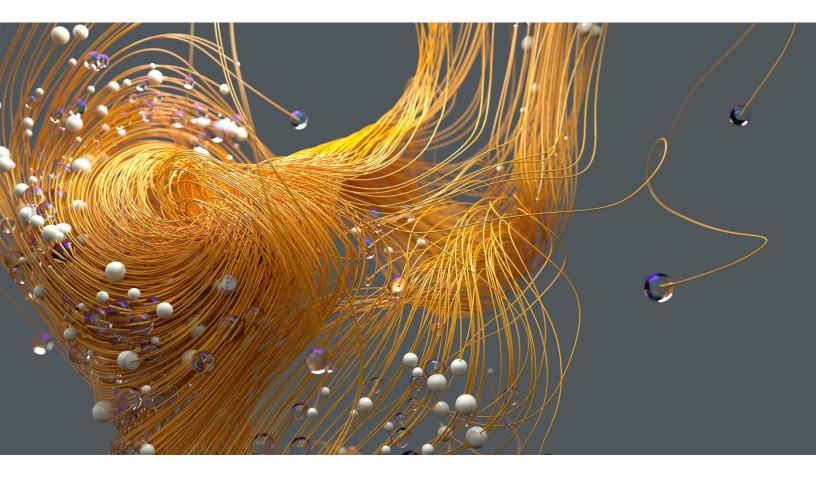


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# **Cain Brothers Industry Insights**

Healthcare Weekly Market Report



This week's banker commentary: Updates On The LIBOR Sunset

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# Updates On The LIBOR Sunset Banker Commentary by Joanna Stephenson

The London Interbank Offered Rate, or LIBOR, has historically been the most widely used benchmark interest rate in the world. Due largely to significant concerns about the manipulation of LIBOR, replacing it is an ongoing global effort. A significant amount of progress has been made

since the Alternative Reference Rates Committee (ARRC), selected the Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) as the alternative to USD-LIBOR. Many organizations, both healthcare and other, have continued to use a wait-and-see-approach on existing LIBOR contracts while dealer trading in contracts based on the new reference rate has increased significantly over the past couple years.

#### **Progress**

As "end-users," one of the main obstacles healthcare entities have faced in trying to utilize SOFR is the lack of a term structure. Until recently, SOFR has only been an overnight rate with complicated payment calculation conventions. In July 2021, however, ARRC formally recommended the CME Group's Term SOFR (Term SOFR) for business loan activity and for derivatives with end-users hedging Term SOFR rates. This positive development means that borrowers will now be able to set a Term SOFR rate in advance and know what interest payment amount will be due the following month. Term SOFR payment calculation conventions can now essentially mirror existing 1-month LIBOR contracts.

#### **SOFR Liquidity Update**

While Term SOFR offers benefits compared to the overnight SOFR, it is so newly recommended that several major banks and swap dealers have yet to execute a Term SOFR derivative trade. Overnight SOFR derivative trading activity, however, has picked up significantly over the past year. SOFR derivative trades as a percent of the total LIBOR/SOFR market have increased 12% from the same week last year. Nevertheless, SOFR volume remains significantly behind LIBOR, and the LIBOR market continues to remain more liquid. To contrast the derivative market depth of LIBOR versus SOFR, the following table shows week-ending amounts of continued traded LIBOR versus SOFR.

Interest Rate Derivatives: Benchmark Data (Source: ISDA®)						
Week Ending October 22, 2021						
	Traded Notional	Trade Count				
	(USD billions)					
USD LIBOR	1,814	12,443				
SOFR (overnight)	412	3,597				
SOFR (overnight) as % of Total	19%	22%				

#### **Conversion to SOFR Timing**

As demonstrated in the chart above, SOFR represents less than a quarter of the total LIBOR and SOFR weekly derivative trades combined. 1-Month LIBOR will cease to be reported in June 2023, but the FRB1, OCC1 and FDIC1 jointly issued supervisory guidance encouraging banks to stop entering into new USD LIBOR contracts by December 31, 2021. Therefore, SOFR volume is expected to pick-up considerably throughout 2022 and, at some point during the year, SOFR volume will likely exceed LIBOR volume and SOFR will become a more liquid market. Additionally, Term SOFR trades are likely to occur and pick up significant volume. Until then, a wait-and-see approach continues to be expected for end-users such as healthcare entities.

#### Steps to be Taken Ahead of LIBOR Cessation

Most debt and derivative contracts are silent on the occurrence of a cessation of an index reference rate. As we approach June 2023, those that have not remediated their contracts will be scrambling to amend existing documents to convert to a new rate. Waiting until the last minute is not a recommended strategy. Language can be added to documents now that provide for fallback rate determination methodologies when LIBOR does cease to be reported. This language does not need to convert a trade to SOFR or Term SOFR today but can set the groundwork for determining the new reference rate when triggered.

Cain Brothers has extensive experience negotiating this language with banks and dealers and can assist with its incorporation. By the end of 2022 we expect most of our clients will have their LIBOR contracts converted to an alternative rate or have robust fallback language incorporated.

As this topic continues to develop, Cain Brothers will provide updates. Please feel free to contact your banker with questions or our derivative expert, Joanna Stephenson, at 646-205-0276.

# **Healthcare M&A Activity**

### Recent Selected Healthcare M&A Transactions (SMM)

				Enterp	rise Value /	
Date	Target Name	Acquirer	EV	LTM Rev.	LTM EBITDA	Description
10/29/2021	SpecialtyCare (Kohlberg)	Morgan Stanley Infrastructure Partners	NA	NA	NA	Network of outsourced clinical services to hospital operating rooms
10/26/2021	TransUnion's Healthcare Business	nTrive (Clearlake Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare data and analytics business
10/26/2021	Caring Brands (Levine Leichtman Capital)	Wellspring Capital	NA	NA	NA	Franchisor of home healthcare services: Interim HealthCare, Bluebird Care and Just Better Care
10/25/2021	CEI Vision Group (Revelstoke Capital Partners)	EyeCare Partners	~\$600.0	NA	NA	Opthamology management services organization
10/25/2021	Lemonaid Health	23andMe (Nasdaq: ME)	\$400	NA	NA	On-demand platform for accessing medical care and pharmacy services online
10/25/2021	MediStreams	TT Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of remittance, reconciliation, and payment automation revenue cycle management solutions for healthcare providers
10/26/2021	WEP Clinical	The Jordan Company	NA	NA	NA	Specialized pharma services company assists pharmaceutical companies to help patients and physicians gain early access to medicine:
10/20/2021	Grace Home Health	Excelin Health (Corinthian Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of in home nursing and therapy care
10/20/2021	Intouch Group	EVERSANA	NA	NA	NA	Full-service global agency network serving the pharmaceutical industry
10/20/2021	Outpatient Imaging (ICV Partners)	The Cranemere Group	NA	NA	NA	Outpatient imaging platform developing joint ventures with health systems
10/19/2021	Agape Care Group*	Ridgemont Equity Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of hospice and palliative care in the Southeast
10/19/2021	Arine	SCAN Group	NA	NA	NA	Tech drive medication management and adherence provider
10/19/2021	Colorado Retina Associates*	Retina Consultants of America (Webster Equity Partners)	NA	NA	NA	13 board-certified and fellowship-trained ophthalmologists in the greater Denver- Boulder metropolitan area
10/19/2021	Genesee Scientific	LLR Partners	NA	NA	NA	Manufacturer and distributor of products to global life science markets
10/19/2021	Vitality Health Plan and Reliance Healthcare (majority stake)	Commonwealth Care Alliance	NA	NA	NA	Medicare Advantage plans in Massachusetts and California
10/19/2021	Wellframe	HealthEdge Software (Blackstone)	NA	NA	NA	Digital health management company
10/19/2021	MDVIP (Leonard Green & Partners and Summit Partners)	Goldman Sachs Asset Management and Charlesbank Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Membership-based healthcare with a national network of over 1,100 primary care physicians
10/15/2021	imre	RLH Equity Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of strategic and creative marketing services to enterprise clients in the healthcare sector
10/13/2021	Carrus (Revelstoke Capital Partners)	Penn Foster	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare continuing education, and certification management
10/13/2021	Halo Health (Bain Capital)	symplr (Clearlake Capital Group and CharlesBank Capital Partners)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of clinical communications and collaboration SaaS solutions
10/12/2021	IMMR	Veranex (Summit Partners)*	NA	NA	NA	Provider of preclinical research, pathology evaluation and surgical training services to

medical technology industry

# **Healthcare Equity Private Placements Activity**

## Recent Selected Healthcare Equity Private Placements (\$MM)

Date	Company	Investor(s)	Туре	Amount	Description
10/26/2021	Medable	Blackstone Growth and Tiger Global (coleads), GSR Ventures, Sapphire Ventures and WTI	Series D	\$304.0 \$2.1 bln valuation	Patient-focused clinical research company offering a cloud offering for adoption of digital and decentralized clinical trials
10/26/2021	Stride	King River Capital (lead), Mastercard, Allstate, Venrock, NEA, and Fidelity's F- Prime Capital	Series C	\$47	Portable benefits for independent workers for independent workers
10/21/2021	Workit Health	Insight Partners (lead), CVS Health Ventures, FirstMark Capital, BCBS Venture Fund, and 3L Capital	Series C	\$118	Provider of virtual substance use disorder treatment
10/20/2021	Bardavon Health Innovations	Matrix Capital Management (lead), WestCap	Series C	\$90	Workers' compensation and musculoskeletal health company
10/20/2021	Saama Technologies	Carlyle, Amgen Ventures, Intermountain Ventures, Merck Global Health Innovation Fund, McKesson Ventures, Northpond Ventures, Pfizer Ventures, and Population Health Partners	ategic and Majority Sta	\$430	Al-driven intelligent clinical cloud company serving the life science industry
10/19/2021	HistoWiz	Vivo Capital (lead), venBio, Asahi Kasei and Jon Oringer	Series A	\$32	Digital histopathology service company
10/14/2021	VillageMD	Walgreens Boots Alliance	Undisclosed	\$5,200	Provider of value-based primary care services
10/13/2021	Lark Health	Deerfield Management (lead), PFM Health Sciences, Franklin Templeton, King River Capital, Castlepeak, IPD and Olive Tree Capital	Series D	\$100	Al solutions for virtual chronic and preventative healthcare
10/13/2021	Lively	B Capital Group (lead), Telstra Ventures and Costanoa Ventures	Series C	\$80	Modern health savings account
10/13/2021	Sprinter Health	Andreessen Horowitz (lead), General Catalyst, Accel and Google Ventures	Series A	\$33	On-demand mobile health company that sends full-time nurses and phlebotomists into the home
10/12/2021	Oshi Health	Flare Capital Partners, Bessemer Venture Partners and Frist Cressey Ventures (co-leads), CVS Health Ventures and Takeda Digital Ventures	Series A	\$23	Virtual, patient-centered gastrointestinal care
10/11/2021	Bond Vet	Warburg Pincus	Undisclosed	\$170	Tech-enabled brand of veterinary care clinics
10/7/2021	Brave Care	Mednax (lead)	Series B	\$25	Pediatric healthcare and technology platform
10/6/2021	Twin Health	ICONIQ Growth, Sequoia Capital India Advisors, Perceptive Advisors, Corner Ventures, LTS Investments, Sofina Société, Helena Group Foundation	Series C	\$140	Precision health platform for disease management
10/5/2021	Honor Technology	Baillie Gifford (lead - equity), T. Rowe Price, Prosus Ventures, Andreessen Horowitz, Thrive Capital, FMZ Ventures, Rock Springs Capital, Lighthouse Capital Markets, and TriplePoint Capital Perceptive Advisors (lead - debt), Ares Management	Series E	\$70 (equity) \$300 (debt)	Senior care network and technology platform
9/30/2021	TrialSpark	Sam Altman and Lachy Groom (coleads), Sequoia Capital, Thrive Capital, Casdin Capital, Dragoneer, Section 32, John Doerr, Spark Capital, Felicis Ventures, Sound Ventures, and Arrowmark	Series C	\$156	Technology-driven pharma company that runs end-to-end clinical trials
9/29/2021	Membersy	Spectrum Equity	Undisclosed	\$66	Dental clinic membership software firm

