No

13

Indicate the percentage of gaming activities conducted in

a	The organization's facility	13a	%
b	An outside facility	13b	%

14

Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records

Name

Address

15a

Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?

☐ Yes ☐ No

b

If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party

\$ and the \$

c

If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party

Name

Address

16

Gaming manager information

Name

Gaming manager compensation

Description of services provided

☐ Director/officer

☐ Employee

☐ Independent contractor

17

Mandatory distributions

a

Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?

☐ Yes ☐ No

b

Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year

\$

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference	Explanation
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Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

SCHEDULE H
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Hospitals

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 20.
► Attach to Form 990.
► Information about Schedule H (Form 990) and its instructions is at *www.irs.gov/form990*.

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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 _____ 125 %	3a	Yes	
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 _____ %	3b	Yes	
c	If the organization used factors other than FPG in determining eligibility, describe in Part VI the criteria used 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			
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	Yes	
	Complete the following table using the worksheets provided in the Schedule H instructions Do not submit these worksheets with the Schedule H			

7

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)			339,396		339,396	1 360 %
b Medicaid (from Worksheet 3, column a)			3,032,973	1,878,024	1,154,949	4 620 %
c Costs of other means-tested government programs (from Worksheet 3, column b)						
d Total Financial Assistance and Means-Tested Government Programs			3,372,369	1,878,024	1,494,345	5 980 %
Other Benefits						
e Community health improvement services and community benefit operations (from Worksheet 4)			9,163	3,050	6,113	0 020 %
f Health professions education (from Worksheet 5)						
g Subsidized health services (from Worksheet 6)						
h Research (from Worksheet 7)						
i Cash and in-kind contributions for community benefit (from Worksheet 8)						
j Total Other Benefits			9,163	3,050	6,113	0 020 %
k Total . Add lines 7d and 7j			3,381,532	1,881,074	1,500,458	6 000 %

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						
2Economic development						
3Community support						
4Environmental improvements						
5Leadership development and training for community members						
6Coalition building						
7Community health improvement advocacy						
8Workforce development						
9Other						
10Total						

Part IIIBad Debt, Medicare, & Collection Practices

Section A. Bad Debt Expense

1Did the organization report bad debt expense in accordance with Healthcare Financial Management Association Statement No. 15?

1

No

2Enter the amount of the organization's bad debt expense. Explain in Part VI the methodology used by the organization to estimate this amount.

2

1,132,790

3Enter 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

453,116

4Provide 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

5Enter total revenue received from Medicare (including DSH and IME).

5

8,600,529

6Enter Medicare allowable costs of care relating to payments on line 5.

6

9,189,680

7Subtract line 6 from line 5. This is the surplus (or shortfall).

7

-589,151

8Describe 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

9aDid the organization have a written debt collection policy during the tax year?

9a

Yes

bIf "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 %
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				

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, primary website address, and state license number (and if a group return, the name and EIN of the subordinate hospital organization that operates the hospital facility)

		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
	See Additional Data Table										

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)

NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER

Name of hospital facility or letter of facility reporting group

Line number of hospital facility, or line numbers of hospital facilities in a facility reporting group (from Part V, Section A):

1

	Yes	No
Community Health Needs Assessment		
1 Was the hospital facility first licensed, registered, or similarly recognized by a State as a hospital facility in the current tax year or the immediately preceding tax year?	1	No
2 Was the hospital facility acquired or placed into service as a tax-exempt hospital in the current tax year or the immediately preceding tax year? If "Yes," provide details of the acquisition in Section C	2	Yes
3 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 12 If "Yes," indicate what the CHNA report describes (check all that apply)	3	Yes
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 significant 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 Section C)		
4 Indicate the tax year the hospital facility last conducted a CHNA 20 13		
5 In conducting its most recent CHNA, did the hospital facility take into account input from persons who represent the broad interests of the community served by the hospital facility, including those with special knowledge of or expertise in public health? If "Yes," describe in Section C how the hospital facility took into account input from persons who represent the community, and identify the persons the hospital facility consulted	5	Yes
6a Was the hospital facility's CHNA conducted with one or more other hospital facilities? If "Yes," list the other hospital facilities in Section C	6a	No
b Was the hospital facility's CHNA conducted with one or more organizations other than hospital facilities? If "Yes," list the other organizations in Section C	6b	No
7 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)	7	Yes
a ☒ Hospital facility's website (list url) HTTP //NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG/FILES/		
b ☐ Other website (list url)		
c ☒ Made a paper copy available for public inspection without charge at the hospital facility		
d ☐ Other (describe in Section C)		
8 Did the hospital facility adopt an implementation strategy to meet the significant community health needs identified through its most recently conducted CHNA? If "No," skip to line 11	8	Yes
9 Indicate the tax year the hospital facility last adopted an implementation strategy 20 13		
10 Is the hospital facility's most recently adopted implementation strategy posted on a website?	10	Yes
a If "Yes" (list url) HTTP //NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG/FILES/5813/		
b If "No," is the hospital facility's most recently adopted implementation strategy attached to this return?	10b	No
11 Describe in Section C how the hospital facility is addressing the significant needs identified in its most recently conducted CHNA and any such needs that are not being addressed together with the reasons why such needs are not being addressed		
12a 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)?	12a	No
b If "Yes" to line 12a, did the organization file Form 4720 to report the section 4959 excise tax?	12b	
c If "Yes" to line 12b, what is the total amount of section 4959 excise tax the organization reported on Form 4720 for all of its hospital facilities? \$		

