



2007 COMMUNITY SERVICE PLAN

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Mission Statement

Winthrop-University Hospital's mission is to provide high quality, culturally competent, and comprehensive healthcare services in a teaching and research environment which improve the health and well-being of the residents of Nassau County and contiguous county areas...always with a commitment to "Care without compromise."

Reaffirmed by Winthrop's Board of Directors September 9, 2008

About Winthrop

“Welcome to Winthrop” – our greeting to patients and visitors expresses the warmth and dedication Winthrop-University Hospital extends toward the Long Island community. Founded in 1896, Winthrop is a 591-bed medical center and the primary teaching affiliate of the School of Medicine at Stony Brook University Medical Center. Located in Mineola, New York, Winthrop is a New York State designated Regional Trauma Center, Regional Perinatal Center with a high-risk maternity program, and Primary Stroke Center.

Through its Institutes for Cancer Care, Digestive Disorders, Family Care, Heart Care, Lung Care, Neurosciences and Specialty Care, Winthrop offers sophisticated diagnostic and therapeutic care in virtually every specialty and subspecialty of medicine and surgery, while adhering to the personalized and compassionate approach to healing that is the guiding philosophy of our Hospital.

Winthrop provides “Care without compromise” in a warm and welcoming environment. During 2007, the Hospital discharged 34,773 patients, had 56,625 emergency room visits, 70,076 certified homecare agency visits, and 37,626 long term visits.

The following Community Service Plan (CSP) has been compiled in accordance with NYS public health law, sect. 2803-1, which requires each not-for-profit hospital to annually assess the healthcare needs of the community, provide charity care services, and improve access to healthcare services by the underserved. This report covers calendar year 2007 and is an Executive Summary as required by the New York State Department of Health (DOH). It summarizes Winthrop’s initiatives and on-going commitment to the communities it serves.

Understanding Our Community’s Needs – Public Participation in Process and Notice

Winthrop’s Community Service Plan is available on the web at www.winthrop.org, and is distributed to local government, community, educational and business leaders. It also is made available to the general public when requested.

In developing its strategic goals, Winthrop welcomes and encourages public input. Ongoing participation by representatives from all segments of the community result in valuable information and feedback that is essential to our needs assessment process. This feedback mechanism is Winthrop’s most valuable asset in its ability to keep programs in sync with the constantly changing healthcare pulse of the community and diverse populations it serves.

Some of the methods Winthrop uses to identify and address the healthcare needs of a wide variety of individuals are as follows:

- Partnerships with stakeholders in the community that include representatives from businesses, service organizations, Chambers of Commerce, and many community and faith-based groups, social service agencies, and school systems.

- Many members of Winthrop administration and senior staff participate in community-based organizations, which enable them to provide real-time feedback to relevant Hospital-based committees.
- Winthrop's Welcome Center – a toll free number, 1-866-WINTHROP – is used by the community to access information and secure physician and program referrals. Calls are documented and serve as an indicator of the healthcare needs of Winthrop's constituents. Multi-lingual translation services are provided as needed. During 2007, more than 8,500 were received.
- Evaluation forms are distributed and collected at the conclusion of each of Winthrop's many free Community Education programs. These provide the Hospital with suggestions for future lectures and offer valuable feedback for developing new programs.
- In addition, Winthrop analyzes data from the state, health-related agencies, community organizations and hospital-based reports, documents and surveys. All play a major role in shaping Winthrop's community needs assessment.

Caring for the Community – Needs Assessment/Strategic Goals

Dedicated to its mission, Winthrop is a welcoming institution that is devoted to providing compassionate, personalized care, sensitive to the unique cultural needs of the individual. Strongly committed to providing a center of excellence for its Long Island neighbors, Winthrop continually renovates its facilities, upgrades its technologies and develops new programs and services to uphold its commitment to provide “*Care without compromise.*”



An integral element of Winthrop's mission is its commitment to health maintenance and wellness. The Winthrop Team recognizes the importance of living a healthy lifestyle in preventing or delaying the onset of disease. The Hospital actively seeks out opportunities to bring awareness programs to community organizations and events in its surrounding communities, as well as develops initiatives to reach the

medically underserved.

During 2007, Winthrop's strategic plan focussed on issues outlined by reported data and community input, and expanded programs and services to meet those needs. A sampling of these initiatives include: preventing and managing heart disease, stemming the pandemic of type 2 diabetes, stroke prevention and treatment, supporting healthy births, and cancer services. Winthrop also conducted community education and treatment programs targeted toward obesity and smoking, the two leading *actual* causes of death, according to the 2005-2010 Nassau County Health Assessment.