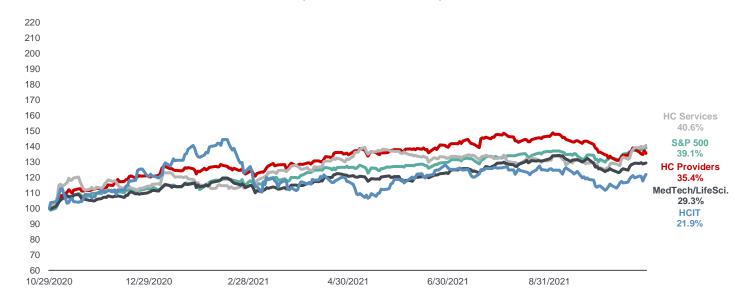
# **Public Equity Capital Markets Activity & Indices**

### **Equity Indices Information as of October 29, 2021**

			Retu	ırns
Index	Wk Open	Wk Close	52 Week	Weekly
DJIA	35,677	35,820	34.4%	0.4%
S&P 500	4,545	4,605	39.1%	1.3%
NASDAQ	15,090	15,498	38.6%	2.7%
Russell 2000	2,291	2,297	47.1%	0.3%
NYSE Healthcare	21,962	22,151	17.7%	0.9%

	Retu	ırns
Cain Brothers Indicies	52 Week	Weekly
Acute Care	90.7%	(1.4%)
Alternate Site Services	9.9%	(6.3%)
Diagnostics	32.8%	1.0%
Distribution	28.2%	(1.4%)
Healthcare IT	9.2%	1.7%
Healthcare REITs	27.8%	(0.7%)
Managed Care	44.7%	1.5%
Medical Technology	26.0%	(0.2%)
Outsourced Services	34.5%	(1.4%)
Pharma Services	56.4%	2.2%
Pharmacy	54.1%	0.4%
Post-Acute Care	(1.6%)	0.8%

### **Cain Brothers Core Healthcare Indices (1YR Performance)**



#### Recent Selected Healthcare IPOs and Follow-Ons (\$MM)

Issuer (Ticker)	Pricing Date	Offering	Deal Value	Mkt Cap.1	Offer Price	Current / Offer	Description
Paragon 28 (FNA)	10/15/2021	IPO	\$125	\$1,391	\$16.00	11.3%	Orthopedic medical device company
Cue Health (HLTH)	9/24/2021	IPO	\$200	\$2,875	\$16.00	(37.9%)	Consumer focused healthcare IT company
Definitive Healthcare (DH)	9/15/2021	IPO	\$420	\$4,288	\$27.00	44.7%	Healthcare commercial intelligence solutions
Avantor (AVTR)	9/15/2021	Follow On	\$875	\$25,884	\$42.00	(8.5%)	Critical products and services to customers in the biopharma and healthcare industries
Maravai LifeSciences (Nasdaq: MRVI)*	9/10/2021	Follow On	\$1,000	\$15,400	\$50.00	(16.0%)	Data and analytics technology and services to healthcare organizations

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

## Tax-Exempt Debt Information as of October 29, 2021

Security	Current (%)	One Week Ago (%)	One Year Ago (%)
A-rated Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.99%	2.03%	2.41%
AA Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.79%	1.83%	2.11%
SIFMA (Variable Rate Demand Notes)	0.05%	0.05%	0.12%
Revenue Bond Index	2.61%	2.64%	2.76%
SIFMA/1 Month LIBOR	55.56%	55.56%	80.00%
RBI/30 Yr Treasury (%)	135.23%	126.92%	167.27%
30–Year Floating to Fixed Swap (81% LIBOR)	1.41%	1.51%	1.01%

# Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuance Information<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Borrower	Par	State	Rating	Maturity	Call, Put or Reprice*	Coupon	Yield to Call	Yield to Mat.	AAA
AdventHealth Obligated Group** (Taxable)	\$400.000	FL	Aa2 / AA / AA	2051	MWC**	2.80%	2.80%	N/A	1.95%
Purchase Senior Learning Community Inc. Project***	\$219.130	NY	NR / NR / NR	2056	2030 (C)	5.00%	4.50%	4.79%	1.69%
Purchase Senior Learning Community Inc. Project	\$89.690	NY	NR / NR / NR	2026	NC	2.88%	2.88%	N/A	1.69%
Purchase Senior Learning Community Inc. Project	\$58.775	NY	NR / NR / NR	2028	NC	3.20%	3.20%	N/A	1.69%
Purchase Senior Learning Community Inc. Project	\$23.605	NY	NR / NR / NR	2029	NC	3.60%	3.60%	N/A	1.69%
Purchase Senior Learning Community Inc. Project (Taxable)	\$6.890	NY	NR / NR / NR	2025	NC	3.13%	3.13%	N/A	0.77%
Vanderbilt University Medical Center**** (Taxable)	\$237.565	TN	A3 / A / NR	2052	MWC****	3.24%	3.24%	N/A	1.96%
Vanderbilt University Medical Center	\$57.860	TN	A3 / A / NR	2031	2031 (C)	5.00%	1.68%	1.82%	1.69%
Penn State Health	\$288.840	PA	A2 / A+ / NR	2051	2029 (C)	5.00%	2.18%	3.84%	1.69%
Nicklaus Children's Hospital Project	\$161.965	FL	NR / A / A+	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.56%	3.34%	1.69%
Nicklaus Children's Hospital Project (Taxable)	\$92.730	FL	NR / A / A+	2042	MWC	3.13%	3.13%	N/A	2.05%
Aspirus, Inc. Obligated Group*****	\$208.295	WI	A1 / AA- / NR	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.54%	3.33%	1.69%
Montage Health	\$132.780	CA	NR / AA- / AA	2046	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.18%	3.09%	1.69%
University Hospitals HIth. Sys. Inc.	\$82.605	ОН	A2 / A / NR	2041	2029 (C)	4.00%	2.20%	3.17%	1.69%
Oak Hammock at the University of Florida Inc. Project******	\$39.000	FL	NR / NR / BBB	2046	2031 (C)	4.00%	3.41%	3.71%	1.69%
Oak Hammock at the University of Florida Inc. Project	\$16.645	FL	NR / NR / BBB	2046	2030 (C)	4.00%	2.96%	3.51%	1.69%
The DCH Health Care Authority	\$31.555	AL	NR / A / NR	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.68%	3.40%	1.69%
The Jerome Home Issue	\$14.860	CT	NR / NR / BBB	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.97%	3.53%	1.69%
Kidron Bethel & Schowalter	\$10.560	KS	NR / NR / NR	2046	2026 (C)	3.65%	3.65%	N/A	1.69%
Total	\$2,173.350								

<sup>\*</sup>Key: NC = No Call, MWC = Make Whole Call, (C) = Par Call, (P) = 1st Put, (R) = Reprice Date

1. Bloomberg, Capital IQ

<sup>\*\*</sup>Make Whole Call at 15 bps

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Overlapping final maturity with Coupon / YTC / YTM of 4.50% / 4.63% / NA

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>Make Whole Call at Tsy plus 20 bps

<sup>\*\*\*\*\*</sup>Overlapping final maturity with Coupon / YTC / YTM of 3.00% / 3.05% / NA

<sup>\*\*\*\*\*\*</sup>Forward Delivery Bonds

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

# What's On Deck: Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuances<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Issuer	Date	Amount	Rating
Beth Israel Lahey Health Taxable Bonds, Series L (2021)	11/3/2021	\$500.000	A3 / A / NR
Allina Health System Taxable Bonds Series 2021	11/4/2021	\$303.031	Aa3 / AA- / AA-
City of Minneapolis, Minnesota Health Care System Revenue Bonds Series 2021 (Allina Health System)	11/4/2021	\$172.135	Aa3 / AA- / AA-
Economic Development Authority of the City of Lynchburg, Virginia Hospital Revenue and Refunding Bonds (Centra Health Obligated Group) Series 2021	11/4/2021	\$211.955	Baa1 / A- / A-
Idaho Health Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds, Series 2021A (St. Luke's Health System Project)	11/2/2021	\$211.885	A3 / A / NR
Palm Beach County Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding Bonds (Toby & Leon Cooperman Sinai Residences at Boca Raton) Series 2022 (Forward Delivery)	Week of	\$128.815	NR / NR / NR
Spartanburg Regional Health Services District, Inc. Hospital Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2022 (Forward Delivery)	11/3/2021	\$101.895	A3 / A / NR
Puerto Rico Industrial, Tourist, Educational, Medical and Environmental Control Facilities Financing Authority Hospital Revenue and Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 2021 (Hospital Auxilio Mutuo Obligated Group Project)	11/2/2021	\$60.005	NR / BBB+ / NR
Public Finance Authority Retirement Facilities First Mortgage Revenue and Revenue Refunding Bonds (The United Methodist Retirement Homes), Series 2021A	11/4/2021	\$50.250	NR / NR / BBB
Chester County Health and Education Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds (Simpson Senior Services Project), Series 2021	11/4/2021	\$38.195	NR / NR / NR