Part V

Facility Information (continued)

Name of hospital facility or letter of facility reporting group

NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER

		Yes	No
Financial Assistance Policy (FAP)			
13 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 included free or discounted care? If "Yes," indicate the eligibility criteria explained in the FAP	13	Yes	
a ☒ Federal poverty guidelines (FPG), with FPG family income limit for eligibility for free care of <u>125</u> % and FPG family income limit for eligibility for discounted care of <u>200</u> %			
b ☐ Income level other than FPG (describe in Section C)			
c ☒ Asset level			
d ☐ Medical indigency			
e ☐ Insurance status			
f ☐ Underinsurance discount			
g ☐ Residency			
h ☐ Other (describe in Section C)			
14 Explained the basis for calculating amounts charged to patients?	14	Yes	
15 Explained the method for applying for financial assistance?	15	Yes	
If "Yes," indicate how the hospital facility's FAP or FAP application form (including accompanying instructions) explained the method for applying for financial assistance (check all that apply)			
a ☒ Described the information the hospital facility may require an individual to provide as part of his or her application			
b ☐ Described the supporting documentation the hospital facility may require an individual to submit as part of his or her application			
c ☐ Provided the contact information of hospital facility staff who can provide an individual with information about the FAP and FAP application process			
d ☐ Provided the contact information of nonprofit organizations or government agencies that may be sources of assistance with FAP applications			
e ☐ Other (describe in Section C)			
16 Included measures to publicize the policy within the community served by the hospital facility?	16	Yes	
If "Yes," indicate how the hospital facility publicized the policy (check all that apply)			
a ☒ The FAP was widely available on a website (list url) <u>WWW.NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG</u>			
b ☒ The FAP application form was widely available on a website (list url) <u>WWW.NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG</u>			
c ☒ A plain language summary of the FAP was widely available on a website (list url) <u>WWW.NORTHWESTMEDICALCENTER.ORG</u>			
d ☒ The FAP was available upon request and without charge (in public locations in the hospital facility and by mail)			
e ☒ The FAP application form was available upon request and without charge (in public locations in the hospital facility and by mail)			
f ☒ A plain language summary of the FAP was available upon request and without charge (in public locations in the hospital facility and by mail)			
g ☒ Notice of availability of the FAP was conspicuously displayed throughout the hospital facility			
h ☒ Notified members of the community who are most likely to require financial assistance about availability of the FAP			
i ☐ Other (describe in Section C)			
Billing and Collections			
17 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 all of the actions the hospital facility or other authorized party may take upon non-payment?	17	Yes	
18 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 individual's eligibility under the facility's FAP			
a ☐ Reporting to credit agency(ies)			
b ☐ Selling an individual's debt to another party			
c ☐ Actions that require a legal or judicial process			
d ☐ Other similar actions (describe in Section C)			
e ☒ None of these actions or other similar actions were permitted			

Part V

Facility Information (continued)

NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER

Name of hospital facility or letter of facility reporting group

		Yes	No
19 Did the hospital facility or other authorized third party perform any of the following actions during the tax year before making reasonable efforts to determine the individual's eligibility under the facility's FAP? If "Yes," check all actions in which the hospital facility or a third party engaged	19		No
a ☐ Reporting to credit agency(ies)			
b ☐ Selling an individual's debt to another party			
c ☐ Actions that require a legal or judicial process			
d ☐ Other similar actions (describe in Section C)			
20 Indicate which efforts the hospital facility or other authorized party made before initiating any of the actions listed (whether or not checked) in line 18 (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 individuals regarding the individuals' bills			
d ☒ Documented its determination of whether individuals were eligible for financial assistance under the hospital facility's financial assistance policy			
e ☐ Other (describe in Section C)			
f ☐ None of these efforts were made			
Policy Relating to Emergency Medical Care			
21 Did the hospital facility have in place during the tax year a written policy relating to emergency medical care that required 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	21	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 Section C)			
d ☐ Other (describe in Section C)			
Charges to Individuals Eligible for Assistance Under the FAP (FAP-Eligible Individuals)			
22 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 Section C)			
23 During the tax year, did the hospital facility charge any FAP-eligible individual 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 Section C	23		No
24 During the tax year, did the hospital facility charge any FAP-eligible individual an amount equal to the gross charge for any service provided to that individual? If "Yes," explain in Section C	24		No