The following report highlights a few of Winthrop's priorities and illustrates the Hospital's ongoing commitment to address the changing healthcare needs of a diverse community.

Heart Disease

- *Women's Health: Cardiology – Cardiovascular disease is the leading cause of death for all women (according to the American Heart Association) and claims more lives than the next seven causes of death combined.*

Winthrop proactively educates women about the dangers of heart disease through community events and public speaking engagements. During 2007, Winthrop hosted its first annual Women's Heart-Health Symposium, which included information about personal risk factors, such as cholesterol and blood pressure numbers. In addition, steps toward embracing a heart-healthy lifestyle were demonstrated, such as increasing physical activity, adopting a heart-healthy diet and practicing stress management techniques. This program was attended by more than 200 women.



Strategic Plans for 2008 – Winthrop's Institute for Heart Care is developing a Women's Cardiovascular Wellness and Prevention Center, which will include a comprehensive, multidisciplinary Women's Cardiac Team to address the unique needs of female cardiac patients while incorporating the most up-to-date guidelines. The Center is also planning to develop a comprehensive heart risk assessment program to identify women at risk for heart disease.

- *Heart Failure Program – A multidisciplinary team approach to ensure evidence-based care for patients with heart failure and through the continuum. The Heart Failure Project was developed to address the growing heart failure population, and the economic impact associated with the direct and indirect costs of heart failure.* Winthrop's Outpatient Heart Failure Center consists of a team of heart failure specialists including two cardiologists, a nurse practitioner and nurse coordinators. This team evaluates patients who have been told they have heart failure – chronically ill individuals – and together they develop an individualized plan of care.
- *AHA-ASA Get With The Guidelines ProgramSM for Coronary Artery Disease –* During 2007, Winthrop entered the program and earned the Bronze Performance Achievement Award. Winthrop's goal is to continue with the program.

Addressing the Pandemic of Type 2 Diabetes

Winthrop's Diabetes Education Center, celebrating its 30th anniversary this October, continually develops new programs to educate the community about diabetes management and preventive measures for those at risk of developing type 2 diabetes. Serving over 2,100 patients annually, the Center offers a wide variety of self-management educational programs, as well as free support groups to all families of children with diabetes who receive treatment anywhere in Nassau, Suffolk and Queens.



- The CDC estimates that there are 54,000,000 Americans living with pre-diabetes. In 2007, Winthrop launched three programs to promote the prevention of type 2 diabetes:
 - *Pre-Diabetes Intervention Program* – Participants are educated about lifestyle changes in diet and exercise that can delay or prevent the onset of type 2 diabetes. Funded by the Edward Smith Mineola Lions Club.
 - *Moms Vested in Prevention* – A free-of-charge, telephone-based nutrition education program for moms with recent gestational diabetes. The program's nutritional counseling addresses foods relevant to each patient's cultural background. Non-English speaking patients are counseled through the use of Winthrop's telephone-based CyraCom language services. Funded by the Long Island Fund for Women & Girls.
 - *The Latino Supermarket Program* – Hispanic/Latino-Americans have a high incidence of obesity and type 2 diabetes. Free-of-charge educational programs are conducted in Spanish at local supermarkets to help this population make healthful food choices and identify appropriate portions of foods; the program highlights ethnic foods that are healthful and honor tradition. Funded by a grant from the New York State Department of Health.

Strategic Plan – To continue developing programs that meet the needs of the community. A Virtual Resource Center is currently being developed that will employ innovative techniques to meet the educational needs of patients in the Internet generation. With funding from Astoria Federal, the Diabetes Education Center will create a non-traditional learning environment, equipped with two computer workstations and interactive resources, designed to enhance the educational experiences of computer savvy patients.

Stroke Care

- *New York State Designated Stroke Center: To ensure rapid identification and treatment for stroke victims.* During 2007, Winthrop added a 64-Slice CT Scanner to the Emergency Department to expedite diagnosis of stroke and timely treatment.
 - Note: Designated a NYS Primary Stroke Center in 2005, in 2007 Winthrop received a Silver Performance Achievement Award *and* Gold Performance Award from the American Stroke Association (ASA) for complying with seven core measures established by the ASA and the American Heart Association. Silver level designation recognizes compliance at 85% or greater for 12 consecutive months; the Gold level recognizes compliance at 85% or greater for 24+ months. *Winthrop was the first Hospital on Long Island to achieve gold level status for stroke.*
- Winthrop holds an annual free stroke assessment for the community that includes a lecture on risk factors and prevention, emphasizing symptoms and that “time is of the essence” when a stroke is suspected. A free Doppler ultrasound exam of the carotid artery is also offered to those assessed to be at risk.
- Winthrop’s Stroke Coordinator continues to participate in health fairs, assessing community residents for stroke risk factors and educating the public about prevention and early treatment.

