

HEALTH PROVIDER NEWS - AUGUST 23, 2019

NATIONAL

- CMS proposes 2020 rate for total knee arthroplasty
- News report on healthcare billing fraud prompts senators' call for federal action
- More than 50% of healthcare providers not compliant with HIPAA right of access
- 12 healthcare companies that are the highest-paying employers in their state
- CMS brings controversial star ratings system to ACA plans
- Star ratings coming to ACA plans: 4 things to know
- The Role of Telehealth in Disaster Recovery
- Only 11% of Acute-Care Providers Use An Integrated EHR, Study Finds
- OCR Maintaining HIPAA Enforcement, Small Breaches Face Greater Scrutiny
- Using Data Analytics to Reach Five-Star Medicare Quality Measures
- How 8 health systems are investing their venture capital dollars
- HHS helps providers respond to mass violence
- D.C. circuit court reinstates 2017 DSH payments rule
- EHRs linked with smartphones spur patient interest, study shows
- CMS to update hospital star ratings early next year despite blowback
- Banning hospital advertising could increase readmissions, study finds
- Where supply chain analytics can go wrong: 3 Qs with BroadJump's Lauren Davis
- HHS renews fight to require drug prices in TV ads
- How blockchain could help healthcare industry save millions
- Hospitals urge CMS to eliminate 'temporary' codes for nonphysician services
- Where the AHA is focusing its lobbying efforts in September
- Why the growth of cybersecurity in healthcare may not prevent data breaches
- HHS awards \$107M for health centers, recognizes excellence in HIT and telehealth

NORTHEAST

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

CONNECTICUT

- Hartford Healthcare gets state OK for St. Vincent's acquisition

- Prospect Medical Holdings eyes deal with Connecticut hospital
- State approves Ascension's sale of Connecticut hospital
- Patient falls, abuse cited in CT nursing home violations
- Prospect Medical Holdings eyes deal with Connecticut hospital
- Patient records at Connecticut health system potentially exposed in shipping mishap
- Eastern Connecticut Health Network CEO Michael Collins retiring this year
- Hospital of Central CT eyes stake in Rocky Hill surgery facility

MAINE

- L.L. Bean heir and wife donate \$1M to Maine hospital
- Mercy Hospital receives \$1M gift from Gormans
- MaineHealth, Anthem launch joint venture
- Rural Hospitals Say 'Medicare For All' Would End Up 'Closing Our Doors'
- Maine clinics, hospitals get boost to fight opioid crisis
- Lions Club first benefactor in hospital expansion effort

MASSACHUSETTS

- Jeannette Ives Erickson named interim leader at Nantucket hospital
- Tufts, Harvard Pilgrim say they intend to merge
- 4 new joint-venture ASCs
- Baystate to acquire Connecticut River Internists after all four doctors retire
- HealthAlliance CEO leaving Fitchburg, Leominster, Clinton hospitals
- Compensation for former Partners chief executive tops \$6M
- Massachusetts hospital CEO Deborah Weymouth resigns
- Cape Cod Healthcare begins Epic EHR transition, \$180M patient tower project
- Shattuck Hospital employee accused of hitting patient, 6 staff members placed on leave

NEW HAMPSHIRE

- Private equity's role in the future of healthcare
- New Hampshire getting \$5M public health grant
- Gillibrand says NH helped form her mental health plan
- State labs get \$5 million biomonitoring grant from CDC

NEW YORK

- Massena hospital board votes to close Brasher clinic
- NYC Health + Hospitals/Bellevue advances quality care for trauma patients

- New training center dedicated at Catholic Health to address caregiver turnover
- How Concierge Home Care Company Alliance More Than Tripled Its Revenue
- Good Samaritan opens \$9M orthopedic surgery center in New York City suburb
- New York hospital faces financial peril without buyer
- New York hospital to end outpatient behavioral health services
- Nomad Health and PathSpot top New York's recent funding news
- New York hospital opens upgraded orthopedic surgery center — 3 insights

RHODE ISLAND

- Geriatric Workforce program at URI aims to improve elder health care
- Newport Hospital cuts ribbon on renovated emergency department
- Hasbro Children's Hospital unveils new pediatric surgery waiting room
- Kent Hospital nurse recognized

VERMONT

- Vermont seeks meeting with feds to talk drug importation
- Hospital proposes 2.65% rate increase for 2020 budget
- Patient refund checks on hold amid Vermont health system's bankruptcy

