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#### AUDITOR'S TRANSMITTAL

The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Governor The General Assembly of North Carolina Board of Directors, University of North Carolina Health Care System

We have completed a financial statement audit of the University of North Carolina Hospitals for the year ended June 30, 2009, and our audit results are included in this report. You will note from the independent auditor's report that we determined that the financial statements are presented fairly in all material respects.

The results of our tests disclosed no deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses in relation to our audit scope or any instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

Board of Directors University of North Carolina Health Care System Chapel Hill, North Carolina

We have audited the accompanying basic financial statements of the University of North Carolina Hospitals, which is a part of the University of North Carolina Health Care System, which is a part of the multi-campus University of North Carolina System, a component unit of the State of North Carolina, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Hospitals' management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only the University of North Carolina Hospitals and are not intended to present fairly the financial position of the University of North Carolina Health Care System nor the University of North Carolina System, and the results of its operations and cash flows in conformity with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the University of North Carolina Hospitals as of June 30, 2009, and the changes in its financial position and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note 15 to the financial statements, the Hospitals implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 49, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pollution Remediation Obligations*, during the year ended June 30, 2009.

#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONCLUDED)**

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 23, 2009 on our consideration of the Hospitals' internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis, as listed in the table of contents, is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Alt. A. Ward

Beth A. Wood, CPA State Auditor

October 23, 2009

#### Introduction

The following discussion and analysis is provided by the University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill (Hospitals) fiscal management as an overview to assist the reader in interpreting and understanding the accompanying basic financial statements. It includes comparative financial analysis with discussion of significant changes between fiscal years 2009 and 2008, as well as pertinent facts, decisions, and conditions.

#### **Using the Financial Statements**

The financial statements of the Hospitals provide information regarding its financial position and results of operations as of the report date. The *Statement of Net Assets*; the *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets*; and the *Statement of Cash Flows* comprise the basic financial statements required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). In accordance with the GASB, the financial statements are presented and follow reporting concepts consistent with those required of a private business enterprise. The financial statement balances reported are presented in a classified format to aid the reader in understanding the nature of the financial statement balance. *Notes to the Financial Statements* are an integral part of the information presented and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements.

The *Statement of Net Assets* provides information relative to the Hospitals' assets, liabilities, and net assets as of the last day of the fiscal year. Assets and liabilities on this Statement are categorized as either current or noncurrent. Current assets are those that are available to pay for expenses in the next fiscal year and are anticipated to be used to pay for current liabilities. Current liabilities are those payable in the next fiscal year. Net assets on this Statement are categorized as invested in capital assets (net of related debt), restricted, or unrestricted. Restricted net assets are categorized as expendable for the purposes noted. Management estimates are necessary in some instances to determine current or noncurrent categorization. Overall, the *Statement of Net Assets* provides information relative to the financial strength of the Hospitals and its ability to meet current and long-term obligations.

The *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets* provides information relative to the results of the Hospitals' operations, nonoperating activities, and other activities affecting net assets, which occurred during the fiscal year. Nonoperating activities include funding from the State in the form of appropriations, noncapital gifts and grants, as well as interest expense on financing activities, gain or loss on investments (net of investment expenses), gain or loss on affiliate activity and gain or loss realized on the disposition of capital assets. Other activities include the capital grant awarded by the State for the construction of the NC Cancer Hospital, capital gifts, and Health Care System assessments. Overall, the *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets* provides information relative to the Hospitals' management of its operations and its ability to maintain its financial strength.

The *Statement of Cash Flows* provides information relative to the Hospitals' sources and uses of cash for operating activities, noncapital financing activities, capital and related financing activities, and investing activities. The Statement provides a reconciliation of cash balance changes throughout the year and is representative of the activity reported on the *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets* as adjusted for changes in the beginning and ending balances of noncash accounts on the *Statement of Net Assets*.

The *Notes to the Financial Statements* provide information relative to the significant accounting principles applied in the financial statements, authority for and associated risk of deposits and investments, detailed information on long-term liabilities, detailed information on accounts receivable, accounts payable, revenues and expenses, required information on pension plans and other post employment benefits, insurance against losses, commitments and contingencies, accounting changes, and a discussion of adjustments to prior periods and events subsequent to the Hospitals' financial statement period when appropriate. Overall, these disclosures provide information to better understand details, risk, and uncertainty associated with the amounts reported and are considered an integral part of the financial statements.

#### **Comparison of Two-Year Data for 2009 to 2008**

Comparative financial data of 2009 to 2008 is summarized in Table 1. Discussion of comparative data is included in the following section.

#### Analysis of Overall Financial Position and Results of Operations

#### Statement of Net Assets

Assets decreased overall by \$41.8 million or 3.0% from fiscal year 2008 to 2009 due primarily to losses on investments. Investment options are currently limited by the North Carolina State Treasurer and consist of the State Treasurer's Investment Fund, a domestic and an international fund. Investments are currently split approximately 61% cash and Equity investments have been allocated to domestic and international 39% equities. funds 75% and 25% respectively. This allocation was maintained throughout the year and no additional funds were invested or liquidated during the year. As noted in the Subsequent Events of the 2008 North Carolina State Auditor's Report, the Physicians' Office Building (POB) was completed and transferred to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for use as an academic building. The POB was built and funded as part of the North Carolina Cancer Hospital project. The transfer resulted in a \$28.6 million decrease in depreciable assets. These decreases in total assets were partially offset by increases in nondepreciable assets, as a result of construction project expenditures, and estimated third party settlements. Estimated third-party settlement receivables increased after management's decision to reclassify the noncurrent liability components by payor as allowed by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP).

Liabilities increased overall by \$1.5 million or 0.3% while net assets decreased \$43.3 million from fiscal year 2008 to 2009. The largest change in liabilities was driven by reclassifying

the noncurrent portion of estimated third party settlements from the current section which is described in more detail in Note 4 to the financial statements.

#### Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets

The *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets* reflects positive operating income of \$36.7 million and an overall decrease in net assets of \$40.2 million.

Operating revenue grew year-over-year as a result of growth in net patient service revenue, favorable interest rates on variable rate debt, and positive medical malpractice realization. Net patient service revenue, excluding third party settlements, increased 8.5% offsetting collection percentage decline from 44.1% as of June 30, 2008 to 42.3% as of June 30, 2009. As in past years, collection rates continue to decline as a result of charges increasing while payment rates do not increase in the same proportion. The state of the nation's economy continues to play a role in collection efforts. The Hospitals recognized some improvement in revenue due to the settlement of Medicare and Medicaid Cost Report activities; however, management increased reserves for potential unknowns that may result from the Medicare and Medicaid claims audit programs. See Note 4 in the notes to the financial statements for more information.

Total operating expenses increased by 8.7% with the largest categorical dollar increase occurring in salaries and benefits and medical malpractice cost representing the largest percentage change. Salary and benefit expense increased 6.8% over the prior year and includes the accrued expense of a nondiscretionary incentive compensation payment that was made to qualifying employees in September 2009 as a result of attaining specific clinical quality, patient satisfaction, employee, and financial goals on an organizational level. Medical malpractice expense decreased again this year as a result of a continued positive trend in malpractice experience derived through continued rigor by the Hospitals' Risk Management department.

Nonoperating revenues decreased \$58.4 million compared to the prior year as a result of investment losses of \$97.1 million and \$4.0 million in State appropriation reversions. Investment losses continued through the first eight months of the fiscal year and turned positive in March which has continued as of the date of this report.

In the other revenues (expenses) section, capital grants decreased from \$74.1 million to \$35.9 million from fiscal year 2008 to 2009. The decrease in capital spending and the corresponding capital grants recognized in this section are indicative of the North Carolina Cancer Hospital project nearing conclusion. Additionally, the Hospitals transferred the POB to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, causing a large increase of \$28.6 million in other expenses. Effective July 1, 2005, the Hospitals agreed to fund the UNC Health Care System Enterprise Fund. These expenses totaled \$28.1 million during fiscal year 2009 and are reported separately in this section as Health Care System Assessments and support initiatives as the Chief Executive Officer of the University of North Carolina Health Care System deems appropriate with the recommendations from the senior leadership team.

#### Analysis of Net Asset Balances

At June 30, 2009, net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt, totaled \$343.5 million representing the gross value of plant assets \$904.2 million plus bond issuance costs of approximately \$1.0 million less accumulated depreciation \$372.8 million and related debt of \$188.9 million.

Restricted expendable net assets totaled \$138.8 million representing amounts subject to externally imposed restrictions.

Unrestricted net assets totaled \$428.5 million representing amounts not subject to externally imposed stipulations but internally designated for various activities and initiatives, including future construction projects.

#### Discussion of Capital Asset and Long-Term Debt Activity

#### Capital Assets

The Hospitals expended \$22.1 million during the year for capital equipment throughout the facilities and \$58.1 million for the construction of buildings/infrastructure and renovations.

On August 5, 2004, House Bill 1264 of the 2004 North Carolina Legislative Session was ratified and authorized the State to issue special indebtedness of up to \$180 million in principal for acquiring, constructing, and equipping a cancer rehabilitation and treatment center, a nearby physicians' office building, and a walkway between the two. These facilities are located at the University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill. As of June 30, 2009, \$164 million has been spent and reimbursed to the Hospitals on this project. The \$28.6 million physicians' office building was completed in May 2008 and transferred to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for occupancy in September 2008, while the North Carolina Cancer Hospital was dedicated in September 2009 which increased bed capacity to 751.

At June 30, 2009, outstanding commitments on construction contracts were \$12.3 million while outstanding commitments related to capital purchase orders for fixed and movable equipment totaled \$35.1 million.

The annualized average age of plant and equipment is 8.5 years.

#### **Long-Term Debt Activities**

At June 30, 2009, the Hospitals had outstanding bond indebtedness in the amount of \$247.4 million of which \$7.4 million is due within the next year. Standard and Poor's and Moody's Ratings Services classify these bonds as AA- and Aa3 respectively. The Hospitals do not anticipate issuing any new debt in the next fiscal year.

# Discussion of Conditions that may have a Significant Effect on Net Assets or Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets

Health policy changes at the Federal and State level have been proposed but the ultimate impact of these potential policy changes on the finances of the Hospitals is largely unknown as of the date of this report. The lack of substantive details at this time, make it difficult to model and predict any policy or reimbursement impacts on the healthcare organization.

The state of the national and regional economy will continue to pressure revenues and collections whether or not health policy changes are made at the Federal and State level. The organization remains concerned about the continued rising expense incurred as a result of carrying out our mission.

The Medicare and Medicaid programs have implemented additional audits to recoup errant payments to hospitals. These Recovery Audit Contractor (RAC) and Medicaid Integrity Contractor (MIC) audits are newly instituted and potentially create additional revenue risk. The Hospitals was not contacted during fiscal year 2009, yet some reserves have been set aside as a contingency toward potential future audits or prior year results.

Investment losses were significant during the year but improved in the last quarter of fiscal year 2009 through the first quarter of fiscal year 2010. The Hospitals' management is optimistic that this positive trend will continue but realizes that investment risk will be ongoing. Additional flexibility with investment alternatives from the North Carolina State Treasurer will continue to be sought during fiscal year 2010 in order to minimize investment risk to the extent possible.

