



The Hospital + Healthsystem
Association of Pennsylvania

Leading for Better Health

ECONOMIC IMPACT OF PENNSYLVANIA'S HOSPITALS

Beyond their roles as providers of essential health care and leading advocates for improving the health of communities, Pennsylvania's hospitals and health systems play a critical role in the state's economy, driving economic growth, and creating jobs.

\$128 Billion in Total Economic Impact


\$57.3 billion
spent by hospitals


\$71.6 billion
in secondary spending

650,000 Jobs and \$32.5 Billion in Wages, Salaries, and Benefits


289,226 hospital employees made
\$17.2 billion in wages, salaries,
and benefits


361,677 additional workers made
\$15.3 billion from jobs supported
by hospitals



Comprise 12%
of state's economy



Provide 1 of
every 10 jobs



Are a top employer
in 53 of 67 countries

The Challenge:

Pennsylvania hospitals and health systems are making great strides to improve patient safety, to build new technologies, to re-tool our workforce, and to address social issues, such as food insecurity and violence. In order for this important work to continue, hospitals need:



Financial Stability



**Relief from
Regulatory Burden**



**Reliable Payments
for Services**

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