Healthy Births

- *Safe Motherhood Initiative – To increase the rate of healthy mothers and babies. This is an ongoing joint project of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology in collaboration with the Bureau of Women’s Health of NYS to ensure optimal patient outcomes related to pregnancy.*
Winthrop utilizes standards and protocols for assessing women at risk for developing complications from pregnancy such as DVT (blood clots in the legs) and postpartum hemorrhage. To provide the highest standard of care after delivery, it was determined that patients going into the ICU due to complications during or following delivery should be followed by Maternal Fetal Medicine and Obstetrics, in addition to the Intensive Care Team to ensure optimal outcomes.

In a proactive approach to prepare for delivery room emergencies, during 2007 Winthrop began to hold multidisciplinary simulation drills on shoulder dystocia, maternal hemorrhage, and cardiopulmonary difficulties to train staff to respond in a highly skilled manner.
- *Postpartum Mood Disorders – Based on literature from the Association of Women’s Health Obstetrics and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN) and experience with the patient population at Winthrop, postpartum mood disorders are a significant health risk.* New mothers admitted to Winthrop’s maternity unit are educated about postpartum mood disorders. During 2007, Winthrop’s nurses began screening patients for

mood disorders by asking a series of questions that helps to identify at-risk mothers. Once identified, the patient's obstetrician and pediatrician are notified; patients are also referred to homecare for follow-up with nursing. (*Note: There are current proposals on Capitol Hill that will mandate screening for postpartum depression.*)

- *Strategic Goal for 2008 – Based on the current standards established by AWHONN and the American Academy of Pediatrics, late pre-term babies (babies born between 35 and 37 weeks gestational age) are at risk for complications.* These babies comprise about 80% of the pre-term deliveries in the United States. Late pre-term infants sometimes have health issues due to the premature birth, but these are often overlooked by parents as they do not consider the baby to be at risk for health issues because they are born close to term. Winthrop's nurses educate parents and give them a supplemental discharge instruction sheet informing them about risk factors/symptoms they need to monitor. During 2008, we expect to refer all babies born between 35 to 37 weeks of gestation for a follow-up evaluation with homecare.

Cancer Services

During 2007, Winthrop added two educational components for patients who have battled cancer:

- *Adults with Cancer* – an educational component was added to our annual Cancer Survivors Day celebration; workshops included “Living with Cancer as a Chronic Disease” and “Nutrition for Cancer Survivors.” More than 150 people attended.
- *Childhood Cancer Survivors Support* – open to *all* childhood cancer survivors, not just those treated at Winthrop.
 - More than 125 survivors of childhood cancers and/or their families attended a seminar called “**Where Do We Go From Here?**” about the late effects of cancer and how to best deal with them.
 - **The Generation S: The Pat Lyons Long Term Follow-up Program** helps childhood cancer survivors by providing evaluations, health education and support.
 - **Back in the Game** – A 12-week program that helps young survivors who have undergone debilitating treatment redevelop agility, dexterity and overall fitness.
- *Community Education* – In addition to a series of lectures dedicated to advances in cancer treatments, Winthrop's physicians go out into the community to address employees in private companies about cancer prevention.

Preventing Illness – Targeting Obesity, Smoking & “Clean Hands”

Obesity is a major cause of type 2 diabetes. According to the World Health Organization, obesity has reached epidemic proportions globally, and increases the risk for chronic diseases, including type 2 diabetes, cardiovascular disease, hypertension and stroke.

- To combat childhood obesity and the complications it can lead to, Winthrop developed the Healthy KIDS Program, a weight management program for children and teens that involves the entire family. Through its outreach efforts, the Healthy KIDS team has also worked with community organizations and schools to address the growing problem of poor diet and physical inactivity.
 - During 2007, in conjunction with the Girl Scouts of Nassau County, Winthrop’s Healthy KIDS team developed a health education program for Girl Scout troops. Upon completions of the program, the Girl Scouts are awarded badges.



Strategic Goal - Winthrop presented a pilot program on obesity to school boards and PTAs in a few surrounding communities. The program was presented by physicians and received positive feedback; we are currently seeking funding to implement this program in local schools.

