In 2018, we...

- added 11 employed and affiliated providers
- made more than $4.5 million in capital improvements
- distributed a payroll of $60,551,774 to 924 employees
- donated more than $4.8 million in services to those in need
- paid $1,204,988 in taxes

Inviting the best possible providers into our community and supporting them is essential to ensuring access to high-quality care. Last year, we added providers in primary care, women’s care, cardiology and urology.

By continually investing in our facilities, we’re helping to ensure that we continue to meet our community’s health care needs. Last year’s investments included a new chiller, third floor roof, radiology room and C-section suite for Harris, and a new generator distribution unit for Swain.

We strive to create an environment where talent is recognized, job satisfaction is valued and our employees can effectively use their skills to provide high-quality care and service.

Delivering care to all of our neighbors, regardless of their ability to pay, is foundational to our mission and our commitment to our community.

We are proud to be a leader in our region, and our dedication to ensuring fiscal responsibility extends both to our hospital and to our community.
SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS

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

- Blue Ridge Community Health
- Cherokee Indian Hospital
- Jackson County Chamber of Commerce
- Jackson County Schools
- Macon County Chamber of Commerce
- Mountain Projects
- Southwestern Community College
- Southwestern NC Planning and Economic Development Commission
- Swain County School System
- Western Carolina University

ECONOMIC IMPACT

Charity and other uncompensated care (includes unpaid cost of Medicaid, as well as charity care and other uncompensated care) ........................................... $4,817,546

Community benefit programs .................. $575,164

- Financial contributions ................... $218,932
- Professional development ............... $98,103
- Tuition reimbursement .................. $50,563
- Physician recruitment .................. $206,641
- Community health services ............. $925

Taxes paid ....................................... $1,204,988

- Property and other taxes ............... $484,206
- Local and state sales tax ............... $720,782

2018 TOTAL: $6,597,698

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Charity and other uncompensated care includes hospital costs not covered by Medicaid reimbursements and supplemental payments, as well as charity care and bad debt. "Physician recruitment costs" include recruitment costs and support of new physicians’ initial practice establishment in the community. Payroll includes consolidated salaries, wages, benefits and contract labor costs. "Capital investments" include facility expansions/renovations, equipment purchases, technology replacement, information technology additions/updates, and routine facility upkeep and maintenance. All references to “LifePoint,” “LifePoint Health” or the “Company” used in this release refer to subsidiaries of LifePoint Health, Inc.

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