Part V **Facility Information** *(continued)*

Section C. Supplemental Information for Part V, Section B. Provide descriptions required for Part V, Section B, lines 2, 3j, 5, 6a, 6b, 7d, 11, 13b, 13h, 15e, 16i, 18d, 19d, 20e, 21c, 21d, 22d, 23, and 24. If applicable, provide separate descriptions for each hospital facility in a facility reporting group, designated by facility reporting group letter and hospital facility line number from Part V, Section A ("A, 1," "A, 4," "B, 2," "B, 3," etc.) and name of hospital facility.

Form and Line Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part V

Facility Information *(continued)*

Section D. 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? 6

Name and address	Type of Facility (describe)
1 NMC CLINIC EAST 1607 EAST HWY 136 ALBANY, MO 64402	PHYSICIAN CLINIC
2 NMC CLINIC WEST 402 EAST HWY 136 ALBANY, MO 64402	PHYSICIAN CLINIC
3 NMC HOME HEALTH AGENCY 1607 EAST HWY 136 ALBANY, MO 64402	HOME HEALTH AGENCY
4 NMC GRANT CITY CLINIC 16 WEST 4TH STREET GRANT CITY, MO 64456	PHYSICIAN CLINIC
5 STANBERRY RURAL HEALTH CLINIC 202 EAST MAIN STREET STANBERRY, MO 64489	RURAL HEALTH CLINIC
6 NMC NEW HAMPTON CLINIC 304 LINCOLN WAY NEW HAMPTON, MO 64471	PHYSICIAN CLINIC
7	
8	
9	
10	

Part VI

Supplemental Information

Provide the following information

- 1

Required descriptions. Provide the descriptions required for Part I, lines 3c, 6a, and 7, Part II and Part III, lines 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9b
- 2

Needs assessment. Describe how the organization assesses the health care needs of the communities it serves, in addition to any CHNAs 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