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# Corporate High Grade, High Yield & Leveraged Loan Market

#### **Market Overview**

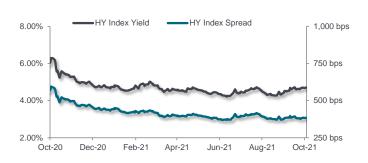
#### **High Yield**

 Last week saw a \$1.2 billion inflow, which follows the prior week's inflow of \$2.3 billion. YTD net outflows total \$12.9 billion, which compares to 2020 net inflows of \$44.9 billion

#### **Leveraged Loans**

 Leveraged loan funds saw a \$706 million inflow last week. There have been 41 inflows in 2021 totaling \$38.4 billion YTD following net outflows in 2020 totaling \$27.0 billion; Inflows totaled a more modest \$8.0 billion in 3Q21 following \$13.6 billion of inflows in 2Q21

#### **HY Index Yield & Spread (YTD)**



### Weekly New Issue Volume (\$B)



#### New-Issue Clearing Yields<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

			30-Day Rolling Average					
	1Q21	2Q21	August 2021	September 2021	10/28/21			
Overall	4.40%	4.64%	5.17%	4.66%	4.80%			
4B	3.00%	2.98%	3.88%	3.44%	3.58%			
2B	4.63%	4.99%	5.26%	4.87%	4.83%			
Middle Market	4.79%	5.15%	6.02%	6.21%	5.82%			

### Most Recent Healthcare High-Grade Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	IPT-Pricing
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,000	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.400%	4/18/2023	SOFR+35	20 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,350	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.797%	10/18/2023	+40	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.440%	10/18/2023	SOFR+39	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$2,500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	1.122%	10/18/2024	+50	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.580%	10/18/2024	SOFR+53	15 bps

#### Most Recent Healthcare High-Yield Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	Price Talk
10/22/2021	Option Care Health	Sr. Notes	\$500	B3/B-	4.375%	10/31/2029	286 bps	4.50% area
10/19/2021	Avantor Funding	Sr. Notes	\$800	B2/BB-	3.875%	11/1/2029	242 bps	4.00% area
10/4/2021	HealthEquity (add-on)	Sr. Notes	\$100	В3/В	4.500%	10/1/2029	305 bps	100.75
9/30/2021	Medline	Sr. Sec. Notes	\$4,500	B1/B-	3.875%	4/1/2029	251 bps	3.875%-4.00%

#### Most Recent Healthcare Leveraged Loan Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Ownership	Ratings	Use of Proceeds	Size	Pricing	Yield
10/29/2021	Mission Veterinary Partners	Not Sponsored	B3/B-	Corp Purpose	\$250	L+400, 0.75% @ 99	5.000%
10/28/2021	Confluent Health	Partners Group	B3/B-	Refinancing	\$465	L+400, 0.50% @ 99.5	4.625%
10/25/2021	Option Care Health	Not Sponsored	B1/B+	Refinancing	\$600	L+275, 0.50% @ 99.5	3.375%
10/14/2021	EyeCare Partners	Partners Group	B3/B	Acquisition	\$440	L+375, 0.50% @ 99.75	4.310%
10/7/2021	Revint Solutions	New Mountain Capital	B3/B-	Refinancing	\$637	L+425, 0.50% @ 100	4.750%

# **Healthcare News**

# Moody's: Rising Costs Will Slow Hospitals Rebuilding Margins To Pre-COVID-19 Levels<sup>1</sup> Healthcare Finance | October 26, 2021

A shortage of nurses and other workers will continue to erode hospital financial performance into 2022, according to a new Healthcare Quarterly report from Moody's. A rise in COVID-19 cases in various regions of the United States has contributed to a wave of nurses, often burned out, resigning to take care of family, to work in less acute healthcare settings such as ambulatory care or to pursue higher-paying contract opportunities, such as becoming a travel nurse. Hospitals are also having difficulty finding other types of healthcare workers, such as respiratory therapists and imaging technicians, as well as nonclinical workers in areas such as dietary, housekeeping and environmental services.

# AdventHealth, Ascension Are Unwinding Chicago-Based Joint Venture Amita Healthcare<sup>2</sup> Healthcare Finance | October 25, 2021

AdventHealth and Ascension have announced to unwind their six-year-old Amita Health partnership. Following the transition, AdventHealth and Ascension will operate their individual hospitals and related healthcare facilities in the Chicago area. There were no specific details as to when the break-up is expected to be finalized nor additional details on the reason behind the dissolution of the partnership. The partnership between Adventist Midwest Health and Ascension's Alexian Brothers Health System was expanded in 2018, when 10 Presence Health hospitals joined Ascension. Amita is one of Illinois' largest healthcare systems, with 15 acute care and four specialty hospitals. AdventHealth's four area hospitals and related healthcare facilities will continue to be controlled by AdventHealth. Amita Health president and CEO Keith Parrott will lead the Ascension hospitals in Illinois, while the current executive vice president and chief operating officer at Amita, Thor Thordarson, will lead the AdventHealth hospitals in Illinois. Unwinding would allow both healthcare providers to better meet the "changing needs and expectations" of their respective patients in a "rapidly evolving" healthcare market, the companies said. Nationally, Ascension runs 142 hospitals across 19 states and Washington, while AdventHealth operates facilities within nine states across the United States, including nearly 50 hospitals.

# Healthcare Is In An Era Of 'Hyper-Innovation' As Executives Look To Ramp Up Digital Tech: Survey<sup>3</sup>

#### Fierce Healthcare | October 29, 2021

Businesses around the world have entered an "era of hyper-innovation," according to Citrix Systems—and the healthcare industry is accelerating into the future at an especially rapid pace. When Citrix surveyed 1,200 business leaders across six different industries, healthcare ranked near the top of the industries adopting new technologies and work models. Among the healthcare leaders surveyed, 92% say their businesses adopted new ways of working and processes during the pandemic, and 82% said they're using new tech tools and infrastructure. Across industries, the businesses that created successful collaborative environments during the pandemic also saw more innovation, including in healthcare. Other those surveyed, 58% of healthcare leaders reported that collaboration within their businesses increased during the pandemic, and 72% reported that innovation increased during the pandemic. Other industries like financial services saw far lower stats, with 36% reporting more collaboration and 48% reporting more innovation during the pandemic. In total, these innovations produced an estimated \$678 billion boost in revenue around the world across the industries surveyed.

# **Healthcare News Continued...**

### Medicare Drops End-Stage Renal Disease Payment Rule That Aims To Close Health Equity Gaps<sup>1</sup>

#### Fierce Healthcare | October 31, 2021

The Biden administration dropped a final rule Friday that will reward providers that improve rates of home dialysis and kidney transplants among low-income Medicare and dual-eligible beneficiaries. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) finalized a rule that updates payment rates for the End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) Prospective Payment System and makes changes to the quality incentive program and ESRD Treatment Choices Model. The goal of the changes is to encourage dialysis providers to decrease disparities in home dialysis and transplant rates, part of a larger effort by the Biden administration. It marks the first CMS Innovation Center model to directly address health equity. According to CMS Office of Minority Health's studies on racial, ethnic and socioeconomic factors, disadvantaged people with Medicare have higher rates of ESRD. They are also more likely to experience higher hospital readmissions and costs, as well as more likely to receive in-center hemodialysis (vs. home dialysis). Studies also indicate nonwhite ESRD patients are less likely to receive pre-ESRD kidney care, become waitlisted for a transplant, or receive a kidney transplant.

# Lyft & Uber's Newest Focus: Trying To Solve A Huge Problem In Healthcare<sup>2</sup> Forbes.com | October 27, 2021

Once celebrated for their ingenuity in disrupting the public transportation industry, Uber and Lyft have simultaneously been working on something else: expanding their reach into the multi-trillion dollar healthcare market. Both Lyft and Uber have been diversifying their healthcare related offerings in unique and creative ways. Most notably, both companies pledged their support towards vaccine access during the height of the Covid-19 pandemic. In December of last year when the vaccines were first released, Lyft announced a bold initiative, in conjunction with JPMorgan Chase, Anthem Inc., and United Way: "In a normal year, more than 5.8M Americans delay or miss medical care due to a lack of transportation. As we all know, this is not a normal year. Covid-19 has amplified transportation insecurity, especially for seniors and vulnerable communities. That's why we're mobilizing a coalition of partners with a goal to provide 60 million rides to and from vaccination sites for low-income, uninsured, and at-risk communities, when the vaccine becomes available." As John Zimmer, Co-Founder and President of Lyft explained: "This is an opportunity to use our collective strength to mobilize on a massive scale and serve our communities. We cannot let lack of transportation be a factor in determining whether people have access to healthcare."

# Why Spine Surgery Is A Key Outpatient Growth Opportunity<sup>3</sup> Brecker's Spine Review | October 19, 2021

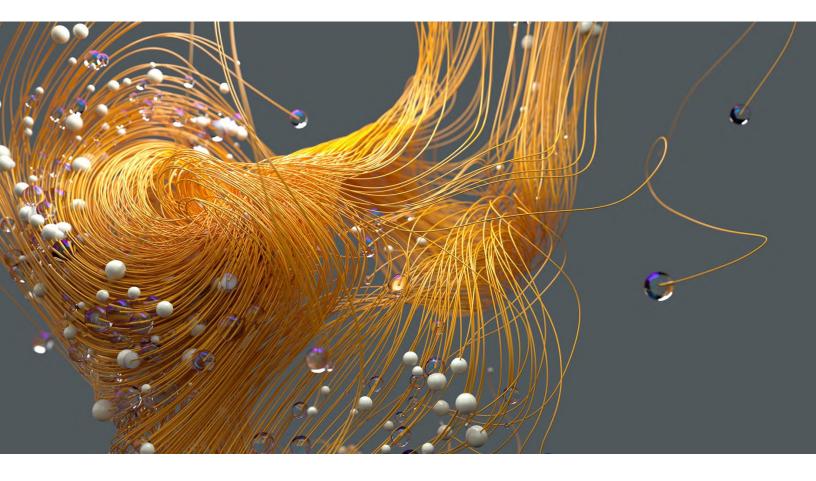
The evolution of minimally invasive techniques, cost savings and an aging baby boomer population are some of the factors contributing to the spine market becoming a key outpatient growth opportunity in the coming years. Spine surgery is among the higher-acuity specialties that many ASCs are migrating to their facilities. Integrating spine care into a multispecialty surgery center can significantly boost the growth rate and profit margin of an ASC, which ultimately leads to a considerable increase in the center's equity value. Cost savings continues to be a priority for the U.S. healthcare system as it transitions from a fee-for-service toward a value-based model. CMS and commercial payers are adopting new policies to push these procedures from the inpatient setting to outpatient environments.



