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## **GOVERNOR'S BUDGET PLAN WOULD DECIMATE HEALTH CARE JOBS AND SERVICES ACROSS THE STATE**

**HALF BILLION DOLLAR HIT TO HOSPITALS IS 7TH ROUND OF HEALTH CARE CUTS  
AND TAXES IN LESS THAN TWO YEARS, BRINGING TOTAL IMPACT TO \$2.5 BILLION**

### **Twenty-Nine Hospitals Closed in the Last Decade Alone; More Communities Poised to Lose Economic Anchors and Health Care Services**

ALBANY, N.Y. — Governor Paterson's 2010-2011 Executive Budget plan will spell the end of thousands of health care jobs and a vast array of critical health care services as hospitals across the state are forced to lay off staff and close services to contend with the seventh round of health care cuts and taxes in less than two years.

The Healthcare Association of New York State (HANYS) has issued facility-specific estimates (see chart below) that show the impact of the proposed cuts on New York's hospitals.

The cumulative total of the past six state budget actions already imposed on hospitals is a staggering \$2 billion. These budget actions began with the 2008-2009 budget and included subsequent budgets and a series of actions to reduce the state deficit.

On top of this \$2 billion reduction, which has already caused significant health care service cutbacks and thousands of health care job losses, the Governor now proposes another \$500 million in hospital taxes and cuts for the 2010-2011 state fiscal year.

HANYS is encouraging New Yorkers to go to [www.helpyourhospital.org](http://www.helpyourhospital.org) to find out how the Governor's proposed budget—and the six prior cumulative budget actions—impact their local hospitals, and to take action by writing to their state legislators.

The total impact on hospitals, nursing homes, and home health providers of the Governor's 2010-2011 budget proposal is \$1 billion.

“Once again, health care providers are disproportionately targeted with taxes and cuts to solve the state's revenue problems,” commented HANYS' President Daniel Sisto. “Facing taxes and cuts of this magnitude, health care providers will have no choice but to curtail needed services and lay off workers—which will leave massive holes in our health care safety net and stagnate economic recovery in communities across the state. This is grossly shortsighted and dangerous public policy.”

**(Note: Hospital-specific impacts of the Governor's budget proposal are below.)**



## State Budget Cuts and Taxes on Hospitals

### Cumulative Impacts of Past Budget Cuts and the Taxes and Cuts in the Governor's Latest Budget Proposal

- The cumulative figures include the impact of six distinct budget actions starting April 2008, through March 31, 2011.
- The impact of the Governor's latest budget proposal is through March 31, 2011. It does not include facility-specific figures for \$49 million in savings through an initiative addressing potentially preventable readmissions.
- All figures in parenthesis are negative dollar amounts (losses).
- In addition to the impacts listed, SUNY hospitals will be impacted by state budget proposals impacting higher education.

