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Hospital Services Corporation- December 2019

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2019 BEST PLACES TO WORK

Hospital Services Corporation is thrilled to be named a Best Place to Work in New Mexico by Albuquerque Business First! Business First's survey partner, Quantum Workplace, sends out satisfaction surveys to employees at companies nominated for the Best Places to Work. The companies that receive the highest scores are the 39 Best Places finalists, and we're one of them! We are honored to be listed among these outstanding organizations!

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Stratasan Implementation Plan

Effective January 1, 2020 (for data reporting for the first quarter of 2020), the New Mexico Hospital Comparative Data Program will be transitioning from IBM Watson to Stratasan. IBM Watson will continue to provide services for the period ending December 31, 2019, with the fourth quarter data available on schedule in early 2020. A cross-section of our member facilities has provided input into the file formats and additional fields for collection of data that is not currently available. Draft member agreements have been emailed to all hospital CEOs for review, feedback and any redlined changes. We will be standardizing these documents and distributing them for signature in early December.

A high-level implementation plan follows. The technical planning is well underway, with a small group rollout for testing slated to occur in December 2019. Technical guides will be available in the next several weeks, and member webinars will begin early next year.

STAR PLATFORM: IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (NMHA CDP)



Surplus and Dividends Delivery

The Joint Unemployment Compensation Program offers timely and thorough investigations of every claim. This has led to a significant savings for our members through lower experience rates than what would have been paid through the State Unemployment Insurance tax. Additionally, surplus balances are returned to the members. During 2018 and 2019, the Program's members received over \$600,000 and \$800,000 in surplus, respectively.



Union County General Dividend Delivery

Hospital Services Corporation's Joni Pompeo and Cindy Clark were delighted to deliver a dividend check to Union County General Hospital CEO, Tammie Stump, and Human Resources Director, Jill Swagerty.

As a member of the New Mexico Hospital Workers' Compensation Group, Union County is able to take advantage of customized loss control services and safety audits. The Group controls claims costs and delivers benefits promptly through a team of experienced adjusters. For 2019, the Group returned \$900,000 in dividends back to its members.

Healthcare Staffing Program Changes

Hospital Services Corporation has implemented several new changes to its Healthcare Staffing Program agreement effective December 1, 2019:

- Strengthened the language requiring agencies to provide qualified staff to participating facilities
- Clarified the temp-to-perm conditions to allow a facility to hire agency staff at no cost after two consecutive assignments, or at one-half the cost after one

assignment

- Reinforced the terms that limit an agency's contact with a facility

Our Healthcare Staffing Program offers access to over one hundred nationally-recognized agencies that are available to assist with supplemental staffing for nurses, allied health, locum tenens and telehealth services.



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