CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Memorial Hermann Health System Years Ended June 30, 2019 and 2018 With Report of Independent Auditors

Ernst & Young LLP



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Report of Independent Auditors

The Board of Directors Memorial Hermann Health System

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Memorial Hermann Health System (the Health System), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2019 and 2018, and the related consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free of material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Health System at June 30, 2019 and 2018, and the consolidated results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Adoption of ASU No. 2016-14, Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-For-Profit Entities

As discussed in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements, the Health System changed its financial statement presentation as a result of the adoption of the amendments to the FASB Accounting Standards Codification resulting from Accounting Standards Update 2016-14, *Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-For-Profit Entities*, effective June 30, 2019. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

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September 25, 2019

Consolidated Balance Sheets (In Thousands)

	June 30			0
		2019		2018
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents Patient accounts receivable (net of allowances for	\$	279,220	\$	371,026
bad debt at June 30, 2018 – \$561,415)		604,765		665,617
Other current assets		269,925		215,710
Total current assets		1,153,910		1,252,353
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Investments		2,666,516		2,354,526
Assets limited as to use, less current portion		239,936		250,275
Property, plant, and equipment, net		3,203,485		3,029,293
Other assets		213,076		217,777
Total assets	\$	7,476,923	\$	7,104,224
Liabilities and net assets Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	243,612	\$	298,593
Accrued payroll and related expenses		246,648		223,090
Other accrued expenses		241,500		206,472
Current portion of long-term debt, including capital		100		50.455
lease obligations		57,433		52,475
Long-term debt subject to liquidity agreements		440,775		454,966
Total current liabilities		1,229,968		1,235,596
Long-term debt, including capital lease obligations		1,807,282		1,799,296
Other long-term obligations		590,698		490,932
Total liabilities		3,627,948		3,525,824
Net assets without donor restrictions, including noncontrolling interest of \$131,563 and \$130,928 in 2019 and 2018,		2 722 725		2 452 505
respectively Net assets with donor restrictions		3,722,735		3,453,505
Total liabilities and net assets	•	126,240 7 476 923	\$	124,895
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See accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statements of Operations and Changes in Net Assets (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30 2019 2018		
Without donor restrictions			
Revenues, gains, and other support:			
Net patient service revenue before bad debt provision		\$	5,522,555
Provision for bad debt			(668,061)
Net patient service revenue	\$	5,183,017	4,854,494
Other revenue		345,568	403,640
Total revenues, gains, and other support		5,528,585	5,258,134
Expenses:			
Salaries, benefits, and related personnel costs		2,416,282	2,312,689
Services and other		1,512,731	1,523,893
Supplies and medicines		1,015,886	920,957
Depreciation and amortization		300,221	287,725
Interest		92,945	93,237
Total expenses		5,338,065	5,138,501
Operating income		190,520	119,633
Nonoperating activities:			
Investment gains and other, net		146,270	199,926
Interest rate swap agreements		(30,498)	13,544
Revenues in excess of expenses		306,292	333,103
Revenues in excess of expenses attributable to noncontrolling interests		(70,189)	(64,013)
Revenues in excess of expenses attributable to the Health System		236,103	269,090
Other changes in net assets:			
Change in pension obligation		(3,949)	31,646
Contributions and grants received and other changes in net assets, net		36,441	19,407
Change in noncontrolling interests		635	5,992
Change in net assets without donor restrictions		269,230	326,135
With donor restrictions			
Contributions		25,767	32,134
Investment income, net		2,009	1,780
Net assets released from restrictions for operations and capital purchases		(26,431)	(41,794)
Change in net assets with donor restrictions		1,345	(7,880)
Change in net assets		270,575	318,255
Net assets at beginning of year		3,578,400	3,260,145
Net assets at end of year	\$	3,848,975 \$	3,578,400

See accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (In Thousands)

	Year Ended June 30 2019 2018		
Operating activities			
Cash received for patient services	\$ 5,201,170 \$	4,858,787	
Cash paid to or on behalf of employees	(2,367,396)		
Cash paid for supplies and services	(2,558,824)		
Other receipts from operations	345,746	,	
Investment gains realized	92,433	79,336	
Interest paid	(96,764)	(98,043)	
Net cash provided by operating activities	616,365	502,228	
Investing activities			
Capital expenditures, net	(455,653)	(364,208)	
Change in assets limited as to use	(17)	61,507	
Change in investments	(294,997)	(104,776)	
Proceeds from sale of investment in medical office building	115,935		
Net cash used in investing activities	(634,732)	(407,477)	
Financing activities			
Payments on long-term debt and note payable	(28,281)	(41,528)	
Restricted contributions	24,396	36,994	
Noncontrolling interest	(69,554)	(56,742)	
Net cash used in financing activities	(73,439)	(61,276)	
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(91,806)	33,475	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	371,026	337,551	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 279,220 \$	371,026	

See accompanying notes.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

June 30, 2019

1. Mission and Organization

Memorial Hermann Health System (the Health System), a Texas nonprofit membership corporation, controls and coordinates the activities of certain other affiliates. The Health System Board of Directors exercises governance control for the Health System and retains significant reserved powers regarding its affiliates. The Health System is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The Health System owns and operates 13 nonsectarian general acute care hospitals (including Memorial Hermann – Texas Medical Center, the primary teaching hospital for The McGovern Medical School of The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston), a research and rehabilitation hospital (TIRR) in the Texas Medical Center, a Medicare-certified home health agency, and a comprehensive ambulatory care network of facilities and services — all serving to position Memorial Hermann Health System as the market leader in the greater Houston, Texas, area. The Health System includes one of the nation's largest Independent Practice Association models, through which more than 5,500 physicians are clinically integrated and affiliated with the Health System for clinical practice standards, three insurance companies that underwrite group health coverage for employers and the Medicare Advantage program, a captive casualty and liability insurance company, and an accountable care organization. Additionally, the Health System is supported by the Memorial Hermann Foundation (the Foundation). The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Health System and its controlled affiliates. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (U.S. GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, at the date of the financial statements. Because of the subjectivity inherent in this process, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Subsequent Events

The Health System evaluates the impact of subsequent events, events that occur after the balance sheet date but before the financial statements are issued, for potential recognition in the consolidated financial statements as of the consolidated balance sheets' date or disclosure in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. The Health System evaluated events occurring subsequent to June 30, 2019, through September 25, 2019, the date on which the accompanying consolidated financial statements were issued.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Net Assets

To ensure compliance with restrictions placed on the resources available to the Health System, the Health System's accounts are maintained in accordance with the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. This is the procedure by which resources are classified for accounting and reporting into funds established according to their nature and purposes. In the consolidated financial statements, funds that have similar characteristics have been consolidated into two net asset categories:

- Net assets with donor restrictions are those net assets whose use has been restricted for a specific purpose or time period or those that stipulate the resources be maintained permanently but permit the Health System to use the income derived from the donated assets for donor-specified purposes.
- Net assets without donor restrictions are not restricted by donors or are those net assets
 whose donor-imposed restrictions have expired or been met. When a donor restriction
 expires, the net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified as net assets without donor
 restrictions and reported in the consolidated statements of operations and changes in net
 assets with donor restrictions as assets released from restrictions.

Unrestricted and restricted donations are recognized when received. Unrestricted and restricted pledges are reported as revenue in the period the pledge is made at the present value of estimated future cash flows. Amortization of the discount is included in contribution income. Pledges are recorded net of an allowance for uncollectibles. This allowance is determined based upon historical collection and write-off experience. Donor-restricted pledges and donations are recorded in the appropriate donor-restricted fund until restrictions are met, at which time they are contributed to the affiliate beneficiary. Gifts of property other than cash are recorded at fair market value at the dates the gifts are received.