MID-ATLANTIC / EAST

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

DELAWARE

- Delaware denies approval for rural emergency room
- Health service groups in Sussex seek merger
- Christiana Care to review state's controversial prison health care systems
- UD-led program receives \$23.5M for biomed research
- Delaware board blocks Beebe's plans to build emergency department
- Christiana Care lease tops list of largest Delaware Valley Office leases
- Delaware Has 8th Longest Wait List for Organ Transplants

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

- 'We lost something special': The women's hospital in D.C. that became a Trader Joe's
- After 112 years, Takoma Park's Washington Adventist Hospital departs for White Oak
- 14 hospitals closed so far this year — here's why
- MedStar Washington Hospital Center Medical-Surgical Unit Receives AMSN PRISM Award
- Inside Forward: D.C.'s new high-tech doctor's office

MARYLAND

- Uptick in 'guardianship cases' leave Maryland patients in EDs for months
- Anne Arundel hospitals see increase in non-emergency patients occupying beds for extended periods of time
- New Floor Opens At MedStar Good Samaritan Hospital To Help Inpatient Treatment
- MedStar Good Samaritan Hospital to debut \$17.5M inpatient rehab unit
- GBMC seeks state approval for \$108M hospital expansion
- Dedication of a new Adventist hospital in the U.S. state of Maryland

NEW JERSEY

- New Jersey Hospital Cuts Stroke Readmission Rate Through mHealth
- To Solve Hospital Overcrowding, Think Like a Mathematician
- Atlantic Health awarded N.J.'s first and only NCORP site designation
- 4 N.J. hospitals ranked NRC Health's Top 100 for consumer loyalty
- 11 child deaths lead to new law to address outbreaks in New Jersey nursing homes

PENNSYLVANIA

- Penn Med withdraws \$5.23M judgment against Ellwood City Medical Center
- UPMC's 130-bed replacement hospital opens this weekend
- Philadelphia hospital shuts down emergency department
- Csikos named chief medical officer
- Erie hospitals differ on whether patients are switching back
- Temple, other Philly-area health care facilities earn LGBTQ-friendly distinction
- Pennsylvania rural hospital leader receives national high-quality care award
- Pa. hospital trade group launches new collaborative effort to fight opioid abuse
- Physicians Endoscopy names new CEO & more
- UHS execs, directors escape lawsuit over billing practices
- Patients, family members struggle to obtain medical records from Hahnemann University Hospital
- Allegheny Health Network adds 9th hospital
- Hahnemann international residents secure new jobs, avoid deportation
- Pennsylvania hospital closer to resolving debt issues
- Healthcare data sharing efforts are insufficient, UPMC survey finds
- Highmark CEO says new UPMC deal will attract members, but hospitals differ on patient retention post-feud

VIRGINIA

- Sentara Norfolk's new \$200 million expansion includes 2 helicopter pads

- Hospital services moving from Norton to Gap
- Ballad unveils planned changes at Wise hospitals
- Ballad announces plans for Norton, Big Stone Gap hospital reorganizations
- Southwest Virginia healthcare group receives federal grant from U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

WEST VIRGINIA

- Physician, substance abuse treatment center to pay \$1.4 million to resolve civil claims
- Former Ohio Governor and WVU President launch hospital-focused solution to address opioid crisis
- Heart patient claims Highmark West Virginian wrongfully denied claims for emergency care
- West Virginia health advocates call for lowering prescription drug prices

CENTRAL

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

IOWA

- UnityPoint and Sanford deal reflects national trend
- University of Iowa Hospitals faces potential class-action lawsuit over pay practices
- Sanders Trust building \$23 million Iowa rehab hospital
- Data security breach hits eastern Iowa hospital
- UIHC Healthcare Workers File Suit Alleging Delays In Overtime Pay
- University of Iowa nurses, others sue regents for 'illegal' pay practices
- Nurses sue University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Board of Regents for late wage payments

KANSAS

- Missouri, Kansas HIEs team up to share EHR data of 20M+ patients
- Two of the country's largest HIEs team up to share data on Midwest patients
- Stormont Vail Health Elevates Importance of Technology
- Hays First Care Clinic, Sheridan County to share in \$1M grant to Kansas health centers
- \$3.4 Million Expansion of KU Salina Med-School
- Kansas tells Medicaid contractor to improve current plan
- KVC Hospitals Wichita now provides inpatient mental health care for youth ages 6 to 18
- As rural hospital closes, emergency care is on the blink with fate uncertain