990 Schedule H, Supplemental Information

Form and Line Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE H, PART I, LINE 7, COLUMN F	THE AMOUNT OF BAD DEBT EXPENSE REMOVED FROM TOTAL EXPENSES FOR CALCULATING THE NET COMMUNITY BENEFIT EXPENSE PERCENTAGE WAS \$1,132,790
SCHEDULE H, PART I, LINE 7	THE COSTING METHODOLOGY USED TO CALCULATE THE AMOUNTS CONTAINED IN THE TABLE OF PART I, LINE 7, OF SCHEDULE H, IS A COST TO CHARGE RATIO
SCHEDULE H, PART II	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER PROVIDED STAFF TO HELP WITH RENOVATION AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT FOR THE SENIOR CENTER NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER CONDUCTED A WOMEN'S HEALTH EXPO TO PROMOTE AWARENESS, PREVENTION AND IMPROVED WELLNESS FOR THE WOMEN IN ITS COVERED AREA CERTAIN HEALTH SCREENINGS WERE PROVIDED AS PART OF EXPO OF THE COMMUNITY AROUND US WE PROVIDE FREE DENTAL CARE TO CHILDREN WHO CANNOT AFFORD DENTAL CARE ON THEIR OWN WE HAVE ANNUAL HEALTH FAIRS AND SPORTS PHYSICALS AT ALL OUR AREA CLINICS WE HAVE ALWAYS SUPPORTED LOCAL BUSINESSES AND SCHOOLS AS WELL AS ASSOCIATIONS
SCHEDULE H, PART III, SECTION A, LINE 2	IN EVALUATING THE COLLECTIBILITY OF ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE, THE MEDICAL CENTER ANALYZES ITS PAST HISTORY AND IDENTIFIES TRENDS FOR EACH OF ITS MAJOR PAYER SOURCES OF REVENUE TO ESTIMATE THE APPROPRIATE ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS AND PROVISION FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCOUNTS
SCHEDULE H, PART III, SECTION A, LINE 3	APPROXIMATELY 40% OF ALL BAD DEBT WOULD QUALIFY FOR ASSISTANCE UNDER THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY
SCHEDULE H, PART III, SECTION A, LINE 4	SEE PAGE 7-8 OF THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SCHEDULE H, PART III, SECTION B, LINE 8	THE MEDICARE ALLOWABLE FAILS TO COVER COST NON-PAYMENT BY MEDICARE RECIPIENTS FOR THEIR DEDUCTIBLE AND COINSURANCE AMOUNTS INCREASES FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND BAD DEBT THESE SHORT FALLS DECREASE THE ORGANIZATION'S POOL OF ASSETS AND IT'S ABILITY TO SUCCESSFULLY ATTRACT HIGHLY-TRAINED STAFF AND INVEST IN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY IF SERVICES ARE TO BE MAINTAINED, THEN THE COSTS WILL HAVE TO BE COVERED BY THOSE WHO PAY THE BURDEN FALLS ON THE COMMUNITY
SCHEDULE H, PART III, SECTION C, LINE 9B	WE SEND EVERY PATIENT 3 STATEMENTS ALL WITH THE MESSAGE OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IF NO PAYMENTS ARE RECEIVED, WE SEND A LETTER TO THE PATIENT OFFERING ASSISTANCE AND INFORMING THE PATIENT TO CALL FOR A PAYMENT PLAN OR ASSISTANCE
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 2	WE DO OUR NEEDS ASSESSMENT THROUGH OUR BALANCED SCORECARD COMMITTEE WE LOOK AT WHO WE SERVE AND WHAT WE NEED TO DO DIFFERENTLY TO MAKE SURE WE ARE MEETING THE NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 3	OUR SOCIAL WORKER/PATIENT ADVOCATE VISITS WITH PATIENTS TO DISCUSS WITH THEM ALL OF THEIR OPTIONS AND HELPS TO FILL OUT PAPERWORK AND FILE IT WITH THE APPROPRIATE AGENCY, IF NECESSARY WE HAVE A DESIGNATED PERSON IN PATIENT FINANCIAL SERVICES TO HELP SET UP PAYMENTS, PROVIDE CHARITY CARE PACKETS, FOLLOW UP ON MISSING OR INCOMPLETE FORMS AND ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO OUR CHARITY CARE POLICY
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 4	WE SERVE A THREE COUNTY (GENTRY, WORTH, HARRISON) RURAL AREA THAT HAS A POPULATION OF 18,093 PEOPLE HARRISON COUNTY DOES HAVE ITS OWN RURAL HOSPITAL SO WE DO NOT TARGET THAT COUNTY THE MEDIAN INCOME LEVEL FOR THESE COUNTIES IS \$28,700 WHICH IS \$13,280 LESS THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 5	WE HAVE A 5 PERSON BOARD OF DIRECTORS EVERY DECISION WE MAKE IS BASED ON HOW IT EFFECTS THE COMMUNITY WE GIVE DONATIONS AND CHARITY CARE TO AID IN LOCAL NEEDS BECAUSE WE ARE A SMALL RURAL HOSPITAL AND ARE ONE OF THE LARGEST EMPLOYERS IN THE AREA, EVERYTHING WE DO EFFECTS THE COMMUNITY AROUND US WE HAVE ANNUAL HEALTH FAIRS, FLU CLINICS AND SPORT PHYSICALS AT ALL OUR AREA CLINICS WE ALSO HAVE A LONG HISTORY OF SUPPORTING LOCAL BUSINESSES AND SCHOOLS AS WELL AS ASSOCIATIONS
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 6	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER SHALL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE HIGH QUALITY, ACCESSIBLE HEALTH CARE TO PATIENTS IN ITS COVERAGE AREA WITH THE ADDITIONAL RESOURCES AND EFFICIENCIES IT WILL NOW HAVE AS AN AFFILIATE OF HEARTLAND HEALTH HEARTLAND BRINGS AFFILIATION WITH THE MAYO CLINIC NETWORK, A STRONG SPECIALTY PHYSICIAN COMMUNITY AND OTHER RESOURCES TO NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER
SCHEDULE H, PART VI, LINE 7	MO

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Form 990 Part V Section C Supplemental Information for Part V, Section B.

Section C. Supplemental Information for Part V, Section B. Provide descriptions required for Part V, Section B, lines 1j, 3, 4, 5d, 6i, 7, 10, 11, 12i, 14g, 16e, 17e, 18e, 19c, 19d, 20d, 21, and 22. If applicable, provide separate descriptions for each facility in a facility reporting group, designated by "Facility A," "Facility B," etc.

