



Impact of Policies on Rural Communities

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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 Reimburesment 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
Bayhealth Hospital - Sussex Campus (080009)	RPPS	-1.4%	\$1,196,391	14	\$2,109,076	\$254,145	3	\$448,023
Beebe Healthcare - Margaret H Rollins Lewes Campus (080007)	RPPS	0.4%	\$3,418,345	50	\$7,573,846	\$285,660	4	\$632,922

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

