



## Economic and Community Benefits

**Economic activity****\$8,625,000,000**

The economic activity generated by hospitals through jobs and the purchase of goods and services makes up 10.3% of the state's entire gross domestic product. <sup>[1]</sup>

**Jobs generated****36,000**

Hospitals and health systems are often the largest employers in communities, generate many more jobs and are top 10 private sector employers in every region of New York. <sup>[2]</sup>

**Tax dollars generated****\$1,211,000,000**

New York hospitals generate significant tax dollars and stimulate the economies of local communities and the whole state. <sup>[3]</sup>

**Payroll expenditures****\$2,481,000,000**

New York hospitals' #1 investment is in their people, including direct salary and benefits to their employees. <sup>[4]</sup>



## Patients Served

**Outpatients provided care****1,700,000****People treated in the emergency room****288,000****People admitted to hospitals****81,000****Babies delivered****6,200**

Hospitals serve patients in their communities 24/7, 365 days a year. <sup>[4]</sup>

**Patients covered by Medicare and Medicaid**

In this system, Medicare and Medicaid patients make up:

- **72%** of all people admitted to hospitals
- **62%** of all outpatients provided care

**48%** of hospital patient service revenue in this system comes from Medicare and Medicaid. This is a result of the large volume of services being reimbursed by Medicare and Medicaid, which do not cover the cost of care, driving significant underpayment from these public insurance programs. <sup>[4]</sup>



This report includes data from the following:

- Stony Brook Eastern Long Island Hospital
  - Stony Brook Southampton Hospital
  - Stony Brook University Hospital
  - University Hospital of Brooklyn
  - Upstate University Hospital
  - Upstate University Hospital Community Campus
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## Data sources:

<sup>[1]</sup> Data are mainly from 2023 New York state hospital cost reports and the 2022 RIMS II multipliers. The New York State GDP is from the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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<sup>[3]</sup> Data are mainly from 2023 New York state hospital cost reports and state/federal tax tables.

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