	Cumulative Hospital Cuts Before Governor's 2010-2011 Budget	Impact of Governor's 2010-2011 Budget
<b>STATEWIDE TOTAL</b>	<b>(\$2,050,206,000)</b>	<b>(\$448,992,000)</b>
<b>New York City</b>	<b>(\$1,473,493,000)</b>	<b>(\$344,349,000)</b>
Bellevue Hospital Center	(\$97,640,000)	(\$7,927,000)
Beth Israel Medical Center--Kings Highway Division	(\$1,097,000)	(\$416,000)
Beth Israel Medical Center--Milton and Carroll Petrie Division	(\$48,034,000)	(\$12,776,000)
Bronx-Lebanon Hospital Center	(\$64,185,000)	(\$25,752,000)
Brookdale University Hospital and Medical Center	(\$69,255,000)	(\$12,259,000)
Calvary Hospital	(\$4,303,000)	(\$900,000)
Coler - Goldwater Specialty Hospital and Nursing Facility (includes Coler Hospital Site)	(\$29,021,000)	(\$1,752,000)
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Coney Island Hospital	(\$3,735,000)	(\$2,344,000)
Elmhurst Hospital Center	(\$21,352,000)	(\$4,555,000)
Flushing Hospital Medical Center	(\$13,195,000)	(\$4,318,000)
Forest Hills Hospital	(\$4,000,000)	(\$135,000)
Harlem Hospital Center	(\$42,167,000)	(\$3,545,000)
Hospital for Special Surgery	(\$13,471,000)	(\$1,191,000)
Interfaith Medical Center (All Divisions)	(\$31,215,000)	(\$7,452,000)
Jacobi Medical Center	(\$59,999,000)	(\$5,933,000)
Jamaica Hospital Medical Center	(\$33,673,000)	(\$14,570,000)
Kings County Hospital Center	(\$67,390,000)	(\$7,539,000)
Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center	(\$14,092,000)	(\$2,331,000)
Lenox Hill Hospital	(\$24,216,000)	(\$6,317,000)
Lincoln Medical and Mental Health Center	(\$30,403,000)	(\$5,374,000)
Long Island College Hospital	(\$14,374,000)	(\$4,961,000)
Long Island Jewish Medical Center	(\$28,939,000)	(\$12,144,000)
Lutheran Medical Center	(\$20,118,000)	(\$14,412,000)
Maimonides Medical Center	(\$29,936,000)	(\$7,809,000)
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center	(\$27,815,000)	\$49,000
Metropolitan Hospital Center	(\$37,014,000)	(\$3,419,000)

<b>State Budget Cuts and Taxes on Hospitals (continued)</b>		
	<b>Cumulative Hospital Cuts Before Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>	<b>Impact of Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>
Montefiore Medical Center	(\$58,304,000)	(\$39,757,000)
Mount Sinai Hospital of Queens	(\$178,000)	(\$3,004,000)
Mount Sinai Medical Center	(\$50,371,000)	(\$24,095,000)
New York Community Hospital of Brooklyn	(\$2,567,000)	(\$55,000)
New York Eye and Ear Infirmary	\$8,021,000	(\$3,448,000)
New York Hospital Queens	(\$29,242,000)	\$1,130,000
New York Methodist Hospital	(\$27,067,000)	(\$2,582,000)
New York Westchester Square Medical Center	(\$1,793,000)	596,000
NewYork-Presbyterian Healthcare (All Four Hospitals)	(\$139,773,000)	(\$17,501,000)
North Central Bronx Hospital	(\$15,794,000)	(\$692,000)
North General Hospital	(\$8,852,000)	(\$3,372,000)
New York Downtown Hospital	(\$2,202,000)	(\$692,000)
NYU Langone Medical Center	(\$36,328,000)	(\$9,365,000)
Peninsula Hospital Center	(\$1,567,000)	(\$2,280,000)
Queens Hospital Center	(\$36,496,000)	(\$2,080,000)
Richmond University Medical Center	(\$11,179,000)	(\$4,381,000)
Rockefeller University Hospital	(\$59,000)	\$133,000
St. Barnabas Hospital	(\$13,030,000)	(\$1,530,000)
St. John's Episcopal Hospital South Shore	(\$19,573,000)	(\$2,249,000)
St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center	(\$34,147,000)	(\$20,860,000)
St. Vincent's Hospital and Medical Center (includes NYC and Westchester Divisions)	(\$22,902,000)	(\$13,055,000)
Staten Island University Hospital- All Divisions	(\$22,092,000)	(\$6,128,000)
SUNY Downstate Medical Center	(\$12,356,000)	(\$3,314,000)
The Brooklyn Hospital Center	(\$32,560,000)	(\$1,085,000)
Woodhull Medical and Mental Health Center	(\$46,354,000)	(\$3,429,000)
Wyckoff Heights Medical Center	(\$24,729,000)	(\$8,233,000)
<b>Western New York</b>	<b>(\$69,993,000)</b>	<b>(\$9,856,000)</b>
Bertrand Chaffee Hospital	(\$343,000)	(\$222,000)
Brooks Memorial Hospital	(\$1,555,000)	(\$191,000)
Cuba Memorial Hospital	\$436,000	(\$216,000)
Erie County Medical Center	(\$22,134,000)	(\$2,557,000)
Jones Memorial Hospital	(\$12,000)	\$60,000
Kaleida Health	(\$21,078,000)	(\$2,930,000)
Kenmore Mercy Hospital	(\$4,369,000)	\$202,000
Eastern Niagara Hospital	(\$1,364,000)	(\$512,000)
Medina Memorial Health Care System	(\$629,000)	(\$276,000)
Mercy Hospital of Buffalo	(\$4,804,000)	(\$683,000)
Mount St. Mary's Hospital and Health Center	(\$2,251,000)	\$357,000
Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center	(\$5,126,000)	(\$818,000)