#### University of North Carolina Hospitals Summary of Condensed Financial Statements Totals For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2009 and 2008

					Table 1
		FY09		FY08	Change
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS					 <u> </u>
Current Assets	\$	433,518,299	\$	391,931,220	\$ 41,587,079
Capital Assets, Net		531,351,062		530,176,143	1,174,919
Other Noncurrent Assets		381,558,862		466,146,316	(84,587,454)
TOTAL ASSETS		1,346,428,223		1,388,253,679	
Current Liabilities		133,112,835		153,722,129	(20,609,294)
Noncurrent Liabilities		302,510,790		280,446,797	22,063,993
TOTAL LIABILITIES		435,623,625		434,168,926	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt		343,497,012		317,172,871	26,324,141
Restricted for Expendable Uses		138,779,160		128,361,305	10,417,855
Unrestricted		428,528,426		508,550,577	(80,022,151)
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$	910,804,598	\$	954,084,753	
STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS					
Net Patient Service Revenue	\$	840,265,530	\$	774,434,422	65,831,108
Other Operating Revenues	ψ	19,215,856	φ	18,136,106	1,079,750
Prior Year Third Party Settlements		30,670,072		5,380,349	25,289,723
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES		890,151,458		797,950,877	, ,
Salaries and Benefits		471,823,604		441,711,464	30,112,140
Medical and Surgical Supplies		157,956,222		145,440,490	12,515,732
Contracted Services		104,475,637		89,781,590	14,694,047
Other Supplies and Materials Communication, Utilities, and Travel		54,462,052 17,695,251		49,467,463 15,772,570	4,994,589 1,922,681
Medical Malpractice Costs		1,721,648		2,249,744	(528,096)
Depreciation and Amortization		45,349,232		40,750,193	4,599,039
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		853,483,646		785,173,514	, ,
OPERATING INCOME		36,667,812		12,777,363	
State Appropriations		42,002,451		47,409,965	(5,407,514)
Investment Activity		(84,953,175)		(32,430,892)	52,522,283
Other Nonoperating Revenues		571,362		244,154	327,208
Nonoperating Expenses		(13,682,821)		(12,908,017)	774,804
NET NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		(56,062,183)		2,315,210	
Capital Grants		35,880,913		74,118,470	(38,237,557)
Health Care System Assessments		(28,092,240)		(18,900,000)	9,192,240
Transfer of Physicians' Office Building		(28,562,885)			28,562,885
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS		(40,168,583)		70,311,043	
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR, AS RESTATED		950,973,181		883,773,710	
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$	910,804,598	\$	954,084,753	

# University of North Carolina Hospitals Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2009

ASSETS Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents Receivables:	\$ 231,129,588 3,826,191
Patient Accounts Receivable, Net (Note 3) Accrued Interest Receivable Other Accounts Receivable, Net Due from Primary Government Due from State of North Carolina Component Units Estimated Third Party Settlements (Note 4) Inventories Prepaid Expenses	117,079,952 520,383 19,231,788 2,442,091 8,372,662 33,183,107 15,261,483 2,471,054
Total Current Assets	 433,518,299
Noncurrent Assets: Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments (Note 2) Advanced Deposits with Liability Insurance Trust Fund (Note 11) Patient Accounts Receivable, Net (Note 3) Bond Issuance Costs, Net Start-Up Costs, Net Investments in Affiliates (Note 14) Capital Assets - Nondepreciable (Note 5) Capital Assets - Depreciable, Net (Note 5)	 $\begin{array}{c} 127,542,713\\ 235,368,813\\ 7,643,163\\ 6,993,549\\ 1,278,761\\ 536,456\\ 2,195,407\\ 172,541,980\\ 358,809,082 \end{array}$
Total Noncurrent Assets	 912,909,924
Total Assets	 1,346,428,223
LIABILITIES Current Liabilities: Accounts Payable Accrued Salaries and Benefits Estimated Third Party Settlements (Note 4) Due to Patients or Third Parties Due to Primary Government Due to State of North Carolina Component Units Bond Interest Payable Funds Held for Others Long-Term Liabilities - Current Portion (Note 6)	 32,043,507 30,699,800 22,964,975 3,985,470 3,787,236 13,519,198 500,719 1,208,980 24,402,950
Total Current Liabilities	133,112,835
Noncurrent Liabilities: Long-Term Liabilities (Note 6) Estimated Third Party Settlements (Note 4)	 266,004,871 36,505,919
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	 302,510,790
Total Liabilities	 435,623,625

### University of North Carolina Hospitals Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2009

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NET ASSETS	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	343,497,012
Restricted for Expendable Uses for:	
Master Facility Research Fund	1,326,894
Maintenance Reserve Fund	124,402,653
Liability Insurance Trust Fund	7,643,163
Trust Fund Donations	143,343
Minority Interest in Carolina Dialysis, LLC	5,263,107
Unrestricted	 428,528,426
Total Net Assets	\$ 910,804,598

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

# University of North Carolina Hospitals Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

REVENUES Operating Revenues: Net Patient Service Revenue (Note 8) Other Operating Revenues Prior Year Third Party Settlements	\$ 840,265,530 19,215,856 30,670,072
Total Operating Revenues	 890,151,458
EXPENSES Operating Expenses: Salaries and Benefits	471,823,604
Medical and Surgical Supplies Contracted Services Other Supplies and Services	157,956,222 104,475,637 54,462,052
Communication, Utilities, and Travel Medical Malpractice Costs Depreciation and Amortization	17,695,251 1,721,648 45,349,232
Total Operating Expenses	853,483,646
Operating Income	 36,667,812
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)	
State Appropriations Noncapital Gifts and Grants Investment Loss (Net of Investment Expense of \$1,080,076) Gain on Investments in Affiliates (Note 14) Interest and Fees on Debt Loss on Disposal of Capital Assets	 42,002,451 235,586 (84,953,175) 335,776 (10,205,299) (3,477,522)
Net Nonoperating Expenses	 (56,062,183)
Loss Before Other Revenues, Expenses, Gains, or Losses	(19,394,371)
Capital Grants Health Care System Assessments (Note 13) Transfer of Physicians' Office Building (Note 5)	 35,880,913 (28,092,240) (28,562,885)
Decrease in Net Assets	(40,168,583)
NET ASSETS Net Assets - July 1, 2008, as Restated (Note 16)	 950,973,181
Net Assets - June 30, 2009	\$ 910,804,598

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Received from Patient or Third Parties Payments to Employees and Fringe Benefits Payments to Vendors and Suppliers Payments for Medical Malpractice Other Receipts	\$ 848,010,976 (462,474,981) (330,995,477) (4,100,000) 15,681,084
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	 66,121,602
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES State Appropriations Health Care System Assessments Interest and Fees Paid on Revenue Bonds Principal Paid on Revenue Bonds Noncapital Gifts and Grants	 42,002,451 (28,092,240) (1,007,411) (952,000) 235,586
Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities	 12,186,386
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL FINANCING AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Principal Paid on Capital Revenue Bonds Principal Paid on Notes Payable Interest and Fees Paid on Capital Debt Capital Grants Acquisition and Construction of Capital Assets Issuance Costs Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	(5,908,000) (11,165,492) (9,590,158) 35,880,913 (83,536,031) (30,000) 34,906
Net Cash Used by Capital Financing and Related Financing Activities	 (74,313,862)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Investment Income Investments In and Loans to Affiliated Enterprises: Cash Payments	12,929,267 (2,875,743)
Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities	 10,053,524
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents - July 1, 2008	 14,047,650 348,450,842
Cash and Cash Equivalents - June 30, 2009	\$ 362,498,492

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RECONCILIATION OF NET OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Operating Income Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided	\$ 36,667,812
by Operating Activities: Depreciation and Amortization Expense Changes in Assets and Liabilities:	45,349,232
Patient Accounts Receivable	(7,644,938)
Other Accounts Receivable Estimated Third Party Settlements	(3,016,700) (16,854,053)
Inventories	1,267,433
Prepaid Expenses	811,488
Advance Deposits with Liability Insurance Trust Fund	(2,378,352)
Accrued Salaries and Benefits	4,865,383
Accounts and Other Payables	1,514,764
Due to Patients or Third Parties	1,436,591
Funds Held for Others	137,774
Compensated Absences	 3,965,168
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$ 66,121,602
RECONCILIATION OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Current Assets:	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 231,129,588
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents Noncurrent Assets:	3,826,191
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents	 127,542,713
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents - June 30, 2009	\$ 362,498,492
NONCASH INVESTING, CAPITAL, AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES Investments in Affiliated Enterprises:	
Current Gain from Equity Method Adjustments	\$ 335,776
Change in Fair Value of Investments	(97,140,144)
Loss on Disposal of Capital Assets	(3,477,522)

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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#### NOTE 1 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- A. Organization The University of North Carolina Hospitals (the Hospitals) is the only State-owned teaching hospital in North Carolina. With a licensed base of 739 beds, this facility serves as an acute care teaching hospital for The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. The Hospitals consists of North Carolina Memorial Hospital, North Carolina Children's Hospital, North Carolina Neurosciences Hospital, and North Carolina Women's Hospital. As a state agency, the Hospitals is required to conform to financial requirements established by various statutory and constitutional provisions. While the Hospitals is exempt from both federal and state income taxes, a small portion of its revenue is subject to the unrelated business income tax.
- **B.** Financial Reporting Entity The concept underlying the definition of the financial reporting entity is that elected officials are accountable to their constituents for their actions. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial reporting entity includes both the primary government and all of its component units. An organization other than a primary government serves as a nucleus for a reporting entity when it issues separate financial statements.

The Hospitals is a part of the University of North Carolina (UNC) Health Care System which is a part of the multi-campus University of North Carolina System, which is a component unit of the State of North Carolina and an integral part of the State's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*.

The accompanying financial statements present all funds belonging to the Hospitals and its component units for which the UNC Health Care System Board of Directors is responsible. While the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina System has ultimate responsibility, the Board of Directors of the UNC Health Care System has delegated responsibilities for financial accountability of the Hospitals' funds. The Hospitals' component units are blended in the Hospitals' financial statements. The blended component units, although legally separate, are, in substance, part of the Hospitals' operations and therefore, are reported as if they were part of the Hospitals.

**Blended Component Units** – Although legally separate, Health System Properties, LLC (the LLC) and Carolina Dialysis, LLC (the CDLLC),

component units of the Hospitals, are reported as if they were part of the Hospitals.

The LLC was established to purchase, develop and/or lease real property. The LLC is reported as part of the Hospitals because the UNC Health Care System is the sole member manager and the LLC is governed by the same Board that directs the Hospitals' operations. Additionally, the only properties owned to date by the LLC are for the sole use and benefit of the Hospitals.

The Hospitals has a two-third ownership interest in the CDLLC. Renal Research Institute owns the remaining one-third interest. A Board of Managers comprised of six members manages the CDLLC, with four appointed by the Hospitals through the Chief Executive Officer and two appointed by Renal Research Institute. The CDLLC was formed for the purposes of owning and operating chronic dialysis programs, thus improving the quality of care to end-stage renal disease patients by providing dialysis services and conducting research in the field of nephrology in the State of North Carolina. The CDLLC is included as part of the Hospitals because of the nature and significance of the relationship of the CDLLC with the Hospitals. Because the CDLLC provides services almost entirely to the Hospitals' patients, its financial statements have been blended with those of the Hospitals.

Separate financial statements for the LLC and CDLLC may be obtained from the Chief Financial Officer, University of North Carolina Hospitals, 307 Med Wing E, 101 Manning Drive, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514, or by calling (919) 966-5111. Other related foundations and similar nonprofit corporations for which the Hospitals is not financially accountable are not part of the accompanying financial statements.

**C. Basis of Presentation** - The accompanying financial statements are presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

Pursuant to the provisions of GASB Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments*, as amended by GASB Statement No. 35, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for Public Colleges and Universities*, the full scope of the Hospitals' activities is considered to be a single business-type activity and accordingly, is reported within a single column in the basic financial statements.

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 20, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting*, the Hospitals does not apply Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) pronouncements issued after November 30, 1989, unless the GASB amends its pronouncements to specifically adopt FASB pronouncements issued after that date.

