

Summary & Highlights

Pennsylvania Non-General Acute Care Hospitals Fiscal Year 2024

The Pennsylvania Health Care Cost Containment Council (PHC4) produces a series of financial reports measuring the financial condition and utilization of the Commonwealth's hospitals and ambulatory surgery centers as a three-part series. *Volume Three* presents a financial profile on Pennsylvania's non-general acute care (non-GAC) hospitals, which include rehabilitation hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, long-term acute care hospitals, and specialty hospitals. *Volume Three* provides insight into information surrounding uncompensated care, operating margins, and average net patient revenue intended to provide stakeholders with fact-based information to prioritize resources and make informed decisions.

There were 222 hospitals licensed in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that operated during at least some portion of fiscal year 2024 (FY24). Sixty-nine of these hospitals were non-GAC hospitals and the remaining 153 were GAC hospitals during FY24. There were 67 non-GAC hospitals operating in the prior year, FY23. Three psychiatric hospitals opened, and one psychiatric hospital closed between FY23 and FY24 reporting periods.

Volume Three shows that in FY24, uncompensated care as a percent of net patient revenue among the non-GAC hospitals ranged from 0.35% at long-term acute care hospitals and 1.02% at psychiatric hospitals.

In examining operating margins displayed in *Volume Three*, it reveals that in FY24 rehabilitation hospitals yield a 10.42% operating margin, psychiatric hospitals 4.89%, long-term acute care hospitals 4.66%, and specialty hospitals a negative 1.33%.

The figures displayed below show the non-GAC hospitals as reported in *Volume Three* FY15 through FY24 operating margins and FY24 average net patient revenue and average total operating expenses by facility type.

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Figure 1: Statewide Operating Margin by Facility Type & Fiscal Year

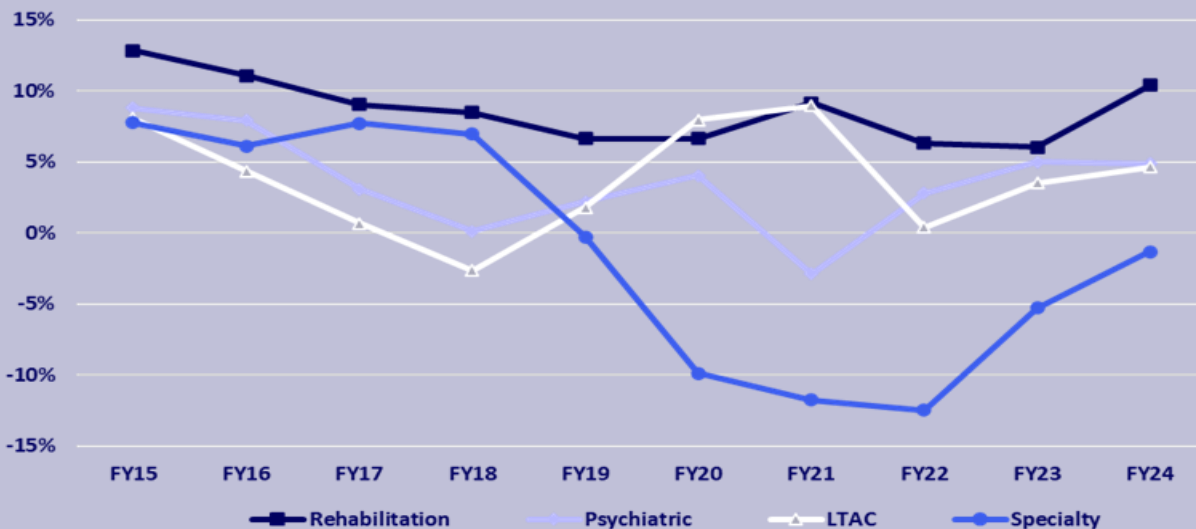


Figure 2: Statewide Average Net Patient Revenue & Statewide Average Total Operating Expense, FY24 by Facility Type