<b>State Budget Cuts and Taxes on Hospitals (continued)</b>		
	<b>Cumulative Hospital Cuts Before Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>	<b>Impact of Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>
Olean General Hospital	(\$1,381,000)	\$291,000
Roswell Park Cancer Institute	(\$8,784,000)	(\$600,000)
Sheehan Memorial Hospital	(\$2,602,000)	(\$184,000)
Sisters of Charity Hospital of Buffalo	(\$4,958,000)	(\$294,000)
TLC Health Network	(\$523,000)	(\$458,000)
United Memorial Medical Center	(\$1,064,000)	(\$162,000)
WCA Hospital	(\$4,663,000)	\$163,000
Westfield Memorial Hospital	(\$212,000)	(\$109,000)
Kaleida Health--Women and Children's Hospital of Buffalo	\$18,250,000	(\$684,000)
Wyoming County Community Health System	(\$827,000)	(\$33,000)
<b>Rochester Region</b>	<b>(\$75,773,000)</b>	<b>(\$19,332,000)</b>
Arnot Ogden Medical Center	(\$4,020,000)	(\$10,000)
Clifton Springs Hospital and Clinic	(\$991,000)	\$56,000
Corning Hospital	(\$877,000)	\$31,000
F.F. Thompson Hospital	(\$1,714,000)	(\$84,000)
Geneva General Hospital	(\$2,541,000)	(\$124,000)
Highland Hospital of Rochester	(\$7,169,000)	(\$2,655,000)
Ira Davenport Memorial Hospital, Inc.	(\$264,000)	(\$337,000)
Lakeside Memorial Hospital	(\$979,000)	\$42,000
Nicholas H. Noyes Memorial Hospital	(\$1,079,000)	(\$265,000)
Rochester General Hospital	(\$9,519,000)	(\$3,565,000)
Schuyler Hospital, Inc.	\$442,000	(\$584,000)
Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hospital	\$91,000	(\$371,000)
St. James Mercy Hospital	(\$733,000)	(\$346,000)
St. Joseph's Hospital of Elmira	(\$2,565,000)	\$167,000
Strong Memorial Hospital	(\$36,948,000)	(\$6,991,000)
Unity Health System	(\$3,222,000)	(\$3,416,000)
Newark-Wayne Community Hospital	(\$3,685,000)	(\$880,000)
<b>Central New York</b>	<b>(\$61,799,000)</b>	<b>(\$8,268,000)</b>
Auburn Memorial Hospital	(\$1,516,000)	(\$331,000)
Canton-Potsdam Hospital	\$1,090,000	(\$648,000)
Carthage Area Hospital	(\$293,000)	(\$52,000)
Cayuga Medical Center at Ithaca	\$427,000	(\$24,000)
Chenango Memorial Hospital	\$1,772,000	\$609,000
Claxton-Hepburn Medical Center	(\$333,000)	(\$334,000)
Clifton-Fine Hospital	\$25,000	(\$111,000)
Community General Hospital of Greater Syracuse	(\$3,004,000)	(\$655,000)
Community Memorial Hospital	(\$214,000)	(\$58,000)