Form and Line Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE H, PART V, SECTION B, LINE 2	
SCHEDULE H, PART V, SECTION B, LINE 5	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ESTABLISHED AN INTERNAL COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT TEAM AND AN EXTERNAL PARTNER COMMITTEE THE EXTERNAL PARTNERS GROUP WAS COMPRISED OF AREA AGENCY REPRESENTATIVES, INVOLVED COMMUNITY MEMBERS, AND ADDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIALS WE UTILIZED RESOURCES AND AREA PARTNERSHIPS TO DEFINE WHAT THE PROCESSES WERE AND DETERMINE THE NECESSARY REQUIREMENTS NMC ALSO PARTNERED WITH AREA HOSPITALS ST FRANCIS (SSM HEALTH CARE PROVIDER) AND HEARTLAND HEALTH TO UTILIZE THEIR RESOURCES INCLUDING SPEAKER AND TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES WE THEN RELAYED ALL LEARNED INFORMATION AND SUGGESTIONS TO NMC STAFF, TEAM MEMBERS, AND ASSESSMENT GROUPS NMC DEVELOPED A PRIMARY DATA ASSESSMENT THAT INCLUDES A COMPREHENSIVE SURVEY AND FOCUS GROUP INPUT THE SURVEY CONTENT WAS DIVIDED INTO SECTIONS RELATED TO INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY, AND COMMUNITY NEEDS EACH SECTION ADDRESSED A SERIES OF FACTORS INCLUDING HEALTH BEHAVIORS, CLINICAL CARE, SOCIAL/ECONOMIC FACTORS, AND PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT THE SURVEY WAS RANDOMLY DISTRIBUTED TO 1,000 RESIDENCES IN NMC'S SERVICE AREA (LOCAL COMPANY, THE PRINTERY DISTRIBUTED THE SURVEYS VIA MAIL) 226 COMPLETED SURVEYS WERE RETURNED AND ANALYZED, ALONG WITH THE COMPILED SECONDARY DATA NMC'S FOCUS GROUP MET TO DISCUSS HEALTH RELATED ISSUES THEY FELT IMPACTED THE AREA MOST REPRESENTATIVES FROM AREA GROUP HOMES, SCHOOL DISTRICTS, HEALTH DEPARTMENT, JOHNSON CONTROLS (A TOP EMPLOYER IN REGION) , AND AREA CITIZENS FORMED THE FOCUS GROUP NMC WAS ABLE TO REACH A BROAD DEMOGRAPHIC TO SOLICIT INPUT FOR THE CHNA THE SURVEY RESPONSE AND FOCUS GROUPS WERE WELL REPRESENTED ONE AREA THAT WAS DIFFICULT TO REACH/DISCERN INFORMATION FROM WAS THE LOCAL AMISH COMMUNITIES WHILE WE WERE ABLE TO DELIVER SURVEY'S TO THE ADDRESSES, IT IS UNCERTAIN IF THEY ADEQUATELY COMPREHENDED THE SURVEY IN ITS ENTIRETY AND RESPONDED APPROPRIATELY
SCHEDULE H, PART V, SECTION B, LINE 11	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER HAS BEEN HOSTING A WOMEN'S HEALTH EXPO AS WELL AS FOCUSING ON THE IMPORTANCE OF PREVENTATIVE CARE IN OUR MARKETING AND ALSO LOCATIONS WE HAVE SPONSORED SEVERAL FUN RUNS/RACES AND ARE CURRENTY HOSTING MUFFINS AND MEDICINE WHICH ARE INFORMATIONAL SESSIONS FOR THE COMMUNITY WITH TOPICS ON VARIOUS WELLNESS AND HEALTHY LIFE CHOICES

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.
▶ Information about Schedule I (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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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 Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. 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 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) NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION INC 705 NORTH COLLEGE ST ALBANY, MO 64402	47-3694893	PENDING	7,199,288				OPERATIONS

2

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

1

3

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

0

Part III

Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. 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

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2	ALL GRANTS WERE MADE AS PART OF THE AFFILIATION AGREEMENT WITH HEARTLAND HEALTH AS PART OF THE AGREEMENT THE NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION WAS CREATED AND WAS TO BE TRANSFERRED CERTAIN ASSETS OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC
SCHEDULE I, PART II, LINE 1	THE NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION FORM 1023 APPLICATION FOR RECOGNITION OR EXEMPTION IS IN PROCESS WITH THE EXPECTATION OF RECEIVING 501(C)(3) STATUS

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, line 23.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

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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	1b	
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	
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?	4a	No
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	Yes
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), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations 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	7	No
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 in column(B) 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