The Health System holds donor-restricted endowment funds established primarily to fund specified activities for and within the Health System and the medical community as a whole. Net assets associated with endowment funds are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Contributions are recorded as revenue at the present value of estimated future cash flows when an unconditional promise is received. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System had \$31,545,000 and \$30,245,000, respectively, in pledges receivable, net of discount and allowance for uncollectibles of \$2,748,000 and \$2,807,000, respectively. Pledges receivable are recorded as assets limited as to use in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets and are due, based on gross pledges, as follows:

	Pleages
June 30, 2020	\$ 7,840,000
June 30, 2021	6,283,000
June 30, 2022	4,950,000
June 30, 2023	4,350,000
June 30, 2024	4,070,000
Thereafter	6,800,000

Net Patient Service Revenue and Patient Accounts Receivable

Net Patient Service Revenue

Effective July 1, 2018 the Health System used a modified retrospective method of application to adopt Accounting Standards Updates (ASU) 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*. The core principle of ASU 2014-09 is that an entity should recognize revenue based on performance obligations to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services.

Revenues generally relate to contracts with patients in which performance obligations are to provide health care services to the patients. Revenues are recorded during the period that obligations to provide health care services are satisfied. Performance obligations for inpatient services are generally satisfied over periods that average approximately five days, and revenues are recognized based on charges incurred in relation to total expected charges. Performance obligations for outpatient services are generally satisfied over a period of less than one day. The contractual relationships with patients, in most cases, also involve a third-party payer (Medicare, Medicaid, managed care health plans and commercial insurance companies), and the transaction prices for the services provided are dependent upon the terms provided by (Medicare and Medicaid) or negotiated with (managed care companies) the third-party payers. The payment arrangements with third-party payers for the services the Health System provides to the related

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

patients typically specify payments at amounts less than the Health System's standard charges. Medicare generally pays for inpatient and outpatient services at prospectively determined rates based on clinical, diagnostic and other factors. Services provided to patients having Medicaid coverage are generally paid at prospectively determined rates per discharge, per identified service or per covered member. Agreements with managed care companies generally provide for payments based upon predetermined rates per diagnosis, per diem rates or discounted fee-for-service rates.

The transaction price is determined based on gross charges for services provided, reduced by contractual adjustments provided to third-party payers, discounts provided to uninsured patients, and implicit price concessions provided primarily to uninsured patients. The Health System determines the estimates of contractual adjustments and discounts based on contractual agreements, discount policies and historical experience.

Management continually reviews the contractual estimation process to consider and incorporate updates to laws and regulations and the frequent changes in managed care contractual terms resulting from contract renegotiations and renewals. The estimate of implicit price concessions is based on the Health System's historical collection experience with these classes of patients using a portfolio approach as a practical expedient to account for patient contracts as collective groups rather than individually. The financial statement effects of using this practical expedient are not materially different from an individual contract approach.

The adoption of ASU 2014-09 resulted in changes to the presentation and disclosure of revenue primarily related to uninsured or underinsured patients. Prior to adoption of ASU 2014-09, a significant portion of the provision for doubtful accounts is related to self-pay patients. Under ASU 2014-09, the estimated uncollectable amounts due from these patients are generally considered implicit price concessions that are a direct reduction to net patient service revenue. Additionally, under the provisions of ASU 2014-09, amounts related to services provided to patients who were still receiving inpatient care in the Health System facilities at the end of the reporting period do not meet the conditions of unconditional right to payment and therefore are classified as contract assets. At July 1, 2018, the Health System reclassified \$54,000,000 from patient accounts receivable to contract assets. As of June 30, 2019, the contract assets balance is \$62,000,000 and is included in other current assets in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet.

There was no material impact of the new standard on various reimbursement programs that represent variable consideration. The accounting for these programs under ASU 2014-09 is substantially consistent with the Health System's historical accounting. These include

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

supplemental state Medicaid programs, disproportionate share payments and settlements with third party payers. While the adoption of ASU 2014-09 had a material effect on the presentation of net patient service revenue in the Health System's consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets and on certain disclosures, it did not materially impact the consolidated results of operations or cash flows.

The Health System's net patient service revenue by payer for the year ended June 30, 2019, and net patient service revenue before bad debt provision by payer for the year ended June 30, 2018, and approximate percentages of total, were as follows (in thousands):

	2019		2018	3
	Amount	Ratio	Amount	Ratio
Managed care	\$ 2,709,219	52%	\$ 2,706,656	49%
Medicare	1,576,764	31	1,382,040	25
Medicaid	686,062	13	610,092	11
Self-pay	51,610	1	648,354	12
Other	159,362	3	175,413	3
	5,183,017	100%	5,522,555	100%
Provision for bad debt	_		(668,061)	
Total	\$ 5,183,017		\$ 4,854,494	

The Health System's accounts receivable by payer as a percentage of net accounts receivable were as follows at June 30:

	2019	2018
Managed care	48%	49%
Medicare	25	22
Medicaid	10	10
Self-pay	6	4
Other	11	15
Total	100%	100%

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Medicare and Medicaid Programs

While laws and regulations governing the Medicare and Medicaid programs are complex and subject to interpretation, the Health System intends to be in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations and, to that end, has implemented a comprehensive organization-wide corporate compliance policy.

Annual retroactive settlements with the Medicare and Medicaid programs are subject to review by appropriate governmental authorities or their agents. Settlements are accrued on an estimated basis in the period the related services are rendered and adjusted in future periods as final settlements are determined. Accruals for possible settlements are calculated based on historical experience.

The Health System's Medicare and Medicaid cost reports have been audited by the applicable fiscal intermediary through June 30, 2015, for all hospitals and up to 2017 for certain entities. However, certain prior cost reports have been reopened by the fiscal intermediary for further review. Additionally, from time to time, the Health System appeals decisions of the fiscal intermediary in order to recover funds it believes are appropriately due to the Health System for services rendered to Medicare and/or Medicaid beneficiaries. Processes related to recovering these funds are often long and complex. The Health System's policy is to record any funds received from appeals as income in the year in which the notice of cost report settlement is received.

At June 30, 2019 and 2018, aggregate accruals and allowances for possible settlements, and pending reviews, as discussed above, of \$27,656,000 and \$34,907,000, respectively, are included in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets in other accrued expenses (2019: \$3,805,000; 2018: \$2,484,000) and other long-term liabilities (2019: \$23,851,000; 2018: \$32,423,000). It is reasonably possible that these estimates could differ from actual settlements and, thus, change in the near term by material amounts.

During 2019 and 2018, the Health System recognized \$20,989,000 and \$31,570,000, respectively, in net patient service revenue from differences between estimated and actual cost report settlements and appeals.

Medicaid Supplemental Payments

During fiscal years 2019 and 2018, the Health System participated in the Medicaid Disproportionate Share hospital funding program, established by the state of Texas and

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

administered by the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC), which created additional federal matching funds to increase access to health care by Texas' indigent patients and defray the cost of treating indigent patients. Funds are distributed to hospitals providing a high volume of services to Medicaid and uninsured patients. During fiscal year 2012, a new Medicaid supplemental payment program was established in Texas under an 1115 Waiver (Waiver). The Waiver program was initially a five-year federally approved program designed to supplement the unreimbursed costs of providing care to Medicaid and uninsured patients, as discussed in Note 3. This program has been extended until December 2022. There are two pools of funds established under the Waiver program: an uncompensated care (UC) pool and a delivery system reform incentive payment (DSRIP) pool.

To receive payments from the UC pool, a hospital must submit an application (referred to as the Waiver tool) estimating its uncompensated costs for services provided to Medicaid and uninsured patients. In March 2018, an additional Medicaid supplemental funding program, the Uniform Hospital Rate Increase Program (UHRIP) was implemented. As part of this program, hospital providers receive an additional payment for Medicaid managed care patients from the plans in which the hospital is the participant. The funding of these programs are dependent on intergovernmental transfers from state-owned and local governmental entities to draw down federal funds. Medicaid supplemental funds, which include Medicaid Disproportionate Share, DSRIP, UHRIP, and UC payments, of approximately \$310,468,000 and \$268,850,000, were recorded in 2019 and 2018, respectively. Net patient service revenue includes UC, UHRIP, and Disproportionate Share supplemental funds as a reduction of contractual adjustment. DSRIP is recorded as other revenue. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System has receivables recorded of \$44,932,000 and \$40,588,000 for Medicaid supplement payments, respectively. These amounts are included in other current assets in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets. Medicaid supplemental payments have been recognized based on the most recent information available.

