

# Conemaugh Health System

## Community Benefit Report

### Fiscal Year 2008

## CARING for our Community

All CHS Entities *	MMC	
\$3,473,413	\$3,134,415	<b>Charity care:</b> Includes the actual cost of providing free or discounted care to persons who cannot afford to pay and who are not eligible for public programs. Charity care does not include bad debt.
\$11,002,234	\$9,907,699	<b>Government shortfalls:</b> Incurred when caring for patients with medical assistance coverage. The payment shortfall is the difference between reimbursement provided and the cost of care.
\$12,507,347	\$12,507,347	<b>Subsidized health services:</b> Includes clinical services that were provided despite a financial loss. The service was provided because it meets an identified community need and if no longer offered would either be unavailable in the area or fall to the responsibility of government or another non-profit organization to provide the care.
\$7,738,129	\$7,738,129	<b>Health professionals education:</b> Includes the cost of providing seven medical residency programs, a graduate pharmacy residency program, a school of nursing and five allied health education programs.
\$371,535	\$371,535	<b>Research:</b> Represents several studies shared with persons outside of the organization on health care delivery, evaluation of innovative treatments and research papers prepared by staff for professional journals.
\$1,017,167	\$716,048	<b>Community health services:</b> Includes activities carried out to improve community health and services that are subsidized because they are needed in the community. Examples include health screenings and health fairs, community health education programs, health hotline, special clinics, special educational programs/events, unique or tertiary care services, and free social work services to patients.
\$2,111,821	\$1,865,166	<b>Community building activities:</b> Includes cash donations, in-kind donations and budgeted expenditures for the development of community health programs and partnerships.
\$126,179	\$0	<b>Pastoral care services:</b> Represents an assessment paid to the Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown for the Catholic Chaplaincy Program.
<b>\$38,347,825</b>	<b>\$36,240,339</b>	

\* Includes Conemaugh Health System, Memorial Medical Center, Miners Medical Center, Meyersdale Medical Center, Good Samaritan Medical Center, Conemaugh Regional Hospice