**D. Basis of Accounting** - The financial statements of the Hospitals have been prepared using the economic resource measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis, revenues are recognized when earned, and expenses are recorded when an obligation has been incurred, regardless of the timing of the cash flows.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the Hospitals receives (or gives) value without directly giving (or receiving) equal value in exchange includes State appropriations, a capital grant for the NC Cancer Hospital, Health Care System Assessments, certain grants, and donations. Revenues are recognized, net of estimated uncollectible amounts, as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

- **E.** Cash and Cash Equivalents This classification includes undeposited receipts, petty cash, security deposits, cash on deposit with private bank accounts, cash on deposit with fiscal agents, and deposits held by the State Treasurer in the Short-Term Investment Fund. The Short-Term Investment Fund maintained by the State Treasurer has the general characteristics of a demand deposit account in that participants may deposit and withdraw cash at any time without prior notice or penalty.
- **F. Investments** This classification represents the participation in an equity investment fund through the University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Trust. Investments generally are reported at fair value, as determined by quoted market prices or an estimated amount determined by management if quoted market prices are not available. Because of the inherent uncertainty in the use of estimates, values that are based on estimates may differ from the values that would have been used had a ready market existed for the investments. The net increase (decrease) in the fair value of investments is recognized as a component of investment income.
- **G.** Patient Accounts Receivable The Hospitals' patient accounts receivable consists of unbilled (in house patients, inpatients discharged but not final billed and outpatients not final billed) and billed amounts. Payment of these charges comes primarily from Managed Care payers, Medicare, Medicaid and, to a lesser extent, the patient. These amounts are recorded in the financial statements net of charity care, contractual

allowances and allowances for bad debt to determine the net realizable value of the accounts receivable balance. See the section Net Patient Service Revenue later in the Significant Accounting Policies for a further discussion of these reductions.

The reserves recorded for these deductions are used to determine net patient accounts receivable and are calculated based on the historical collection percentage realized for each payer. The collection rates are updated monthly in order to reflect the most up to date information available.

The Hospitals has established flexible payment arrangements for patient balances up to a maximum of 36 months depending on the outstanding balance due. Amounts due beyond one year under these arrangements are classified as noncurrent assets.

- H. Other Receivables In addition to patient accounts receivable, the Hospitals recognizes other receivables related to its operations. These items include the sales tax refund due from the North Carolina Department of Revenue, education loan receivables, amounts due from affiliates and other State agencies, and billings to outside companies for ancillary testing, critical care transportation, and pharmacy supplies. Receivables are recorded net of estimated uncollectible amounts.
- **I. Inventories** Inventories consist of medical and surgical supplies, pharmaceuticals, prosthetics, and other supplies that are used to provide patient care or by service departments within the Hospitals. Inventories are valued at cost using the first-in, first-out method. Merchandise for resale is valued at the lower of cost or market using the retail inventory method.
- **J. Capital Assets** Capital assets are stated at cost at date of acquisition or fair value at date of donation in the case of gifts. The value of assets constructed includes all material direct and indirect construction costs. Interest costs incurred are capitalized during the period of construction.

The Hospitals capitalizes assets that have a value or cost in excess of \$5,000 at the date of acquisition and an estimated useful life of three years or more. Useful life estimates are assigned based on the American Hospital Association publication *Estimated Useful Lives of Depreciable Hospital Assets*.

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, generally 5 to 25 years for general infrastructure, 10 to 40 years for buildings, and 3 to 20 years for machinery and equipment.

- **K. Restricted Assets** Certain resources are reported as restricted assets because restrictions on asset use change the nature or normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Resources that are not available for current operations and are reported as restricted include resources restricted or designated for the acquisition or construction of capital assets and funds equal to 7.5% of gross patient revenue as limited by applicable revenue bond covenants. Current restricted resources include certain trust funds restricted because external parties or statute limits their use, resources legally segregated for the payment of principal and interest as required by debt covenants, funds held for workers compensation, and unexpended capital funds.
- L. Noncurrent Long-Term Liabilities Noncurrent long-term liabilities include principal amounts of bonds payable, notes payable, arbitrage payable, and compensated absences that will not be paid within the next fiscal year.

Bonds payable are reported net of unamortized premiums or discounts and deferred losses on refunds. The Hospitals amortizes bond premiums/discounts over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. The deferred losses on refunds are amortized over the life of the new debt using the straight-line method. Issuance costs are also amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method.

**M.** Compensated Absences - The Hospitals' policy is to record the cost of annual leave when earned. Employees earn annual leave at varying rates depending upon years of service and the leave plan in which they participate.

**Traditional Plan** – The policy provides for a maximum accumulation of unused annual leave of 30 days that can be carried forward beyond the pay period that includes December 31 or for which an employee can be paid upon termination of employment. Also, any accumulated annual leave in excess of 30 days, during the pay period that includes December 31, is converted to sick leave. Employees earn holiday leave at the rate of 11 or 12 days per year with an unlimited accumulation. The Hospitals' policy requires that employees use holiday hours in excess of 40 prior to using earned annual leave. Employees earn sick leave at the rate of one day per month with an unlimited accumulation.

**Paid Time Off (PTO) Plan** – The PTO program combines the various leave types that employees may earn into one earning rate that varies depending upon years of service. This program is mandatory for all new employees. The policy provides for a maximum accumulation of

280 hours of unused PTO at the last day of the last pay period of the calendar year that includes December 31. At that time, the excess accumulation over 280 hours is converted to long-term sick leave, which is treated similar to sick leave in the Traditional Plan. Upon termination of employment, employees are paid for their current balance in PTO based upon their years of service. Once an employee has more than five years of service, the entire accumulated balance is paid up to 280 hours. The PTO program also has an annual sell back feature that allows employees to sell back 100% of their accumulated hours over a minimum floor. The payout occurs in January each year.

**Liability Calculation** – The liability for accumulated annual leave, holiday leave, and PTO leave for each employee at June 30 equals the leave carried forward at the previous December 31 plus the leave earned, less the leave taken between January 1 and June 30. The liability is equal to the accumulated hours multiplied by the employee's current hourly rate plus benefits for social security and state retirement.

When classifying compensated absences into current and noncurrent, leave is considered taken using a last-in, first-out (LIFO) method.

There is no liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave because the Hospitals has no obligation to pay sick leave upon termination or retirement. However, additional service credit for retirement pension benefits is given for accumulated sick leave upon retirement.

N. Net Assets - The Hospitals' net assets are classified as follows:

**Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt** - This represents the Hospitals' total investment in capital assets, net of outstanding debt obligations related to those capital assets. To the extent debt has been incurred but not yet expended for capital assets, such amounts are not included as a component of invested in capital assets, net of related debt.

**Restricted Net Assets - Expendable -** Expendable restricted net assets include resources for which the Hospitals is legally or contractually obligated to spend in accordance with restrictions imposed by external parties.

**Unrestricted Net Assets** - Unrestricted net assets include resources derived from patient care and ancillary services, unrestricted gifts, and investment income.

Restricted and unrestricted resources are tracked using a fund accounting system and are spent in accordance with established fund authorities. Fund authorities provide rules for the fund activity and are separately established for restricted and unrestricted activities. When both restricted and unrestricted funds are available for expenditure, the decision for funding is transactional based within the departmental management system in place at the Hospitals. For projects funded by tax-exempt debt proceeds and other sources, the debt proceeds are always used first.

**O. Revenue and Expense Recognition** - The Hospitals classifies its revenues and expenses as operating or nonoperating in the accompanying Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with the Hospitals' principal ongoing operations. Operating revenues include activities that have characteristics of exchange transactions, such as charges for inpatient and outpatient services as well as external customers who purchase medical services. Operating expenses are all expense transactions incurred other than those related to capital and noncapital financing or investing activities as defined by GASB Statement No. 9, *Reporting Cash Flows of Proprietary and Nonexpendable Trust Funds and Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting*.

Nonoperating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of nonexchange transactions. Revenues from nonexchange transactions and State appropriations that represent subsidies or gifts to the Hospitals, as well as investment income and gain (loss) on disposal of fixed assets, are considered nonoperating since these are either investing, capital, or noncapital financing activities.

Capital grants, Health Care System Assessments, and the transfer of the Physicians' Office Building (as described in Note 5) are presented separately after nonoperating revenues and expenses.

P. Net Patient Service Revenue - Patient service revenue is recorded at the Hospitals' established rates and includes all charges for inpatient accounts discharged after June 30, 2008, (less amounts previously recorded at June 30, 2008, for in house patients) and all charges on in house accounts and all charges for outpatient accounts registered after June 30, 2008. The difference between established rates and the estimated amount collectible is recognized as revenue deductions on an accrual basis and deducted from gross patient service revenue to report service revenue at net realizable value. Revenue deductions consist of charges for charity care, contractual allowances, and bad debt.

Charity care provided represents health care services that were provided free of charge to individuals who meet the criteria of the Hospitals' charity care policy. Charity care provided is not considered to be revenue to the Hospitals and is deducted in determining gross patient service revenue.

Differences between the amounts paid for services under third party reimbursement programs and established rates are accounted for as contractual adjustments. Retroactively calculated adjustments are recorded as prior year third party settlements in the year in which the adjustment can be reasonably estimated.

- **Q.** Medical Malpractice Cost Medical malpractice costs represent the actuarially determined contribution to the Liability Insurance Trust Fund. See Note 11 for further discussion of the Liability Insurance Trust Fund.
- **R. Donated Services** No amounts have been included for donated services since no objective basis is available to measure the value of such services. However, a substantial number of volunteers donated significant amounts of their time to the Hospitals' operations.

#### **NOTE 2** - **DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

A. Deposits - Pursuant to General Statute 116-37.2, the Hospitals is required to deposit its funds as defined in this statute, including moneys received from fees and other payments for services rendered in its hospitals and/or clinical operations, gifts, grants, and moneys received from or for the operation of any of the Hospitals self-supporting auxiliary enterprises, with the State Treasurer. The Hospitals may voluntarily deposit special funds, revenue bond proceeds, and debt service funds. Special funds consist of moneys for agency funds held directly by the Hospitals. Bond proceeds and debt service funds are invested in accordance with bond resolutions. These funds are currently on deposit with the State Treasurer and therefore, available on demand to comply with applicable bond covenants.

At June 30, 2009, the amount shown on the Statement of Net Assets as cash and cash equivalents includes \$347,755,547 which represents the Hospitals' equity position in the State Treasurer's Short-Term Investment Fund. The Short-Term Investment Fund (a portfolio within the State Treasurer's Investment Pool, an external investment pool that is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and does not have a credit rating) had a weighted average maturity of 1.8 years as of June 30, 2009. Assets and shares of the Short-Term Investment Fund are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value. Deposit and investment risks associated with the State Treasurer's Investment Fund) are included in the State of North Carolina's *Comprehensive Annual* 

*Financial Report.* An electronic version of this report is available by accessing the North Carolina Office of the State Controller's Internet home page <u>http://www.ncosc.net/</u> and clicking on "Proceed directly to OSC's index page," then "Reports," or by calling the State Controller's Financial Reporting Section at (919) 981-5454.

Cash on hand at June 30, 2009 was \$34,713. The carrying amount of the Hospitals' deposits not with the State Treasurer was \$14,708,232 and the bank balance was \$14,959,616. Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Hospitals' deposits may not be returned to it. Pursuant to G.S. 116-36.1, funds received for health care services not deposited with the State Treasurer shall be fully secured in the manner as prescribed by the State Treasurer for the security of public deposits. The Hospitals does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2009, \$14,231,099 of the Hospitals' bank balance was uninsured and uncollateralized.

**B. Investments** - Pursuant to General Statute 116-37(e), all receipts, except for General Fund appropriations, may be invested by the State Treasurer on behalf of the Hospitals as allowed in G.S. 147-69.2(b3).