Smoking is the nation’s leading preventable actual cause of death. Winthrop has implemented initiatives to combat this serious health risk.

- Smoke-Free Campus Policy – Winthrop instituted a “No Smoking” policy in 2007. Through this initiative, we hope to positively impact behaviors and help save the lives of patients and staff.
- Winthrop continues to offer smoking cessation support groups and programs. Its “Freedom from Smoking” program motivates participants to quit permanently through support, education and proven behavior modification techniques.



The World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) have both declared that clean hands are the single most important factor in preventing the spread of germs.

- During 2007, Winthrop installed 500 new hand-hygiene stations throughout the Hospital bringing the total number of stations to approximately 1,000. Visitors and staff are constantly reminded of the importance of hand hygiene via a series of eye-catching posters that urge employees, patients and visitors to clean their hands using the readily available alcohol-based hand rub. It is also the intention of the “Clean Hands” campaign to create an awareness that will spread to the community.

Strategic Plans for 2008

In addition to maintaining and developing its product lines and services to meet the medical needs of our patients, Winthrop is establishing a wellness center in the community; increasing communication services with non-English speaking and hearing-impaired patients; and supporting the spiritual needs of patients and families.

Winthrop & Healthtrax: Partners in Wellness

Winthrop has partnered with Healthtrax Fitness & Wellness, a national leader in fitness centers, to create a state-of-the-art facility that blends fitness, wellness and medical services for community residents.

The Winthrop Wellness Pavilion will provide a full range of health and wellness services, from physical therapy and cardiac rehabilitation to a comprehensive orthopaedic center that will offer services from joint replacement to sports medicine for adults and children. In addition, the Pavilion will include a comprehensive Sleep Disorders Center and a health education and information resource center.

To encourage health and wellness among its team, Winthrop will subsidize membership in the fitness center for its employees.

Communication Services

Winthrop plans to update services to improve communication with the growing number of patients who do not speak English, as well as with patients who are deaf or hearing impaired.

- CyraCom - A system that involves the use of two handsets for real-time translation of nearly 150 languages. Winthrop is adopting the use of wireless handsets that will expedite patient–healthcare provider communication. This upgraded system provides decided benefits to patients and caregivers over the existing hard-wired telephones.
- Deaf-Talk – A wireless, “on demand” video interpreting system. The system will bring nationally certified American Sign Language (ASL) interpreters to hospital bedsides. The patient will view the interpreter on a computer screen. The sign language interpreter will sign the information to the patient; through the use of a video camera, the interpreter will view the patient and translate the patient’s sign language to the healthcare provider.

Winthrop's Serenity Chapel

To meet the spiritual needs of patients, families and Winthrop staff, a non-denominational Serenity Chapel was completed in early 2008. This project complements a growing Pastoral Care Program and arose out of requests from area residents to provide a dedicated place for prayer and reflection. This further illustrates Winthrop's commitment to meet the needs of the *whole* person.

Outreach Activities

Following are highlights of outreach activities in 2007:

- ***Wellness Programs*** – Winthrop held 33 free-of-charge wellness programs during 2007 through the following educational series: *Health Update for Seniors and Their Families, Parenting Today, Perspectives in Health, The Women's Health Forum* and *Advances in Cancer Care*. The programs covered a wide variety of topics including, but not limited to, Autism, Stress Management, Women and Heart Disease, and Lung Cancer. More than 2,300 people attended programs during 2007.
- ***New Moms/Baby Care Classes*** – Winthrop runs a series of classes to help prepare expectant parents for the new arrival: *Preparing for Childbirth, Baby Care/Breastfeeding for Expectant Moms, Breastfeeding Support Groups for After Childbirth,* and *Sibling Classes for Big Brothers and Big Sisters*.
- ***Speakers Bureau*** – Healthcare professionals throughout the Hospital continue to volunteer their time and expertise to participate in *Speakers Bureau*, a free-of-charge program that provides education on a variety of wellness topics to community-based organizations. Some of the topics that were requested and addressed this past year included Memory Loss, Arthritis, and Nutrition.
- ***Health Fairs*** – Winthrop reached out to many communities through its participation in health fairs, providing blood pressure, stroke and asthma screenings, as well as providing health and wellness information on a wide range of issues. Some community-based fairs had as many as 2,000 people in attendance.
- ***Support Groups*** – Winthrop sponsors a series of hospital-based free support groups for patients and families dealing with cancer, stroke, obesity surgery and other conditions.
- ***Meals on Wheels*** – During 2007, the Hospital prepared 9,797 nutritious hot and cold meals for homebound seniors through a partnership with the “Meals on Wheels” program.