Premium Revenues, Claims Payable, and Medical Claims Expenses

Premium revenues are recognized in the month in which members are entitled to health care services. Premiums collected in advance are recorded as unearned premiums and are included in accrued liabilities on the accompanying consolidated balance sheets. Premium revenue of \$101,638,000 and \$144,318,000 was included in other revenue for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

The estimated cost of all health services rendered to members through June 30 but not yet paid as of that date is included in other accrued expenses. This claims expense estimate is developed using actuarial assumptions based on historical experience with respect to the timing of payments in relation to the dates of service. Subsequent changes to prior period estimates are reflected in the current period. Losses on contracts are recognized in the period when health care costs are expected to exceed premium revenue.

Cash Equivalents

Liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less are reported as cash equivalents, except for those held for long-term investing purpose or subject to restrictions, which are reported as investments or assets limited to use.

Investments, Assets Limited to Use, and Investment Income

Investments are reflected as investments or assets limited as to use in the consolidated balance sheets and include fixed income, equity securities, master limited partnerships (MLPs), and alternative investments. Investments in equity securities and all debt securities are carried at fair value. Fixed income includes U.S. government securities, mortgage-backed securities, asset-backed securities and other securitized credit, corporate obligations, and non-U.S. sovereign and corporate securities, in pooled funds and separate accounts. Equity securities include domestic and international equities in pooled funds and separate accounts. Pooled funds are professionally managed and include institutional mutual funds, fixed income funds, equity funds, and commingled accounts. MLPs include domestic MLPs in pooled funds and separate accounts and represent limited partnerships that are typically publicly traded. Other characteristics often associated with these MLPs include the requirement that the partnerships must generate most of their cash flows from particular businesses (including commodities).

Alternative investments include ownership interests in hedge funds and limited partnerships that may employ various investment strategies through the use of publicly traded securities, market neutral arbitrage, floating rate loans and debt securities, fixed income swaps, private real assets, and private equity. The Health System's alternative investments include certain investments whose reported values had been estimated by fund managers in the absence of readily available market values or cannot otherwise be substantiated. Because of the inherent uncertainty of valuations, fund managers' estimates of fair value may differ from the values that would have been used had a ready market for the securities existed, and the differences could be material. Additionally, risks in certain of the Health System's alternative investments include limited transparency where funds

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

are not required to disclose the holdings in their portfolios to the Health System and limitations on liquidity as funds may impose lockup periods or holdback provisions that limit the Health System's ability to redeem those investments. The Health System records its alternative investments at estimated fair value. As of June 30, 2019, the unfunded commitment related to alternative investments is approximately \$427,175,000.

Investments are classified as noncurrent assets, regardless of their maturity date due to the Health System's primary intent not to utilize these assets to meet current obligations, capital, and other cash flow needs, and the investments have exposure to asset classes with longer term investment horizons. Assets limited as to use are funds legally restricted by bond indentures, internally restricted in connection with self-insurance programs, externally restricted by donor specifications, restricted by resident agreements, or internally restricted for charity care or other purposes. Assets limited as to use are classified as noncurrent assets, except for assets limited as to use that are required to meet current liabilities, which are classified as current assets.

Substantially all of the Health System's investments are designated as trading investments. Investment income, including realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments, interest and dividend income, and equity in earnings of alternative investments, is recorded as a nonoperating activity and included in revenues in excess of expenses in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets, unless the income or loss is restricted by donor or law. Net purchases and sales of investments are reported as a component of net cash used in investing activities in the accompanying consolidated statements of cash flows, as the net proceeds were used primarily to fund the Health System's acquisition of capital assets.

The Health System maintains investments with various financial institutions and investment management firms, and its policy is designed to limit exposure to any one institution or investment, therefore reducing overall risk.

Property, Plant, and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are carried at cost or fair value at the time of donation and include expenditures for new facilities and equipment and those expenditures that substantially increase the useful life of existing facilities and equipment. Ordinary maintenance and repairs are charged to expense when incurred. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over 20 to 40 years for buildings, 5 to 10 years for improvements (limited to the term of the related lease, if

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

applicable), and 3 to 12 years for equipment. Assets accounted for as capital leases are amortized over the terms of the respective leases, and such amortization is included in depreciation and amortization expense.

When events, circumstances, or operating results indicate that the carrying values of certain long-lived assets might be impaired, the Health System prepares undiscounted projections of cash flows expected to result from the use of the assets and their eventual disposition. If the projections indicate that the recorded amounts are not expected to be recoverable, the related asset's carrying value is reduced to estimated fair value. Fair value may be estimated based upon internal evaluations that include quantitative analyses of revenues and cash flows, reviews of recent sales of similar assets, and independent appraisals. Property and equipment to be disposed of are reported at the lower of the carrying amounts or fair value less costs to sell or close. The estimates of fair value are usually based upon recent sales of similar assets and market responses based upon discussions with and offers received from potential buyers.

Interest Rate Swap Agreements

The Health System records its interest rate swap agreements at fair value in the consolidated balance sheets and the change in the fair values and net interest payments under swaps as a component of interest rate swap agreements on the consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets.

Investments in Joint Ventures

The Health System has entered into multiple joint venture and partnership arrangements for the provision of medical services to patients. For those ventures where the Health System has a controlling interest through majority ownership, management control, or both, the ventures' assets, liabilities, and operating results have been included in the consolidated financial statements of the Health System. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System has recognized net assets attributable to noncontrolling interest of \$131,563,000 and \$130,928,000, respectively, representing the venture partners' interest in the equity and undistributed earnings of the consolidated ventures. For those ventures where the Health System does not maintain a controlling interest, the Health System accounts for its investment under the equity method of accounting.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Goodwill

The Health System records goodwill arising from a business combination as the excess of the purchase price and related costs over the fair value of the identifiable tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System had goodwill of \$196,526,000 and \$195,996,000, respectively, which relates to the purchase of several entities from 2010 to 2019, including purchases made by consolidated joint ventures. Goodwill is reflected in other assets.

Goodwill is tested at least annually for impairment at the reporting unit level. Impairment is the condition that exists when the carrying amount of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value.

Additional impairment assessments may be performed on an interim basis if the Health System encounters events or changes in circumstances that would indicate that it is more likely than not that the carrying value of goodwill has been impaired. The Health System has determined that its reporting units are geographic or service-line-based depending on the nature of operations. The first step in the impairment process is to determine the fair value of the reporting unit and then compare it to the carrying value, including goodwill. If the fair value exceeds the carrying value, no further action is required and no impairment loss is recognized. The Health System applied the optional provisions of ASU 2011-08, *Intangibles – Goodwill and Other (Topic 350): Testing Goodwill for Impairment*, which provides for a qualitative impairment analysis. A qualitative impairment analysis concluded that it was more likely than not that the fair value exceeded the carrying value of the applicable reporting units. Therefore, the two-step impairment analysis was not required and no impairment charges were recorded for fiscal year 2019 or 2018.

Taxes

The Health System and certain subsidiaries are Texas nonprofit corporations exempt from federal taxation under IRC Section 501(a), but are required to pay income taxes for their unrelated business activities. Most of the income received by the Health System and its subsidiaries is exempt from taxation under IRC Section 501(a). The Health System also owns subsidiaries that are taxable. The overall impact of federal income taxes to the Health System's combined financial statements is not significant. The Health System additionally has certain subsidiaries that file partnership income tax returns for U.S. tax purposes, as well as filing franchise tax returns in the state of Texas. The statutes of limitations for tax years between 2016 and 2018 remain open in the major U.S. taxing jurisdictions in which the Health System and subsidiaries are subject to taxation.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

The Health System follows the provisions of ASC 740, *Income Taxes*. Management has determined that there are no material uncertain tax positions that require recognition in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets. The Health System has net operating losses (NOLs) tax carryforwards that will expire between 2022 and 2038. Due to the age of these NOLs and the fact that management is uncertain that the full amount of the NOLs will be realized in the future, no deferred tax asset has been recorded.

