

## HEALTH PROVIDER NEWS - FEBRUARY 2, 2018

### NATIONAL

- [Apple wants to gather all your medical records in the Health app](#)
- [10 predictions for healthcare industry growth in 2018](#)
- [Kaufman Hall: Hospital M&A jumped 13% from 2016](#)
- [U.S. telehealth industry eyes Medicare for its next big check](#)
- [What To Watch In Health Care In 2018: Six Key Trends](#)
- [‘Not a lot of good news’ for CT health care industry, says hospitals chief](#)
- [State-by-state breakdown of 2017's 73 new or announced ASCs, outpatient centers](#)
- [Money Cut from 340B Will be Redistributed to Most Hospitals: Report](#)
- [DOJ seeks to curtail soaring False Claims Act cases](#)
- [Court sets speedy 340B lawsuit schedule, siding with AHA](#)
- [Amazon set to play role of technology disruptor in healthcare](#)
- [How telemedicine will change care delivery and costs in 2018](#)
- [State-by-state breakdown of 83 rural hospital closures](#)
- [CMS Inpatient-Only List: Preparing for Critical Changes in 2018](#)
- [CMS requires hospitals use online portal to attest to EHR incentive programs](#)
- [Anne Schuchat named acting CDC director](#)
- [Intermountain CEO says new generic drug company will work with 1,000+ hospitals](#)

### NORTHEAST

*(Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, Vermont)*

### CONNECTICUT

- [Greenwich Hospital trains from within to combat nursing shortage](#)
- [Connecticut hospitals lose funding after federal review](#)
- [Trinity Health names Dadlez successor](#)
- [Trinity Health of New England, Aetna partner for ACO product](#)
- [CT Surgery Center plans move from Hartford to new 50K-foot facility in Farmington](#)
- [Yale New Haven Hospital launches new Capacity Command Center](#)

### MAINE

- [Nursing enrollment up 11% at Maine's public universities](#)

## MASSACHUSETTS

- [Beverly Hospital receives \\$1 million gift](#)
- [Boston hospital under fire for early discharge of patient](#)
- [Union Hospital may become a 'medical village.' Here's what that means.](#)
- [Details Still Being Finalized in Partners Healthcare Acquisition of Care New England](#)
- [\\$10M gift sways Massachusetts hospital to dedicate outpatient center to donors](#)
- [Jeff Smith takes on role of interim president at UMass Memorial Medical Center as search to replace Patrick Muldoon commences](#)
- [Tufts Health Plan names new executives](#)
- [Mass. primary care experience improves](#)

## NEW YORK

- [McCann Health adds NY creative chief and global COO](#)
- [Schumer: Looming funding cuts mean Syracuse health center loses 75 jobs, care for 29,000](#)
- [Erie County Medical Center: Anatomy of a ransomware attack](#)
- [Healthcare Companies In New York State Could Use Some Life Support](#)
- [Growing Medical Campus steering downtown culture](#)
- [New York governor devotes \\$664M to a new Brooklyn health system with funding for an integrated EHR](#)
- [ASC physician owners commit to keep taking outpatient cases to hospital that estimated new center would lead to \\$1.9M lost revenue](#)
- [New York home healthcare provider reaches \\$6.4 million settlement](#)
- [Medical tech startup Tyto Care raises \\$25 million in capital](#)
- [New York sues feds, citing \\$1 billion owed for state-run health insurance](#)
- [Willcare unlikely to be impacted by national healthcare merger](#)
- [Oh baby: Mercy plans \\$3.2M upgrade to labor and delivery](#)

## RHODE ISLAND

- [Large New England Health Systems Take Definitive Steps Toward Merger](#)
- [Top Senate leader wants tighter rules on pay for RI hospital executives](#)
- [Details Still Being Finalized in Partners Healthcare Acquisition of Care New England](#)
- [Lawmaker introduces bills to limit hospital executive pay](#)
- [West View Nursing Home sold to Delaware company](#)

## VERMONT

- [Big changes in the works at Porter Medical Center](#)
- [Grace Cottage Family Health & Hospital names new CEO](#)
- [Mobile Medical awarded \\$43K Vermont Training Program grant](#)

- Credit agencies affirm 'A' rating for Dartmouth-Hitchcock, upgrade outlook
- Docs push for comprehensive primary care services
- UVM joins high-profile regenerative medicine consortium