- ***Free-of-Charge Meeting Space*** – Winthrop continues to provide free-of-charge meeting space to community-based support groups such as Alcoholics Anonymous, Celiac Sprue Organization and the American Liver Foundation.

Addressing the Healthcare Needs of the Medically Underserved

The 2005 Nassau County Community Health Assessment identified substantial differences in health measures between the County as a whole and communities that contain the neediest residents, referred to as “selected” communities, which include Elmont, Inwood, Freeport, Hempstead Village, Uniondale, Long Beach, Roosevelt, and Westbury/New Cassel. The health of these “selected” communities is poorer by almost every measure available. During 2007, Team Winthrop provided free health screenings and educational information to more than 2,800 Nassau County residents in these medically underserved communities.

Project Community View (PCV) provides referrals, education and screenings in underserved community locations, and improves access to services through the following:

- As a result of Winthrop’s solid relationships with organizations such as the Economic Opportunity Commission, Hempstead Brotherhood, Circulo De La Hispanidad, and the Community Advisory Committee, Winthrop has improved access to care by linking community residents directly to the appropriate clinical department for consultation on concerns such as prenatal health, diabetes, cardiology and obesity, among others. These referrals are initiated by community-based representatives who call our Welcome Center at 1-866-WINTHROP on behalf of the patient to expedite service; community residents also call the number directly and are assisted by a patient navigator.

Through the Cultural Competency Advisory Board, headed by senior leadership at Winthrop and representatives from various community organizations, programs are developed at various local community centers based on discussed needs.

- ***“Diga Sí a La Buena Salud!” (Say Yes to Good Health!)*** – Winthrop’s Hispanic Health Fair is designed to meet the specific healthcare needs of the Hispanic community. More than 650 Hispanic community members attended the 2007 Diga Sí, our 6th annual health fair at Winthrop’s Community Outreach Center. Bilingual medical professionals, including cardiologists, nutritionists, women’s healthcare specialists and urologists, were available for consultation; attendees were also given tours of the Hospital. In addition to medical screenings and health insurance enrollments, guests were treated to Latin music and food in a festive environment that emphasized healthy lifestyles. The objectives of this program are to provide education and screenings, and improve access to programs and services at Winthrop for the Hispanic community.

- Winthrop healthcare professionals participated in several Substance Abuse Prevention and Awareness Days at Roosevelt High School, as well as in a panel presentation about HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted diseases (STDs). Winthrop also supported Career Day and a health fair at Hempstead High School.
- *Data provided by the National Health Examination Survey (NAMES III), shows that the prevalence of overweight and obesity is much higher in Hispanic and African-American children and adolescents.* Launched during 2007, a NYS Department of Health grant enabled Winthrop's Healthy KIDS program (weight management for children and teens) to do free on-site lifestyle improvement presentations at schools and other community centers in medically underserved communities.

The presentations included healthful tips for children offered in fun and informative programs tailored to each organization's needs, interests and schedules. The goal is to reduce the incidence of overweight and obesity in children and adolescents, particularly among Hispanics and African-Americans.



Strategic Goal - This initiative will continue throughout 2008. We are currently seeking funding to continue these programs in underserved communities.

- *A flu shot is between 70% and 90% effective in warding off illness. Both adults and children who receive the vaccine have a decreased risk of flu-related complications – especially pneumonia, heart attack, stroke and death.* A NYS Department of Health grant enabled Winthrop to provide 1,000 flu immunizations to individuals in medically underserved communities in partnership with community and faith-based organizations.
- **Hempstead Clinic** – In July of 2007, Winthrop's Department of Pediatrics opened a new primary care office at 175 Fulton Avenue in Hempstead. During the six years prior to the opening, primary care services provided to the residents of Hempstead grew an annual rate of 20%. The new office has seven exam rooms and will allow the primary care practice to serve even more underserved children. Pediatric pulmonology services are also provided at this location.
- The Department of Pediatrics works year-round to link with community-based child care centers in underserved areas to ensure that all children have medical care. Winthrop pediatricians from the Hempstead primary care office visit local child care centers to meet with administration and staff to discuss current health care issues and how best to work together to improve outcomes.

Strategic Plans for 2008

In addition to addressing the health disparities noted above, as well as other documented needs, the following plans are currently being developed for the underserved.