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (Tax Act) was enacted on December 22, 2017. The Tax Act reduces the U.S. federal corporate tax rate from 35 percent to 21 percent, required companies to pay a one-time transition tax on earnings of certain foreign subsidiaries that were previously tax deferred, and creates new taxes on certain foreign sourced earnings. The Health System was not impacted by the transition tax as its foreign sourced earnings are in the form of dividends or royalties that are exempt from unrelated business income tax.

As of June 30, 2019, the Health System has accounted for the reduction in U.S. federal corporate tax rate and other domestic tax provisions of the Tax Act. The Health System has applied the rate change effect on existing deferred tax balances. The provisions of the Tax Act did not have a material tax effect on the Health System's consolidated financial statements.

Pension and Postretirement Benefit Cost

On July 1, 2018, the Health System adopted ASU 2017-07, Compensation – Retirement Benefits (Topic 715): Improving the Presentation of Net Periodic Pension Cost and Net Periodic Postretirement Benefit Cost. The amendments in ASU 2017-07 require that an employer reports the service cost component in the same line item or items as other compensation costs arising from services rendered by the pertinent employees during the period. It also requires the other components of net periodic pension cost and net periodic postretirement benefit cost to be presented in the income statement separately from the service cost component and outside a subtotal of income from operations. ASU 2017-07 requires retrospective adoption. The adoption of ASU 2017-07 resulted in an increase in the amount reported as salaries, benefits, and related personnel costs for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, by \$9,921,000 and \$9,060,000, respectively, with a corresponding increase in investment gains and other, net in both years.

Performance Indicator

The Health System's consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets contain a performance indicator titled revenues in excess of expenses. Revenues in excess of expenses include the Health System's results from operations and nonoperating activities, and exclude

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2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

changes in noncontrolling interest, changes in unfunded pension obligations, restricted contributions and grants received, and certain other changes in net assets. Health System activities directly related to the furtherance of the Health System's purpose, as discussed in Note 1, are considered to be operating activities. Other activities that result in gains or losses are considered to be nonoperating and primarily include investment earnings, losses on extinguishment of debt, and other nonoperating gains/losses, including unusual or infrequent recoveries or costs not directly related to operating activities.

New Accounting Pronouncement

In August 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued ASU 2016-14, *Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958): Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities.* The new standard intends to simplify the presentation of financial information for not-for-profits, specifically with respect to liquidity, financial performance, and cash flows, and to provide more relevant information to donors, grantors, creditors, and other users. This includes areas such as net asset classification, investment return, expenses, and liquidity and availability of resources. The Health System adopted ASU 2016-14 in its consolidated financial statements effective June 30, 2019, applying retrospectively to all periods presented. The impact of adoption resulted in the classification of net assets on the consolidated balance sheets and consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets into two classes of net assets, with and without donor restrictions. The Health System also added disclosure for the liquidity and availability of financial assets at the balance sheet date to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year and disaggregated functional expense classifications by their natural expense classification. The impact of adopting ASU 2016-14 had no impact to the Health System's total revenues, revenues in excess of expenses, or total net assets.

Pending Accounting Pronouncements

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, *Leases (Topic 842)*. ASU 2016-02 requires companies that lease assets to recognize a right-of-use asset and a lease liability, initially measured at the present value of the lease payments, in their balance sheets. The pronouncement will also require additional disclosures about the amount, timing, and uncertainty of cash flows arising from leases. The provisions of ASU 2016-02 are effective for the Health System starting July 1, 2019, including interim periods within that reporting period, and will be applied using a modified

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

retrospective approach. The primary effect of the new standard will be to record right-of-use assets and obligations for current operating leases, which is estimated to increase both assets and liabilities by approximately \$700,000,000. As discussed in Note 6, approximately \$87,000,000 of deferred gains related to a transaction previously accounted for under sale-leaseback guidance are expected to be recognized as an increase to net assets without donor restrictions upon adoption. Additionally, the Health System will derecognize \$126,000,000 of property, plant, and equipment, net, \$125,000,000 of capital lease obligations, \$1,000,000 of other accrued expenses, and \$12,000,000 of other long-term obligations related to transactions previously accounted for under build-to-suit and sale-leaseback guidance for certain medical and professional office buildings that were sold and leased back or were capitalized by the Health System due to its involvement during the asset construction period and its continuing involvement after the construction period. Following the derecognition of the assets and liabilities, the Health System will recognize approximately \$123,000,000 for right of use assets and lease liabilities, and \$12,000,000 as an increase to net assets without donor restrictions upon adoption.

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-15, Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230): Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments, which is intended to reduce diversity in practice on how certain transactions are classified in the statement of cash flows. The new standard addresses eight issues: debt prepayment or debt extinguishment costs; settlement of zero-coupon debt instruments; contingent consideration payments made after a business combination; proceeds from the settlement of insurance claims; proceeds from the settlement of corporate-owned life insurance policies, including bank-owned life insurance policies; distributions received from equity method investments; beneficial interests in securitization transactions; and separately identifiable cash flows and application of the predominance principle. The provisions of ASU 2016-15 are effective for the Health System starting July 1, 2019 and for interim periods starting July 1, 2020, and early adoption is permitted. Management is currently evaluating the impact of this pronouncement on the Health System's consolidated financial statements.

In November 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-18, Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230): Restricted Cash, to provide guidance on the presentation of restricted cash or restricted cash equivalents in the statement of cash flows. The amendments require that a statement of cash flows explain the change during the period in the total of cash, cash equivalents, and amounts generally described as restricted cash or restricted cash equivalents. The provisions of ASU 2016-18 are effective for the Health System for the fiscal year starting July 1, 2019 and for interim periods starting July 1, 2020, and early adoption is permitted. Management is currently evaluating the impact of this pronouncement on Health System's consolidated financial statements.

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2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

In January 2017, the FASB issued ASU 2017-04, *Intangibles – Goodwill and Other (Topic 350):* Simplifying the Test for Goodwill Impairment. The amendments in this update eliminate Step 2 from the goodwill impairment test to simplify the subsequent measurement of goodwill. Step 2 requires determining the fair value at the impairment testing date of assets and liabilities (including unrecognized assets and liabilities) following the procedure that would be required in determining the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. The provisions of ASU 2017-04 are effective for the Health System starting July 1, 2021, and early adoption is permitted. Management is currently evaluating the impact of this pronouncement on the Health System's consolidated financial statements.

Reclassification

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation. Premium revenues totaling \$144,318,000 were previously reported as a separate line item but are now included within other revenue, and outside medical claims expenses totaling \$85,416,000 that were previously reported as a separate line item are now included within other expense.

3. Community Service

In accordance with its purpose and values, the Health System is committed to providing high-quality, cost-effective health services to the community, including such underserved groups as the indigent and the elderly. Self-pay revenues are derived primarily from patients who do not have any form of health coverage. The revenues associated with self-pay patients are generally reported at the Health System's gross charges. The Health System evaluates these patients, after the patient's medical condition is determined to be stable, for their ability to pay based upon federal and state poverty guidelines, or qualifications for Medicaid or other governmental assistance programs, as well as the Health System's policy for charity care. The Health System provides care without charge to certain patients who qualify under the local charity care policy. The Health System's gross charity care charges include only services provided to patients who are unable to pay and qualify under the Health System's charity care policies. The Health System does not report a charity care patient's charges in revenues or in the provision for doubtful accounts, as it is the Health System's policy not to pursue collection of amounts related to these patients.

In addition, the Health System contributes to Harris County Clinical Services, Inc. (HCCS), which provides health care services to low-income and needy residents in the community.

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3. Community Service (continued)

The Health System's management estimates its costs of care provided under its charity care programs utilizing a calculated ratio of costs to gross charges multiplied by the Health System's gross charges provided. These costs are as follows for the year ended:

	June 30,			
		2019		2018
	(In Thousands)			nds)
Charity care costs	\$	265,542	\$	235,959
HCCS payments		113,844		141,475
	\$	379,386	\$	377,434

The Health System operates emergency rooms at its hospitals that are open to the public 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The Health System also operates Life Flight, an air ambulance service based at Memorial Hermann – Texas Medical Center (Level I trauma center); a burn unit; a transplant center; a Level II trauma center in the Woodlands, and one Level IV and one Level III neonatal intensive care units that provide services to many infants whose mothers have not had access to appropriate prenatal care. Furthermore, the Health System provides various community screenings for the detection of diseases and disorders, as well as a forum for various wellness activities and community health education classes.

