



## Impact of Policies on Rural Communities

### Arkansas

| Provider Name/Number                                       | Provider Type | Operating Margin <sup>1</sup> | Sequestration <sup>2</sup><br>2% Inpatient and Outpatient Medicare Revenue Cut |                                 |                                 | Bad Debt Reimbursement Cut <sup>3</sup><br>35% Medicare Bad Debt Reimburesment Cut |                                 |                                 |
|--|---------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|  |               |                               | Annual Revenue Lost <sup>1</sup>   | Potential Job Loss <sup>4</sup> | Potential GDP Loss <sup>5</sup> | Annual Revenue Lost <sup>1</sup>   | Potential Job Loss <sup>4</sup> | Potential GDP Loss <sup>5</sup> |
| Arkansas Methodist Medical Center (040039)                 | RPPS          | -4.6%                         | \$339,785  | 7                               | \$1,003,001                     | \$72,171   | 1                               | \$213,039                       |
| Ashley County Medical Center (041323)                      | CAH           | -2.9%                         | \$166,457  | 3                               | \$465,174                       | \$0  | 0                               | \$0                             |
| Baptist Health Medical Center - Arkadelphia (041321)       | CAH           | 6.4%                          | \$90,797   | 1                               | \$198,765                       | \$62,553   | 1                               | \$136,935                       |
| Baptist Health Medical Center - Drew County (040051)       | RPPS          | 11.0%                         | \$213,842  | 4                               | \$533,851                       | \$33,615   | 1                               | \$83,918                        |
| Baptist Health Medical Center - Heber Springs (041312)     | CAH           | 6.4%                          | \$108,437  | 2                               | \$255,141                       | \$71,950   | 1                               | \$169,292                       |
| Baptist Health Medical Center - Hot Spring County (040076) | RPPS          | 1.6%                          | \$129,327  | 2                               | \$283,786                       | \$31,661   | 0                               | \$69,475                        |
| Baptist Health Medical Center - Stuttgart (040072)         | RPPS          | -21.5%                        | \$101,267  | 2                               | \$242,226                       | \$38,168   | 1                               | \$91,296                        |
| Bradley County Medical Center (041327)                     | CAH           | -2.5%                         | \$98,371   | 2                               | \$288,252                       | \$45,688   | 1                               | \$133,876                       |
| CHI St Vincent Morrilton (041324)                          | CAH           | -28.8%                        | \$46,546   | 1                               | \$130,076                       | \$52,524   | 1                               | \$146,782                       |
| Chicot Memorial Medical Center (041328)                    | CAH           | -9.3%                         | \$44,579   | 1                               | \$148,725                       | \$13,778   | 0                               | \$45,968                        |
| CrossRidge Community Hospital (041307)                     | CAH           | -24.8%                        | \$72,850   | 2                               | \$308,453                       | \$4,361  | 0                               | \$18,463                        |
| Dallas County Medical Center (041317)                      | CAH           | 3.8%                          | \$45,812   | 1                               | \$125,222                       | \$19,239   | 0                               | \$52,587                        |
| Dardanelle Regional Medical Center (041302)                | CAH           | 0.5%                          | \$44,203   | 1                               | \$122,114                       | \$21,204   | 0                               | \$58,577                        |
| Delta Memorial Hospital (041326)                           | CAH           | -9.1%                         | \$42,889   | 1                               | \$141,367                       | \$0  | 0                               | \$0                             |

<sup>1</sup> CMS Healthcare Cost Report Information System (HCRIS) Q4 2025. 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.

<sup>2</sup> Budget control Act of 2011

<sup>3</sup> Middle class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012