## MID-ATLANTIC/EAST

*(Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia)*

### DELAWARE

- Medical imaging firm ordered to pay \$16M for Medicare fraud
- Whistleblower could get \$2.9M reward in Medicare fraud case
- AmeriHealth Caritas now contracts with all six of Delaware's major hospitals
- Incyte's Delaware portfolio drives global growth

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

- D.C.'s public hospital gets a new operator, as CFO says it is "functionally" bankrupt
- Who is Mazars? A look at the next company to try to save United Medical Center.
- United Medical Center selects new operator
- DC CFO says United Medical Center is 'functionally bankrupt'
- DC official rules United Medical Center violated open meetings law with vote to shutter obstetrics unit

### MARYLAND

- CMS to investigate University of Maryland hospital in response to viral video
- Maxim Healthcare Services Appoints New Clinical Leader to Executive Team
- Mercy Medical Center reports 6% readmission rate for spinal fusion
- CMS authorizes federal investigation of Baltimore hospital for patient dumping
- Betamore, Hopkins, UM launch health care incubator
- Construction begins on senior living complex in downtown Bethesda
- Johns Hopkins gets \$50 million from United Arab Emirates for new stroke research center
- Johns Hopkins-born pharma company raising \$40.5 million, hunting for lab space

### NEW JERSEY

- Cooper, Inspira integrate cardiac services in South Jersey
- 5 things to know: How 2 Jersey health systems' cardiac care echo a Springsteen song
- Jersey Shore University Medical Center to expand fellowship, residency programs
- Certara acquires medical software company
- Physician-owned Advocate looks to enter urgent care market

### PENNSYLVANIA

- Ruling opens door to punitive damages in Pennsylvania malpractice case
- Joint Venture Brings Rehab Plus Wellness Model to Senior Living
- Funding stream completed on Waynesboro medical building
- Wills Eye Institute denied hospital certification because of outpatient caseload
- Jefferson Health, Mission Health partner with telehealth vendor to develop 10 remote care models
- Lehigh Valley Health Network's 'Moneyball' marketing strategy attracts insured patients
- Pennsylvania hospitals show year-over-year improvement
- Golden Living fighting \$1.8 million in back-vacation pay owed to employees
- St. Luke's tackles value-based care with data warehouse and specialized analytics
- Pennsylvania hospital to acquire Central Penn Gastroenterology Associates
- Judge denies CMS hospital certification to Pennsylvania ophthalmology facility
- After nurses vote, SEIU survives challenge at UPMC McKeesport
- Allegheny Health Network reports 1st full year of positive earnings
- Will Amazon Really “Disrupt” Health Care? 5 Philly Health Leaders Weigh In
- Nearly 2,000 Pa. consumers to get a share of \$3M biopharm firm settlement
- Philadelphia International Medicine signs first European hospital affiliation deal
- UPMC McKeesport nurses vote to keep union

## VIRGINIA

- Virginia's Hospitals' Financial Strength Improves
- Speaker of Va. House signals willingness to consider Medicaid expansion, but with strings attached
- Amy Carrier to serve as inaugural COO of Bon Secours Virginia

## WEST VIRGINIA

- Charleston Area Medical Center ends 2017 with a \$30 million loss, looks for better year in 2018
- Williamson Memorial Hospital sale moving forward

## CENTRAL

*(Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota)*

## IOWA

- Mercy's \$10M Mason City behavioral health center on track for spring 2019 completion
- Proposed Iowa Data Breach Bill Accounts for Health Data

## KANSAS

- Doctor: Wichita hospitals perform unnecessary tests, surgery
- Lawsuit: Kansas hospitals do medically unneeded procedures

- [Feds: Kansas hospital complies with federal regulations](#)
- [Doctors with KU Health System complete 10-person kidney transplant for the first time in KC](#)
- [Kansas takes over as nation's flu hotspot, according to smart thermometer](#)
- [Olathe Health CEO retires](#)
- [Teva begins first wave of layoffs in OP](#)

## MINNESOTA

- [Minnesota nursing program hopes to fill needs of rural areas](#)
- [Health officials say Minneapolis assisted living facility negligent](#)
- [HealthPartners hires former big health system exec to serve as CFO](#)
- [New Minnesota health commissioner makes fight vs. elder abuse a high priority](#)
- [Allina applies analytics to patient data to save \\$45 million over 5 years](#)

