OUR COMMUNITY IMPACT



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In 2024, we...



added 6 affiliated providers



invested nearly **\$3.4 million** in capital improvements



distributed a payroll of more than \$48 million to our 725 employees



donated more than **\$38 million** in healthcare services to those in need



paid more than **\$11 million** in taxes



This annual community benefit report shares a few of the ways our hospital contributes to the communities we serve, even beyond the exceptional care we provide our patients. It highlights how we invest in our facility and people, and details our financial impact as a large employer, taxpayer, civic leader, donor of charitable care, and supporter of charitable organizations.

As you read through this snapshot of the year prior, keep in mind that much of this is

ancillary to our primary mission of advancing the health and well-being of the patients who choose Carolina Pines as their preferred provider of healthcare services. That's a mission we embrace and achieve extremely well, as evidenced by the accolades that continue to come our way, from being named a "Top General Hospital" by The Leapfrog Group (again in 2024) to earning the Platinum Award, the highest honor of parent-company ScionHealth's National Quality Strategy (again in 2024).

We aspire to do even better, so in 2024 we expanded our services by opening a multispecialty facility in Pageland and a Vein Clinic as part of Carolina Pines Medical Group. With your ongoing support and partnership, we will continue to bring you the expert, compassionate care you deserve. And in doing so, we help foster a healthier Pee Dee region. Thank you for choosing Carolina Pines for your healthcare needs.

Sincerely,

Brian Sponseller, M.D. CEO, Carolina Pines Regional Medical Center

2024 Success Spotlight

Recruiting skilled clinicians to our hospital and community and supporting them in their new roles is critical to ensuring access to high-quality care across a broad spectrum of services. In 2024, we added six affiliated providers in areas that included Primary Care and Women's Care.

Investments in our facilities – from infrastructure to the latest healthcare technology – ensure that our hospital can continue to meet the community's evolving healthcare needs. Last year, we spent nearly \$3.4 million in capital improvements, including the addition of a DaVinci surgical robot, other surgical equipment, and ultrasound imaging technology.

Our greatest asset is our people, so we aspire to create an environment where talent is recognized, job satisfaction is valued, and our employees can effectively use their skills to provide high-quality care and service.

In 2024, we provided more than \$38 million in services to those in need of healthcare but without the means to pay.

We are proud to be a leader in the Hartsville area, and our partnership with the local community is manifest in many ways, from being a large taxpayer and employer to being a supporter of several local organizations.

SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS

It was our pleasure to be able to support numerous activities and organizations during 2024, including the following:

- » American Heart Association
- » Black Creek Arts Council
- » Boys & Girls Club
- » Butler Heritage Foundation
- » Chesterfield County Schools
- » Child and Family Resource
- » City of Hartsville
- » Coker University
- » Cypress Adventure
- » Darlington County Humane Society
- » Darlington County Schools
- » Gospel in the Park Series
- » Greater Hartsville Chamber of Commerce
- » Hartsville Country Club
- » Hartsville Police Department
- » Hartsville Rotary Club
- » Kalmia Gardens
- » Pageland Garden Club
- » Pee Dee Coalition
- » Pee Dee Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- » Pee Dee Land Trust
- » Pee Dee Regional Transportation Authority
- » SC Governor's School
- » Town of Pageland
- » Waymaker Offroad Wheelchairs

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ACCREDITATIONS/CERTIFICATIONS

Awarded Disease-Specific Certification for Sepsis from The Joint Commission (first hospital in SC to attain this)

Awarded Certification from The Joint Commission for its Total Knee and Hip Replacement Program

 $\label{lem:commission} Awarded\ Certification\ from\ The\ Joint\ Commission\ for\ its\ Heart\ Failure\ Program$

 $\label{lem:commission} Awarded\ The\ Joint\ Commission's\ Gold\ Seal\ of\ Approval for\ the\ hospital\ and\ laboratory$

Achieved advanced certification as a Primary Stroke Center by The Joint Commission

Earned Chest Pain Accreditation from the American College of Cardiology



ECONOMIC IMPACT

Charity and other uncompensated care	\$38,352,629
(Includes charity care, uninsured discounts and uncompensated care)	
Community benefit programs	\$601,500
Financial contributions	\$128,150
Professional development	\$111,335
Tuition reimbursement	\$36,396
Physician recruitment	\$325,619
Taxes paid	\$11,011,473
Property and other taxes	\$1,432,222
Provider taxes	\$4,729,739
Payroll taxes	\$3,113,172
Local sales taxes	\$434,085
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2024 TOTAL: \$49,965,602

Charity care and other uncompensated care include charity care, uninsured discounts, and uncompensated care. Physician recruitment costs include recruitment costs and support of new physicians' initial practice establishment in the community. Payroll includes consolidated salaries, wages, benefits, and contract labor costs. Capital investments include facility expansions/renovations, equipment purchases, technology replacement, information technology additions/updates, and routine facility upkeep and maintenance. All references to "ScionHealth" or the "Company" used in this release refer to subsidiaries of Knight Health Holdings, LLC.

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