In addition to the uncompensated care provided to patients, the Health System funds various community projects as part of its ongoing community benefit plan. These projects are developed in response to specific community needs in the Health System's service area identified through community needs assessments. Examples of projects funded include ten school-based health centers and three mobile dental vans serving 82 schools in five school districts, an ER Navigator program educating primary care patients about the importance of finding an appropriate medical home other than the emergency room; two neighborhood health centers serving the primary care needs of uninsured and underinsured patients; a nurse help-line providing nurse triage to greater Houston to educate and assist on the appropriate use of health resources; and providing financial support to primary care clinics and social service agencies that support Memorial Hermann Community Benefit Corporation's four driving pillars of access, emotional health, food and exercise. Additionally, the Health System collaborates with various community and city-wide task forces committed to building toward a healthier and more vital Houston community.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

3. Community Service (continued)

As a part of its approval of the 1997 merger between Memorial Hospital System and Hermann Hospital Estate, a Harris County District Court entered an Agreed Order stipulating that Memorial Hermann – Texas Medical Center will continue providing charity care and community service in the amount of 6% of net revenue or \$22,500,000, whichever is greater. This amount is an additional 1% above the percentage required of all Texas nonprofit hospitals under the charity care provision of the Texas Health & Safety Code. During fiscal years 2019 and 2018, the Health System believes it has met all stipulations of the agreement. Revenues of the other Health System entities are not obligated under the agreement.

4. Investments and Assets Limited as to Use

Investments

The Health System maintains investments with various financial institutions and investment management firms, and its policy is designed to limit exposure to any one institution or investment, therefore reducing overall investment risks. The following is a summary of unrestricted investments by classification:

		June 30			
	<u></u>	2019	2018		
	(In Thousands)			ands)	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	23,962	\$	12,896	
Fixed income		309,838		340,085	
Equity securities		1,049,917		993,614	
Alternative investments					
Hedge fund		729,846		596,531	
Private equity		240,941		128,713	
Real assets	312,012 282,687				
Total investments	\$	2,666,516	\$	2,354,526	

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

4. Investments and Assets Limited as to Use (continued)

Assets Limited as to Use

The following table sets forth the restricted purpose of the Health System's assets limited as to use:

	June 30		
		2019	2018
	(In Thousands)		
Self-insurance programs	\$	107,057 \$	120,095
Donor restrictions		126,240	124,895
Charity care, depreciation, and other funds		10,639	11,941
		243,936	256,931
Less current portion required for current liabilities		(4,000)	(6,656)
	\$	239,936 \$	250,275

Investment Income

Investment income related to net assets without donor restrictions comprises the following:

		Year Ended June 30		
		2019		2018
	(In Thousands)			nds)
Interest and dividend income	\$	66,951	\$	27,939
Realized gains, net		47,582		69,977
Unrealized gains, net		21,816		92,950
Pension investment income, net		9,921		9,060
	\$	146,270	\$	199,926

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5. Financial Assets and Liquidity Reserve

The Health System defines general expenditures as the expenditures related to operations of the Health System, excluding capital expenditures. The table below represents financial assets and liquidity resources available for general expenditures within one year as of June 30, 2019. As part of the Health System's liquidity management plan, cash in excess of daily requirements are invested in money market funds and other liquid investments that can be drawn upon, if necessary, to meet liquidity needs. The Health System has assets limited as to use under self-insurance programs and or restricted by donors. These assets limited as to use are not reflected in the table below.

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	June 30, 2019
	(In Thousands)
Financial assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 279,220
Investments	2,666,516
Patient accounts receivable	604,765
Other current assets	138,885
Total financial assets	3,689,386
Liquidity resource:	
Unused bank lines of credit	253,500
Less amounts not available within one year or not designed	
for general expenditures:	(222, 400)
Capital expenditures	(222,409)
Alternative investments subject to redemption restrictions	(1,120,246)
Financial assets not available for use within one year	(1,342,655)
Financial assets and liquidity resources available for	
general expenditures within one year	\$ 2,600,231

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

6. Property, Plant, and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment consist of the following:

	June 30			
	2019 2018			
	(In Thousands)	_		
Buildings and improvements	\$ 3,299,840 \$ 3,180,266			
Building and equipment under capital lease	819,080 804,965			
Equipment	2,281,664 2,119,350			
Less accumulated depreciation	(3,911,883) (3,643,870))		
	2,488,701 2,460,711			
Land	144,829 144,009			
Construction-in-progress	569,955 424,573			
	\$ 3,203,485 \$ 3,029,293	_		

At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System had leasehold improvements net of accumulated depreciation totaling \$254,748,000 and \$242,358,000, respectively.

At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the Health System had building and equipment under capital lease net of accumulated depreciation totaling \$568,516,000 and \$577,659,000, respectively.

At June 30, 2019, the Health System had remaining commitments for planned construction of approximately \$222,409,000.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

6. Property, Plant, and Equipment (continued)

Under the provisions of ASC 840-40, *Leases – Sale-Leaseback Transactions*, the Health System is required to continue to capitalize medical office buildings sold and leased back and to recognize an obligation for the sales proceeds received. A prior year gain on the sale of approximately \$130,625,000 has been deferred until specified forms of continuing involvement have ceased. These medical office buildings are depreciated over the economic lives when placed in service. As of June 30, 2019, the following amounts are recorded in property, plant, and equipment, net and other long-term obligations:

	Pr	Property, Plant, and Equipment				Other Accrued Expenses and Other Long-term Obligations			
		June 30, 2019		June 30, 2018		June 30, 2019		June 30, 2018	
Medical office buildings and improvements	\$	53,613,000	\$	62,442,000	\$	223,414,000	\$	230,154,000	

As of June 30, 2019, future minimum payments related to these medical office buildings sold and leased back are as follows: \$15,324,000 in 2020, \$15,631,000 in 2021, \$15,943,000 in 2022, \$16,262,000 in 2023, and \$16,588,000 in 2024, and \$23,922,000 thereafter.

In July 2018, a partnership in which the Health System had an equity method investment sold a medical office building in the Texas Medical Center, and the Health System received its share of the net sale proceeds of approximately \$116,000,000. Under the provisions of ASC 840-40, Leases – Sale-Leaseback Transactions a gain on the sale of approximately \$13,000,000 has been recognized and \$96,055,000 has been deferred in conjunction with the sale. Under ASC 840, this gain will be recognized over the life of the Health System's leases in the building. For the year ended June 30, 2019, \$9,055,000 of the deferred gain was recognized as a reduction to rent expense. The consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2019 includes approximately \$87,000,000 in deferred gains in other long-term obligations and other accrued expenses related to this transaction. Effective July 1, 2019, with the adoption of ASC 842, Leases, this gain will be reflected as an increase in net assets.

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7. Indebtedness

Long-term debt at June 30 consisted of the following:

	 2019		2018
	 (In The	nds)	
Obligations issued under the Memorial Hermann Health Master Trust			
Indenture:			
Revenue bonds, in variable rate demand mode, with interest rates			
ranging from 1.64% to 2.28% at June 30, 2019, due in varying			
installments through June 1, 2046:			
Series 2014C and D	\$ 70,400	\$	70,400
Series 2015A, B and C	239,700		247,700
Series 2016B, C, D and E	309,475		315,305
Revenue bonds, in variable rate mode, with interest rate ranging			
from 1.90% to 2.48% at June 30, 2019, due in annual			
installments through December 1, 2042:			
Series 2013B	56,145		67,210
Series 2014B	70,425		70,425
Revenue bonds, in fixed rate mode, bearing interest from 2.40%			
to 5.30%, due in annual installments through July 1, 2046:			
Series 2010A	30,805		36,135
Series 2013A	294,705		301,945
Series 2014A	135,185		139,775
Series 2016A	132,900		132,900
Other long-term debt obligations:			
Capital lease obligations	840,188		826,096
Line of credit and other notes	 98,347		67,888
	2,278,275		2,275,779
Premiums on long-term debt, net	34,899		39,230
Less deferred financing fees	 (7,684)		(8,272)
	2,305,490		2,306,737
Less current portion, including amounts subject to			
self-liquidity	 (498,208)		(507,441)
	\$ 1,807,282	\$	1,799,296

Debt Obligations

The Health System has issued revenue bonds through the Harris County Health Facilities Development Corporation and the Harris County Education Facilities Finance Corporation. Payments to the bondholders are funded by the issuing affiliates under a master trust indenture with the trustees of the respective bond issues. The Health System and substantially all operating affiliates have agreed to arrangements and indentures related to the bonds to abide by guidelines regarding repayment, financial performance, organizational changes, reporting, and additional

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7. Indebtedness (continued)

borrowing. Certain variable rate demand bonds were issued under the Health System's self-liquidity program, and therefore, have been classified as current liabilities. The Health System will provide its own liquidity to purchase any tendered bonds that cannot be successfully remarketed.