<b>State Budget Cuts and Taxes on Hospitals (continued)</b>		
	<b>Cumulative Hospital Cuts Before Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>	<b>Impact of Governor's 2010-2011 Budget</b>
Cortland Regional Medical Center	(\$1,625,000)	(\$268,000)
Crouse Hospital	(\$12,864,000)	(\$1,042,000)
E.J. Noble Hospital of Gouverneur	(\$136,000)	(\$173,000)
Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare	(\$8,508,000)	\$4,469,000
Lewis County General Hospital	(\$789,000)	(\$302,000)
Little Falls Hospital	(\$216,000)	(\$308,000)
Massena Memorial Hospital	(\$120,000)	(\$66,000)
Oneida Healthcare Center	(\$531,000)	(\$396,000)
Oswego Health	(\$4,780,000)	\$362,000
Our Lady of Lourdes Memorial Hospital	\$127,000	(\$1,195,000)
River Hospital	\$76,000	(\$149,000)
Rome Memorial Hospital	(\$2,674,000)	\$547,000
Samaritan Medical Center	(\$2,531,000)	(\$755,000)
St. Elizabeth Medical Center	(\$12,566,000)	\$319,000
St. Joseph's Hospital Health Center	(\$2,720,000)	(\$475,000)
Upstate University Hospital	(\$3,660,000)	(\$4,258,000)
United Health Services Hospitals, Inc.	(\$6,236,000)	(\$2,974,000)
<b>Northeastern New York</b>	<b>(\$46,587,000)</b>	<b>(\$11,002,000)</b>
Adirondack Medical Center	(\$775,000)	(\$411,000)
Albany Medical Center--South Clinical Campus	\$1,307,000	(\$430,000)
Albany Medical Center Hospital	(\$19,451,000)	(\$4,260,000)
Albany Memorial Hospital	(\$1,733,000)	\$264,000
Alice Hyde Medical Center	\$747,000	(\$425,000)
Aurelia Osborn Fox Memorial Hospital	(\$771,000)	(\$722,000)
Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital Medical Center	(\$1,596,000)	(\$1,019,000)
Cobleskill Regional Hospital	(\$234,000)	(\$436,000)
Columbia Memorial Hospital	(\$2,686,000)	(\$611,000)
Delaware Valley Hospital	(\$476,000)	(\$285,000)
Elizabethtown Community Hospital	\$97,000	(\$157,000)
Ellis Hospital	(\$2,572,000)	\$572,000
Glens Falls Hospital	(\$1,456,000)	\$968,000
Margaretville Memorial Hospital	\$17,000	(\$182,000)
Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital	(\$276,000)	(\$227,000)
Moses-Ludington Hospital	\$159,000	(\$185,000)
Nathan Littauer Hospital	(\$2,903,000)	(\$235,000)
O'Connor Hospital	\$9,000	(\$214,000)
Samaritan Hospital	(\$2,599,000)	\$422,000
Saratoga Hospital	\$384,000	\$398,000
Seton Health	(\$5,840,000)	(\$893,000)