## MISSOURI

- [Washington University medical school partners with Israeli startup](#)
- [New Members Have Been Appointed To SSM Health Board Of Directors](#)
- [SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital-Jefferson City president resigns](#)
- [Angie Bass, President and CEO, Missouri Health Connection](#)
- [Missouri Mulls Looser Telemedicine Rules](#)
- [Washington University receives \\$10 million for drug development challenge](#)

## NEBRASKA

- [Nebraska hospital transitions away from full-service care](#)
- [Nebraska hospital embracing ASCs in pivot away from full service](#)
- [Nebraska becomes first state to require all drugs be reported to prescription monitoring program](#)

## SOUTH DAKOTA

- [South Dakota city raises \\$2.1M for new hospital in 6 months](#)
- [\\$10M expansion project wraps up at South Dakota hospital](#)
- [Local hospital verified as Level II Trauma Center](#)

## MIDWEST

*(Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin)*

## ILLINOIS

- [Hospital tax fund gets \\$360M boost—but safety net CEOs still worry](#)
- [Outcome Health CEO steps down as part of settlement with investors](#)
- [Tenet Hospital in Chicago Expected to Fetch \\$270M](#)

- Outcome Health Says CEO Rishi Shah Has Resigned, Lawsuit Settled
- SIU's Medical School Spends \$2.2M to Open Springfield Clinic
- Former CFO sues Chicago hospital to recoup \$100k loan
- Presence hospitals will be in Health Alliance's network when OSF takes over
- Loyola Will Spend \$270 million on Suburban Hospital

## INDIANA

- IU Health Paoli Hospital Reverses Decision To Discontinue Baby Delivery Service
- Franciscan Health aligns with largest orthopedic group in NW Indiana
- New hospital planned for former St. Catherine facility in Charlestown
- IU Health selects Dr. Ryan Nagy as permanent president of 2 hospitals
- Feds extend existing Healthy Indiana Plan through February; still deciding on work requirement
- Tennessee judge allows CHS' lawsuit against ex-Lutheran CEO to move forward
- OurHealth Updates Expansion Efforts
- Indy biotech startup moves toward trials for stroke remedy
- IU Health Details Statewide Reach of New Foundation
- Lilly Results Beat Estimates
- Zimmer Biomet Reports Major Profit Jump
- Johnson Memorial to Celebrate New Rehab Center
- Eli Lilly CEO Welcomes Amazon's Arrival in the Health Care Business
- HHS Secretary, Holcomb to Make Announcement
- New hospital to occupy Indiana facility that shuttered in 2015
- Indiana hospital plans \$125M expansion

## KENTUCKY

- Health care options on the incline in Southeastern Kentucky
- Anthem's discretionary ED policy lands patient with \$12k bill
- Grace Health recipient of \$496,000 telemedicine grant
- Longtime Norton hospital leader retires; national search for replacement underway
- KentuckyOne Health selects new chief HR officer
- Elmcroft loses most of its senior-facility management portfolio
- Humana shares dive as Amazon, Berkshire Hathaway, JPMorgan Chase team up on health care
- Donovan Blackburn named CEO of Pikeville Medical Center

## MICHIGAN



- Moreland Native new senior vice president of health care system in Michigan
- Beaming up high-quality health care
- \$59 million expansion planned for MidMichigan Health in Alpena
- \$35M expansion at Borgess hospital to include 12 new operating rooms
- New Spectrum Health CFO Tackles EMR Upgrade, Cost Containment
- Beaumont Health wants outpatient facility built in western Oakland County
- DMC settles dispute by boosting spending on 2 safety-net hospitals
- DMC commits \$2.3M to improve two hospitals
- Religious order partners with health organization on campus
- Borgess Nurses concerned over possible layoffs
- St. Joseph Mercy Oakland names new chief medical officer