In February 2017, the Health System renewed a syndicated revolving line of credit agreement for a term of five years with a maximum amount available of \$300,000,000. The purpose of this line of credit facility is to provide a source of liquidity in the case of emergency or disaster, or to provide a means of bridge financing in advance of any permanent debt financing transaction. As of June 30, 2019 and 2018, \$46,500,000 and \$36,500,000 were outstanding, respectively.

In May 2018, the Health System converted the modes of the Series 2015A, Series 2015B, and Series 2015C bonds. The Series 2015A and Series 2015B bonds (\$162,400,000) were converted to privately placed floating rate notes for a term of three years. The Series 2015C bonds (\$93,200,000) were converted to variable rate demand bonds under the Health System's self-liquidity program and, therefore, are classified as current liabilities. The amortization and final maturity of the bonds remained unchanged.

The bank notes associated with the Series 2015A and Series 2015B bonds contain certain criteria under which the respective banks can call for the repayment of the debt in advance of the stated maturities. Management has evaluated these criteria and believes the debt is appropriately classified as long-term.

The 2014C and D and 2016B, C, D, and E Series bonds were issued under the Health System's self-liquidity program and, therefore, have been classified as current liabilities.

Other notes consist of secured loans by financial institutions to finance the equipment purchases of the Health System's joint venture partnerships.

As of June 30, 2019, scheduled principal payments for outstanding debt (excluding capital leases and other notes) for the next five fiscal years are as follows: \$41,135,000 in 2020, \$40,280,000 in 2021, \$42,090,000 in 2022, \$44,085,000 in 2023, and \$46,055,000 in 2024.

The estimated fair value of the Health System's serial and term fixed rate bonds at June 30, 2019 and 2018, was approximately \$651,207,000 and \$659,348,000, respectively. The valuation of the bonds is based on a combination of quoted market prices for identical securities when available, a

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

7. Indebtedness (continued)

Level 1 input, and quoted market prices for similarly rated health care revenue bond issues, a Level 2 input. The Health System considers the carrying value of its variable rate long-term debt to approximate fair value at June 30, 2019 and 2018, due to the variable nature of the interest rate.

Leases

The Health System leases certain health facilities located in the Houston metropolitan area. One such leasing arrangement, which is reflected as a capital lease in the accompanying consolidated financial statements, consists of a 520-licensed-bed general acute care hospital and rehabilitation care facility located in west Houston. All revenues and income from the operation of the leased facilities during the lease term accrue to the Health System. The Health System is responsible under the lease for ad valorem taxes, normal maintenance, utilities, and other operating costs.

The Health System leases certain land, buildings, and medical offices near the west Houston location. These agreements are recorded as operating leases with rental payments reflected in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets.

The Health System also leases other office space and equipment under noncancelable leases. Rental expense under noncancelable leases, including the operating leases discussed above, aggregated \$111,000,000 and \$124,600,000 in 2019 and 2018, respectively.

As of June 30, 2019, minimum future rentals under noncancelable leases, for the next five fiscal years and in aggregate, are as follows:

	Capital Leases	Operating Leases
2020	\$ 59,123,77	· · · · · ·
2021 2022	62,403,27 62,753,56	7 71,416,123
2023 2024	63,211,42 62,200,01	7 51,909,931
Thereafter Total minimum lease payments	1,367,069,34 1,676,761,41	
Less portion representing interest Capital lease obligations	\$ 840,187,54	

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8. Interest Rate Swap Agreements

The Health System utilizes interest rate swap agreements to manage its capital costs and interest rate risk. The following table summarizes the Health System's swap portfolio, the fair values at June 30, 2019 and 2018, the change in value, and the net amounts paid and received for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018 (in thousands):

		Interest	Aggregate	Fair Value Liability					ent Paid	
Swap	Term	Rate	Notional	Ju	ne 30	June 3	30	June 3	ie 30	
Description	Date	Agreements	Amount	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	
LIBOR-based to										
fixed (5.343%)	2032	1	\$ 113,120 \$	(39,753)	\$ (28,586)	\$ (11,167) \$	10,079 \$	3,503 \$	4,331	
LIBOR-based to										
fixed (3.629%)	2029	3	131,700	(23,438)	(17,271)	(6,167)	7,349	753	3,293	
LIBOR-based to										
fixed (3.635%)	2024	1	22,500	(1,580)	(1,516)	(64)	2,616	460	887	
LIBOR-based to										
fixed (3.630%)	2024	1	32,900	(2,410)	(2,283)	(127)	503	2,794	1,098	
LIBOR-based to				(, ,		` /				
fixed (3.690%)	2027	1	35,700	(3,993)	(3,314)	(679)	1,990	2,108	1,345	
LIBOR-based to			,	())	())	()	,	,	,	
fixed (3.685%)	2027	2	102,000	(10,836)	(9,336)	(1,500)	5,083	782	3,122	
LIBOR-based			,,,,,,	(-))	(-))	())	- ,		- /	
constant										
maturity swap	2034	1	500,000	(390)	_	(390)	_	4	_	
J 1		10	\$ 937,920 \$	(82,400)	\$ (62,306)	\$ (20,094) \$	27,620 \$	10,404 \$	14,076	

The notional amounts under each of the interest rate swap agreements are reduced in conjunction with the Health System's principal payments on the associated bonds, except for the constant maturity swap, the notional amount of which does not change. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the fair value of swap agreements was a liability of \$82,400,000 and \$62,306,000, respectively, and has been included in other long-term liabilities in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets. As of June 30, 2019 and 2018, none of the Health System's swap agreements include provisions that would require posting of collateral.

The Health System classified the net interest cost on its interest rate swaps for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, of \$10,404,000 and \$14,076,000, respectively, in nonoperating expenses (interest rate swap agreements) in the consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets.

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9. Fair Value Measurement

The Health System categorizes, for disclosure purposes, assets and liabilities measured at fair value in the consolidated financial statements based upon whether the inputs used to determine their fair values are observable or unobservable. Observable inputs are inputs that are based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about pricing the asset or liability, based on the best information available in the circumstances.

In certain cases, the inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, an asset's or liability's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement of the asset or liability. The Health System's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment, and considers factors specific to the asset or liability.

The Health System follows the three-level fair value hierarchy to categorize these assets and liabilities recognized at fair value at each reporting period, which prioritizes the inputs used to measure such fair values. Level inputs are defined as follows:

Level 1 - Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities on the reporting date.

Level 2 – Inputs to the valuation methodology other than quoted market prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability. Level 2 pricing inputs include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, and inputs that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the financial instrument.

Level 3 – Inputs that are unobservable for the asset or liability.

The following tables present financial instruments carried at fair value as of June 30, 2019 and 2018, on a recurring basis. The tables do not include contributions receivable of \$31,545,000 and \$30,245,000 at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively, and real estate of \$187,000 that are not carried at fair value, and are included in assets limited as to use in the consolidated balance sheets. The tables also do not include Level 3 alternative investments of \$1,279,782,000 and \$1,049,014,000 at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively, which are measured at fair value using net asset value as a practical expedient, as allowed under ASU 2009-12, *Fair Value Measurements*

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9. Fair Value Measurement (continued)

and Disclosures (Topic 820): Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share (or Its Equivalent). Valuations provided by the respective investment's management consider variables, such as the financial performance of underlying investments, recent sales prices of underlying investments, and other pertinent information. In addition, actual market exchanges at year-end provide additional observable market inputs of the exit price. The majority of these funds have restrictions on the timing of withdrawals, which may reduce liquidity, in some cases over 12 months.