November 10, 2021

# **Cain Brothers Industry Insights**

Healthcare Weekly Market Report



This week's banker commentary: Where Precision Medicine Efforts Stand

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Where Precision Medicine Efforts Stand Banker Commentary by Anita Krishnan

In 2015, President Obama announced the launch of the \$200 million Precision Medicine Initiative, citing personalized medicine as a means to "curing diseases like cancer and diabetes." Precision medicine is medical care that moves away from the "one drug fits all" model and

takes an individual's genetics, history and lifestyle into account. Since 2015, we have made great strides in this initiative. Today, precision medicines account for more than one out of every four drugs the FDA has approved since 2015. Last year alone, the FDA approved 19 personalized medicines, representing ~39% of all new molecular entities.<sup>1</sup>

Up to this point, these strides have been facilitated by advances in genome sequencing and sequencing applications that, in turn, have opened up the broader field of systems biology (i.e., how genes, proteins and other biological components interact). Since completing the Human Genome Project in 2003, scientists have worked to create a more extensive database of individual genomes as they recognized that commercial whole-genome sequencing ("WGS"), as reflected by the human genome project, missed out on pivotal variations amongst individuals. Evan Eichler, a Professor of Genome Sciences at Washington University, suggested that 75% of variants in an individual's genome are not reflected in commercial WGS. This led to more targeted testing of medically relevant genes / variants, which is less expensive.

The growing database of medically relevant genetic data has led scientists and researchers to focus efforts on identifying more personalized medicines and therapies. For example, DepMap (the Cancer Dependency Map), which, at its simplest, is running an extensive correlation exercise that catalogs cancer mutations and their responsiveness to various drugs. Through this project, ~4,500 drugs have been tested on 578 human cancer cells, leading to the discovery that nearly 50 (non-oncology) drugs had previously unrecognized anti-cancer properties.<sup>2</sup> Part of the reason for DepMap's progress is that oncology is the largest adopter of precision medicine. Out of the aforementioned 19 personalized medicines approved last year, nine were for cancer applications.

However, when it comes to non-oncology efforts in precision medicine, the U.S.'s efforts fall behind. In addition to exposing shortcomings in our health system, the COVID-19 pandemic also revealed deficiencies in our sequencing efforts. The U.S. sequenced 200K COVID-19 cases, whereas the U.K. sequenced 75% more (350K)<sup>3</sup>. As a response to our underperformance, The American Rescue Plan of 2021 directed \$1.75 billion to the CDC to support genomic sequencing and surveillance. Through this initiative, the U.S. will set up an infrastructure that further supports sequencing as a whole and act as a catalyst for future endeavors. Possible outcomes from this effort are the development of genetic data infrastructures, re-assessment / revamp of the current

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Personalized Medicine Coalition

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Science Daily

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> McKinsey

sequencing network (with a specific focus on identifying laboratories with sequencing capacity) and expanding sequencing capabilities.

These improvements will act as a catalyst to the initial goal of the Precision Medicine Initiative and will bridge the gap needed to start looking for applications outside of oncology. Oncology is not the only application that needs precision medicine (although it is understandable why we have prioritized oncology applications). The reality is that drug inefficacy pervades many diseases. For example, 70% of Alzheimer's patients have reported medication inefficacy. The same is true of 75% of cancer patients. Other notable conditions with medication inefficiency include Arthritis (50%), Diabetes (43%), Asthma (40%), and Depression (38%)<sup>4</sup>.

In addition to sequencing developments, precision medicine also benefits from technological advances in diagnostics, digital devices, imaging, analytical tools and therapy selection. These technical solutions have also garnered interest and investment from blue-chip companies. In 2018, Google and Microsoft invested in DNAnexus, a cloud-based platform for genomics and biomedical datasets. Outside of genetics, medical device companies have developed new imaging technologies for digital pathology to detect digital biomarkers: IBM has developed high-performance data and A.I. solutions that aid in developing precision medicine models, while Philips has solutions that quantify the functional activity of cell signaling pathways. The rapidly developing symphony of genetic and non-genetic precision medicine tools and databases portend exciting new developments for both therapeutics as well as refinements in the practice of medicine using existing drugs.

Precision medicine will only continue to grow if it can reach more of the population. Extended reach will only happen if more individual genomes are cataloged along with ongoing access to their developing medical records that allows for researchers to see the full biological picture. The combined efforts of researchers and scientists (focusing on cataloging more individual genomes and medical record databases), corporations (providing technological advances that will allow us to house more data and analyze them expeditiously), and government programs (recognizing the need for and providing funding) should enable us to (1) develop and identify personalized medicines at a faster rate, (2) make meaningful progress in precision oncology medicines, and (3) foray into applying precision medicine to non-oncology applications. Fulfilling these three goals will catalyze our efforts to fulfill the original intent set out in 2015: curing a multitude of diseases.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Spear, BB, Heath-Chiozzi, Huff, Clinical application of pharmacogenomics, Trends in Molecular Medicine 2001



# **Healthcare M&A Activity**

### Recent Selected Healthcare M&A Transactions (\$MM)

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Date	Target Name	Acquirer	EV	LTM Rev.	LTM EBITDA	Description
11/3/2021	U.S. Medical Management (Centene's majority stake)	Rubicon Founders, Valtruis, Oak HC/FT and HLM Venture Partners	NA	NA	NA	A family of companies that provide home health services as well as an accountable care organization
11/2/2021	Guidemark Health	Arsenal Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare marketing communications, training, and medical education agency
11/1/2021	iCare Health Solutions (Pine Tree Equity Partners)	VSP Vision Care*	NA	NA	NA	Integrated specialty network and administrator of comprehensive ocular care services
11/1/2021	Lighthouse Lab Services (majority stake)	Martis Capital	NA	NA	NA	End-to-end provider of turnkey lab build-out and management services to clinical labs
11/1/2021	Pinnacle Dermatology Management (Chicago Pacific Founders)	BayPine	NA	NA	NA	Dermatology management services organization
11/1/2021	Rectangle Health	GI Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare financial technology and patient engagement solutions
10/29/2021	SpecialtyCare (Kohlberg)	Morgan Stanley Infrastructure Partners	NA	NA	NA	Network of outsourced clinical services to hospital operating rooms
10/26/2021	TransUnion's Healthcare Business	nTrive (Clearlake Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare data and analytics business
10/26/2021	Caring Brands (Levine Leichtman Capital)	Wellspring Capital	NA	NA	NA	Franchisor of home healthcare services: Interim HealthCare, Bluebird Care and Just Better Care
10/25/2021	CEI Vision Group (Revelstoke Capital Partners)	EyeCare Partners	~\$600.0	NA	NA	Opthamology management services organization
10/25/2021	Lemonaid Health	23andMe (Nasdaq: ME)	\$400	NA	NA	On-demand platform for accessing medical care and pharmacy services online
10/25/2021	MediStreams	TT Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of remittance, reconciliation, and payment automation revenue cycle management solutions for healthcare providers
10/26/2021	WEP Clinical*	The Jordan Company	NA	NA	NA	Specialized pharma services company assists pharmaceutical companies to help patients and physicians gain early access to medicines
10/20/2021	Grace Home Health	Excelin Health (Corinthian Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of in home nursing and therapy care
10/20/2021	Intouch Group	EVERSANA	NA	NA	NA	Full-service global agency network serving the pharmaceutical industry
10/20/2021	Outpatient Imaging (ICV Partners)	The Cranemere Group	NA	NA	NA	Outpatient imaging platform developing joint ventures with health systems
10/19/2021	Agape Care Group*	Ridgemont Equity Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of hospice and palliative care in the Southeast
10/19/2021	Arine	SCAN Group	NA	NA	NA	Tech drive medication management and adherence provider
10/19/2021	Colorado Retina Associates*	Retina Consultants of America (Webster Equity Partners)	NA	NA	NA	13 board-certified and fellowship-trained ophthalmologists in the greater Denver-Boulder metropolitan area
10/19/2021	Genesee Scientific	LLR Partners	NA	NA	NA	Manufacturer and distributor of products to global life science markets
10/19/2021	Vitality Health Plan and Reliance Healthcare (majority stake)	Commonwealth Care Alliance	NA	NA	NA	Medicare Advantage plans in Massachusetts and California

# **Healthcare Equity Private Placements Activity**

# Recent Selected Healthcare Equity Private Placements (\$MM)

Date	Company	Investor(s)	Туре	Amount	Description
11/2/2021	Infusion for Health	Oak HC/FT (lead), Cimarron Healthcare Capital	Undisclosed	\$50	Network of ambulatory infusion centers
11/1/2021	Convergent Dental	Arboretum Ventures (lead), Long River Ventures and the Gund Foundation	Series C	\$40	Dental equipment company
10/26/2021	Medable	Blackstone Growth and Tiger Global (coleads), GSR Ventures, Sapphire Ventures and WTI	Series D	\$304.0 \$2.1 bln valuation	Patient-focused clinical research company offering a cloud offering for adoption of digital and decentralized clinical trials
10/26/2021	Stride	King River Capital (lead), Mastercard, Allstate, Venrock, NEA, and Fidelity's F- Prime Capital	Series C	\$47	Portable benefits for independent workers for independent workers
10/21/2021	Workit Health	Insight Partners (lead), CVS Health Ventures, FirstMark Capital, BCBS Venture Fund, and 3L Capital	Series C	\$118	Provider of virtual substance use disorder treatment
10/20/2021	Bardavon Health Innovations	Matrix Capital Management (lead), WestCap	Series C	\$90	Workers' compensation and musculoskeletal health company
10/20/2021	Saama Technologies	Carlyle, Amgen Ventures, Intermountain Ventures, Merck Global Health Innovation Fund, McKesson Ventures, Northpond Ventures, Pfizer Ventures, and Population Health Partners	rategic and Majority Sta	\$430	Al-driven intelligent clinical cloud company serving the life science industry
10/19/2021	HistoWiz	Vivo Capital (lead), venBio, Asahi Kasei and Jon Oringer	Series A	\$32	Digital histopathology service company
10/14/2021	VillageMD	Walgreens Boots Alliance	Undisclosed	\$5,200	Provider of value-based primary care services
10/13/2021	Lark Health	Deerfield Management (lead), PFM Health Sciences, Franklin Templeton, King River Capital, Castlepeak, IPD and Olive Tree Capital	Series D	\$100	Al solutions for virtual chronic and preventative healthcare
10/13/2021	Lively	B Capital Group (lead), Telstra Ventures and Costanoa Ventures	Series C	\$80	Modern health savings account
10/13/2021	Sprinter Health	Andreessen Horowitz (lead), General Catalyst, Accel and Google Ventures	Series A	\$33	On-demand mobile health company that sends full-time nurses and phlebotomists into the home
10/12/2021	Oshi Health	Flare Capital Partners, Bessemer Venture Partners and Frist Cressey Ventures (co-leads), CVS Health Ventures and Takeda Digital Ventures	Series A	\$23	Virtual, patient-centered gastrointestinal care
10/11/2021	Bond Vet	Warburg Pincus	Undisclosed	\$170	Tech-enabled brand of veterinary care clinics
10/7/2021	Brave Care	Mednax (lead)	Series B	\$25	Pediatric healthcare and technology platform
10/6/2021	Twin Health	ICONIQ Growth, Sequoia Capital India Advisors, Perceptive Advisors, Corner Ventures, LTS Investments, Sofina Société, Helena Group Foundation	Series C	\$140	Precision health platform for disease management
10/5/2021	Honor Technology	Baillie Gifford (lead - equity), T. Rowe Price, Prosus Ventures, Andreessen Horowitz, Thrive Capital, FMZ Ventures, Rock Springs Capital, Lighthouse Capital Markets, and TriplePoint Capital Perceptive Advisors (lead - debt), Ares Management	Series E	\$70 (equity) \$300 (debt)	Senior care network and technology platform

