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Let’s Start Taxing Hospitals

Minnesota hospitals had huge profit margins in 2014. Hospitals outside the Twin Cities increased net income by 22 percent, topping $1 billion in profits. Sample profit margins from outside the Twin Cities include the Mayo Clinic at 17.7 percent and CentraCare at 14.8 percent.

Inside the Twin Cities, Fairview had an 8.2 percent profit margin and Allina 7.1 percent. From where is this windfall? Is it because Obamacare keeps smaller hospitals, their competition, from being built? And why are hospitals tax-exempt? Isn’t it time these big-business hospitals start paying taxes?


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