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MILLION-DOLLAR EXECS

Twenty-five N.C. nonprofit hospital executives made total compensation exceeding \$1 million in 2010 or 2011. Executive raises have been generous. So have retirement packages. In 2009, Pitt County Memorial Hospital in Greenville, N.C., reported total compensation of \$8.7 million to former CEO David McRae, including a \$7.7 million payout to a retirement trust. When former Gaston Memorial CEO Wayne Shovelin retired in 2009, he received a retirement payment of \$5.9 million - a combination of deferred compensation and contributions from the hospital's parent company.

CAROLINAS HEALTHCARE SYSTEM



Michael Tarwater CEO Carolinas Healthcare System

\$4,236,305



Joseph Piemont
President/COO
Carolinas Healthcare System

\$2,536,792



Greg GombarCFO
Carolinas Healthcare System

\$1,751,798





Laurence Hinsdale Executive VP Carolinas HealthCare System

\$1,693,314



Paul Franz Executive VP Carolinas HealthCare System

\$1,575,927



Dennis Phillips *Executive VP Carolinas HealthCare System*

\$1,351,138





John Knox Chief Administrative Officer Carolinas HealthCare System

\$1,197,528



Roger Ray Chief Medical Officer Carolinas HealthCare System

\$1,080,159



Russ Guerin Executive VP Carolinas HealthCare System

\$1,060,931

OTHER HOSPITALS AND SYSTEMS



Victor Dzau President/CEO Duke University Health System



Paul Wiles President/CEO (now retired) Novant Health



Carl Armato Sr. Executive VP (now CEO) Novant Health

S2.133.626 🖼



Gregory Beier President Novant Operations Novant Health

\$2,108,839



Wayne Shovelin CEO (retired) Gaston Memorial Hospital



Charles Frock President/CEO First Health of the Carolinas

731.327



John McConnell Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center

S1.681.680 (NA



Sallye Liner Chief Clinical Officer Novant Health

S1.641.893



Jacqueline Daniels Chief Administrative Officer Novant Health

\$1,580,012



Stephen Wallenhaupt Chief Medical Officer Novant Health

\$1,577,360



David McRae Pitt County Memorial Hospital



Fred Hargett

Novant Health

\$1,405,451



Arthur Patefield Chief Medical Information Officer

\$1.225.106



Lawrence McGee General Counsel

\$1,189,576



Tony Johnson Novant Health

\$1,105,271





William Fulkerson Duke University Health System

\$1,020,658

Source: IRS returns filed by the hospitals. The returns are for calendar and fiscal year 2010, the latest available.

Note: Total compensation includes base pay, bonuses, benefits and deferred compensation. But it does not include compensation reported in previous years' IRS returns. (IRS rules require nonprofit organizations to report some forms of compensation, such as deferred compensation, in two separate years - the year the company puts aside deferred compensation for the executive, and the year the executive actually collects that compensation.)

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