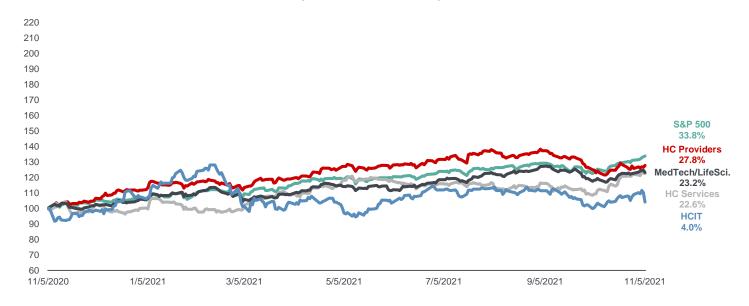
# **Public Equity Capital Markets Activity & Indices**

## **Equity Indices Information as of November 5, 2021**

			Retu	ırns
Index	Wk Open	Wk Close	52 Week	Weekly
DJIA	35,820	36,328	28.0%	1.4%
S&P 500	4,605	4,698	33.8%	2.0%
NASDAQ	15,498	15,972	34.3%	3.1%
Russell 2000	2,297	2,437	46.8%	6.1%
NYSE Healthcare	22,151	23,190	20.2%	4.7%

	Retu	irns
Cain Brothers Indicies	52 Week	Weekly
Acute Care	72.7%	0.3%
Alternate Site Services	5.4%	7.0%
Diagnostics	22.2%	(2.7%)
Distribution	20.3%	5.3%
Healthcare IT	(3.0%)	(4.5%)
Healthcare REITs	25.3%	1.5%
Managed Care	22.0%	(0.9%)
Medical Technology	21.1%	0.6%
Outsourced Services	23.3%	1.0%
Pharma Services	32.4%	(6.0%)
Pharmacy	47.2%	5.5%
Post-Acute Care	(2.3%)	5.4%

### **Cain Brothers Core Healthcare Indices (1YR Performance)**



### Recent Selected Healthcare IPOs and Follow-Ons (\$MM)

Issuer (Ticker)	Pricing Date	Offering	Deal Value	Mkt Cap.1	Offer Price	Current / Offer	Description
Paragon 28 (FNA)	10/15/2021	IPO	\$125	\$1,391	\$16.00	11.3%	Orthopedic medical device company
Cue Health (HLTH)	9/24/2021	IPO	\$200	\$2,875	\$16.00	(37.9%)	Consumer focused healthcare IT company
Definitive Healthcare (DH)	9/15/2021	IPO	\$420	\$4,288	\$27.00	44.7%	Healthcare commercial intelligence solutions
Avantor (AVTR)	9/15/2021	Follow On	\$875	\$25,884	\$42.00	(8.5%)	Critical products and services to customers in the biopharma and healthcare industries
Maravai LifeSciences (Nasdaq: MRVI)*	9/10/2021	Follow On	\$1,000	\$15,400	\$50.00	(16.0%)	Data and analytics technology and services to healthcare organizations

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

## Tax-Exempt Debt Information as of November 5, 2021

Security	Current (%)	One Week Ago (%)	One Year Ago (%)
A-rated Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.88%	1.99%	2.26%
AA Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.68%	1.79%	1.96%
SIFMA (Variable Rate Demand Notes)	0.04%	0.05%	0.11%
Revenue Bond Index	2.59%	2.61%	2.60%
SIFMA/1 Month LIBOR	44.44%	55.56%	84.62%
RBI/30 Yr Treasury (%)	138.50%	135.23%	162.50%
30–Year Floating to Fixed Swap (81% LIBOR)	1.36%	1.41%	0.97%

# Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuance Information<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Borrower	Par	State	Rating	Maturity	Call, Put or Reprice*	Coupon	Yield to Call	Yield to Mat.	AAA
Beth Israel Lahey Health** (Taxable)	\$400.000	MA	A3 / A / NR	2051	MWC**	3.08%	3.08%	N/A	1.96%
Beth Israel Lahey Health** (Taxable)	\$100.000	MA	A3 / A / NR	2028	MWC**	2.22%	2.22%	N/A	1.42%
Allina Health System*** (Taxable)	\$302.323	MN	Aa3 / AA- / AA-	2051	MWC***	2.90%	2.90%	N/A	1.96%
Allina Health System	\$167.770	MN	Aa3 / AA- / AA-	2040	2031 (C)	4.00%	1.86%	2.69%	1.58%
St. Luke's Health System Project****	\$218.595	ID	A3 / A / NR	2051	2032 (C)	4.00%	2.41%	3.24%	1.58%
Centra Health Obligated Group	\$215.430	VA	Baa1 / A- / A-	2055	2032 (C)	4.00%	2.37%	3.27%	1.58%
Billings Clinic Obligated Group (Taxable)	\$150.000	MT	NR / AA- / AA-	2051	MWC	3.00%	3.00%	N/A	1.96%
Billings Clinic Obligated Group (Forward Delivery)	\$49.190	MT	NR / AA- / AA-	2037	2032 (C)	4.00%	2.35%	2.79%	1.58%
Toby & Leon Cooperman Sinai Residences at Boca Raton (Forward Delivery)	\$125.345	FL	NR / NR / NR	2056	2030 (C)	4.25%	3.88%	4.11%	1.58%
Spartanburg Regional Health Services District, Inc. (Forward Delivery)	\$102.630	SC	A3 / A / NR	2037	2032 (C)	4.00%	2.12%	2.62%	1.58%
Hospital Auxilio Mutuo Obligated Group Project	\$57.410	PR	NR / BBB+ / NR	2041	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.49%	3.12%	1.58%
The United Methodist Retirement Homes	\$49.470	NC	NR / NR / BBB	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.76%	3.43%	1.58%
Simpson Senior Services Project	\$39.435	PA	NR / NR / NR	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	3.73%	3.87%	1.58%
Total	\$1 977 598								

<sup>\*</sup>Key: NC = No Call, MWC = Make Whole Call, (C) = Par Call, (P) = 1st Put, (R) = Reprice Date

# What's On Deck: Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuances<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Issuer	Date	Amount	Rating
California Statewide Communities Development Authority Insured Revenue Bonds (San Francisco Campus for Jewish Living Project) Series 2021 Insured By: Cal-Mortgage Loan Insurance which provides 'AA-' S&P rating Cain Brothers Sole-Managed Expected Pricing	11/9/2021	\$28.410	NR/AA-/NR
Indiana Finance Authority (Greencroft Obligated Group) Revenue and Refunding Revenue Series 2021A & B, Series 2023A (Series 2023A: Forward Delivery Bonds)	11/10/2021	\$66.590	NR / NR / BBB-
Colorado Health Facilities Authority Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2023A (Frasier Project) (Forward Delivery)	11/10/2021	\$36.715	NR / NR / BB+
Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly Authority of Coweta County Revenue Bonds (Wesley Woods of Newnan Peachtree County Project) Series 2021	Week of	\$15.085	NR / NR / BB+
Grossmont Healthcare District (San Diego County, California) 2021 General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series E	11/9/2021	\$11.740	Aa2 / NR / NR
Jackson County, Missouri Special Obligation Refunding Bonds (Truman Medical Center D / B / A University Health Project) Series 2021A	11/9/2021	\$10.045	Aa2 / NR / NR

1. Bloomberg, Capital IQ



<sup>\*\*\$400.000</sup>MM Tranche: Make Whole Call at 20 bps; \$100.000MM Tranche: Make Whole Call at 15 bps

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Make Whole Call at 15 bps

<sup>\*\*\*\*\*</sup>Overlapping final maturity with Coupon / YTC / YTM of 3.00% / 3.00% / NA

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# Corporate High Grade, High Yield & Leveraged Loan Market

#### **Market Overview**

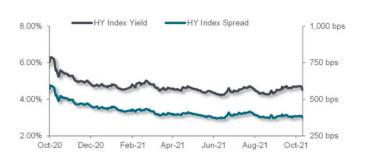
#### **High Yield**

 Last week saw a \$1.3 billion outflow, which follows the prior week's inflow of \$1.2 billion. YTD net outflows total \$14.1 billion, which compares to 2020 net inflows of \$44.9 billion

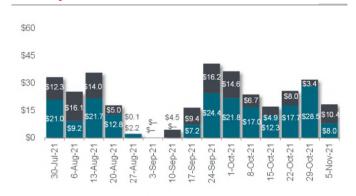
#### **Leveraged Loans**

 Leveraged loan funds saw a \$585 million inflow last week. There have been 42 inflows in 2021 totaling \$28.6 billion YTD following net outflows in 2020 totaling \$27.0 billion; Inflows totaled a more modest \$8.0 billion in 3Q21 following \$13.6 billion of inflows in 2Q21

#### **HY Index Yield & Spread (YTD)**



### Weekly New Issue Volume (\$B)



#### New-Issue Clearing Yields<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

			30-Day Rolling Average					
	2Q21	3Q21	September 2021	October 2021	11/04/21			
Overall	4.64%	4.78%	4.66%	4.81%	4.73%			
4B	2.98%	3.45%	3.44%	4.24%	4.03%			
2B	4.99%	5.02%	4.87%	4.75%	4.75%			
Middle Market	5.15%	5.75%	6.21%	5.82%	5.40%			