## OHIO

- Hospital closing latest blow to city's west side
- Cleveland Clinic Partners with Martin Health System for First Cardiovascular Affiliation in Florida
- Denver's Paladina Health starting to make waves in Northeast Ohio
- Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center ready to seek designer for 840-bed hospital tower
- Dozens protest hospital closing at Premier Health headquarters in Dayton
- Fraud, criminal charges brought against doctors, practice manager and hospital employees
- Complexity of health care industry enables fraud schemes, NE Ohio doctors charged for overbilling
- Cleveland Clinic chosen to enter talks for takeover of Indian River Medical Center
- Outpatient expansion costs lead to expected operating loss for Fairfield Medical Center
- With imperfect screening system, Ohio State unaware of doctor's sexual assault allegations
- Altercare acquires six centers in Ohio
- Memorial CEO: 15 staffers ultimately let go, other employees reassigned
- UPDATE: Affinity, Massillon closing in on deal
- Dayton-area hospital hiring for more than 150 positions
- Exclusive: Premier Health CEO Mary Boosalis discusses Good Sam closure
- Aetna plans to add 350 jobs, open second office in New Albany
- Mercy Health pumps nearly \$4B into Cincinnati economy, study says
- Chief of UC blood center steps down
- Dozens of St. Elizabeth employees affected as medical center changes hands
- Cleveland Clinic ACO takes on downside risk with move to Track 1+ model

## WISCONSIN

- Marshfield seeking "Wisconsin Healthy Communities" designation
- Ascension closes downtown Racine clinic, relocates services to other sites
- Gov. Walker pitches welfare plan to Wisconsin doctors
- Common Ground names new chief administrative officer, COO
- Children's Hospital receives \$500,000 from nonprofit Gold in September
- Medical office building planned for vacant site on King Drive

## SOUTH/SOUTHEAST

*(Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee)*

### ALABAMA

- Birmingham named No. 1 metro area for health care jobs
- Rural Health breaks ground on new facility
- Health care startup plans to add 175 employees in Alabama
- Birmingham startup Pack Health to create 175 jobs in expansion
- Pack Health experiencing massive growth

### FLORIDA

- Mount Sinai Health System opens new state-of-the-art medical practice in Florida
- HCA ups bid to take over Florida hospital to \$461M
- 3 Orlando doctors convicted of \$4.3M kickback scheme involving pain creams
- Venice residents oppose new hospital site on East Venice Avenue
- This health care facility's new unit will create 20 jobs
- Cleveland Clinic Partners with Martin Health System for First Cardiovascular Affiliation in Florida
- Opko Health announces resignation of diagnostic lab president
- Broward Health to consider CEO candidates
- Tampa ambulance company to pay \$5.5 million in Medicare fraud lawsuit
- Florida Hospital pulls its Sanford Burnham offer
- Estero hopes new health facility will relieve need for hospital
- HCA ups bid to take over Florida hospital to \$461M
- Cleveland Clinic chosen to enter talks for takeover of Indian River Medical Center
- Mount Sinai Health System opens new Florida medical practice
- Florida Hospital to add standalone emergency departments in Waterford Lakes, Oviedo
- Poinciana Medical Center plans \$10 million expansion



- [Good Samaritan Medical Center upgrades robotic surgery system](#)
- [Beverly Capasso Named Broward Health President/CEO](#)
- [Boca Raton Regional Hospital earnings decline while revenue grows](#)
- [Cross Country Healthcare names new CFO amid organizational shakeup](#)
- [Mayors and execs at UCF, Sanford Burnham react to Florida Hospital's decision to bow out of race](#)
- [How a Sarasota health tech company plans to use \\$15 million in new capital](#)

## GEORGIA

- [Georgia legislature to take on surprise billing](#)
- [Mobile ER Arrives At Grady Memorial Hospital To Handle Overflow](#)
- [Georgians will see the impact of Amazon healthcare pact — eventually](#)
- [Children's Healthcare cuts ribbon on new Kennesaw facility](#)
- [Former Children's Healthcare of Atlanta COO picked as eye care network CEO](#)
- [WellStar Kennestone Hospital to build \\$126M ED expansion](#)
- [Quorum Health to divest 77-bed Georgia hospital](#)

## MISSISSIPPI

- [Judge again approves deal to prop up hospital pension plan](#)
- [County guarantees loan for south Mississippi hospital](#)
- [Drugmaker to pay Mississippi \\$33M in pricing lawsuit](#)
- [Rush Health System appoints new CEO, board members](#)
- [North Mississippi Medical Center moving pediatrics unit](#)
- [Mississippi Senate plan steps back from Medicaid changes](#)