MINNESOTA

- St. Croix Hospice Acquires Hometown Hospice & Home Care
- Mayo Clinic's cancer telerehab program boosts quality of life
- Duluth hospitals accused of ignoring mental health in their plans

- Fairview Health CEO: Managed care is not the answer
- Hundreds of Essentia Health, St. Luke's nurses picket in Minnesota
- Mayo Clinic Plummer Project co-chair Dr. Steve Peters on EHR customization, innovation

MISSOURI

- Missouri, Kansas HIEs team up to share EHR data of 20M+ patients
- SSM Health partners with Denver firm to offer new primary care option
- SSM, Paladina to offer primary care with no copays, out-of-pocket expenses
- SSM Health Medical Minute: New ER concept coming to SLU Hospital
- Two of the country's largest HIEs team up to share data on Midwest patients
- Mercy Unveils Health Data Network to Pool Clinical Data for Analysis
- Boone Hospital seeks to operate independently in 2021
- Eduardo Conrado is Ascension's chief strategy and innovations officer, a role that 'starts and ends with people'
- University of Missouri Health Care's Kevin Gwin on how data can help enhance patient experience
- Fulton State Hospital up and running new high-security building
- A Mid-Missouri hospital parts ways with BJC

NEBRASKA

- CHI Nebraska Heart leads the state in life-changing procedure
- Inside the Simulation Center at Bryan Health East Campus
- Nebraska HIE partners with cloud-based data exchange platform
- Nebraskans Getting Creative To Address 'Staggering' Mental Health Provider Shortage

NORTH DAKOTA

- Trinity Health rejects hepatitis allegations
- Northland receives grant funding

SOUTH DAKOTA

- UnityPoint and Sanford deal reflects national trend
- Sanford Health cuts ties with neurosurgeon in center of lawsuit
- Sanford Health Fires Surgeon Amid Federal Investigation

MIDWEST

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

ILLINOIS

- \$1 Million Penalty Brings Record Nursing Home Default Near an End
- Illinois to Invest \$420M in Broadband for Rural Telehealth, Education

- Advocate Aurora receives \$10M cancer grant
- Westlake Hospital employees attend federal hearing on bankruptcy
- MetroSouth operators eye earlier closing date for Blue Island hospital
- Moore named CEO at Galesburg Cottage Hospital
- Spotlight on Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago
- Amita's Joliet hospital CEO resigns
- Rush launches new EHR app
- Illinois hospital to close Sept. 30
- OSF HealthCare CFO dares hospital leaders to let go of the status quo
- Hospital Plans to Eliminate Obstetrical Unit, But Ties to Community Remain Strong
- New Provident Hospital being planned

INDIANA

- 4 new joint-venture ASCs
- Indiana University Health White Memorial Hospital grant will upgrade equipment, patient services
- HealthLinc to take over clinic in LaPorte
- DCMH expands vascular services
- Hendricks Regional Health Launches Paramedicine Program
- What keeps IU Health's VP of quality, safety and performance improvement up at night — and makes her get out of bed in the AM
- \$725,000 for St. Claire HealthCare to combat opioid epidemic
- \$2M grant will boost nurse scientist training at Indiana University
- Healthcare Foundation of La Porte Breaks Ground
- Auction delayed for former St. Joseph Hospital building
- Memorial Hospital Police recognized as best in the state

KENTUCKY

- 4 new joint-venture ASCs
- T.J. Regional Health to collaborate with hospitals statewide to fight opioid epidemic
- How U of L's purchase of Jewish Hospital could transform health care in Louisville area
- Norton Healthcare finances boosted by quality bonus, facility sale
- U of L to rename Our Lady of Peace, Sts. Mary & Elizabeth Hospital
- Why a Kentucky hospital lost its Medicare funding
- Kentucky releases sexual assault training video for hospitals
- Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital CMO Dr. John Darnell to retire

- Kindred Healthcare appoints senior vice president and chief medical officer
- License revoked for Kentucky doctor who put unnecessary pacemakers in patients
- T.J. Samson Community Hospital joins the fight against opioid abuse