### Most Recent Healthcare High-Grade Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	IPT-Pricing
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,000	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.400%	4/18/2023	SOFR+35	20 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,350	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.797%	10/18/2023	+40	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.440%	10/18/2023	SOFR+39	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$2,500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	1.122%	10/18/2024	+50	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.580%	10/18/2024	SOFR+53	15 bps

### Most Recent Healthcare High-Yield Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	Price Talk
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,269	Ba2/BB-	3.750%	5/9/2027	421 bps	4.00% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,731	Ba2/BB-	4.375%	5/9/2030	465 bps	4.625% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	Sr. Notes	\$1,000	Ba2/BB-	4.750%	5/9/2027	353 bps	5.00% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	Sr. Notes	\$1,000	Ba2/BB-	5.125%	5/9/2029	370 bps	5.375% area
11/1/2021	Molina Healthcare	Sr. Notes	\$750	Ba3/BB-	3.875%	5/15/2032	228 bps	4.00% area

### Most Recent Healthcare Leveraged Loan Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Ownership	Ratings	Use of Proceeds	Size	Pricing	Yield
10/29/2021	Mission Veterinary Partners	Not Sponsored	B3/B-	Corp Purpose	\$250	L+400, 0.75% @ 99	5.000%
10/28/2021	Confluent Health	Partners Group	B3/B-	Refinancing	\$465	L+400, 0.50% @ 99.5	4.625%
10/25/2021	Option Care Health	Not Sponsored	B1/B+	Refinancing	\$600	L+275, 0.50% @ 99.5	3.375%
10/14/2021	EyeCare Partners	Partners Group	B3/B	Acquisition	\$440	L+375, 0.50% @ 99.75	4.310%
10/7/2021	Revint Solutions	New Mountain Capital	B3/B-	Refinancing	\$637	L+425, 0.50% @ 100	4.750%

## **Healthcare News**

# How Tech Is Enabling A Personalized Path To Health And Well-Being<sup>1</sup> Fast Company | November 8, 2021

Thanks to AI and advanced data collection, medical researchers are discovering innovative new approaches to preventing disease. For those suffering from Alzheimer's disease, a neurologic disorder characterized by progressive memory loss, the search for a successful treatment has been discouraging. However, one approach has shown promise. Exemplified in the FINGER study, it evaluated lifestyle, nutrition, exercise, and other means of prevention as a way to stave off dementias such as Alzheimer's. For most chronic diseases, the best approach is to intervene early and ideally prevent them from beginning in the first place. Unfortunately, there's no universal approach to prevention. "You have to have enough information about a person," says Dr. Nathan Price, CEO of Onegevity, one of two vertically integrated brands under Thorne HealthTech, a leader in developing innovative solutions for a personalized approach to health and well-being. "There's a whole ecosystem that has to be built around understanding health—and not just studying disease. This is what we call scientific wellness." This includes having models of the body, the right data, and, Price adds, "the right paradigm of understanding health first. It is the bedrock of everything we do."

# CMS Finalizes Plans to Hike Price Transparency Penalties, Extend Telehealth Flexibilities<sup>2</sup> Healthcare Dive | November 3, 2021

The agency is also moving forward with a plan to stop the ending of the Medicare inpatient-only list, which is a win for hospitals. In dual payment rules out Tuesday, CMS finalized plans increasing hospital fines for not complying with price transparency requirements, halting the end of the Medicare inpatient-only list and furthering some flexibilities for telehealth services. More directly regarding payment rates, the agency included a reduction in the Medicare conversion factor of about 3.85%, although some analysts said it is likely Congress will reverse the change. The American Medical Association called for such action on the Hill, noting the cut "comes at a time when physician practices are still recovering the personal and financial impacts of the COVID public health emergency."

# Nearly 60% Of Health Systems Aim To Become 'Payviders' In 2022, Survey Finds<sup>3</sup> Fierce Healthcare | November 9, 2021

Nearly 60% of health systems in a new survey plan to get into risk-based Medicare Advantage payment models next year, part of a growing trend of providers seeking to become "payviders" and have a greater role in risk management. The details were part of a survey released Monday conducted by the Healthcare Financial Management Association, which represents hospital executives. The survey of more than 100 health system chief financial officers and other executives was conducted between July and August of this year. It found that health systems are looking to diversify their risk-based payment strategies. For example, 52% of respondents plan to enter into commercial employer-based risk contracts, 49% into Medicare payment models, 36% into managed Medicaid and 33% into direct-to-employer partnerships.

# **Healthcare News Continued...**

### COVID-19 Has Brought More Complex, Longer Office Visits<sup>1</sup>

#### Medscape Medical News | November 8, 2021

Increased mental health needs, higher acuity from delayed appointments, and added questions and conversations surrounding COVID-19 are forcing primary care offices to rethink priorities in office visits. Evidence of this came from the latest Primary Care Collaborative (PCC) survey, which found that primary care clinicians are seeing more complex patients requiring longer appointments in the wake of COVID-19. The PCC with the Larry A. Green Center regularly surveys primary care clinicians. This round of questions came August 14-17 and included 1,263 respondents from 49 states, the District of Columbia, and two territories. More than 7 in 10 (71%) respondents said their patients are more complex and nearly the same percentage said appointments are taking more time. Ann Greiner, president and CEO of the PCC, said in an interview that 55% of respondents reported that clinicians are struggling to keep up with pent-up demand after patients have delayed or canceled care. Sixty-five percent in the survey said they had seen a rise in children's mental health issues, and 58% said they were unsure how to help their patients with long COVID.

# These Specialties Show The Most Promise For Growth, Says SCA President<sup>2</sup> Becker's ASC Review | October 28, 2021

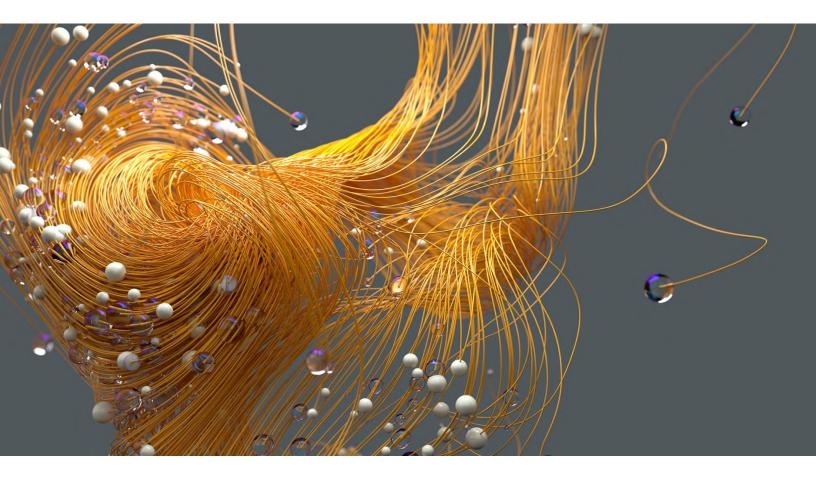
Medical advancements are allowing more procedures to move to the outpatient setting, which creates growth opportunities in the ASC industry. Jason Strauss, president of Deerfield, III.-based Surgical Care Affiliates, told "Becker's ASC Review Podcast" that he sees a particularly favorable growth environment in a handful of specialties. One of the areas that we're focused on is cardiology and vascular procedures. We've got several partnerships today, both on the ASC and the [office-based lab] side. And the reality is if you look at claims data from the various Medicare and commercial plans, roughly 98 to 99 percent of that spending is occurring in a hospital-based location. The next that has been continuing to build and grow is total joints and spine procedures. Technology continues to evolve from a pain standpoint to make more and more patients clinically eligible to have those procedures done [in an ASC]. And the reality is there's still a tremendous amount of what I think the ASC industry would consider bread and butter procedures that are still occurring in hospital locations. [There] still is a tremendous opportunity in gastroenterology, neurology and ophthalmology.



November 17, 2021

# **Cain Brothers Industry Insights**

Healthcare Weekly Market Report



This week's banker commentary:
Not-for-Profit Healthcare Organizations Moving Forward

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# **Not-for-Profit Healthcare Organizations Moving Forward**

Banker Commentary by Don Persinski

Long-term taxable and tax-exempt interest rates have remained low, producing a cost of capital advantage for corporations, including 501(c)(3) healthcare organizations. Public and private financial products created opportunities for healthcare organizations to reposition and de-

risk their debt portfolios through refinancing strategies.

Despite COVID, severe labor shortages, inflation, market stress from proposed tax increases to individuals and corporations, serious supply chain bottle necks and disruption, and the mandates imposed by the current administration for masks and vaccines, healthcare corporations have also used the low interest rate environment to pursue strategic alliances and major new construction projects.

Healthcare systems, independent hospitals and post-acute care organizations have illustrated their determination to move forward with new construction, expansion projects, building repurposing strategies and start-up post-acute care facilities. Balancing merger, acquisition, joint venture and divestiture strategies with capital budgets for both routine and strategic expenditures have been on the agenda of every healthcare organization.

Headwinds from the construction industry have plagued construction projects and compromised planning due to market volatility for construction materials. The lack of materials, in addition to rising production costs and tariffs, have caused prices for building materials to soar to unprecedented levels. Steel, copper, lumber, and plastic-based material have seen wild price fluctuation. The U.S. Bureau of Labor and Statistics Producer Price Index by Commodity, for example, shows that Metals and Metal Products rose from 196.8 in October 2020 to 648 in September 2021.

Despite this alarming increase, projects are proceeding with health systems intimately reviewing every detail within fixed price contracts, including unit pricing or even cost reimbursable contracts with guaranteed maximum prices. Some contractors are negotiating a material escalation clause. If used, escalation provisions should provide for an equitable adjustment if the price increases exceed a certain threshold of an as-bid price. Some hospitals have agreed to this provision but limited the provision to specific types of materials, while also including a commensurate provision that accounts for any decrease in pricing for materials. In essence, an equitable measure for both parties.

Hospitals need to be cautious and not include a delay provision. Contractors may delay a project or slow down construction with the hope of proceeding when costs of materials decrease. Hospital projects are typically time sensitive and need to move forward. Despite the continued trend toward telehealth, especially for lower acuity needs, health systems continue to make key investments in medical office facilities and inpatient facilities.

Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Network. In July 2020, Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Network ("Good Shepherd"), a nationally recognized, not-for-profit rehabilitation hospital located in Allentown, Pennsylvania, approved the construction of a new hospital. Good Shepherd includes seven corporations providing health, rehabilitation care, long-term acute care, and service to persons with disabilities, including, but not limited to, the destitute, infants, orphans, paralytics and others with physical handicaps and injuries as well as those persons in the community who, because of their disabilities, are under-served and disadvantaged.