## NORTH CAROLINA

- [Is That Rural Hospital Really Necessary?](#)
- [Audit: North Carolina health care system overbilled Medicare](#)
- [Jefferson Health, Mission Health partner with telehealth vendor to develop 10 remote care models](#)
- [Charlotte area hospitals offer virtual visits to prevent flu spread](#)
- [North Carolina hospital to boost nurse pay in effort to increase retention rate](#)
- [Audit: North Carolina Health Care System Overbilled Medicare](#)
- [Lingering Questions Regarding Proposed UNC Health Care Partnership Lead to Frustrations](#)
- [3 surgery centers, hospital compete for NC CON](#)
- [Charlotte Talks: North Carolina's Rural Health Crisis](#)
- [Hospitals across Triangle seeing 'record number' of flu cases](#)

- Health-care services firm plans layoffs in Charlotte area, affecting 80-plus jobs
- Conifer Health Solutions to layoff 81 workers at Frye Regional Medical Center
- New Wilmington health location coming to Leland
- Triangle gains public company with closing of reverse merger
- NCCU joins Duke, N.C. State, UNC in federally funded partnership
- Well Care Health's Cumberland Expansion Will Grow Local Jobs
- Wilmington Health Plans To Open Leland Location

## SOUTH CAROLINA

- Clemson architecture program teams up with MUSC to design a better operating room
- Program helps demystify 'complicated' health care industry for South Carolina lawmakers
- South Carolina's first 'micro hospital' to be built in Bluffton
- Palmetto Health Tuomey expands to increase accessibility
- Judge Tosses Challenge to South Carolina's Ocular Telehealth Ban
- Pelham Medical Center expansion to double patient capabilities
- Roper St. Francis Foundation receives \$2.5 million donation
- Busy flu season prompts local hospital to turn to temporary mobile unit
- Munley named administrator for Shriners Hospitals for Children
- Palmetto Health, Doctors Care teaming up at 14 Midlands locations

## TENNESSEE

- Regional One Health Looking to Grow, CEO Says
- Several Tennessee health clinics close; nonprofit to step in
- Mayor proposes roughly \$13M subsidy for Nashville General
- St. Thomas Rutherford Hospital Receives \$6 Million for Expansion
- As merger deadline approaches, Ballad Health emerges on social media
- Hiring Freeze, Cuts Proposed To Save Nashville General Hospital
- PARIS TN: Hospital selects new ER doctor management company
- Tennessee judge allows CHS' lawsuit against ex-Lutheran CEO to move forward
- MSHA announces management changes ahead of Ballad
- Ballad Health merger receives final approval from the Tennessee Department of Health
- New Le Bonheur outpatient center brings healthcare closer to home
- Debt-burdened CHS Sells TN Hospital to Cash-strapped Rennova
- HCA Healthcare 4Q Profit Hit by Higher Taxes; Plans Quarterly Dividends

- How does an Amazon, Berkshire Hathaway healthcare company impact Nashville?
- Quorum Health CFO to resign
- CHS sells Tennessee hospital
- How HCA plans to spend half-a-billion dollars in tax savings
- CHS' Wayne Smith says it will take years to feel the effects of consumerism
- Memphis noted as city of doctors, nurses and pharmacists
- CEO-elect of Ballad Health abruptly retires

## **SOUTH-CENTRAL/SOUTHWEST**

*(Arkansas, Arizona, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas)*

### **ARKANSAS**

- UAMS Medical Center CFO Resigns
- Washington Regional conducting own review after doctor's hospital privileges terminated
- Hospital's new CEO makes growth priority
- Committee Raises Questions of Collusion Between UAMS, Baptist

### **ARIZONA**

- Robotic technology helping with spinal surgeries at Phoenix hospital
- New Marana 'freestanding ER' set to open this month
- Flu numbers surge in Arizona
- Banner Health selects new chief clinical officer

### **LOUISIANA**

- What's in it for Ochsner? New revenue, statewide presence in move to manage north Louisiana safety-net hospitals
- Convictions of New Orleans doctor, company owner in Medicare fraud case overturned
- Slidell Memorial Hospital CEO Bill Davis to depart at year-end

### **NEW MEXICO**

- Local nurses favor updated multistate license bill
- Molina Healthcare seeks injunction over Medicaid contract
- Hospital reports positive financial turn
- DaVita promotes ABQ executive to lead Washington market

### **OKLAHOMA**

- Oklahoma Heart Hospital boasts 98 percent retention rate for nurses
- OU hospitals transfer to new ownership