	June 30, 2019					
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total		
		(In Th	ousands)			
Assets						
Investments:						
Cash and equivalents	\$ 23,962	\$ -	\$ - \$	23,962		
U.S. government securities	_	74,894	_	74,894		
Pooled funds:						
Domestic equities	2,204	67,772	_	69,976		
Global equities	102,603	305,951	_	408,554		
Risk parity	_	43,305	_	43,305		
Fixed income	125,185	_	_	125,185		
Hedge fund	_	137,463	_	137,463		
Corporate equities	290,117	_	_	290,117		
Global equities	128,013	_	_	128,013		
MLPs	56,087	_	_	56,087		
Public REITs	53,865	_	_	53,865		
Assets limited as to use:						
Cash and equivalents	36,987	_	_	36,987		
Pooled funds:						
Domestic equities	5,410	_	_	5,410		
Global equities	55,143	8,556	_	63,699		
Fixed income	52,262	_	_	52,262		
MLPs	5,481	_	_	5,481		
Corporate equities	9,501	_	_	9,501		
Global equities	4,999	_	_	4,999		
Public REITs	5,178	_	_	5,178		
Total assets	\$ 956,997	\$ 637,941	\$ - \$	1,594,938		
Liabilities						
Interest rate swap agreements	\$ -	\$ 82,400	\$ - \$	82,400		
Total liabilities	\$ - \$ -	\$ 82,400	\$ - \$	82,400		

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9. Fair Value Measurement (continued)

	June 30, 2018						
		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3	Total
				(In The	ousa	inds)	_
Assets							
Investments:							
Cash and equivalents	\$	12,896	\$	_	\$	- \$	12,896
U.S. government securities		34,882		7,454		_	42,336
Pooled funds:							
Domestic equities		2,119		60,813		_	62,932
Global equities		128,380		223,758		_	352,138
Risk parity		26,419		34,012		_	60,431
Fixed income		176,398		_		_	176,398
Hedge fund		_		82,417		_	82,417
Corporate obligations		_		22,374		_	22,374
Corporate equities		222,518		_		_	222,518
Global equities		97,557		_		_	97,557
MLPs		137,136		_		_	137,136
Public REITs		60,902		_		_	60,902
Assets limited as to use:							
Cash and equivalents		57,791		_		_	57,791
Pooled funds:							
Domestic equities		9,698		_		_	9,698
Global equities		54,714		8,504		_	63,218
Fixed income		44,372		_		_	44,372
MLPs		5,725		_		_	5,725
Corporate equities		9,109		_		_	9,109
Public REITs		5,407		_		_	5,407
Total assets	\$	1,086,023	\$	439,332	\$	- \$	1,525,355
Liabilities							
Interest rate swap agreements	\$	_	\$	62,306	\$	- \$	62,306
Total liabilities	\$	_	\$	62,306	\$	- \$	62,306

The fair values of the securities included in Level 1 were determined through quoted market prices, and include money market funds, mutual funds, and marketable debt and equity securities. The fair values of Level 2 securities were determined through evaluated bid prices based on recent trading activity, and other relevant information, including market interest rate curves and referenced credit spreads, and estimated prepayment rates, where applicable, are used for valuation purposes and are provided by third-party services where quoted market values are not available. The fair values of the interest rate swap agreements included in Level 2 were determined using third-party models that use as their inputs observable market conditions.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

10. Pension Plans

The Health System sponsors a cash balance defined benefit pension plan covering all eligible employees. The Health System's funding policy is to contribute amounts to the plan sufficient to meet the minimum funding requirements set forth in the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, plus such additional amounts as the Health System may determine to be appropriate from time to time. Funding requirements are determined through consultation with an independent actuary. Effective July 1, 2011, the Health System closed the plan to new participants. Participants as of June 30, 2011, continue to accrue benefits.

The Health System recognizes the funded status (that is, the difference between the fair value of plan assets and the projected benefit obligations) of its plan in the consolidated balance sheets, with a corresponding adjustment to net assets. Actuarial gains and losses that arise and are not recognized as net periodic pension cost in the same periods are recognized as a component of net assets.

The assumptions used in calculating the pension amounts recognized in the Health System's consolidated financial statements include discount rates, interest costs, expected return on plan assets, retirement and mortality rates, inflation rates, salary growth, and other factors. While the Health System believes the assumptions used are appropriate, differences in actual experience or changes in assumptions may affect future pension obligations and expense.

The plan was amended effective March 31, 2019. For pay periods commencing after March 31, 2019 the employer contribution credits changed from tiered funding to 3% of the employee's compensation payable as of the end of such bi-weekly pay period.

The following tables set forth the plan's funding status as of the measurement dates, amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements, and assumptions used. The plan's measurement dates were June 30, 2019 and 2018, with participant census dates of July 1, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

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10. Pension Plans (continued)

		Year Ended 2019	June 30 2018
		(In Thous	ands)
Change in projected benefit obligation:			
Benefit obligation, beginning of year	\$	650,701 \$	660,595
Service cost		27,696	31,604
Interest cost		26,128	24,581
Actuarial loss (gain), net		40,744	(22,953)
Benefits paid		(35,335)	(39,247)
Administrative expenses paid		(2,420)	(3,879)
Effect of plan amendment		(51,892)	
Projected benefit obligation (including \$654,081 and \$607,760 in 2019 and 2018, respectively, in			
accumulated benefit obligation), end of year	\$	655,622 \$	650,701
Change in plan assets: Fair value of assets, beginning of year Employer contributions Return on plan assets Benefits paid Administrative expenses paid Fair value of assets, end of year	\$ <u>\$</u>	598,132 \$ 1,200 20,438 (35,335) (2,420) 582,015 \$	599,445 - 41,813 (39,247) (3,879) 598,132
Funded status: Pension liability recorded in other long-term			
obligations in the consolidated balance sheets	\$	(73,607) \$	(52,569)

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10. Pension Plans (continued)

At June 30, 2019, net assets without donor restrictions include \$161,660,000 of primarily unrecognized actuarial losses of the Health System's defined benefit plan that have not yet been recognized in net periodic benefit cost, of which \$10,592,000 will be amortized in fiscal year 2020.

	Year Ended June 30				
		2019		2018	
		(In The	ousa	nds)	
Components of net periodic cost:					
Service cost	\$	27,696	\$	31,604	
Interest cost		26,128		24,581	
Expected return on plan assets		(46,130)		(47,470)	
Amortization of prior service cost		11,740		15	
Amortization of losses and other, net		(2,380)		14,166	
Net periodic cost	\$	17,054	\$	22,896	

Service cost is included in salaries, benefits, and related personnel costs in the consolidated financial statements and other costs are included in net investment income.

Weighted average assumptions for determining		
benefit obligations at end of year and net periodic		
costs for the year:		
Discount rates – benefit obligations	3.60%	4.34%
Discount rates – net periodic costs	4.34	3.90
Rates of increase in future compensation levels	3.50	3.50
Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets	8.10	8.20

The assumption for the expected return on assets is derived from a study conducted by the Health System's actuaries and financial management. The study includes a review of the plan's asset allocation strategy, anticipated long-term performance of individual asset classes, risks and correlations of asset classes, and general economic conditions of the investment marketplace. Because of revisions to the plan's investment policy, asset allocation strategy, and changes in professional managers utilized, historical returns performance of the plan was not a significant factor in the analysis.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

10. Pension Plans (continued)

The assets of the pension plan by weighted average asset allocation categories are set forth in the following table:

	2019	2018
Asset category:		
Short-term investments	0%	2%
Fixed income	24	22
Domestic equity	19	20
Global equity	5	5
International equity	17	16
Risk parity	0	1
Private equity and hedge funds	35	34
Total	100%	100%

The plan's general investment objective is to seek to achieve attractive long-term total return from income and growth of capital over a full market cycle with a low-to-moderate level of risk, emphasizing, primarily, the preservation of principal and, secondarily, the real purchasing power of assets over the long term while maintaining adequate liquidity to meet benefits and expense cash flow requirements when due through the utilization of investments in a balanced and diversified portfolio of equity, fixed income, short-term liquid securities, and alternative investments. Investments will be well-diversified across individual issuers, economic sectors, and asset classes to ensure a level of risk that is comparable to the general investment markets. At June 30, 2019, the unfunded commitment related to the plan's assets is \$18,950,000.