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St. Mary's Hospital at Amsterdam	(\$1,765,000)	\$531,000
St. Peter's Hospital	(\$4,274,000)	(\$3,348,000)
Sunnyview Rehabilitation Hospital	\$100,000	(\$284,000)
Tri-Town Regional Hospital	-	\$167,000
<b>Long Island</b>	<b>(\$180,172,000)</b>	<b>(\$39,771,000)</b>
Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical Center	(\$7,179,000)	(\$1,091,000)
Eastern Long Island Hospital	(\$435,000)	\$558,000
Franklin Hospital	(\$831,000)	(\$2,064,000)
Glen Cove Hospital	(\$3,148,000)	(\$1,667,000)
Good Samaritan Hospital Medical Center	(\$5,449,000)	(\$3,889,000)
Huntington Hospital	(\$6,413,000)	(\$1,170,000)
John T. Mather Memorial Hospital	(\$3,271,000)	\$833,000
Long Beach Medical Center	(\$1,343,000)	(\$913,000)
Mercy Medical Center	(\$5,119,000)	(\$1,429,000)
Nassau University Medical Center	(\$51,696,000)	(\$2,482,000)
New Island Hospital	\$615,000	(\$294,000)
North Shore University Hospital--Manhasset and Syosset Divisions	(\$24,557,000)	(\$12,089,000)
Peconic Bay Medical Center	(\$2,161,000)	\$304,000
Plainview Hospital	(\$1,160,000)	(\$675,000)
South Nassau Communities Hospital	(\$583,000)	(\$878,000)
Southampton Hospital	(\$1,557,000)	\$1,117,000
Southside Hospital	(\$11,816,000)	(\$3,514,000)
St. Catherine of Siena Medical Center	(\$3,317,000)	(\$1,039,000)
St. Charles Hospital	(\$1,923,000)	(\$1,607,000)
St. Francis Hospital--The Heart Center	(\$5,132,000)	(\$1,831,000)
Stony Brook University Medical Center	(\$23,537,000)	(\$4,248,000)
Winthrop-University Hospital	(\$20,160,000)	(\$1,703,000)
<b>Northern Metropolitan (Hudson Valley)</b>	<b>(\$142,389,000)</b>	<b>(\$16,414,000)</b>
Benedictine Hospital	(\$4,250,000)	(\$1,452,000)
Blythedale Children's Hospital	(\$8,565,000)	(\$109,000)
Bon Secours Community Hospital	\$348,000	(\$724,000)
Catskill Regional Medical Center	(\$9,942,000)	(\$3,423,000)
Catskill Regional Medical Center/Grover M. Hermann Division	(\$271,000)	(\$238,000)
Ellenville Regional Hospital	(\$238,000)	(\$458,000)
Good Samaritan Hospital	(\$5,934,000)	\$833,000
Helen Hayes Hospital	(\$4,375,000)	(\$250,000)
Hudson Valley Hospital Center	\$945,000	\$1,298,000
Lawrence Hospital Center	(\$2,243,000)	\$866,000

<b>State Budget Cuts and Taxes on Hospitals (continued)</b>		
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Mount Vernon Hospital	(\$5,220,000)	(\$5,432,000)
Northern Dutchess Hospital	(\$422,000)	(\$414,000)
Northern Westchester Hospital	(\$3,785,000)	\$8,000
Nyack Hospital	(\$9,349,000)	\$1,591,000
Orange Regional Medical Center	(\$5,202,000)	\$3,909,000
Phelps Memorial Hospital Center	(\$2,437,000)	\$778,000
Putnam Hospital Center	(\$1,011,000)	\$717,000
Riverside Health Care System	(\$3,474,000)	\$641,000
Saint Joseph's Medical Center	(\$1,153,000)	(\$7,127,000)
Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester	(\$10,079,000)	(\$1,374,000)
St. Anthony Community Hospital	(\$1,590,000)	\$313,000
Saint Francis Hospital and Health Centers	(\$6,393,000)	(\$21,000)
St. Luke's Cornwall Hospital	(\$7,089,000)	\$1,821,000
Summit Park Hospital--Rockland County Infirmary	(\$855,000)	(\$2,248,000)
The Burke Rehabilitation Hospital, Inc.	(\$2,623,000)	(\$392,000)
The Kingston Hospital	(\$1,951,000)	(\$2,499,000)
Vassar Brothers Medical Center	(\$1,499,000)	\$1,418,000
Westchester Medical Center	(\$40,585,000)	(\$5,650,000)
White Plains Hospital Center	(\$3,147,000)	\$1,204,000

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