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

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE J, PART I, LINE 4B	VESTED ACCRUED ----- MICHAEL PULIDO \$ 15,252 \$ 53,739 JOHN P WILSON \$ 62,660 \$ 45,486 CURT KRETZINGER \$ 101,255 \$ 60,249 THOSE LISTED ABOVE HAVE SIGNED SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE RETIREMENT PLANS WHICH RECOGNIZE THE VALUE OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE MUTUAL BENEFIT OF CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT FOR AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME BY ESTABLISHING A 457F PLAN THE PLAN IS FUNDED YEARLY AS THE RESULT OF A CALCULATION DESCRIBED IN THE AGREEMENT WHICH WILL REWARD THE INDIVIDUALS WITH 100% VESTING AT NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE OR UPON DEATH OR UPON SEPARATION FROM SERVICE DUE TO DISABILITY OR UPON INVOLUNTARY SEPARATION FROM SERVICE WITHOUT CAUSE, WITH LUMP SUM PAYMENT WITHIN 90 DAYS OF EACH SITUATION TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION A NON-COMPETE COVENANT SEPARATION WITH CAUSE MAKES SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE RETIREMENT AGREEMENTS NULL AND VOID

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

(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 in column (B) reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
DR NASER SOGHRATI, ER PHYSICIAN	(i)	257,188	0	20,554	0	13,181	290,923	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DR ANGELA MARTIN, FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	(i)	256,565	0	35,556	0	15,600	307,721	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JON DOOLITTLE, PRESIDENT AND CEO	(i)	150,690	37,500	14,984	0	15,600	218,774	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NATHAN BLACKFORD, COO	(i)	121,923	20,000	13,877	0	15,600	171,400	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DR JACKIE MILLER, FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	(i)	395,145	0	38,588	0	6,945	440,678	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DR KATIE DIAS, FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	(i)	145,312	0	43,481	0	12,581	201,374	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DR ARTURO TENORIO, FAMILY PRACTICE PHYSICIAN	(i)	259,668	0	16,038	0	0	275,706	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MICHAEL PULIDO, DIRECTOR/CHAIR	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	309,778	58,800	29,465	64,531	23,301	485,875	0
JOHN P WILSON, DIRECTOR, SECRETARY/TREASURER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	448,500	82,797	84,296	55,886	0	671,479	0
CURT KRETZINGER, DIRECTOR/VICE-CHAIR	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	478,592	94,710	124,180	70,649	7,927	776,058	0
S MARK LANEY MD, DIRECTOR	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	762,051	316,825	4,886	10,400	23,632	1,117,794	0

SCHEDULE N
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Liquidation, Termination, Dissolution, or Significant Disposition of Assets

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 31 or 32; or Form 990-EZ, line 36.

▶ Attach certified copies of any articles of dissolution, resolutions, or plans.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule N (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Liquidation, Termination, or Dissolution. Complete this part if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 31, or Form 990-EZ, line 36. Part I can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a)Description of asset(s) distributed or transaction expenses paid	(b)Date of distribution	(c)Fair market value of asset(s) distributed or amount of transaction expenses	(d)Method of determining FMV for asset(s) distributed or transaction expenses	(e)EIN of recipient	(f)Name and address of recipient	(g)IRC section of recipient(s) (if tax-exempt) or type of entity
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	Yes	No
2 Did or will any officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization		
a Become a director or trustee of a successor or transferee organization?	2a	
b Become an employee of, or independent contractor for, a successor or transferee organization?	2b	
c Become a direct or indirect owner of a successor or transferee organization?	2c	
d Receive, or become entitled to, compensation or other similar payments as a result of the organization's liquidation, termination, or dissolution?	2d	
e If the organization answered "Yes" to any of the questions on lines 2a through 2d, provide the name of the person involved and explain in Part III		

Part I Liquidation, Termination, or Dissolution (continued)

Note. If the organization distributed all of its assets during the tax year, then Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 16 (Total assets), and line 26 (Total liabilities), should equal -0-

3

Did the organization distribute its assets in accordance with its governing instrument(s)? If "No," describe in Part III

3

Yes

No

4a

Is the organization required to notify the attorney general or other appropriate state official of its intent to dissolve, liquidate, or terminate?

4a

Yes

No

b

If "Yes," did the organization provide such notice?

4b

Yes

No

5

Did the organization discharge or pay all of its liabilities in accordance with state laws?

5

Yes

No

6a

Did the organization have any tax-exempt bonds outstanding during the year?

6a

Yes

No

b

If "Yes" to line 6a, did the organization discharge or defease all of its tax-exempt bond liabilities during the tax year in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code and state laws?

6b

Yes

No

c

If "Yes" to line 6b, describe in Part III how the organization defeased or otherwise settled these liabilities. If "No" to line 6b, explain in Part III.