### **TEXAS**

- [SCL Health names Baylor Health veteran as new chief financial officer](#)
- [Too many lawsuits or bad nursing home care? What's behind bankruptcy, injuries, deaths at Texas-based chain](#)
- [Tenet Hospital in Chicago Expected to Fetch \\$270M](#)
- [The Hospitals of Providence names new COO](#)
- [Critics say Texas-based nursing home operator using bankruptcy to hide from dozens of lawsuits](#)
- [GSMC-Marshall CEO set to retire this week](#)
- [What San Angelo hospitals and colleges are doing about the nursing shortage](#)
- [Hospital statistics: Learn more about Plano's growing health care industry](#)
- [Doctors Hospital unveils new ICU and Cardiac Rehab unit](#)
- [Las Palmas rehab hospital gets new med director, update](#)
- [SA on-demand health and technology company expanding to Austin](#)
- [Christus Good Shepherd Medical Center-Marshall CEO retires](#)
- [See North Texas' highest-paid hospital executives](#)
- [SHSU answers call for healthcare need in Texas](#)
- [\\$30M donation transforms UTSA Cancer Center to heal South Texans](#)
- [North Texas emergency room chain relocates, cuts its corporate office space in half](#)
- [Gainesville hospital announces partnership with management company](#)
- [Major shareholder wants more frequent oversight of Tenet's board](#)

## **NORTHWEST**

*(Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming)*

### **IDAHO**

- [Madison Memorial launches telehealth ICU](#)
- [Power County Hospital Renovation](#)

### **MONTANA**

- [Bozeman Health opening convenience care clinic](#)
- [MT Hospital Swaps NextGen EHR for athenahealth EHR Replacement](#)
- [Employees at 5 hospitals go to court to challenge deal with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Montana](#)

### **OREGON**

- [CMH Hires New Financial Officer](#)
- [Tuality Healthcare appoints new president](#)
- [Portland Area Clinics Negotiate New Contracts After FamilyCare Closure](#)
- [Report: Oregon's health care transformation is working](#)

- It's T minus 24 hours, or so, until FamilyCare's shutdown
- Oregon State Hospital has a new superintendent

## WASHINGTON

- Necessity or nonsense? Should Trios bankruptcy prevent the release of public records?
- The Everett Clinic Announces Senior Leadership Transitions
- As health tech booms, new census counts more than 460 health startups in Washington state
- Study: More than 600k Washington state patients received \$282M in unnecessary medical care in one year

## WEST

*(California, Colorado, Hawaii, Nevada, Utah)*

### CALIFORNIA

- Meet the new president of the California Association of Healthcare Leaders
- Kaweah Delta hospital district names Malinda Tupper CFO
- Richmond: New health center to be named for pioneering doctor
- 2 California urologists to pay \$1.085 million for alleged violations
- Kearns to retire as Rady's CEO
- Legislators approve audit of Tulare hospital finances
- Nurses Association negotiator calls UC contract proposals 'egregious'
- Kilroy snags South S.F. biotech project, home to 23andMe labs
- Lompoc Valley Medical Center CEO to retire in June
- Enloe Medical Center CEO talks rural hospital challenges

### COLORADO

- SCL Health names Baylor Health veteran as new chief financial officer
- Nursing Shortage Prompts Bill To Help More Nurses Stay In Colorado
- Colorado Plains Medical Center recognizes Matt Laws
- JeffCo health is working to fix community inequities by fixing themselves first
- Northwest Colorado Health names new CEO
- Colorado hospital pilot reduced opioid use by focusing on alternative pain therapy in the ER
- Ryan Rohman named COO at 2 UCHealth campuses
- Aspen hospital suspends elective surgeries due to problems with steam sterilization process
- MedAware raises funds to grow medical-study database
- Parkview Medical Center hires Jon Riggs as CFO

### HAWAII

- Hilo Medical Center undergoing \$28 million in renovations

## NEVADA

- UNR School of Medicine expanding to better serve the community - and Nevada
- Mesa View Hospital CEO To Retire, Replacement Selected
- Nevada Regional Medical Center looks for ways to increase revenue

## UTAH

- Utah medical group transfers 2,300 employees to new company
- Intermountain acquires \$20M stake in R1 RCM
- Intermountain COO Rob Allen talks challenges, goals and plan to transfer 2,300 employees to R1 RCM