Good Shepherd's primary inpatient rehabilitation facility, the Allentown Rehab Hospital, was built in 1983, and has 74 licensed and inuse beds. Recognizing the challenges presented by the age and design of the facility, management commissioned a study that concluded that a comprehensive refurbishment would be cost-prohibitive, operationally challenging and, ultimately, might not produce a sufficiently competitive and modern facility.

To remedy the situation, Good Shepherd is constructing a four-story, approximately 120,000 square foot, 76-bed replacement facility in Center Valley, Pennsylvania. As part of the project, Good Shepherd developed overall strategic goals to create a modern, therapeutic environment where patients and families can focus on recovery while introducing patients to new and emerging technologies that can help them recover more quickly and live full and independent lives. In the Good Shepherd system, which will be enhanced with the new hospital, they are conducting important research to advance the understanding of complex medical conditions, such as stroke, multiple sclerosis, brain injury and spinal cord injury.

Although COVID complicated the Good Shepherd planning process, Good Shepherd maintained its conviction and commitment to the community by moving forward with this transformational project.

Total project costs for the replacement hospital are estimated to be approximately \$70.0 million. A major portion of the construction costs will be paid with proceeds from a public bond issue completed by Cain Brothers in September 2021. Despite the challenges to healthcare providers throughout the country and in Good Shepherd's service area during CY2020 and CY2021, management continued to analyze the project, develop schematics for the replacement hospital, locked in construction costs and ultimately commenced construction.

Three Pillars Senior Living Communities. In March 2021, Wisconsin Masonic Home, Inc., Masonic Center for Health and Rehab, Inc., and Village on the Square, Inc., operating as "Three Pillars Senior Living Communities" issued two series of bonds. A taxable series completed an advance refunding of outstanding debt and proceeds from a tax-exempt series were issued for renovation and expansion projects. Three Pillars renovated its healthcare center to convert 48 semiprivate units with shared bathrooms into 36 private units with private bathrooms. Three Pillars also used this opportunity to expand 20 assisted living beds in 18 units to 75 licensed community-based residential facility beds in 69 units, thus positioning Three Pillars Senior Living Communities to execute their acuity shift strategy. Management developed and executed a transformational renovation and expansion project that expanded assisted living and downsized skilled nursing with a cost of approximately \$28,000,000.

Despite the challenges, it has been refreshing and encouraging to witness the repositioning and continued growth strategies throughout the entire healthcare spectrum.

Healthcare organizations will continue to assess their strategic goals and make difficult decisions, including closing departments and ending services. At least in the short-term, they will also contend with high labor costs and burnout within the entire staff – medical and administrative.

Fortunately, healthcare providers throughout the United States and the aforementioned Cain Brothers clients have chosen to "move forward." By confronting challenges that are new or unique, and daily challenges that have intensified, they never lost sight of the missions and goals of their health systems and their commitment to support the patients and communities they serve.



# **Healthcare M&A Activity**

### Recent Selected Healthcare M&A Transactions (\$MM)

				Enterp	rise Value /	
Date	Target Name	Acquirer	EV	LTM Rev.	LTM EBITDA	Description
11/10/2021	Integra Managed Care	Anthem (NYSE: ANTM)	NA	NA	NA	Managed Long-Term Care Plan in New York that helps adults with long term care needs and disabilities live safely and independently in their own home
11/10/2021	Generate Life Sciences (GI Partners)*	CooperCompanies (NYSE: CO)	\$1,600	6.4x	NA	Reproductive, newborn stem cell, genetic screening, medical device, and healthcare technology services
11/9/2021	Leiters (Kaiser Permanente Ventures, Mayo Clinic, Frazier Healthcare Partners, SV Health Investors H.I.G. BioHealth Partners)	Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe	NA	NA	NA	FDA-registered 503B outsourcing provider of high-quality hospital and ophthalmology compounded sterile preparations.
11/8/2021	BioCare	The Vistria Group	NA	NA	NA	Specialty pharmaceutical distribution partner that provides distribution, specialty pharmacy and logistics services
11/8/2021	SurgCenter Development	Tenet Healthcare / United Surgical Partners International	\$1,200	NA	NA	92 ASCs and related ambulatory support services
11/8/2021	U.S. Oral Surgery Management (RiverGlade Capital)	Oak Hill Capital	NA	NA	NA	Provider of oral surgery management, partnering with over 140 oral surgeons across 18 states
11/3/2021	U.S. Medical Management (Centene's majority stake)	Rubicon Founders, Valtruis, Oak HC/FT and HLM Venture Partners	NA	NA	NA	A family of companies that provide home health services as well as an accountable care organization
11/2/2021	Guidemark Health	Arsenal Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare marketing communications, training, and medical education agency
11/1/2021	iCare Health Solutions (Pine Tree Equity Partners)	VSP Vision Care*	NA	NA	NA	Integrated specialty network and administrator of comprehensive ocular care services
11/1/2021	Lighthouse Lab Services (majority stake)	Martis Capital	NA	NA	NA	End-to-end provider of turnkey lab build-out and management services to clinical labs
11/1/2021	Pinnacle Dermatology Management (Chicago Pacific Founders)	BayPine	NA	NA	NA	Dermatology management services organization
11/1/2021	Rectangle Health	GI Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare financial technology and patient engagement solutions
10/29/2021	SpecialtyCare (Kohlberg)	Morgan Stanley Infrastructure Partners	NA	NA	NA	Network of outsourced clinical services to hospital operating rooms
10/26/2021	TransUnion's Healthcare Business	nTrive (Clearlake Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare data and analytics business
10/26/2021	Caring Brands (Levine Leichtman Capital)	Wellspring Capital	NA	NA	NA	Franchisor of home healthcare services: Interim HealthCare, Bluebird Care and Just Better Care
10/25/2021	CEI Vision Group (Revelstoke Capital Partners)	EyeCare Partners	~\$600.0	NA	NA	Opthamology management services organization
10/25/2021	Lemonaid Health	23andMe (Nasdaq: ME)	\$400	NA	NA	On-demand platform for accessing medical care and pharmacy services online
10/25/2021	MediStreams	TT Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Provider of remittance, reconciliation, and payment automation revenue cycle management solutions for healthcare providers
10/26/2021	WEP Clinical*	The Jordan Company	NA	NA	NA	Specialized pharma services company assists pharmaceutical companies to help patients and physicians gain early access to medicines
10/20/2021	Grace Home Health	Excelin Health (Corinthian Capital)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of in home nursing and therapy care

# **Healthcare Equity Private Placements Activity**

# Recent Selected Healthcare Equity Private Placements (\$MM)

Date	Company	Investor(s)	Туре	Amount	Description
11/8/2021	Enhance Health	Bain Capital Insurance	Undisclosed	\$150	Digital health insurance brokerage and care navigation platform focused on serving the Medicare Advantage market
11/2/2021	Infusion for Health	Oak HC/FT (lead), Cimarron Healthcare Capital	Undisclosed	\$50	Network of ambulatory infusion centers
11/1/2021	Convergent Dental	Arboretum Ventures (lead), Long River Ventures and the Gund Foundation	Series C	\$40	Dental equipment company
10/26/2021	Medable	Blackstone Growth and Tiger Global (coleads), GSR Ventures, Sapphire Ventures and WTI	Series D	\$304.0 \$2.1 bln valuation	Patient-focused clinical research company offering a cloud offering for adoption of digital and decentralized clinical trials
10/26/2021	Stride	King River Capital (lead), Mastercard, Allstate, Venrock, NEA, and Fidelity's F- Prime Capital	Series C	\$47	Portable benefits for independent workers for independent workers
10/21/2021	Workit Health	Insight Partners (lead), CVS Health Ventures, FirstMark Capital, BCBS Venture Fund, and 3L Capital	Series C	\$118	Provider of virtual substance use disorder treatment
10/20/2021	Bardavon Health Innovations	Matrix Capital Management (lead), WestCap	Series C	\$90	Workers' compensation and musculoskeletal health company
10/20/2021	Saama Technologies	Carlyle, Amgen Ventures, Intermountain Ventures, Merck Global Health Innovation Fund, McKesson Ventures, Northpond Ventures, Pfizer Ventures, and Population Health Partners	Strategic and Majority Stake	\$430	Al-driven intelligent clinical cloud company serving the life science industry
10/19/2021	HistoWiz	Vivo Capital (lead), venBio, Asahi Kasei and Jon Oringer	Series A	\$32	Digital histopathology service company
10/14/2021	VillageMD	Walgreens Boots Alliance	Undisclosed	\$5,200	Provider of value-based primary care services
10/13/2021	Lark Health	Deerfield Management (lead), PFM Health Sciences, Franklin Templeton, King River Capital, Castlepeak, IPD and Olive Tree Capital	Series D	\$100	Al solutions for virtual chronic and preventative healthcare
10/13/2021	Lively	B Capital Group (lead), Telstra Ventures and Costanoa Ventures	Series C	\$80	Modern health savings account
10/13/2021	Sprinter Health	Andreessen Horowitz (lead), General Catalyst, Accel and Google Ventures	Series A	\$33	On-demand mobile health company that sends full-time nurses and phlebotomists into the home
10/12/2021	Oshi Health	Flare Capital Partners, Bessemer Venture Partners and Frist Cressey Ventures (co-leads), CVS Health Ventures and Takeda Digital Ventures	Series A	\$23	Virtual, patient-centered gastrointestinal care
10/11/2021	Bond Vet	Warburg Pincus	Undisclosed	\$170	Tech-enabled brand of veterinary care clinics
10/7/2021	Brave Care	Mednax (lead)	Series B	\$25	Pediatric healthcare and technology platform
10/6/2021	Twin Health	ICONIQ Growth, Sequoia Capital India Advisors, Perceptive Advisors, Corner Ventures, LTS Investments, Sofina Société, Helena Group Foundation	Series C	\$140	Precision health platform for disease management

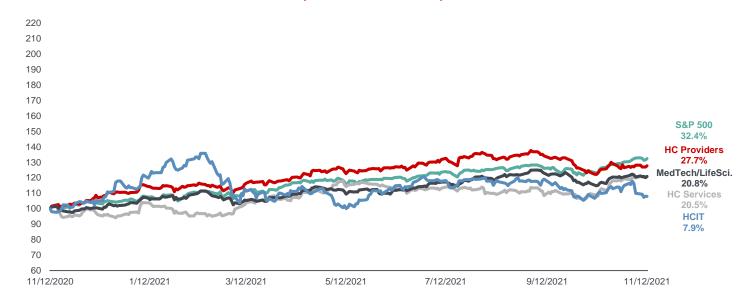
# **Public Equity Capital Markets Activity & Indices**