Part II Sale, Exchange, Disposition, or Other Transfer of More Than 25% of the Organization's Assets. Complete this part if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 32, or Form 990-EZ, line 36. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Description of asset(s) distributed or transaction expenses paid	(b) Date of distribution	(c) Fair market value of asset(s) distributed or amount of transaction expenses	(d) Method of determining FMV for asset(s) distributed or transaction expenses	(e) EIN of recipient	(f) Name and address of recipient	(g) IRC section of recipient(s) (if tax-exempt) or type of entity
	See Additional Data Table						

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Did or will any officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization

Yes

No

a

Become a director or trustee of a successor or transferee organization?

2a

Yes

No

b

Become an employee of, or independent contractor for, a successor or transferee organization?

2b

Yes

No

c

Become a direct or indirect owner of a successor or transferee organization?

2c

Yes

No

d

Receive, or become entitled to, compensation or other similar payments as a result of the organization's significant disposition of assets?

2d

Yes

No

e

If the organization answered "Yes" to any of the questions on lines 2a through 2d, provide the name of the person involved and explain in Part III

Part III **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required by Part I, lines 2e and 6c, and Part II, line 2e. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE N, PART II, LINE 2A	SERENA NAYLOR, JOANN GIBBANY, KIM FINDLEY, MARY EWING, JIM HUMPHREY, ROBERT MILLER, ROBERT SMITH, MATTHEW PEARL, DR NASER SOGHRATI, DR ANGELA MARTIN, AND CRAIG THOMPSON BECAME DIRECTORS OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION, INC
SCHEDULE N, PART II, LINE 2B	JON D DOOLITTLE WAS PRESIDENT OF THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW REGIONAL PRESIDENT OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC NATE BLACKFORD WAS FIRST VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER OF THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW A PROCESS LEADER REGIONAL OPERATIONS FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC DONNA WALTER WAS A VICE PRESIDENT FOR THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW A TEAM LEADER QUALITY FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC JIM CROUCH WAS A VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER FOR THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW A TEAM LEADER OF REGIONAL TECHNICAL SERVICES FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC CHRISTINA GILLESPIE WAS VICE PRESIDENT, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND TREASURER FOR THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND BECAME REGIONAL CFO/TEAM LEADER FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC MIRANDA FLOYD WAS CHIEF NURSING OFFICER FOR THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW A TEAM LEADER NURSING SERVICES FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC JILL CLAIR WAS SECRETARY FOR THE FORMER ORGANIZATION AND IS NOW ASSISTANT TO REGIONAL PRESIDENT FOR NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION, INC

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 44-0580870
Name: NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION INC

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	HOSPITAL & CLINIC BUILDINGS/IMPROVEMENTS	12-29-2014	3,503,430	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	HOSPITAL & CLINIC LAND	12-29-2014	41,867	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	FIXED EQUIPMENT	12-29-2014	173,936	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	INVESTMENTS	12-29-2014	4,671,340	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	CASH	12-29-2014	1,706,685	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (NET)	12-29-2014	1,720,803	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	PREPAID EXPENSES	12-29-2014	146,869	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & OTHER LIAB	12-29-2014	-1,126,211	BOOK VALUE	47-3694893	NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION 705 N COLLEGE ALBANY,MO 64402	1023 IN-PROGRESS
	INVENTORY	12-29-2014	264,356	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)
	PREPAID INSURANCE	12-29-2014	181,573	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)

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	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	12-29-2014	60,827	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)
	EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE	12-29-2014	1,413,511	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)
	CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATIONS	12-29-2014	-117,505	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)
	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	12-29-2014	107,951	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)
	CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS	12-29-2014	75,279	BOOK VALUE	43-1283316	HEARTLAND HEALTH 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH,MO 64506	501 (C) (3)