MICHIGAN

- Medical group sues Trinity Health for trying to hire away clinicians
- Michigan Medicine notifies patients of health information breach
- West Olive practice joins Mercy Health
- Federal \$1M grant targets opioid epidemic in northern Michigan
- Beaumont Health's net income climbs to \$209M in first half of 2019
- The recipe for St. Joseph Mercy Oakland's future success? AI, blockchain and predictive analytics
- Medical Mile could soon be official name for renowned health corridor

OHIO

- Fisher-Titus Health System appoints Matthew Mattner COO
- New \$20 million nursing home in Strongsville approved by city planners
- Ohio hospital seeks zoning permission for surgery center, medical office building
- OSU medical center, local fire departments pilot EHR data sharing exchange
- Ohio aims to combat nurse burnout with new bill
- OSU's Wexner Medical Center Pilots EMS-Hospital Health Data Exchange
- Aultman, Akron Children's complete NICU agreement
- One Health Ohio Extends Range of Care with Rise Recovery
- Dayton hospital network gets 'A' bond rating
- 'Surprise' medical bills tack on big charges to local patients' accounts
- Martins Ferry officials trying to keep East Ohio Regional Hospital open
- Akron Children's Hospital program to help teach babies, children with hearing loss gets grant
- Trinity Health System holds 'meet and greet' in Ferry

WISCONSIN

- St. Croix Hospice Acquires Hometown Hospice & Home Care
- Gundersen Health System receives \$15.6 million grant for cancer research
- Beloit Health System celebrates 50 years
- Marshfield Clinic Breaks Ground on Neillsville Hospital
- North Central Healthcare will take over permanently as Pine Crest Nursing Home administrator
- Advocate Aurora receives \$10M cancer grant

- Aspirus Langlade Hospital invests in solar power
- Wisconsin lawmakers unveil bill to extend telehealth services to Medicaid patients

SOUTH / SOUTHEAST

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

ALABAMA

- Alabama orthopedic practice pays \$1.2M to settle billing, self-referral allegations
- Baldwin Bone and Joint to pay \$1.2 million to settle lawsuit
- UAB Medicine, Alabama hospital partner on telehealth-based dialysis treatments
- Sanders Trust building \$23 million Iowa rehab hospital

FLORIDA

- FWB Medical Center to open Navarre emergency clinic
- Bolder shoulder: Prosthetic device fuels big growth for medical tech startup
- Central Florida Regional Hospital Launches Comprehensive Spine Care Program
- Florida's Surprise Bill Law Could Be Template For Federal Legislation
- Tampa General's new 'command center' cuts delays, saving millions
- Jacksonville pediatric trauma center treats over 700 children in first year
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- Ascension Sacred Heart Hospital names new president
- AMCA data breach scope expands, Florida lab testing company alerts 30,000 patients
- Bayfront Health lays off 30 employees
- Orlando Health's Michelle Taverna Farrell on Epic transition, employee education and team success
- Billboards trumpeting arrival of telemedicine
- New CEO of West Florida Hospital announced
- Bayfront Health system leader departs after 18 months on the job

GEORGIA

- Piedmont Healthcare joins nonprofit generic drug company Civica
- Eastside Medical Center selects John Hoover as COO
- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta's operating income jumps in Q2
- New Report Examines Hospital Cybersecurity Challenges in Georgia
- Gwinnett hospitals merge into Northside system starting Aug. 28

MISSISSIPPI

- Mississippi Hospital Associations awards NMMC Eupora

- Mississippi Children's Hospital Reaches Expansion Milestone
- Lawsuit: Ambulance wait a factor in Mississippi mom's death
- Medicaid Expansion Debate at Center of Waller v. Reeves Runoff

NORTH CAROLINA

- 4 new joint-venture ASCs
- NHRMC medical staff asks county to delay vote on potential hospital sale
- North Carolina considers expansion requests
- Nomad Health lands \$34M to double staff, open NC office
- Wanda Coley Moves To UnitedHealthcare; Well Care Names Interim COO
- The promise of tech in healthcare: How WakeMed CIO Dr. Peter Marks sees data driving health in the future
- Greensboro medical transport company ordered to pay back more than \$5 million to Medicaid for fraud
- \$31.5M ASC expansion set to open in North Carolina
- Despite increased pace of grants, NC nursing homes risk losing out on penalty dollars
- Potential hospital sale raises questions about quality of care
- CaroMont-Belmont Abbey partnership taking shape
- Angel Medical Center CEO Hopes To Break Ground On New Location In 2020
- Woman's Hospital hires new CEO, former executive at Duke Regional in North Carolina
- Wake Forest Baptist Health opens surgery center
- Hundreds attend meeting about potential sale of NHRMC
- Atrium Health Cabarrus to implement new security measures
- Carolinas Medical Center deploys smartphone-based communications tech for caregivers
- Vidant Medical Center recognized for cancer fighting efforts
- CON reforms may be rolled into proposed health-care session
- Pfizer to invest \$500M in North Carolina gene therapy plant
- Hospital names new chief nursing officer

