



Impact of Policies on Rural Communities Massachusetts

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
Athol Hospital (221303)	CAH	-52.5%	\$166,020	3	\$474,859	\$0	0	\$0
Baystate Franklin Medical Center (220016)	RPPS	-3.3%	\$857,529	13	\$2,007,721	\$0	0	\$0
Fairview Hospital (221302)	CAH	14.8%	\$404,416	5	\$739,261	\$0	0	\$0
Marthas Vineyard Hospital (221300)	CAH	6.6%	\$504,463	6	\$922,145	\$0	0	\$0
Nantucket Cottage Hospital (220177)	RPPS	-4.7%	\$155,332	2	\$283,942	\$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