University of North Carolina Hospitals Investment Fund with The Treasurer of the State of North Carolina - At June 30, 2009, the amount shown on the Statement of Net Assets which represents funds deposited with and invested by the State Treasurer is \$235,368,813. The State Treasurer contracted with an external party (Trustee) to create the University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Trust (Trust). The Hospitals is the only depositor in the Trust; however, the Trust is a participant of a commingled equity investment fund. The Trustee manages the assets, primarily in equity and equity-based securities in accordance with General Statutes. The Trustee maintains custody of the underlying securities in the name of the Trust, services the securities and maintains all related accounting records. The investments are valued at fair market value. Deposit and investment risks associated with the Trust are included in the State of North Carolina's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. An electronic version of this report is available by accessing the North Carolina Office of the State Controller's Internet home page http://www.ncosc.net/ and clicking on "Proceed directly to OSC's index page," then "Reports," or by calling the State Controller's Financial Reporting Section at (919) 981-5454.

#### NOTE 3 - PATIENT ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE – NET

A. **Current** - Net patient accounts receivable consisted of amounts due from patients and third parties at estimated realizable value. Included in gross receivables are amounts receivable at established billing rates less payments received through June 30, 2009. Allowances for uncollectible accounts and contractual adjustments are estimated using historical collection statistics. The components of current net Patient Accounts Receivable reflected in the accompanying Statement of Net Assets are as follows at June 30, 2009:

	Amount
In House Patients Discharged (Not Final Billed) Patients	<b>\$</b> 41,501,624 69,895,396
Total Unbilled	111,397,020
Discharged (Billed) Patients Payment Arrangements Charity Care Provided	219,164,854 534,377 (48,259,166)
Current Gross	282,837,085
Allowance for Bad Debts Contractual Allowances	(16,758,697) (148,998,436)
Total Allowances	(165,757,133)
Current - Net	<b>\$</b> 117,079,952

**B.** Noncurrent - Net patient accounts receivable consisted of \$6,993,549 (net of \$6,479,508 estimated uncollectible) and represents the value of patient payment arrangements that are initiated at the request of the patient. These payment arrangements are based on signed contractual agreements for specific monthly amounts that extend beyond one year but are capped at three years.

#### NOTE 4 - ESTIMATED THIRD PARTY SETTLEMENTS

The Hospitals renders care to patients covered by the Medicare, Medicaid, and Tricare/Champus programs. Inpatient acute care services rendered to Medicare patients are paid at prospectively determined rates per discharge. Medicare outpatient services are reimbursed at prospectively determined rates. Additionally, the Hospitals receives interim pass-through payments from Medicare for costs such as organ costs, graduate medical education, bad debts, etc., that are ultimately settled on cost or an adjusted cost through the annual Medicare Cost Report. On an interim basis, Medicaid inpatient services are reimbursed on a prospectively determined rate per discharge and Medicaid outpatient services are reimbursed on an interim basis at an agreed upon rate. Ultimately, most of Medicaid inpatient and outpatient services are settled at allowable cost through the filing of an annual cost report. In addition to Tricare/Champus payments for services on an interim basis, the Tricare/Champus program reimburses the Hospitals for a portion of capital and direct medical education costs based on the Medicare cost report.

The Hospitals has calculated the estimated third party settlements for the outstanding Medicare and Medicaid cost reports during the fiscal year ended 2009. It is estimated that the Hospitals owe Medicare \$22,964,975 within the next twelve months and \$8,359,058 and \$28,146,861 is owed to Medicare and Medicaid respectively on a noncurrent basis. Medicaid and Tricare/Champus currently owe the Hospitals \$30,083,107 and \$3,100,000 respectively. Included in the estimated liability amounts above, management reserved \$55,881,466 for all outstanding Medicare and Medicaid cost reports. The reserve for Medicare is calculated based on at-risk items for all outstanding Medicare cost reports while the reserve for Medicaid equals a percentage of allowable Medicaid costs deemed appropriate by management. The Hospitals also included in their estimated liability to Medicare a reserve for the Medicare claims audit program. This program is in the process of being implemented by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to identify improper underpayments or overpayments made to health care providers. An estimate is made for the current year's Medicare and Medicaid settlement by using the most current available statistics, costs, settlement data and charges.

Once a cost report is filed, it is subject to an initial tentative settlement and subsequent on-site audit. Each report is audited by the programs for compliance with the applicable regulations established for the Medicaid, Medicare, and Tricare/Champus programs. Each cost report can also be reopened or appealed for issues that the Hospitals or the Medicare or Medicaid programs feel are warranted. There are several such requests under consideration, as well as audits that are incomplete at this time. Any of the above can result in a change to the reimbursement requiring a refund from the program or payment to the program.

#### NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of changes in the capital assets for the year ended June 30, 2009, is presented as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2008 Increases		Decreases	Balance June 30, 2009
Capital Assets, Nondepreciable: Land Construction in Progress	\$ 26,385,685 125,879,372	\$	\$ 3,033,383 34,799,285	\$ 23,352,302 149,189,678
Total Capital Assets, Nondepreciable	152,265,057	58,109,591	37,832,668	172,541,980
Capital Assets, Depreciable: Buildings Machinery and Equipment General Infrastructure	361,536,938 344,865,773 5,314,461	33,486,906 22,131,062	28,562,885 7,002,427 117,180	366,460,959 359,994,408 5,197,281
Total Capital Assets, Depreciable	711,717,172	55,617,968	35,682,492	731,652,648
Less Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization for: Buildings Machinery and Equipment General Infrastructure	110,413,745 219,519,769 3,872,572	13,778,836 31,317,949 229,444	6,288,749	124,192,581 244,548,969 4,102,016
Total Accumulated Depreciation	333,806,086	45,326,229	6,288,749	372,843,566
Total Capital Assets, Depreciable, Net	377,911,086	10,291,739	29,393,743	358,809,082
Capital Assets, Net	\$ 530,176,143	\$ 68,401,330	\$ 67,226,411	\$ 531,351,062

On August 5, 2004, House Bill 1264 of the 2004 North Carolina Legislative Session was ratified and authorized the State to issue special indebtedness of up to \$180 million in principal for acquiring, constructing, and equipping a cancer rehabilitation and treatment center, a nearby physicians' office building, and a walkway between the two.

The \$28.6 million physicians' office building was completed and transferred to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for use as part of its academic program in September 2008.

#### NOTE 6 - LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

		Balance July 1, 2008		Additions Reducti		Reductions	Balance June 30, 2009		 Current Portion
Revenue Bonds Payable Plus: Premium Less: Discount Less: Deferred Charge on Refunding	(54	5,000 3,497 8,217) 6,237)	\$	44,290,000 (4,183,755)	\$	(50,365,000) (277,637) 548,217 3,528,621	\$	262,150,000 815,860 0 (15,561,371)	\$ 7,390,000
Total Bonds Payable	253,86	4,043		40,106,245		(46,565,799)		247,404,489	 7,390,000
Notes Payable Arbitrage Rebate Payable Compensated Absences	26	6,312 8,892 8,452		42,892,327		(11,165,492) (38,927,159)		14,430,820 268,892 28,303,620	 11,635,262 5,377,688
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 304,06	7,699	\$	82,998,572	\$	(96,658,450)	\$	290,407,821	\$ 24,402,950

**A.** Changes in Long-Term Liabilities - A summary of changes in the long-term liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2009, is presented as follows:

**B. Revenue Bonds Payable** - The Hospitals was indebted for revenue bonds payable for the purposes shown in the following table:

Purpose	Series	Interest Rate/ Ranges	Final Maturity Date	Original Amount of Issue	Principal Paid Through June 30, 2009			Principal Outstanding June 30, 2009
Refund of 1992 Revenue Bonds (net of refundings)	1999	4.00% to 5.25%	02/15/2024	4 \$ 15,420,000		15,420,000	\$	0
Rex Acquisition and Hospital Renovations	2001A 2001B	1.19% 1.06%	02/15/2031 110,000,00		110,000,000 9,000,000			101,000,000
Refund Portion of 1996 Revenue Bonds	2003A 2003B	1.31% to 3.62% 1.46% to 3.54%	02/01/2029	98,015,000	98,015,000 2,890,000			95,125,000
Refund Portion of 1996 Revenue Bonds	2005A	3.00% to 5.00%	02/01/2015	30,540,000	30,540,000 8,805,000			21,735,000
Refund 1999 Revenue Bonds	2009A	0.23% to 3.56%	02/01/2024	44,290,000	_		_	44,290,000
Total Bonds Payable (principal only)				\$ 298,265,000	\$	36,115,000		262,150,000
Less: Unamortized Loss on Refunding Plus: Unamortized Premium								(15,561,371) 815,860
Total Bonds Payable							\$	247,404,489

\* For variable rate debt, interest rates in effect at June 30, 2009 are shown.

\*\* For variable rate debt with interest rate swaps, the synthetic fixed rates in effect at June 30, 2009 are shown.

**C. Demand Bonds** - Included in bonds payable are several variable rate demand bond issues. Demand bonds are securities that contain a "put" feature that allows bondholders to demand payment before the maturity of the debt upon proper notice to the Hospitals' Remarketing Agents.

With regards to the following demand bonds, the Hospitals has entered into legal agreements, which would convert the demand bonds not successfully remarketed into another form of long-term debt with the exception of Series 2009A Advance Refunding bonds, for which the Hospitals acts as its own liquidity facility.

University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue Bonds-Series 2001A and Series 2001B: On January 31, 2001, the Hospitals issued two series of tax-exempt variable rate demand bonds in the amount of \$55,000,000 (2001A) and \$55,000,000 (2001B) that have a final maturity date of February 15, 2031. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption that began on February 15, 2002. A portion of the proceeds was used to reimburse the Hospitals for \$75,000,000 spent allowing the UNC Health Care System to acquire controlling interest in Rex Healthcare, Inc. The remaining proceeds are being used for the renovation of space vacated after the opening of the North Carolina Women's Hospital, North Carolina Children's Hospital, and associated support services. While initially bearing interest in a daily mode, the mode on these bonds may change to a weekly rate, a unit pricing rate, a term rate or a fixed rate.

While in daily mode, the bonds are subject to purchase on any business day upon demand by telephonic notice of tender to the Remarketing Agent on the purchase date and delivery to the Bond Tender Agent, Wachovia Bank, National Association. The Hospitals' Remarketing Agents, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated (Series 2001A) and Banc of America Securities LLC (Series 2001B) have agreed to exercise their best efforts to remarket bonds for which a notice of purchase has been received. The quarterly remarketing fee is payable in arrears and is equal to either 0.05% or 0.08% of the outstanding principal amount of the bonds assigned to each agent, depending upon their performance in comparison to an established benchmark.

Under separate Standby Bond Purchase Agreements for the Series 2001A and Series 2001B (Agreements) between the Hospitals and Landesbank Hessen-Thuringen Girozentrale, a Liquidity Facility has been established for the Tender Agent to draw amounts sufficient to pay the purchase price and accrued interest on bonds delivered for purchase when remarketing proceeds or other funds are not available. These Agreements require an adjustable facility fee based on the long-term rating of the bonds, which is calculated as a percentage of the available commitment. Payments are made quarterly in arrears, on the first business day of each July, October, January, and April thereafter until the expiration date or the termination date of the Agreements. For the past fiscal year, the percentage was 0.25% with the long-term agreement that became effective on July 11, 2005. This agreement has been extended to October 11, 2014 at a percentage of 0.25%.