HIV Testing & Education

- Statistics show that every community in Nassau County has been affected by the AIDS epidemic. Nevertheless, the communities that have been affected disproportionately are Freeport, Hempstead, Inwood, Roosevelt, Uniondale and Westbury. Winthrop and the Economic Opportunity Commission (EOC) of Nassau County have partnered to provide regularly scheduled monthly community HIV screenings at the EOC facility in Hempstead. A Winthrop doctor will provide the testing, counseling and follow-up care. At each event, Medicaid providers will be onsite to get every patient insured.

Focussing on education and prevention, a Winthrop healthcare professional visits schools in the underserved areas on a regular basis, providing facts about HIV to young people.

In addition, thanks to a new grant from Gilead Sciences, Inc., Winthrop will offer free confidential HIV screening with the rapid HIV oral test to all patients between the ages of 18 and 50 who are admitted to the Emergency Department.

Healthy Pregnancy

- Winthrop will implement a new Prenatal Care Assistance Program (PCAP) to help medically underserved women get the comprehensive prenatal care they need for themselves and their babies. Plans are underway to begin the program by late 2008 or early 2009.

Good Health & the Latino Community

- In the interest of promoting good health among Latino women, Winthrop held a multigenerational luncheon during the spring entitled “Grandmother, Mother & Daughter Exploring Good Health.” Discussion at the event focussed on living a healthy lifestyle and incorporating nutrition and exercise; the goal is to continue to raise lifestyle awareness among women in this community.

Charity Care

It is the policy of Winthrop-University Hospital to inform every patient of the availability of charity care (financial assistance), defined as free or reduced cost healthcare services for the poor or indigent, based upon their ability to pay or lack of insurance coverage. This policy is uniformly applied to all patients who request such consideration based on financial need.

Patients who require assistance regarding Winthrop’s charity care policy or with the completion of the charity care application should call (516) 576-5600/Option #3 for guidance. Language assistance will be provided when necessary.

Winthrop-University Hospital
Financial Statement – for Report Year 2007

I. Revenue

Net Patient Service Revenue – Total All Services	\$535,499,845
Other Revenue	<u>\$101,215,170</u>
Total Revenue (Sum of Above)	\$636,715,015

II. Expenses

Depreciation & Interest	\$ 44,090,046
Salaries	\$309,546,797
Employee/Fringe Benefits	\$ 58,757,884
Supplies and All Other Expenses	<u>\$224,080,605</u>
Total Expense	\$636,475,332

III. Details of Specific Revenue/Expense Items

Government Grants Revenue	\$ 917,127
Research & Medical Education Revenue	\$ 124,896
Research & Medical Education Expense	\$ 41,244,562
Bad Debt/Uncompensated Care	\$ 12,995,074
Free Care (Charity Care)	\$ 11,215,802
Courtesy Care	\$ 2,048,410
Community Benefits Revenue/Expense	\$ 1,142,855 ⁽¹⁾

(1) Community Benefits Revenue/Expense Detail

<u>Description</u>	<u>Revenue*</u>	<u>Expense**</u>	<u>Net</u>
Community Affairs	--	\$887,810	\$(887,810)
Parent Education & Gynecologic Training	\$64,863	61,890	2,973
Welcome Center	--	214,005	(214,005)
Community Training Center	<u>78,213</u>	<u>122,226</u>	<u>(44,013)</u>
	\$143,076	\$1,285,931	\$(1,142,855)

* Included in ICR Exhibit 26A under Other Revenue (Line 100)

** Included in ICR Exhibit 26A under Total Operating Expenses (Line 006)

Corporate Structure

Winthrop-University Hospital Association (the “Hospital” or “Winthrop”) is a voluntary not-for-profit acute care hospital located in Mineola, New York. Founded as Nassau Hospital in 1896, it is Long Island’s first voluntary and oldest non-profit hospital in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. Winthrop is the primary teaching affiliate of the School of Medicine at Stony Brook University Medical Center. It is a partner in the Winthrop-South Nassau University Health System; a member of the 10-hospital Long Island Health Network; and is an affiliate member of the New York-Presbyterian Healthcare System. The Hospital has an operating certificate from the New York State Department of Health and is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.

As a not-for-profit corporation in the State of New York, Winthrop-University Hospital Association has received a letter from the Internal Revenue Service confirming that, pursuant to an exemption letter issued in January 1940, it is qualified as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or corresponding provisions of prior Internal Revenue Code laws) (the “Code”).