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990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2	S MARK LANEY, MD, MICHAEL PULIDO, JOHN P WILSON, CURT KRETZINGER HAVE A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 4	ON DECEMBER 29, 2014 THE MEDICAL CENTER ENTERED INTO AN AFFILIATION AGREEMENT WITH HEARTLAND HEALTH AS A RESULT OF THE THIS AGREEMENT THE BY-LAWS WERE AMENDED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION MAKING HEARTLAND HEALTH THE SOLE MEMBER IN ADDITION, TO THE CHANGE IN MEMBERSHIP THE NUMBER AND COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WAS CHANGED TO BE ELECTED BY HEARTLAND HEALTH AND INCLUDE ONE PERSON FROM THE RETIRING BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6	HEARTLAND HEALTH, A MISSOURI NONPROFIT CORPORATION, IS THE SOLE MEMBER OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A	HEARTLAND HELATH BEING THE SOLE MEMBER OF NORTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER ASSOCIATION HAS THE RIGHT TO ELECT ALL THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B	THE SOLE MEMBER (HEARTLAND HEALTH) SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING POWERS OVERALL STRATEGIC DIRECTION, NUMBER AND ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS, APPOINTMENT OF AUDITORS AND LEGAL COUNSEL, ESTABLISHMENT OF BANKING RELATIONSHIPS AND MANAGEMENT OF CASH AND OTHER ASSETS, APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND BYLAWS, LONG-RANGE PLANNING, ADOPTION OF ANNUAL OPERATING PLANS AND APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATES OF NEED
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B	AN INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTING FIRM PREPARES AND REVIEWS THE FORM 990 WITH INFORMATION PROVIDED FROM THE ORGANIZATION'S ACCOUNTING STAFF THE INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTING FIRM PROVIDES A DRAFT OF THE FORM 990 TO THE ACCOUNTING STAFF OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR REVIEW THE DRAFT FORM 990 IS REVISED FOR ANY CORRECTIONS OR CLARIFICATIONS BASED ON THE REVIEW BY THE ORGANIZATION'S ACCOUNTING STAFF AFTER ANY NECESSARY CORRECTIONS OR CLARIFICATIONS ARE MADE TO THE FORM 990 A COMPLETE COPY OF THE FORM 990 IS PROVIDED TO ALL VOTING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD VIA EMAIL PRIOR TO ELECTRONICALLY FILING THE RETURN
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C	EACH YEAR OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS READ AND SIGN A CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT STATING THEY UNDERSTAND WHAT THEY CAN AND CANNOT DO AND HOW THE REPORTING PROCESS IS HANDLED IF THERE ARE ISSUES, ALL CONFLCT OF INTEREST ARE REPORTED TO THE CORPORATE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE FOR INVESTIGATION BY WHICH A RESOLUTION WILL BE SUGESTED TO THE GOVERNING BODY ANY BOARD MEMBER THAT HAS A CONFLICT OF INTEREST DOES NOT VOTE ON THE ISSUE
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15A	THE CEO'S COMPENSATION IS REVIEWED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ON A ANNUAL BASIS THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE COMES UP WITH THE COMPENSATION PLAN AND GIVES THAT PLAN TO THE HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR UPON APPROVAL FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15B	THE CEO REVIEWS ALL OTHER OFFICER'S COMPENSATION AND SHARES WITH THE HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR ANY CHANGES
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19	THE ORGANIZATION MAKES ITS GOVERNING DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST ALL OF THESE DOCUMENTS ARE LOCATED IN ADMINISTRATION

SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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" on 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
(1) HEARTLAND HEALTH (HH) 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1283316	HEALTHCARE	MO	501(C)(3)	11A	NA		No
(2) HEARTLAND FOUNDATION 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1262768	SUPPORT	MO	501(C)(3)	7	HH	Yes	
(3) HEARTLAND LONG TERM ACUTE CARE HOSPITAL 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 26-1972987	HEALTHCARE	MO	501(C)(3)	3	HH	Yes	
(4) HEARTLAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 44-0545289	HEALTHCARE	MO	501(C)(3)	3	HH	Yes	
(5) HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE PLAN TRUST FUND 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1286484	VEBA	MO	501(C)(9)		HH	Yes	

Part III

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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) Disproporionate 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	

Part IV

Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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
(1) MIDWESTERN HEALTH MANAGEMENT INC 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1264358	HEALTHCARE	MO	HH	C CORP	0	0		Yes	
(2) COMMUNITY HEALTH PLAN INSURANCE COMPANY 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1210152	INSURANCE	MO	HH	C CORP	0	0		Yes	
(3) HHS PROPERTIES INC 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 43-1593799	INVESTMENT	MO	HH	C CORP	0	0		Yes	
(4) UPTOWN HOUSING INC 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 26-1416252	REDEVELOPMENT	MO	HH	C CORP	0	0		Yes	
(5) UPTOWN ST JOSEPH REDEVELOPMENT CORP REDEVELOPMENT ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 20-1742813	REDEVELOPMENT	MO	HH	C CORP	0	0		Yes	
(6) SHOAL CREEK FAMILY MEDICINE & ALLERGY 5325 FARAON ST JOSEPH, MO 64506 01-0754265	HEALTHCARE	MO	HRMC	S CORP	0	0	0 %	Yes	

Part V

Transactions With Related Organizations

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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

1c

No

1d

No

1e

Yes

1f

No

1g

No

1h

No

1i

No

1j

No

1k

No

1l

No

1m

Yes

1n

No

1o

Yes

1p

No

1q

Yes

1r

Yes

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 related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) HEARTLAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	R	3,529,405	FMV

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Part VI **Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.
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

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(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		Yes	No	

Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
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