

# OUR COMMUNITY IMPACT



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## IN 2022, WE...



added **38**  
**employed**  
**and affiliated**  
**providers**



made **\$8,393,480**  
**in capital**  
**improvements**



distributed  
a **payroll of**  
**\$43,543,547** to  
approximately  
650 employees



donated  
**\$11,423,051**  
in services to  
those in need



paid **\$5,511,040**  
**in taxes**



Watertown Regional Medical Center (WRMC) traces its roots back to 1906, and has served residents of Dodge and Jefferson counties for the 117 years since. We want you to be well and live well – as our branding says, that’s why we’re here. And in striving to positively impact the health and well-being of you and all of our patients, we also have a profound impact on our broader

community as a large employer, taxpayer, charitable supporter, and Watertown’s most important provider of healthcare services.

This report highlights the many ways we positively impact the area, be it through investing in our people and service lines, supporting local organizations, or providing care to those without the means to pay. Thank you for choosing WRMC, putting your care in our hands, and being our partners in better health and a better community.

Sincerely,  
Richard Keddington  
CEO, Watertown Regional Medical Center

## 2022 SUCCESS SPOTLIGHT

**Inviting the best possible providers** into our community and supporting them is essential to ensuring access to high-quality care. In 2022, we added providers in areas such as Anesthesiology, Electrophysiology, Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine, General Surgery, Hematology/Oncology, Hospitalist, Nephrology, Neurology (telectroke), Neurosurgery, Obstetrics & Gynecology, Ophthalmology, Pathology, Perinatology, Podiatry, Psychiatry (telepsychiatry), Radiation Oncology, and Radiology.

**By continually investing in our facilities**, we’re helping to ensure that we continue to meet our community’s healthcare needs. Last year, we spent nearly \$8.4 million in capital improvements, which included a cardiac catheterization laboratory upgrade (the first of this kind in the state of Wisconsin), a refresh of the hospital’s central sterile processing area, smart (infusion) pumps, and an MRI upgrade.

**We strive to create an environment where talent is recognized**, job satisfaction is valued and our approximately 650 employees can effectively use their skills to provide high-quality care and service.

**In 2022, we provided more than \$11 million in healthcare services to those in need** but without the means to pay.

**We are proud to be a leader in the Watertown area**, and our dedication to ensuring fiscal responsibility extends to our hospital and the community we serve.

## SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS

It was our pleasure to be able to support numerous activities and organizations during 2022, including the following:

- » Donut Dash
- » Glacial Heritage Development
- » Greater Watertown Community Health Foundation
- » Lights n Sirens
- » Rainbow Hospice
- » Riverfest
- » Rock River Community Clinic
- » Run Turkey Run
- » Tour Da Goose
- » Tyranena Beer Run
- » Waterloo Fire & EMS
- » Watertown Area Chamber of Commerce
- » Watertown Area YMCA
- » Watertown EMS
- » Watertown Food Pantry
- » Watertown High School
- » Watertown Police Department
- » Watertown Town Square

## 2022 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

### OFFICERS

- » Kathy Wagner, *Chair, Community Member*
- » Jason Polzin, *Vice Chair, General Manager of Global MR Applications and Workflow, General Electric Healthcare*

### MEMBERS

- » Jason Habeck, MD, *Chief of Staff*
- » Patricia Gedemer, CNO, *Watertown Regional Medical Center*
- » Vikram Goyal, MD, *Hospitalist*
- » Katey Higgins, *Realtor, Realty Executives*
- » Richard Keddington, CEO, *Watertown Regional Medical Center*
- » Sajjad Nasir, MD, *Neurology Clinic Physician*
- » Tim Roets, *Retired, City of Watertown Police Chief*
- » Michael Romyed, CFO, *Watertown Regional Medical Center*
- » Ron Sokovic, MD, *Urology Clinic Physician*
- » Dana Stinnett, APNP, *Family Practice Provider, Johnson Creek Clinic*
- » Marcy Tessman, CEO, *C.O.nxt*



## ECONOMIC IMPACT

**Charity and other uncompensated care** ..... **\$11,423,051**  
*(includes charity care, uninsured discounts and uncompensated care)*

**Community benefit programs** ..... **\$651,678**  
 Community health services ..... \$88,916  
 Financial contributions ..... \$87,095  
 Professional development ..... \$267,084  
 Tuition reimbursement ..... \$64,527  
 Physician recruitment ..... \$144,056

**Taxes paid** ..... **\$5,511,040**  
 Property and other taxes ..... \$596,506  
 Provider taxes ..... \$1,677,012  
 Payroll taxes ..... \$3,076,908  
 Local sales taxes ..... \$14,601  
 State sales taxes ..... \$146,013

**2022 TOTAL: \$17,585,769**

*Charity care and other uncompensated care include charity care, uninsured discounts, and uncompensated care. 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 "ScionHealth" or the "Company" used in this release refer to subsidiaries of Knight Health Holdings, LLC.*

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