The plan's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis were determined using the following inputs at June 30, 2019 and 2018. The tables do not include Level 3 alternative investments of \$198,533,000 and \$218,993,000, respectively, which are measured at fair value using net asset value as a practical expedient. The plan's investment in alternative investments includes hedge funds, private equity, and real assets.

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10. Pension Plans (continued)

	June 30, 2019						
		Level 1		Level 2 Le		Level 3	Total
				(In The	ouse	ands)	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,566	\$	_	\$	- \$	9,566
U.S. government securities		_		12,206		_	12,206
Pooled funds:							
Domestic equities		_		13,869		_	13,869
Global equities		28,988		70,704		_	99,692
Fixed income		66,629		_		_	66,629
Hedge fund		_		44,573		_	44,573
Corporate obligations		_		17,647		_	17,647
Corporate equities		61,524		_		_	61,524
Global equities		27,486		_		_	27,486
MLPs		15,417		_		_	15,417
Public REITs		14,873		_		_	14,873
Total	\$	224,483	\$	158,999	\$	- \$	383,482

	June 30, 2018									
	Level 1			Level 2		Level 3	Total			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	20,858	\$	_	\$	- \$	20,858			
U.S. government securities		16,354		3,047		_	19,401			
Pooled funds:										
Domestic equities		_		14,262		_	14,262			
Global equities		30,402		66,252		_	96,654			
Risk parity		1,111		4,320		_	5,431			
Fixed income		63,976		_		_	63,976			
Hedge fund		_		18,091		_	18,091			
Corporate obligations		_		10,520		_	10,520			
Corporate equities		62,761		_		_	62,761			
Global equities		28,309		_		_	28,309			
MLPs		27,859		_		_	27,859			
Public REITs		11,017				<u> </u>	11,017			
Total	\$	262,647	\$	116,492	\$	- \$	379,139			

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10. Pension Plans (continued)

As described in Note 9, management has elected to use the net asset value per share, or its equivalent, as a practical expedient for fair value of the plan's interest in alternative investments. The majority of these funds have restrictions on the timing of withdrawals, which may reduce liquidity, in some cases for up to 12 months.

All of the assets are managed by external investment managers and are maintained in actively managed security portfolios. Derivative investments are not allowed except by fund managers who employ such techniques to offset or reduce the risk associated with an existing group of investments. There are no required contributions for fiscal year 2020.

	Estimated			
	(In Thousands)			
Expected benefit payments estimated for fiscal years:				
2020	\$	50,464		
2021		52,076		
2022		50,330		
2023		51,531		
2024		49,969		
2025–2029		232,236		

In addition to the defined benefit plan discussed above, eligible employees participate in certain other retirement plans, including defined contribution plans with employer matches of \$71,241,000 and \$68,183,000 for 2019 and 2018, respectively.

11. Self-Funded Liabilities

The Health System is self-insured for general and professional liability, errors and omissions, and workers' compensation claims, and maintains excess insurance coverage at varying levels. A provision is made for estimated losses and related expenses on risks not covered by insurance. The provision includes estimated amounts for asserted claims, reported incidents for which a claim has not been asserted, and claims incurred but not reported. The provision is based on specific claim loss estimates by the Health System's management and on estimates of total annual losses by an independent consulting actuary using the Health System and similar facility experience.

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11. Self-Funded Liabilities (continued)

The Health Professionals Insurance Company, Ltd. (HePIC), a wholly owned subsidiary, is a captive insurance company that provides professional liability, general liability, and other insurance coverage for the Health System's affiliates. The Health System funds HePIC's required insurance reserves. Funding amounts are based on actuarial recommendations. The assets of HePIC and the established liability for self-funded losses are reported in the consolidated balance sheets. Investment income from the assets and the provision for estimated self-funded losses and administrative costs are reported in the consolidated statements of operations and changes in net assets. The Health System's established liability for self-funded losses was \$59,100,000 and \$63,533,000 as of June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively, and is recorded in accrued payroll and related expenses, other accrued expenses, and other long-term obligations in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets.

12. Functional Expenses

The table below present expenses by both their nature and function for the years ending June 30, 2019 and 2018.

	Health Services]	Insurance Services	_	eneral and ministrative	Total
Year ended June 30, 2019:						
Salaries, benefits, and related						
personnel costs	\$ 2,202,106	\$	16,079	\$	198,097 \$	2,416,282
Services and other	1,332,000		83,991		96,740	1,512,731
Supplies and medicines	1,014,659		938		289	1,015,886
Depreciation and amortization	255,142		1,022		44,057	300,221
Interest	 91,886		_		1,059	92,945
	\$ 4,895,793	\$	102,030	\$	340,242 \$	5,338,065

		Health		Insurance		General and			
	Services		Services		Administrative			Total	
Year ended June 30, 2018:									
Salaries, benefits, and related									
personnel costs	\$	2,091,543	\$	17,152	\$	203,994	\$	2,312,689	
Services and other		1,340,942		101,649		81,302		1,523,893	
Supplies and medicines		919,488		1,014		455		920,957	
Depreciation and amortization		244,519		1,196		42,010		287,725	
Interest		88,057		_		5,180		93,237	
	\$	4,684,549	\$	121,011	\$	332,941	\$	5,138,501	

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13. Commitments and Contingencies

Litigation

From time to time, the Health System is subject to litigation in the ordinary course of its operations. In management's opinion, any future settlements or judgments on asserted or unasserted claims will not have a material effect on the Health System's consolidated financial position.

Various federal and state agencies have initiated investigations regarding reimbursement claimed by the Health System and other matters. The investigations are in various stages of discovery, and the ultimate resolution of these matters, including the liabilities, if any, cannot be readily determined; however, in the opinion of management, the results of these investigations will not have a material adverse impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Health System.

Other

Under terms of an agreement, as amended, originally dated January 1, 1968, and superseded with a new agreement dated August 16, 2004, the Health System and the University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston (the University) affiliated to operate and maintain a patient care, medical teaching, research, and community service facility. The agreement specifies that Memorial Hermann Health System will serve as the primary private hospital teaching site for the University, and operate and maintain a fully accredited hospital, while maintaining final authority over operational policy. The University agrees to offer the hospital the opportunity to accommodate all teaching programs and clinical programs, maintain fully accredited educational programs, and conduct research activities while utilizing Memorial Hermann Health System. Mutual commitments include administrative appointments and sharing of certain operational and research costs. Expenses for obligations to the University for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, totaled \$328,000,000 and \$303,000,000, respectively. This agreement will automatically renew on October 15, 2019, for an additional 10 years. The parties are in active discussions to establish a long-term extension to this academic and clinical affiliation agreement.

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14. Impact of Hurricane Harvey

On August 24, 2017, Hurricane Harvey made landfall on the Southeast coast of Texas, which included many of the service areas where the Health System owns and operates its facilities. Widespread flooding occurred over several days in Houston and the surrounding area. The Health System temporarily evacuated one of its acute care facilities for several days and closed some of its smaller physician and ambulatory locations. All other Health System hospitals remained open throughout the period; however, certain services at all Health System hospitals were disrupted or cancelled, including elective admissions and surgeries. The hospitals subsequently returned to normal operations.

The Health System maintains insurance policies covering property damage, business interruption, and related costs, subject to applicable deductibles. Further, recovery of certain losses and costs may be provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Management is continuing to evaluate potential recoveries and file claims under existing insurance policies and FEMA. For the year ended June 30, 2018, the Health System incurred expenses net of recoveries of approximately \$17,000,000 related to Hurricane Harvey.

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