



Impact of Policies on Rural Communities Connecticut

Provider Name/Number	Provider Type	Operating Margin ¹	Sequestration ² 2% Inpatient and Outpatient Medicare Revenue Cut			Bad Debt Reimbursement Cut ³ 35% Medicare Bad Debt Reimbursement Cut		
			Annual Revenue Lost ¹	Potential Job Loss ⁴	Potential GDP Loss ⁵	Annual Revenue Lost ¹	Potential Job Loss ⁴	Potential GDP Loss ⁵
Charlotte Hungerford Hospital (070011)	RPPS	-5.9%	\$1,117,911	14	\$2,143,710	\$0	0	\$0
Sharon Hospital (070004)	RPPS	-48.5%	\$396,547	6	\$861,936	\$0	0	\$0
Windham Hospital (070021)	RPPS	-2.1%	\$776,829	12	\$1,793,006	\$0	0	\$0

¹ CMS Healthcare Cost Report Information System (HCRIS) Q3 2024. Operating margin is computed in accordance with Flex Monitoring Team guidance. Reported Covid-19 PHE Funds (Worksheet G-3 line 24,50) excluded from operating margin. Adjustments made to operating margin to reflect full 2% sequester.

² Budget control Act of 2011

³ Middle class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012

⁴ National Center for Rural Health works, 2016

⁵ The World Bank, 2023