SOUTH CAROLINA

- Innovation at the heart of MUSC's new children's hospital
- Charleston area hospitals will add at least 1,150 jobs this year
- Man arrested in connection with threatening calls made to MUSC's ER
- Construction Finishes at Medical University Of South Carolina
- KershawHealth selects Sue Shugart as CEO
- MUSC patient arrested after threatening to shoot hospital employees

- New cancer treatment center to open in Conway with Duke Health affiliate
- SC Attorney General sues nation's largest drug shippers over pain pill distribution

TENNESSEE

- Ballad Health reports annual results: high-ranking hospitals in quality, strong financial performance and significant investment in region
- Houston nonprofit launches accelerator program to give women-led startup a leg up within health care
- TeamHealth co-founder has always worked in the trenches
- Southern Tennessee Regional Health System appoints Cliff Wilson CEO of 2 campuses
- Diversity doesn't happen by chance: How Tennessee hospital CEOs are working to change their C-suites
- CHS hit with another shareholder lawsuit
- Tennessee hospital plans to reopen after abruptly closing in June
- Ballad Health posts annual results from first year as combined system

SOUTH-CENTRAL / SOUTHWEST

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

ARKANSAS

- Northwest Health launches Apple's iPhone health records app
- Arkansas hospital closes with no notice
- Former Arkansas physician charged in deaths of 3 patients
- Hospital in Jacksonville shifts its focus, closes ER

ARIZONA

- Arizona hospital rolls out chatbot text service for ED patients
- Phoenix Children's Earns Five Star Patient Care "Vigi Award"
- Mountain Vista Medical Center names William Comer president
- How MIHS slashed hours off providers' daily EHR time: CMIO Dr. Anthony Dunnigan

LOUISIANA

- Louisiana awarded \$5 million in fight against opioid crisis
- Protests could stall Louisiana Medicaid contract negotiation
- Barbara Griffith named CEO of Woman's Hospital in Baton Rouge
- AG will hear comments about Tech Regional - Ochsner deal
- Telehealth begins in 12 New Orleans public schools
- BCBS of Louisiana unit's supplier suit heads to SCOTUS
- Centene, Aetna protest after losing lucrative Louisiana Medicaid contracts

NEW MEXICO

- DaVita Medical names new NM regional president
- New Mexico settles with 2 more behavioral health providers
- ABQ home health care company rebrands

OKLAHOMA

- OU surgeon brings robotic liver cancer surgery to Oklahoma
- Oklahoma pharmacist to pay \$1 million restitution after plea
- AllianceHealth Woodward names Landon Hise CEO
- Political notebook: New No. 2 named at Oklahoma Health Care Authority
- Lawmakers told behaviors to blame for most of Oklahoma's health problems
- Legislative Healthcare Working group looks to set goals for Oklahoma
- Key facts to know about Medicaid expansion proposal
- Surgeon general visits OU Health Sciences Center

TEXAS

- Nexeon MedSystems CEO trusts his team to face tough challenges
- Dallas Medical Center receives Patient Safety Excellence award
- UTHealth launches dentist-to-dentist 'telementoring' program
- San Angelo Community Medical Center appoints Rodney Schumacher CEO
- Judgment Entered Against 4 Defendants In Home Health Care Fraud Case For A Total Of \$339.4 Million
- Tenet appoints former US Army surgeon general to its board, announces 2 retirements
- Five questions for Julie Kaplow, Ph.D., director of the Texas Children's Hospital Trauma and Grief Center
- Douglas Myers hired as senior vice president, CFO at Driscoll Health System
- El Paso VA Healthcare System to break ground on new facility for veterans
- Equipment from shuttered physician-owned hospital in Texas to go up for auction
- Abilene Regional Medical Center selects COO
- Texas oncologist, hospital blame each other for patients' lack of health records access
- At Children's Health, 'consumer-centricity' is more than just a business strategy: 4 questions with CXO Keri Kaiser
- Surgeon keeps \$6.4M defamation award in feud with Memorial Hermann
- Texas surprise-billing legislation leaves out employer-sponsored insurance
- Signify Health and Remedy Partners to merge
- Children's Health Dallas' Investments Director Departing