Under the Agreements, any bonds purchased through the Liquidity Facility become Bank Bonds and shall, from the date of such purchase and while they are Bank Bonds, bear interest at the Formula Rate (Base Rate equal to the higher of the Prime Rate for such day or the sum of .50% plus the Federal Funds Rate) subject to a maximum rate as permitted by law. Upon remarketing of Bank Bonds and the receipt of the sales price by the Liquidity Provider, such bonds are no longer considered Bank Bonds. Payment of the interest on the Bank Bonds is due quarterly (the first business day of January, April, July, and October) for each period in which Bank Bonds are outstanding. At June 30, 2009, there were no Bank Bonds held by the Liquidity Facility.

Included in the Agreements is a take out provision, in case the Remarketing Agent is unable to resell any bonds that are "put" within 90 days of the "put" date. In this situation, the Hospitals is required to redeem the Bank Bonds held by the Liquidity Facility. The Agreements allow the Hospitals to redeem bank bonds in equal quarterly installments, on the first business day of January, April, July, and October. The payments will commence with the first business day of any such month that is at least 90 days following the applicable Purchase Date of the Bank Bond and end no later than the fifth anniversary of such Purchase Date. If the take out agreement were to be exercised because the entire outstanding \$101,000,000 of demand bonds was "put" and not resold, the Hospitals would be required to pay \$21,967,452 a year for five years under the installment loan agreement assuming an 3.25% prime interest rate.

The current expiration date of the Agreements is December 31, 2015. The Liquidity Provider has the option to terminate its commitment on October 11, 2011, or October 11, 2014, by providing adequate notice of its intention. The Hospitals may request additional extensions of at least one year from the previous termination date. Extensions are at the discretion of Liquidity Provider.

University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue 2003A Refunding **Bonds-Series** and Series **2003B**: On February 13, 2003, the Hospitals issued two series of tax-exempt variable rate demand bonds in the amount of \$63,770,000 (2003A) and \$34,245,000 (2003B) that have a final maturity date of February 1, 2029. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption that began on February 1, 2004. The proceeds were used to advance refund \$88,325,000 of the Series 1996 Bonds. While initially bearing interest in a weekly mode, the mode on these bonds may change to a daily rate, a unit pricing rate, a term rate or a fixed rate.

While in the weekly mode, the bonds are subject to purchase on demand with seven days' notice to the Remarketing Agent and delivery to the bond Tender Agent, Wachovia Bank, National Association. The Hospitals' Remarketing Agents, Banc of America Securities LLC (Series 2003A) and Wachovia Bank, National Association (Series 2003B) have agreed to exercise their best efforts to remarket bonds for which a notice of purchase has been received. The quarterly remarketing fee is payable in arrears and is equal to 0.08% of the outstanding principal amount of the bonds assigned to the Remarketing Agent for Series 2003A and is equal to 0.07% of the outstanding principal amount of the Benarketing Agent for Series 2003B.

Under separate Standby Bond Purchase Agreements for the Series 2003A and Series 2003B (Agreements) between the Hospitals and Bank of America, N.A. (Series 2003A) or Wachovia Bank, National Association (Series 2003B) a Liquidity Facility has been established for the Tender Agent to draw amounts sufficient to pay the purchase price on bonds delivered for purchase when remarketing proceeds or other funds are not available. These Agreements require a facility fee equal to 0.22% of the available commitment for Series 2003A and Series 2003B, payable quarterly in advance, beginning on February 13, 2003, and on each February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1 thereafter until the expiration date or the termination date of the Agreements. In April 2009, a new agreement was signed with Wachovia to increase the liquidity commitment rate to 0.85% effective August 2009.

Under the Agreements, any bonds purchased through the Liquidity Facility become Bank Bonds and shall, from the date of such purchase and while they are Bank Bonds, bear interest at the Bank Bond Interest Rate (for Series 2003A, the rate equals London Inter-Bank Offered Rate (LIBOR) plus 2.50% for the first 90 days and then equals LIBOR plus 4.00%; for Series 2003B, the rate equals Prime Rate plus 1.00% for the first 90 days and then equals Prime plus 2.00%) subject to a maximum rate as permitted by law. Upon remarketing of Bank Bonds and the receipt of the sales price by the Liquidity Provider, such bonds are no longer considered Bank Bonds. Payment of the interest on the Bank Bonds is on the first business day of each month for each period in which Bank Bonds are outstanding. At June 30, 2009, there were no Bank Bonds held by the Liquidity Facility.

Included in the Agreements is a take out provision, in case the Remarketing Agent is unable to resell any bonds that are "put" within 90 days of the "put" date. In this situation, the Hospitals is required to redeem the Bank Bonds held by the Liquidity Facility. The Series 2003A Agreement allows the Hospitals to redeem bank bonds in twelve equal

quarterly installments beginning on the first February 1, May 1, August 1, or November 1 that occurs at least 90 days following the applicable Purchase Date of the Bank Bond. If the take out agreement were to be exercised because the entire outstanding \$61,875,000 of demand bonds was "put" and not resold, the Hospitals would be required to pay \$22,101,380 a year for three years under the installment loan agreement assuming a 4.32 % interest rate (LIBOR plus 4%). The Series 2003B Agreement allows the Hospitals to redeem bank bonds in 36 equal monthly installments, on the first business day of each calendar month after the loan date. Payments commence with the first business day of any such month that is at least 120 days following the applicable Purchase Date of the Bank Bond. If the take out agreement were to be exercised because the entire outstanding \$33,250,000 of demand bonds was "put" and not resold, the Hospitals would be required to pay \$12,003,228 a year for three years under the installment loan agreement assuming a 5.25 % interest rate (Prime plus 2%).

The current expiration date of the Series 2003A Agreement is July 1, 2010, and July 31, 2010, for the Series 2003B Agreement. The Hospitals may request additional extensions, which are approved at the discretion of the Liquidity Provider.

#### **Interest Rate Swap Agreement**

*Objective*: In order to protect against the risk of interest rate changes, the Hospitals entered into an interest rate swap contract agreement with Bank of America, N.A. (BOA) on February 13, 2003. The agreement covers the Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2003A (\$63,770,000) and Series 2003B (\$34,245,000). The 2003 series of bonds partially refunded Fixed Rate Revenue Bonds, Series 1996.

*Terms, Fair Values, and Credit Risk*: Under this agreement, BOA pays the Hospitals interest on the notional amount based on 67% of the arithmetic mean of the USD-LIBOR-BBA (with a designated maturity of one month) on a monthly basis. Also on a monthly basis, the Hospitals pays BOA interest at the fixed rate of 3.48%. No cash was paid or received by the Hospitals upon initiation of the agreement. The notional amount of the swap reduces annually; the reductions began in February 2004 and end in February 2029.

The swap agreement terminates February 1, 2029. As of June 30, 2009, rates were as follows:

	2003A Rates	2003B Rates
	Huteb	Itales
Fixed Payment to BOA	3.48%	3.48%
Variable Payment from BOA (LIBOR* - BBA** Rate)	0.21%	0.21%
Net Interest Rate Swap Payment	3.27%	3.27%
Variable Rate at June 30	0.35%	0.27%
Synthetic Interest Rate on Bonds	3.62%	3.54%
* London Inter-Bank Offered Rate		

\*\* Britsh Bankers Association

The swap agreement has a negative mark-to-market value of (\$9,221,383) as of June 30, 2009. The negative fair value of the swap may be countered by reductions in total interest payments required under the variable-rate bond, creating lower synthetic rates. Because the coupons on the Hospitals' variable-rate bonds adjust to changing interest rates, the bonds do not have a corresponding fair value increase. BOA develops the mark-to-market value. Their method calculates the present value of the future net settlement payments required by the swap assuming that the current forward rates implied by the yield curve correctly anticipate future spot interest rates. These payments are then discounted using the spot rates implied by the current yield curve for LIBOR due on the date of each future net settlement on the swap.

As of June 30, 2009, the Hospitals is not exposed to credit risk because the swap has a negative fair value. However, should interest rates change and the fair value of the swap becomes positive, the Hospitals would be exposed to credit risk in the amount of the derivative's fair value. BOA's current long-term ratings are A+ by Fitch Ratings, Aa3 by Moody's Investor's Service, and A+ by Standard and Poor's Corporation (S&P). At such time that their ratings fall below A3 for Moody's or below A- for S&P, BOA will be required to collateralize a portion of their exposure (up to 100%). The following instruments can serve as eligible collateral: Cash, U.S. Treasury Obligations, U.S. Government Agency Fixed Rate Fixed Maturity Securities, U.S. Government Agency Single Class Mortgage-Backed Securities, U.S. Treasury STRIPS, and other U.S. Government Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities. Posted collateral received will be entered in one or more accounts with a domestic office of a commercial bank, trust company, or financial institution organized under the laws of the United States (or any state or a political subdivision thereof).

*Basis Risk*: The Hospitals receives 67% of 1-month LIBOR-BBA Index from BOA and pays a floating rate to its bondholders set by the Remarketing Agent. The Hospitals incurs basis risk when its bonds trade at a yield above 67% of 1-month LIBOR-BBA Index. If the relationship of the Hospitals' bonds trade to a percentage of LIBOR greater than 67%, the Hospitals will experience an increase in debt service above the fixed rate on the swap.

*Termination Risk*: The derivative contract uses the International Swap Dealers Association Master Agreement, which includes standard termination events, such as failure to pay and bankruptcy. The Hospitals or the counterparty may terminate the swap if the other party fails to perform under the terms of the contract. If the swap is terminated, the associated variable-rate bonds would no longer carry synthetic interest rates. Also, if at the time of termination the swap has a negative fair value, the Hospitals would be liable to the counterparty for that amount. Termination could result in the Hospitals being required to make an unanticipated termination payment.

University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue Refunding Bonds-Series 2009A: On February 12, 2009, the Hospitals issued Series 2009A tax-exempt variable rate demand bonds in the amount of \$44,290,000 that have a final maturity date of February 1, 2024. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption that begins on February 1, 2010. The proceeds were used to advance refund \$43,505,000 of the Series 1999 Bonds. While initially bearing interest in a weekly mode, the mode on these bonds may change to a daily rate, a unit pricing rate, a term rate or a fixed rate.

While in the weekly mode, the bonds are subject to purchase on demand upon delivering irrevocable written notice of tender or irrevocable telephonic notice of tender to the Remarketing Agent not later than 4:00 p.m. on a Business Day not less than seven (7) days before the Purchase Date and upon delivering such Series 2009A bonds to the bond Tender Agent, U.S. Bank, National Association, no later than 12:00 noon on such Purchase Date. The Hospitals' Remarketing Agents, Banc of America Securities LLC has agreed to exercise their best efforts to remarket bonds for which a notice of purchase has been received. The quarterly remarketing fee is payable in arrears and is equal to 0.09% of the weighted average daily principal amount of Series 2009A Bonds outstanding during such periods in which the Series 2009A Bonds are Variable Rate Bonds.

Under a separate Liquidity Agreement with the Trustee, the Hospitals has established itself as Liquidity Facility for the Tender Agent to draw amounts sufficient to pay the purchase price on bonds delivered for purchase when remarketing proceeds or other funds are not available. Upon receipts of any notice from the Remarketing Agent that there is a Projected Funding Amount on the Business Day prior to each Purchase Date or Mandatory Purchase Date, and upon receipts of written demand for payment from the Tender Agent by noon on each Purchase Date or Mandatory Purchase Date, the Hospitals shall wire to the Tender Agent, in immediately available funds, an amount equal to the Actual Funding Amount, which shall be equal to the Purchase Price of all Series 2009A bonds tendered or deemed tendered, less the aggregate amount of remarketing proceeds received by the Remarketing Agent, by not later than 2:00 p.m. on the Purchase Date or Mandatory Purchase Date.

#### **Interest Rate Swap Agreement**

*Objective*: In order to protect against the risk of interest rate changes, the Hospitals entered into an interest rate swap contract agreement with Bank of America, N.A. (BOA) on February 12, 2007, in anticipation of the issuance of the Series 2009A Bonds on February 12, 2009.