<sup>4</sup> National Center for Rural Health works, 2016

<sup>5</sup> The World Bank, 2023



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| Forrest City Medical Center (040019)        | RPPS          | -14.3%           | \$114,774   | 2                  | \$326,749          | \$32,976  | 1                  | \$93,878           |
| Fulton County Hospital (041322)             | CAH           | -13.9%           | \$28,598  | 1                  | \$109,513          | \$5,485   | 0                  | \$21,003           |
| Great River Medical Center (040069)         | RPPS          | -9.5%            | \$41,443  | 1                  | \$151,750          | \$9,677   | 0                  | \$35,435           |
| Howard Memorial Hospital (041311)           | CAH           | -1.8%            | \$97,496  | 2                  | \$271,833          | \$50,533  | 1                  | \$140,893          |
| Izard Regional Hospital (041306)            | CAH           | -14.0%           | \$78,167  | 1                  | \$218,443          | \$10,049  | 0                  | \$28,082           |
| John Ed Chambers Memorial Hospital (040011) | RPPS          | 0.5%             | \$182,476   | 4                  | \$622,200          | \$77,309  | 2                  | \$263,605          |
| Johnson Regional Medical Center (040002)    | RPPS          | -10.6%           | \$107,385   | 2                  | \$353,405          | \$2,719   | 0                  | \$8,948            |
| Lawrence Memorial Hospital (041309)         | CAH           | -22.7%           | \$34,241  | 0                  | \$68,839           | \$21,833  | 0                  | \$43,894           |
| Little River Memorial Hospital (041320)     | CAH           | -11.2%           | \$32,663  | 1                  | \$94,551           | \$8,138   | 0                  | \$23,556           |
| Magnolia Regional Medical Center (040067)   | RPPS          | -33.9%           | \$159,070   | 3                  | \$504,267          | \$14,764  | 0                  | \$46,805           |
| McGehee Hospital (041308)                   | CAH           | 3.4%             | \$51,782  | 1                  | \$167,994          | \$7,653   | 0                  | \$24,827           |
| Mena Medical Center (040015)                | RPPS          | 4.3%             | \$127,485   | 2                  | \$342,636          | \$31,922  | 1                  | \$85,795           |
| Mercy Hospital Berryville (041329)          | CAH           | 3.1%             | \$95,419  | 1                  | \$211,572          | \$25,708  | 0                  | \$57,001           |
| Mercy Hospital Booneville (041318)          | CAH           | -3.1%            | \$45,929  | 1                  | \$80,630           | \$21,748  | 0                  | \$38,179           |



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| Mercy Hospital Ozark (041303)                       | CAH           | 7.7%             | \$42,083  | 1                  | \$81,910           | \$17,227  | 0                  | \$33,531           |
| Mercy Hospital Paris (041300)                       | CAH           | 4.1%             | \$34,160  | 0                  | \$59,821           | \$18,899  | 0                  | \$33,095           |
| Mercy Hospital Waldron (041305)                     | CAH           | -5.8%            | \$38,278  | 0                  | \$74,085           | \$21,543  | 0                  | \$41,695           |
| North Arkansas Regional Medical Center (040017)     | RPPS          | -2.9%            | \$367,166   | 6                  | \$960,483          | \$50,357  | 1                  | \$131,730          |
| Ouachita County Medical Center (040050)             | RPPS          | -8.0%            | \$89,510  | 3                  | \$401,774          | \$15,578  | 0                  | \$69,922           |
| Ozark Health Medical Center (041313)                | CAH           | 1.3%             | \$47,786  | 1                  | \$172,119          | \$0   | 0                  | \$0                |
| Ozarks Community Hospital of Gravette (041331)      | CAH           | 4.2%             | \$184,796   | 4                  | \$634,352          | \$70,891  | 2                  | \$243,348          |
| Piggott Health System (041330)                      | CAH           | -10.4%           | \$101,422   | 2                  | \$341,938          | \$53,422  | 1                  | \$180,110          |
| Siloam Springs Regional Hospital (040001)           | RPPS          | -5.8%            | \$369,527   | 6                  | \$875,717          | \$31,169  | 0                  | \$73,866           |
| South Arkansas Regional Hospital (040088)           | RPPS          | -23.9%           | \$240,547   | 4                  | \$630,847          | \$0   | 0                  | \$0                |
| Southwest Arkansas Regional Medical Center (040153) | RPPS          | -98.9%           | \$66,728  | 1                  | \$178,039          | \$26,066  | 0                  | \$69,547           |
| St Marys Regional Medical Center (040041)           | RPPS          | 9.0%             | \$593,397   | 11                 | \$1,686,306        | \$121,741   | 2                  | \$345,960          |
| Stone County Medical Center (041310)                | CAH           | 7.8%             | \$93,450  | 3                  | \$418,847          | \$23,853  | 1                  | \$106,909          |
| Unity Health - Newport (041332)                     | CAH           | -17.4%           | \$92,478  | 2                  | \$260,891          | \$0   | 0                  | \$0                |