NORTHWEST

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

ALASKA

- Alaska Governor Vetoes Bill To Restore Sharp Medicaid Cuts
- Alaska governor OKs \$77M in cuts to state Medicaid spending, dental benefits
- Alaska Health care advocates critical of Medicaid overall report
- Alaska Communications Statement on the Federal Communications Commission's Rural Health Care Order

IDAHO

- Creative Recruiting Helps Rural Hospitals Overcome Doctor Shortages
- EIRMC launching new logo and mission
- Orofino, Cottonwood hospitals to join with nearby Kootenai Health in effort to improve care
- Dr. Mark Nassir named president of Saint Alphonsus Medical Group

MONTANA

- Health center receives \$167k grant for behavioral health
- Feds approve Montana's health reinsurance pool
- Study: MT hospital prices for insured patients higher than many other states
- The opioid crisis in Montana will take an "all-hands-on-deck effort" says Tester
- Eastern Montana's only psychiatrist is grappling with highest suicide rate in the country
- CPSI gains another contract in Montana from 7-bed facility

OREGON

- State faces insurrection of Portland hospitals over CCO plan
- Oregon Association of Hospitals and Health Systems Names Next CEO
- Two Oregon health care giants to join forces in Medicaid
- OHA director urges Portland hospitals to contract with Trillium
- Providence to partner with Oregon's largest Medicaid health plan
- State faces insurrection of Portland hospitals over CCO plan
- Oregon lists 25 costliest, most-prescribed drugs
- Columbia Memorial nurses picket for new contract

WASHINGTON

- Seattle Children's Hospital avoids punishment for mold infections in patients
- Children's Hospital avoids federal sanctions
- Seattle Children's Hospital kept info about deadly mold under wraps, emails show
- Seattle Children's will keep Medicare contract
- How Providence St. Joseph Health is forming an engaged digital relationship with patients: Q&A with Chief Digital Officer Aaron Martin

WYOMING

- Wyoming Hospital to deploy Epic EHR
- Riverton, plagued by service cuts, eyes public hospital ownership
- IMH to implement new medical record system Saturday
- Rural Western States Work Together to Tackle Physician Shortages

WEST

(California, Colorado, Hawaii, Nevada, Utah)

CALIFORNIA

- Paging more doctors: California's worsening physician shortage
- Beaver Medical Clinic to pay \$5 million to settle false claims act allegations
- Palomar Health breaks ground on rehabilitation hospital
- Prospect Medical Holdings eyes deal with Connecticut hospital
- How UCSF reduced physician burnout by 45%
- Adventist Health Rideout implements Cerner EHR
- 'The Big One': How California hospitals are preparing for earthquakes
- Hackers steal California hospital's website domain, email addresses
- California hospital receives \$7M donation to support expansion
- Prospect Medical Holdings eyes deal with Connecticut hospital
- Dignity Health nurses plan 10-day strike

COLORADO

- SSM Health partners with Denver firm to offer new primary care option
- Colorado Makes 'Rare' Move to Shut Down Home Health Care Provider
- \$190 or \$47,779? Colorado emergency charges vary wildly across state
- SCL Health announces new St. Mary's president
- Metro Urgent Care clinics close abruptly, leaving employees and patients in a lurch
- St. Mary's Medical Center taps Bryan Johnson as president
- Estes Park Hospital says it will close under Medicare for All
- Another orthopedic and sports medicine center planned for North Nevada Avenue
- UCHealth breaks ground on new medical building in Colorado Springs

HAWAII

- Hawaii physician: Why price transparency efforts are 'bound to backfire'
- Limited Training Options Worsen Hawaii's Doctor Shortage

NEVADA

- Councilman on Medical District: 'We need to be very, very competitive'
- Voters show strong support of NRMC in special election

UTAH

- Dixie Regional Medical Center announces plans to build hospital in Hurricane
- Audit Shows Crucial Mental Health Services Operating At \$1M Deficit
- Intermountain Healthcare considers 5-year plan for proposed hospital in Hurricane