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At Starr Regional Medical Center, our goal is to deliver the best healthcare available in the southeastern Tennessee region. With the help of dedicated physicians, employees, volunteers and board members, and your continued support and encouragement, we continue our passionate pursuit of excellence.

—Mark Nichols, CEO

At **Starr Regional Medical Center**, we spent 2016 exploring ways to advance our mission of making the communities of southeastern Tennessee healthier. And by focusing our efforts on creating places where people choose to come for healthcare, physicians want to practice and employees want to work, our legacy of caring for our communities is stronger than ever.

Inviting the best physicians into our communities and supporting them is one of the most important drivers of our ability to offer the best possible healthcare to the region. During the past year, Starr Regional added **a new physician** in oncology and hematology.

And while **delivering high quality patient care close to home** is the single most important contribution we make, there are many other ways we're making a positive impact in our communities.

In **creating excellent workplaces for our 661 employees**, we made **\$3,664,004 in capital improvements** in 2016, including renovation of our Skilled Nursing Department at Starr Regional Health & Rehabilitation, new cardiac monitors and a new/updated telemetry system, and a new CT scanner for our Etowah campus. In addition, we managed and distributed an **annual payroll of \$31,433,000**.

We are proud to take a **leadership role in our communities** and are committed to delivering needed healthcare to everyone, regardless of their ability to pay. In fact, in 2016 we donated **more than \$2 million in healthcare services to those in need**.

We are also committed to **ensuring fiscal responsibility** – both at the hospital and in the community. In 2016, we paid a total of **\$2,017,072 in taxes**, as well as provided numerous sponsorships and donations to local organizations.



Starr Regional Health & Rehabilitation is housed on the Etowah campus.

ECONOMIC IMPACT

Charity and other uncompensated care	\$2,099,014
Includes unpaid cost of Medicaid, as well as charity care and other uncompensated care	
Community benefit programs	\$237,524
Financial contributions	\$16,691
Professional development	\$93,648
Tuition reimbursement	\$13,526
Physician recruitment	\$113,659
Taxes paid	\$2,017,072
Property and other taxes	\$899,585
Local sales tax.....	\$248,345
State sales tax.....	\$869,142
2016 TOTAL	\$4,353,610

SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS

It was our pleasure to be able to support the following activities and organizations during the past year:

- American Cancer Society
- American Heart Association
- Athens Area Chamber of Commerce
- Athens Area Council for the Arts
- Athens Kiwanis Club
- Athens-McMinn YMCA
- Athletic physicals for area high school and middle school students (400+ student-athletes)
- Autism, Alzheimer's, Diabetes Support Groups
- City Park Elementary School
- Cleveland State Community College
- Community Action Group of Englewood
- Cora Veal Senior Center (Madisonville)
- CPR classes
- *The Daily Post-Athenian* – Newspapers in Education program
- EG Fisher Library
- Etowah Area Chamber of Commerce
- Etowah Rotary Club
- Etowah Senior Center
- First Aid classes
- First Aid kits for sports teams
- Flu shots
- Girl Scouts
- Good Faith Clinic
- Health ed classes
- Health fairs
- Hepatitis B vaccines
- Komen Race for the Cure
- Lions Club
- March of Dimes
- McMinn Area Cancer Relief Fund
- McMinn Central High School
- McMinn County Education Foundation
- McMinn County High School
- McMinn County High School Clinical Internship Program
- McMinn County Living Heritage Museum
- McMinn County Rescue Squad
- McMinn County Senior Citizens Center
- Meigs County High School
- Meigs County Ministerial Association
- Monroe County Chamber of Commerce
- National Fire Safety
- Niota Depot
- Nocatula Civitan Club
- Optimist Club (Friendly Fellow Flu Shot Program)
- Perinatal classes
- Pumpkintown Annual Fall Festival
- Smoky Mountain Boy Scout Council
- Sweetwater High School
- Tellico Plains High School
- Tennessee College of Applied Technology
- Tennessee Medical Foundation
- Tennessee Wesleyan College
- United Way of McMinn & Meigs Counties



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