*Terms, Fair Values, and Credit Risk*: Under this agreement, BOA pays the Hospitals interest on the notional amount based on 67% of the arithmetic mean of the USD-LIBOR-BBA (with a designated maturity of one month) on a monthly basis. Also on a monthly basis, the Hospitals pays BOA interest at the fixed rate of 3.606%. No cash was paid or received by the Hospitals upon initiation of the agreement. The notional amount of the swap reduces annually; the reductions will begin in February 2010 and end in February 2024.

The swap agreement terminates February 1, 2024. As of June 30, 2009, rates were as follows:

	2009A Rates
Fixed Payment to BOA	3.61%
Variable Payment from BOA (LIBOR* - BBA** Rate)	0.21%
Net Interest Rate Swap Payment	3.40%
Variable Rate at June 30	0.16%
Synthetic Interest Rate on Bonds	3.56%
*London Inter-Bank Offered Rate ** British Bankers Association	

The swap agreement has a negative mark-to-market value of (\$3,991,696) as of June 30, 2009. The negative fair value of the swap may be countered by reductions in total interest payments required under the

variable-rate bond, creating lower synthetic rates. Because the coupons on the Hospitals' variable rate bonds adjust to changing interest rates, the bonds do not have a corresponding fair value increase. BOA develops the mark-to-market value. Their method calculates the present value of the future net settlement payments required by the swap assuming that the current forward rates implied by the yield curve correctly anticipate future spot interest rates. These payments are then discounted using the spot rates implied by the current yield curve for LIBOR due on the date of each future net settlement on the swap.

As of June 30, 2009, the Hospitals is not exposed to credit risk because the swap has a negative fair value. However, should interest rates change and the fair value of the swap becomes positive, the Hospitals would be exposed to credit risk in the amount of the derivative's fair value. BOA's current long-term ratings are A+ by Fitch Ratings, Aa3 by Moody's Investor's Service, and A+ by Standard and Poor's Corporation (S&P). At such time that their ratings fall below A3 for Moody's or below A- for S&P, BOA will be required to collateralize a portion of their exposure (up to 100%). The following instruments can serve as eligible collateral: Cash, U.S. Treasury Obligations, U.S. Government Agency Fixed Rate Fixed Maturity Securities, U.S. Government Agency Single Class Mortgage-Backed Securities, U.S. Treasury STRIPS, and other U.S. Government Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities. Posted collateral received will be entered in one or more accounts with a domestic office of a commercial bank, trust company, or financial institution organized under the laws of the United States (or any state or a political subdivision thereof).

*Basis Risk*: The Hospitals receives 67% of 1-month LIBOR-BBA Index from BOA and pays a floating rate to its bondholders set by the Remarketing Agent. The Hospitals incurs basis risk when its bonds trade at a yield above 67% of 1-month LIBOR-BBA Index. If the relationship of the Hospitals' bonds trade to a percentage of LIBOR greater than 67%, the Hospitals will experience an increase in debt service above the fixed rate on the swap.

*Termination Risk*: The derivative contract uses the International Swap Dealers Association Master Agreement, which includes standard termination events, such as failure to pay and bankruptcy. The Hospitals or the counterparty may terminate the swap if the other party fails to perform under the terms of the contract. If the swap is terminated, the associated variable-rate bonds would no longer carry synthetic interest rates. Also, if at the time of termination the swap has a negative fair value, the Hospitals would be liable to the counterparty for that amount.

Termination could result in the Hospitals being required to make an unanticipated termination payment.

		Annual Requirements											
		Revenue Bonds Payable								Notes Payable			
Fiscal Year	Principal		Interest		Interest Rate Swaps, Net		Total		Principal		Interest		
2010	\$	7,390,000	\$	3,544,043	\$	3,556,989	\$	14,491,032	\$	11,635,262	\$	341,488	
2011		7,615,000		3,352,668		3,469,125		14,436,793		2,795,558		23,474	
2012		7,900,000		3,156,836		3,385,470		14,442,306					
2013		8,380,000		2,938,809		3,281,447		14,600,256					
2014		8,695,000		2,721,930		3,187,357		14,604,287					
2015-2019		50,025,000		11,147,513		13,560,937		74,733,450					
2020-2024		60,845,000		8,339,927		7,731,024		76,915,951					
2025-2029		75,700,000		4,535,991		2,271,399		82,507,390					
2030-2034		35,600,000		457,120				36,057,120					
Total Requirements	\$	262,150,000	\$	40,194,837	\$	40,443,748	\$	342,788,585	\$	14,430,820	\$	364,962	

**D. Annual Requirements** - The annual requirements to pay principal and interest on the long-term obligations at June 30, 2009, are as follows:

Interest on the variable rate 2001A and 2001B revenue bonds is calculated based upon the fiscal year 2009 effective rates at which the bonds were remarketed of 1.19% and 1.06%, respectively. Interest on the variable rate 2003A, 2003B, and 2009A revenue bonds is calculated based upon the synthetic rates at June 30, 2009, of 3.62%, 3.54%, and 3.56%, respectively. See Note 6C for more information on the demand bonds and the interest rate swap agreement.

**E. Bond Defeasance** - The Hospitals has extinguished long-term debt obligations by the issuance of new long-term debt instruments as follows:

On February 12, 2009, the Hospitals issued \$44,290,000 in University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue Refunding Bonds Series 2009A with an average interest rate of 3.61%. The bonds were issued to advance refund \$43,505,000 of outstanding University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue Bonds Series 1999 with an average interest rate of 5.25%. These funds were deposited into an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the refunded bonds. As a result, the refunded bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability has been removed from the Hospitals' Statement of Net Assets. This advance refunding was undertaken to reduce total debt service payments by \$4,273,522 over the next 15 years and resulted in an economic gain of \$3,158,057. At June 30, 2009, the outstanding balance was \$43,505,000 for the defeased

University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill Revenue Bonds Series 1999 bonds.

# **F.** Notes Payable - The Hospitals was indebted for notes payable for the purposes shown in the following table:

Purpose	Financial Institution	Interest Rate/ Ranges	Final Maturity Date		Original Amount of Issue	Principal Paid Through June 30, 2009		Principal Outstanding June 30, 2009	
IBM Equipment Medical Equipment	IBM Credit SunTrust	2.92% to 3.76% 3.40%	07/01/2010 09/29/2010		2,081,893 0,000,000	\$ 963,525 36,687,548	\$	1,118,368 13,312,452	
Total Notes Payable				\$ 52	2,081,893	\$ 37,651,073	\$	14,430,820	

#### NOTE 7 - OPERATING LEASE OBLIGATIONS

The Hospitals entered into operating leases for space rental. Future minimum lease payments under noncancelable operating leases consist of the following at June 30, 2009:

Fiscal Year	Amount		
2010	\$	2,163,023	
2011 2012		2,136,690 2,068,676	
2013 2014		2,023,972 1,619,369	
2015-2019		3,000,920	
Total Minimum Lease Payments	\$	13,012,650	

Rental expense for all operating leases during the year was \$2,326,955.

#### NOTE 8 - NET PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE

**Medicare**: The Hospitals is reimbursed for inpatient acute care services under the provisions of the Prospective Payment System (PPS). Under PPS, payment is made at predetermined rates for treating various diagnoses and performing procedures that have been grouped into defined Medicare Severity Diagnosis-Related Groups (MSDRGs) applicable to each patient discharge, rather than on the basis of the Hospitals' allowable charges. The difference in the standard hospital charge and the prospective payment for such services is reflected as an adjustment from patient service revenue. The claims payments are MSDRG payments and add-on payments for indirect medical education and disproportionate share. MSDRG payments include capital related costs. Medicare makes payments for Direct Graduate Medical Education (DGME) in support of the direct costs of residency training. Medicare also pays a portion of Medicare bad debts and organ acquisition costs for the Medicare beneficiaries. These pass-through payments are discussed further in Note 4, Estimated Third Party Settlements.

Medicare reimburses the Hospitals for inpatient hospital services furnished in the inpatient rehabilitation unit, referred to as an inpatient rehabilitation facility (IRF), under the provisions of the Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Prospective Payment System (IRF PPS). IRF PPS utilizes information from a patient assessment instrument (IRF PAI) to classify patients into distinct groups based on clinical characteristics and expected resource needs. Payments are calculated for each group, including case and facility adjustments. Payments made under this system cover the inpatient operating and capital costs of covered rehabilitation services and are made on a per discharge basis. The IRF receives additional payments for residency programs and bad debt in a pass-through payment.

Medicare reimburses the Hospitals for services furnished in the inpatient psychiatric unit under the provisions of the Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Prospective Payment System (IPF PPS). Under this system, payment to IPFs is based on a federal per diem base rate that includes both inpatient operating and capital-related costs (including routine and ancillary services) but excludes certain pass-through costs (i.e., bad debt and direct medical education). The federal per diem base rate provides patient-level and facility-level adjustments including wage index and teaching adjustments. The payment for an individual patient is further adjusted for factors such as the Diagnosis Related Group classification, age, length of stay, and the presence of specified comorbidities. Additional payments are provided for cost outlier cases, a qualifying emergency department (ED) and electroconvulsive therapy treatments.

With the Balanced Budget Act of 1997, most outpatient services are paid on a prospective payment system. The system became effective August 1, 2000, and is based on ambulatory payment classifications (APC). It applies to most hospital outpatient services other than ambulance, rehabilitation services, clinical diagnostic laboratory services, non-implantable durable medical equipment, prosthetic devices, and orthotics which are paid based on fee schedules.

**Medicaid**: Medicaid reimburses inpatient services on an interim basis under a prospective payment system using diagnostic related groups as its basis. A settlement is made at year end to adjust from the interim reimbursement to a cost-based reimbursement basis.

Medicaid reimburses most outpatient services on an interim basis based on an agreed-upon rate based on documented costs. Medicaid also reimburses the Hospitals for graduate medical education costs. In addition, Medicaid reimburses the Hospitals for providing services to a disproportionate share of uninsured and low income patients. Final settlement is determined after submission of annual cost reports by the Hospitals. Several services such as hearing aids, durable medical equipment (DME), outpatient pharmaceuticals, home health, and diagnostic laboratory services are paid on fee schedules.

**Commercial/Managed Care Payer Agreements**: The Hospitals has entered into reimbursement agreements with certain commercial insurance carriers and managed care organizations to accept patients on a discounted fee for service basis. The basis for reimbursement under these agreements includes case rates per discharge, discounts from established charges, fee schedules, and per diem rates.

In general, all payments for inpatient and outpatient services are subject to deductibles and co-payments that are the patient's responsibility. Additionally, insurance plans may reimburse their subscribers or make direct payment to the Hospitals on an assignment of benefits basis.

A summary of net patient service revenue for the year ended June 30, 2009, follows:

	 2009
Inpatient Routine	\$ 359,885,134
Inpatient Ancillary	735,003,556
Outpatient	799,147,288
Charity Care Provided	 (138,319,548)
Gross Patient Service Revenue	 1,755,716,430
Medicare Contractual Allowance	(325,289,311)
Medicaid Contractual Allowance	(205,144,850)
Managed Care Contractual Allowance	(314,012,153)
Other Contractual Allowances	(27,419,323)
Bad Debt	 (43,585,263)
Contractual Adjustments	 (915,450,900)
Net Patient Service Revenue	\$ 840,265,530

#### **NOTE 9** - **PENSION PLANS**

**A. Retirement Plans** - Every permanent full-time employee, as a condition of employment, is a member of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System.

The Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan established by the State to provide pension benefits for employees of the State, its component units, and local boards of education. The plan is administered by the North Carolina State Treasurer.

Benefit and contribution provisions for the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System are established by *North Carolina General Statutes* 135-5 and 135-8 and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. Employer and member contribution rates are set each year by the North Carolina General Assembly based on annual actuarial valuations. For the year ended June 30, 2009, these rates were set at 3.36% of covered payroll for employers and 6.00% of covered payroll for members.

For the current fiscal year, the Hospitals had a total payroll of \$367,974,258, of which \$311,116,303 was covered under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System. Total employer and employee contributions for pension benefits for the year were \$10,453,508 and \$18,666,978, respectively.

Required employer contribution rates for the years ended June 30, 2008, and 2007, were 3.05% and 2.66%, respectively, while employee contributions were 6.00% each year. The Hospitals made 100% of its annual required contributions for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008, and 2007, which were \$10,453,508, \$8,746,589, and \$6,740,339, respectively.

The Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System's financial information is included in the State of North Carolina's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*. An electronic version of this report is available by accessing the North Carolina Office of the State Controller's Internet home page <u>http://www.ncosc.net/</u> and clicking on "Proceed directly to OSC's index page," then "Reports," or by calling the State Controller's Financial Reporting Section at (919) 981-5454.

**B.** Deferred Compensation and Supplemental Retirement Income Plans - IRC Section 457 Plan - The State of North Carolina offers its permanent employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457 through the North Carolina Public Employee Deferred Compensation Plan (the Plan). The Plan permits each participating employee to defer a portion of his or her salary until future years. The deferred compensation is available to employees upon separation from service, death, disability, retirement, or financial hardships if approved by the Board of Trustees of the Plan. The Board, a part of the North Carolina Department of Administration, maintains a separate fund for the exclusive benefit of the participating employees and their beneficiaries, *The North Carolina Public Employee Deferred Compensation Trust Fund*. The Board also contracts with an external third party to perform certain administrative requirements and to manage the trust fund's assets. All costs of administering and funding the Plan are the responsibility of the Plan participants. No costs are incurred by the Hospitals. The voluntary contributions by employees amounted to \$691,134 for the year ended June 30, 2009.

IRC Section 401(k) Plan - All members of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System are eligible to enroll in the Supplemental Retirement Income Plan, a defined contribution plan, created under Internal Revenue Code Section 401(k). All costs of administering the Plan are the responsibility of the Plan participants. No costs are incurred by the Hospitals except for a 5% employer contribution for the Hospitals' law enforcement officers, which is mandated under General Statute 143-166.30(e). Total employer contributions on behalf of Hospitals' law enforcement officers for the year ended June 30, 2009, were \$57,048. The voluntary contributions by employees amounted to \$2,516,137 for the year ended June 30, 2009.

IRC Section 403(b) and 403(b)(7) Plans - Eligible Hospitals employees can participate in tax sheltered annuity plans created under Internal Revenue Code Sections 403(b) and 403(b)(7). The employee's eligible contributions, made through salary reduction agreements, are exempt from federal and State income taxes until the annuity is received or the contributions are withdrawn. These plans are exclusively for employees of universities and certain charitable and other nonprofit institutions. All costs of administering and funding these plans are the responsibility of the Plan participants. No costs are incurred by the Hospitals. The voluntary contributions by employees amounted to \$4,029,890 for the year ended June 30, 2009.

#### NOTE 10 - OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

A. Health Benefits - The Hospitals participates in the Comprehensive Major Medical Plan (the Plan), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit health care plan that provides postemployment health insurance to eligible former employees. Eligible former employees include long-term disability beneficiaries of the Disability Income Plan of North Carolina and retirees of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System. Coverage eligibility varies depending on years of contributory membership service in their retirement system prior to disability or retirement.

The Plan's benefit and contribution provisions are established by North Carolina General Statute 135-7 and 35, Article 3A, of the General Statutes and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. The Plan does not provide for automatic post-retirement benefit increases.

By General Statute, a Retiree Health Benefit Fund (the Fund) has been established as a fund in which accumulated contributions from employers and any earnings on those contributions shall be used to provide health benefits to retired and disabled employees and applicable beneficiaries. By statute, the Fund is administered by the Board of Trustees of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System and contributions to the Fund are irrevocable. Also by law, Fund assets are dedicated to providing benefits to retired and disabled employees and applicable beneficiaries and are not subject to the claims of creditors of the employers making contributions to the Fund. Contribution rates to the Fund, which are intended to finance benefits and administrative expenses on a pay-as-you-go basis, are determined by the General Assembly in the Appropriations Bill.

For the current fiscal year the Hospitals contributed 4.1% of the covered payroll under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System to the Fund. Required contribution rates for the years ended June 30, 2008, and 2007, were 4.1% and 3.8%, respectively. The Hospitals made 100% of its annual required contributions to the Plan for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008, and 2007, which were \$12,755,768, \$11,757,710 and \$9,629,055, respectively. The Hospitals assumes no liability for retiree health care benefits provided by the programs other than its required contribution.

Additional detailed information about these programs can be located in the State of North Carolina's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*. An electronic version of this report is available by accessing the North Carolina Office of the State Controller's Internet home page <u>http://www.ncosc.net/</u> and clicking on "Proceed directly to OSC's index page," then "Reports," or by calling the State Controller's Financial Reporting Section at (919) 981-5454.

**B. Disability Income** - The Hospitals participates in the Disability Income Plan of North Carolina (DIPNC), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit plan, to provide short-term and long-term disability benefits to eligible members of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System. Benefit and contribution provisions are established by Chapter 135, Article 6, of the General Statutes, and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. The plan does not provide for automatic post-retirement benefit increases.

Disability income benefits are funded by actuarially determined employer contributions that are established in the Appropriations Bill by the General Assembly. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, the Hospitals made a statutory contribution of .52% of covered payroll under the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System to the DIPNC. Required contribution rates for the years ended June 30, 2008, and 2007, were .52% and .52%, respectively. The Hospitals made 100% of its annual required contributions to the DIPNC for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008, and 2007, which were \$1,617,805, \$1,491,222, and \$1,317,660, respectively. The Hospitals assumes no liability for long-term disability benefits under the Plan other than its contribution.

Additional detailed information about the DIPNC is disclosed in the State of North Carolina's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*.

### NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The Hospitals is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and the destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These exposures to loss are handled via a combination of methods, including participation in State-administered insurance programs, purchase of commercial insurance, and self-retention of certain risks. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the previous year and settled claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

Tort claims of up to \$1,000,000 are retained under the authority of the State Tort Claims Act.

The Hospitals is required to maintain fire and lightning coverage on all Stateowned buildings and contents through the State Property Fire Insurance Fund (Fund), an internal service fund of the State. Such coverage is provided at no cost to the Hospitals for operations supported by the State's General Fund. Other operations not supported by the State's General Fund are charged for the coverage. Losses covered by the Fund are subject to a \$5,000 per occurrence deductible. Premiums are paid based on square footage and the value of building contents. The Hospitals purchased through the Fund "all risks" replacement cost basis insurance for buildings and contents subject to a \$25,000 per occurrence deductible. During fiscal year 2009, two covered events took place. A magnetic resonance imager (MRI) located in the main Hospital was damaged. The repair cost totaled \$204,600, of which \$179,600 has been reimbursed by the Fund. The second event happened in the Hedrick Building, which houses some of the Hospitals' administrative departments. A pipe burst and caused significant water damage. An estimated reimbursable repair cost of \$447,870 has been recorded as of June 30, 2009.

All State-owned vehicles are covered by liability insurance through a private insurance company and handled by the North Carolina Department of Insurance. The liability limits for losses are \$1,000,000 per claim and \$10,000,000 per occurrence. The Hospitals pays premiums to the North Carolina Department of Insurance for the coverage.

The Hospitals is protected for losses from employee dishonesty and computer fraud. This coverage is with a private insurance company and is handled by the North Carolina Department of Insurance. The Hospitals is charged a premium by the private insurance company. Coverage limit is \$5,000,000 per occurrence. The private insurance company pays 90% of each loss less a \$75,000 deductible.

The Hospitals purchased other authorized coverages from private insurance companies through the North Carolina Department of Insurance. The coverage includes:

- Boiler and Machinery insurance up to \$25,000,000 with a deductible of \$5,000 per occurrence;
- Directors and Officers Liability insurance up to \$15,000,000 with a deductible of \$200,000 per occurrence;
- Master Crime insurance up to \$500,000 with a deductible of \$1,000;
- Comprehensive General Liability insurance up to \$2,000,000 with a deductible of \$10,000 per occurrence;
- General Liability for Helipad on Premises insurance up to \$20,000,000 with a deductible of \$10,000 per occurrence;
- General Liability for Non-owned Aircraft insurance up to \$20,000,000 with no deductible;
- Computerized Business Equipment replacement cost insurance up to \$603,850 with a deductible of \$10,000 per occurrence;
- Fine Arts Floater insurance up to \$100,000 with a deductible of \$1,000 per occurrence.

Employees and retirees are provided comprehensive major medical care benefits. Coverage is funded by contributions to the State Health Plan (Plan),

a pension and other employee benefit trust fund of the State of North Carolina. The Plan has contracted with third parties to process claims.

The North Carolina Workers' Compensation Program provides benefits to workers injured on the job. All employees of the State and its component units are included in the program. When an employee is injured, the Hospitals' primary responsibility is to arrange for and provide the necessary treatment for work related injury. The Hospitals is responsible for paying medical benefits and compensation in accordance with the North Carolina Workers' Compensation Act. The Hospitals retains the risk for workers' compensation.

Term life insurance (death benefits) of \$25,000 to \$50,000 is provided to eligible workers. This Death Benefit Plan is administered by the State Treasurer and funded via employer contributions. The employer contribution rate was .16% for the current fiscal year.

Additional details on the State-administered risk management programs are disclosed in the State's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*, issued by the Office of the State Controller.

**Liability Insurance Trust Fund** - The Hospitals participates in the Liability Insurance Trust Fund (Trust Fund), a claims-servicing public entity risk pool for healthcare professional liability protection. The Trust Fund services professional liability claims, managing separate accounts for each participant from which the losses of that participant are paid. Although participant assessments are determined on an actuarial basis, ultimate liability for claims remains with the participants and, accordingly, the insurance risks are not transferred to the Trust Fund.

The Trust Fund is an unincorporated entity created by Chapter 116, Article 26, of the *North Carolina General Statutes* and The University of North Carolina Board of Governors Resolution of June 9, 1978. The Trust Fund is a self-insurance program established to provide professional medical malpractice liability covering The University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill (the Hospitals) and The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Physicians and Associates (UNC P&A), the program participants. The Trust Fund provides coverage for program participants and individual health care practitioners working as employees, agents, or officers of program participants. The Trust Fund is exempt from federal and state income taxes, and is not subject to regulation by the North Carolina Department of Insurance.

Participation in the Trust Fund is open to the University of North Carolina, any constituent institution of the University of North Carolina, the Hospitals, and any health care institution, agency or entity that has an affiliation agreement with the University of North Carolina, with a constituent institution of the

University of North Carolina, or with the Hospitals. Only the UNC P&A and the Hospitals have participated in the Trust Fund to date. Participants provide management and administrative services to the Trust Fund at no cost.

The Trust Fund is governed by the Liability Insurance Trust Fund Council (the Council). The Council consists of 13 members as follows: one member each appointed by the State Attorney General, the State Auditor, the State Insurance Commissioner, the Director of the Office of State Budget and Management, the State Treasurer, (each serving at the pleasure of the appointer); and eight members appointed to three year terms (with no limit on the number of terms) by the UNC System's Board of Governors.

The Trust Fund establishes claim liabilities based on estimates of the ultimate cost of claims (including future expenses and claim adjustment expenses) that have been reported but not settled and of claims incurred but not reported. Claim liabilities are recomputed annually based on an independent actuary's study to produce current estimates that reflect recent settlements, claims frequency, inflation and other factors. Participant assessments are determined at a level to fund claim liabilities, discounted for future investment earnings. Each participant is required by statute to maintain a fund balance of \$100,000 at all times. Participants are subject to additional premium assessments in the event of deficiencies.

For the period July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2009, the Trust Fund provided coverage on an occurrence basis of \$3,000,000 per individual and \$7,000,000 in the aggregate per claim. The Trust Fund entered into an excess of loss agreement with an unaffiliated reinsurer in prior years. However, excess reinsurance coverage has not been purchased for any policy year since June 30, 2006, as the Trust Fund chose to retain 100% of the liability. In lieu of reinsurance, the participants contributed \$10,000,000 in the aggregate toward the Reimbursement Fund for future losses. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the Trust Fund purchased a direct insurance policy to cover the first \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$3,000,000 in the aggregate for dental residents. North Carolina General Statutes Chapter 116 was amended during 1987 to authorize the Trust Fund to borrow necessary amounts up to \$30,000,000, in the event that the Trust Fund may have insufficient funds to pay existing and future claims. Any such borrowing would be repaid from the assets and revenues of program participants. No line of credit or borrowing has been established pursuant to this authorization. The Council believes adequate funds are on deposit in the Trust Fund to meet estimated losses based upon the results of the independent actuary's report.

The Trust Fund has purchased annuity contracts to settle claims for which the claimant has signed an agreement releasing the Fund from further obligation.

The related claim liabilities have been removed from estimated malpractice costs.

The Council may choose to terminate the Trust Fund, or the respective participants may choose to terminate their participation. In the event of such termination by either the Council or a participant, an updated actuarial study will be performed to determine amounts due to or from the participants based on loss experience up to the date of termination.

At June 30, 2009, the Hospitals' assets in the Trust Fund totaled \$27,407,686 while Hospitals' liabilities totaled \$19,764,523 resulting in net assets of \$7,643,163.

Additional disclosures relative to the funding status and obligations of the Fund are set forth in the audited financial statements of the Liability Insurance Trust Fund. Copies of this report may be obtained from The University of North Carolina Liability Insurance Trust Fund, University of North Carolina Health Care System, 211 Friday Center Drive, Hedrick Building, Room 2029, Chapel Hill, NC 27517.

# NOTE 12 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

- A. Commitments The Hospitals has established an encumbrance system to track its outstanding commitments on construction projects and other purchases. Outstanding commitments on construction contracts were \$12,284,211 and on other purchases were \$35,086,039 at June 30, 2009.
- **B.** Pending Litigation and Claims The Hospitals is a party to other litigation and claims in the ordinary course of its operations. Since it is not possible to predict the ultimate outcome of these matters, no provision for any liability has been made in the financial statements. Hospitals' management is of the opinion that the liability, if any, for any of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the financial position of the Hospitals.
- C. North Carolina State Capital Facilities Act of 2004 The North Carolina State Capital Facilities Act of 2004 (the Act) was ratified as part of House bill 1264 of the 2004 Session of the General Assembly of North Carolina. The Act authorizes the issuance or incurrence of special indebtedness of an aggregate maximum amount of \$180 million to finance the construction and equipping of a new cancer rehabilitation and treatment center, a nearby physicians' office building, and a walkway between the two, all to be located at the University of North Carolina Hospitals at Chapel Hill. The State, with the prior approval of the State Treasurer and the Council of State, as provided in Article 9 of

Chapter 142 of the North Carolina General Statutes, is authorized to issue or incur special indebtedness in order to provide funds to the State to be used, together with other available funds, to pay the cost of this project. The Act requires both the Health and Wellness Trust Fund and the Tobacco Trust Fund to provide the debt service for the special indebtedness described above. The information for the Cancer Hospital project component of the Act is provided quarterly by the Hospitals' Planning Department via a report that outlines the estimated cash requirements needed to fund the remainder of the project as of that point in time. Within these amounts, based on an official request of cash needs from the Hospitals, the Office of State Budget and Management (OSBM) authorizes allotments. The Hospitals records the allotments as capital grant revenue on the accompanying financial statements. The Hospitals' remaining authorization of \$16 million is contingent on fund availability and OSBM allotment approval. Because of uncertainty and time restrictions the remaining authorization is not recorded as an asset or revenue on the accompanying financial statements.

**D. Rex Capital Fund** - On April 13, 2000, the UNC Health Care System (System) entered into a contractual agreement with Rex Healthcare, Inc. (Rex) and the John Rex Endowment to gain a controlling interest in the governance of Rex Healthcare, Inc. and related entities. At the signing of this agreement, the Hospitals transferred \$100 million on behalf of the System to the John Rex Endowment. This agreement also provided for the funding of the Rex Capital Fund which is an obligation by the System to provide for the future funding of up to a total of \$58 million of Rex's capital needs for 10 years following the closing date. This obligation may be satisfied contractually by the System paying Rex in incremental draws or by applying Rex's operating surplus to their capital needs. There have been no calls, to date, under the agreement because Rex's capital fund needs have been satisfied by their operating surplus.

#### NOTE 13 - RELATED PARTIES

**University of North Carolina Health Care System Enterprise Fund** - The Board of Directors of UNC Health Care System (System) authorized and approved the creation of an Enterprise Fund to support the System's mission and vision to be the nation's leading public academic health care system. The key components of the System are the University of North Carolina Hospitals, the clinical patient care programs established or maintained by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Medicine and UNC Physicians & Associates, Rex Healthcare, Inc., and Chatham Hospital, Inc. Pursuant to a memorandum of understanding effective July 1, 2005, the key components agreed to finance the Enterprise Fund. For the year ending June 30, 2009, the

Hospitals was assessed \$28,092,240 to fund initiatives supported by the Enterprise Fund.

**Rex Healthcare, Inc.** - Rex Healthcare, Inc. (Rex) is a North Carolina not-forprofit corporation organized to provide a wide range of health care services to residents of the Triangle. By contractual agreement, the System has a controlling interest in the governance of Rex and related entities. The System appoints eight of the 13 seats on Rex's Board of Trustees and reviews and approves Rex's annual operating and capital budgets. The principal corporate entities under the common control of Rex Healthcare, Inc. are:

**Rex Hospital, Inc.** – Rex Hospital, Inc. is a 433-bed hospital located in Raleigh, North Carolina that provides inpatient, outpatient and emergency services primarily to the residents of Wake County, North Carolina. The Hospital operates Rex Cancer Center, Rex Women's Center, Rex Rehab and Nursing Care Center of Raleigh on its main campus. Rex Hospital has additional campuses in Cary, Wakefield (in Raleigh), Knightdale, and Apex.

**Rex Enterprises, Inc.** – Rex Enterprises, Inc. is a North Carolina forprofit corporation organized to promote the health and welfare of residents of Wake County.

**Rex Healthcare Foundation, Inc.** – Rex Healthcare Foundation, Inc. is a North Carolina not-for-profit corporation organized to promote the health and welfare of Triangle residents by promoting philanthropic contributions and public support of Rex Healthcare.

**Rex Home Services, Inc.** – Rex Hospital owns Rex Homes Services, Inc., a North Carolina not-for-profit corporation, organized to provide home care services primarily to the residents of Wake County.

**Smithfield Radiation Oncology, LLC** – Rex Healthcare, Inc. owns and operates this treatment center located in Smithfield, North Carolina.

The Hospitals provides certain management, legal and contracting services to Rex. Likewise, Rex also provides certain employee contracting services to the Hospitals. These transactions resulted in the Hospitals receiving \$2,471,675 from Rex and the Hospitals paying \$570,569 to Rex during the year ended June 30, 2009.

**The Medical Foundation of North Carolina, Inc.** – The Hospitals is a participant in The Medical Foundation of North Carolina, Inc. (Foundation), a nonprofit Foundation for the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and

the Hospitals, which solicits gifts and grants for both entities. The Board of Directors of the Medical Foundation administers the funds of the Foundation.

**Chatham Hospital, Inc.** – Chatham Hospital, Inc. is a private, nonprofit 501(c)(3) corporation that owns and operates a 25-bed critical access facility located in Siler City, North Carolina. The facility operates 21 acute and four intensive care beds, along with a complement of surgical suites, emergency room, and ancillary services.

The Hospitals entered into a five year management agreement with Chatham Hospital, Inc. on August 1, 2006, which includes staffing and assistance with operations and planning.

The Hospitals was paid \$557,103 for these services during the year ended June 30, 2009.

On February 8, 2007, the Hospitals established a \$1,999,000 escrow account to serve as collateral for some of the financial covenants related to Chatham Hospital, Inc. debt. None of these funds have been used as of June 30, 2009.

On July 21, 2008, at the direction of the System, the Hospitals transferred \$2,000,000 to Chatham Hospital, Inc. as a closing payment, and the System agreed to invest an additional \$9,300,000 to expand health care services in Chatham County over the next seven years in exchange for becoming its sole corporate member. The System appoints nine of the 15 members on the Chatham Hospital, Inc. Board and reviews and approves its annual operating and capital budgets.

#### NOTE 14 - INVESTMENT IN AFFILIATES

The Hospitals has investments in affiliates and joint ventures accounted for on the equity method. Investments in affiliates were \$2,195,407 at June 30, 2009. The Hospitals' share of these affiliates and joint ventures is not significant individually. The summarized financial information below represents an aggregation of the ongoing affiliates and joint ventures:

	 2009 (Unaudited)
TOTAL AFFILIATE ACTIVITY	
Current Assets	\$ 3,762,120
Noncurrent Assets	965,370
Current Liabilities	240,597
Shareholders Equity	4,486,893
Revenue	6,628,737
Net Gain	893,098
HOSPITALS' SHARE OF ACTIVITY Affiliate Gain - Ongoing Operations Affiliate Gain - Discontinued Operations	 311,776 24,000
Total Gain Realized from Affiliate Activities	\$ 335,776

#### NOTE 15 - CHANGES IN FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, the Hospitals implemented the following pronouncement issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB):

GASB Statement No. 49, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pollution Remediation Obligations.

GASB Statement No. 49, requires reporting pollution remediation obligations, including reporting pollution remediation obligations that previously may not have been reported.

#### NOTE 16 - NET ASSET RESTATEMENT

As of July 1, 2008, net assets as previously reported was restated as follows:

		Amount
July 1, 2008, Net Assets, As Previously Reported Restatement: Correction of Distribution to Minority Interest		954,084,753
in Carolina Dialysis, LLC		(3,111,572)
July 1, 2008, Net Assets, as Restated	\$	950,973,181

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Directors University of North Carolina Health Care System Chapel Hill, North Carolina

We have audited the financial statements of the University of North Carolina Hospitals, which is a part of the University of North Carolina Health Care System, which is part of the multi-campus University of North Carolina System, a component unit of the State of North Carolina, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, and have issued our report thereon dated October 23, 2009.

As discussed in Note 15 to the financial statements, the Hospitals implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 49, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pollution Remediation Obligation*, during the year ended June 30, 2009.

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, the financial statements present only the University of North Carolina Hospitals and are not intended to present fairly the financial position of the University of North Carolina Health Care System nor the University of North Carolina System, and the results of operations and cash flows in conformity with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

# Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Hospitals' internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Hospitals' internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Hospitals' internal control over financial reporting.

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A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Hospitals' ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Hospitals' financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Hospitals' internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Hospitals' internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Hospitals' financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management of the Hospitals, the Board of Governors, the Board of Directors of the University of North Carolina Health Care System, the Audit and Compliance Committee, others within the entity, the Governor, the General Assembly, and the State Controller, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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October 23, 2009

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