### **Equity Indices Information as of November 12, 2021**

			Reti	urns
Index	Wk Open	Wk Close	52 Week	Weekly
DJIA	36,328	36,100	24.1%	(0.6%)
S&P 500	4,698	4,683	32.4%	(0.3%)
NASDAQ	15,972	15,861	35.5%	(0.7%)
Russell 2000	2,437	2,412	41.2%	(1.0%)
NYSE Healthcare	22,151	23,190	20.2%	4.7%

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Cain Brothers Indicies	52 Week	Weekly
Acute Care	63.3%	(0.4%)
Alternate Site Services	(1.5%)	(2.3%)
Diagnostics	30.1%	2.8%
Distribution	17.3%	0.4%
Healthcare IT	7.9%	(1.9%)
Healthcare REITs	15.6%	0.2%
Managed Care	22.6%	0.7%
Medical Technology	18.4%	(0.1%)
Outsourced Services	27.5%	2.7%
Pharma Services	40.1%	3.2%
Pharmacy	31.5%	(0.2%)
Post-Acute Care	18.3%	(1.2%)

### **Cain Brothers Core Healthcare Indices (1YR Performance)**



#### Recent Selected Healthcare IPOs and Follow-Ons (\$MM)

Issuer (Ticker)	Pricing Date	Offering	Deal Value	Mkt Cap.1	Offer Price	Current / Offer	Description
Paragon 28 (FNA)	10/15/2021	IPO	\$125	\$1,391	\$16.00	11.3%	Orthopedic medical device company
Cue Health (HLTH)	9/24/2021	IPO	\$200	\$2,875	\$16.00	(37.9%)	Consumer focused healthcare IT company
Definitive Healthcare (DH)	9/15/2021	IPO	\$420	\$4,288	\$27.00	44.7%	Healthcare commercial intelligence solutions
Avantor (AVTR)	9/15/2021	Follow On	\$875	\$25,884	\$42.00	(8.5%)	Critical products and services to customers in the biopharma and healthcare industries
Maravai LifeSciences (Nasdaq: MRVI)*	9/10/2021	Follow On	\$1,000	\$15,400	\$50.00	(16.0%)	Data and analytics technology and services to healthcare organizations

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

## Tax-Exempt Debt Information as of November 12, 2021

Security	Current (%)	One Week Ago (%)	One Year Ago (%)
A-rated Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.83%	1.88%	2.25%
AA Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.63%	1.68%	1.95%
SIFMA (Variable Rate Demand Notes)	0.04%	0.04%	0.11%
Revenue Bond Index	2.46%	2.46%	2.70%
SIFMA/1 Month LIBOR	44.44%	44.44%	78.57%
RBI/30 Yr Treasury (%)	126.15%	131.55%	163.64%
30-Year Floating to Fixed Swap (81% LIBOR)	1.44%	1.36%	1.01%

### Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuance Information<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Borrower	Par	State	Rating	Maturity	Call, Put or Reprice*	Coupon	Yield to Call	Yield to Mat.	AAA
San Francisco Campus for Jewish Living Project**	\$28.030	CA	NR / AA- / NR	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.08%	3.11%	1.53%
Greencroft Obligated Group***	\$34.395	IN	NR / NR / BBB-	2037	2033 (C)	4.00%	3.63%	3.71%	1.53%
Greencroft Obligated Group	\$32.935	IN	NR / NR / BBB-	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.74%	3.42%	1.53%
Greencroft Obligated Group	\$0.385	IN	NR / NR / BBB-	2023	NC	3.25%	3.25%	N/A	0.51%
Frasier Project***	\$35.455	CO	NR / NR / BB+	2048	2031 (C)	4.00%	3.51%	3.78%	1.53%
Wesley Woods of Newnan - Peachtree City Project	\$15.145	GA	NR / NR / BB+	2046	2031 (C)	4.00%	3.05%	3.53%	1.53%
Loomis Obligated Group***	\$13.755	MA	NR / BBB / NR	2051	2030 (C)	4.00%	3.20%	3.71%	1.53%
Loomis Obligated Group	\$6.005	MA	NR / BBB / NR	2051	2030 (C)	4.00%	2.65%	3.46%	1.53%
Grossmont Healthcare District	\$11.670	CA	Aa2 / NR / NR	2034	2025 (C)	5.00%	1.07%	3.61%	1.53%
Truman Medical Center D/B/A University Health Project	\$9.760	MO	Aa2 / NR / NR	2027	NC	5.00%	1.11%	N/A	1.53%
Total	\$187 535								

\*Key: NC = No Call, MWC = Make Whole Call, (C) = Par Call, (P) = 1st Put, (R) = Reprice Date

## What's On Deck: Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuances<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Issuer	Date	Amount	Rating
South Dakota Health and Educational Facilities Authority Taxable Revenue Bonds, Series 2021 (Sanford) Cain Brothers Sole-Managed Expected Pricing	11/18/2021	\$250.000	NR/A+/AA-
California Health Facilities Financing Authority Revenue Bonds (Cedars-Sinai Health System) Series 2021A	11/17/2021	\$1,050.000	Aa3 / AA- / AA-
Cedars-Sinai Health System Taxable Bonds Series 2021 (Corporate CUSIP)	11/17/2021	\$300.000	Aa3 / AA- / AA-
Colorado Health Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds (Aberdeen Ridge), Series 2021	11/18/2021	\$143.080	NR / NR / NR
Public Finance Authority Revenue Bonds Bayhealth Medical Center Project Series 2021A (Tax-Exempt) Series 2021B (Taxable)	11/16/2021	\$113.970	NR / AA- / AA
Broome County Local Development Corporation Revenue Refunding Bonds (Good Shepherd Village at Endwell, Inc. Project) Series 2021	11/18/2021	\$51.915	NR / NR / BBB-
State of Ohio Healthcare Facility Revenue Bonds Series 2021B & Series 2023 (Otterbein Homes Obligated Group)	11/17/2021	\$45.705	NR / A / NR
North Carolina Medical Care Commission Retirement Facilities First Mortage Revenue and Refunding Revenue Bonds (Plantation Village) Series 2021A	11/17/2021	\$32.520	NR / NR / BBB
Maine Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds, Series 2021C Insured By: Assured Guaranty Municpal Corp. which provides 'A1' Moody's rating and 'AA' S&P rating	11/17/2021	\$20.070	A1 / AA / NR

1. Bloomberg, Capital IQ



<sup>\*\*</sup>Cain Brothers Sole-Managed Transaction; Insured By: Cal-Mortgage Insurance which provides 'AA-' S&P rating

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# Corporate High Grade, High Yield & Leveraged Loan Market

#### **Market Overview**

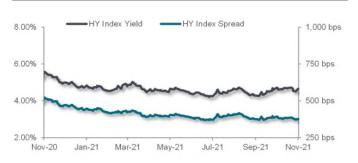
#### **High Yield**

Last week saw a \$2.6 billion inflow, which follows the prior week's outflow of \$1.3 billion. YTD net outflows total \$11.6 billion, which compares to 2020 net inflows of \$44.9 billion

#### **Leveraged Loans**

Leveraged loan funds saw a \$968 million inflow last week. There have been 43 inflows in 2021 totaling \$29.6 billion YTD following net outflows in 2020 totaling \$27.0 billion; Inflows totaled a more modest \$8.0 billion in 3Q21 following \$13.6 billion of inflows in 2Q21

#### **HY Index Yield & Spread (YTD)**



### Weekly New Issue Volume (\$B)



#### New-Issue Clearing Yields<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

			30-Day	Rolling Average	
	2Q21	3Q21	September 2021	October 2021	11/10/21
Overall	4.64%	4.78%	4.66%	4.82%	4.66%
4B	2.98%	3.45%	3.44%	0.02%	3.43%
2B	4.99%	5.02%	4.87%	4.76%	4.73%
Middle Market	5.15%	5.75%	6.21%	5.82%	5.40%

#### Most Recent Healthcare High-Grade Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	IPT-Pricing
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,000	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.400%	4/18/2023	SOFR+35	20 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$1,350	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.797%	10/18/2023	+40	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.440%	10/18/2023	SOFR+39	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$2,500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	1.122%	10/18/2024	+50	15 bps
9/19/2021	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc*	Sr Notes	\$500	Baa1 / BBB+ / BBB+	0.580%	10/18/2024	SOFR+53	15 bps

### Most Recent Healthcare High-Yield Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	Price Talk
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,269	Ba2/BB-	3.750%	5/9/2027	421 bps	4.00% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,731	Ba2/BB-	4.375%	5/9/2030	465 bps	4.625% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	Sr. Notes	\$1,000	Ba2/BB-	4.750%	5/9/2027	353 bps	5.00% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	Sr. Notes	\$1,000	Ba2/BB-	5.125%	5/9/2029	370 bps	5.375% area
11/1/2021	Molina Healthcare	Sr. Notes	\$750	Ba3/BB-	3.875%	5/15/2032	228 bps	4.00% area

#### Most Recent Healthcare Leveraged Loan Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Ownership	Ratings	Use of Proceeds	Size	Pricing	Yield
11/8/2021	Summit Behavioral Healthcare LLC	Patient Square Capital	B3/B-	LBO	\$459	L+475, 0.75% @ 97	6.250%
10/29/2021	Mission Veterinary Partners	Not Sponsored	B3/B-	Corp Purpose	\$250	L+400, 0.75% @ 99	5.000%
10/28/2021	Confluent Health	Partners Group	B3/B-	Refinancing	\$465	L+400, 0.50% @ 99.5	4.625%
10/25/2021	Option Care Health	Not Sponsored	B1/B+	Refinancing	\$600	L+275, 0.50% @ 99.5	3.375%
10/14/2021	EyeCare Partners	Partners Group	B3/B	Acquisition	\$440	L+375, 0.50% @ 99.75	4.310%

# **Healthcare News**

#### Part B Premiums Set to Rise in 2022 as Medicare Braces for Potential High-Cost Therapies Like Aduhelm<sup>1</sup>

#### Fierce Healthcare | November 12, 2021

Medicare Part B prices are set to rise in 2022, in part because the Biden administration is looking to establish a reserve for unexpected increases in healthcare spending. Part B premiums are set to increase from \$148.50 to \$170.10 in 2022. Annual deductibles will also increase in tandem from \$203 to \$233. Part B covers physician services, outpatient hospital care, certain home health services, durable medical equipment and other health needs that are not covered under the Part A medical benefit. Medicare Part B premiums are legally required to equal 25% of estimated total costs in Part B for people aged 65 and over. CMS is also tasked with setting premiums that ensure the program will be adequately funded. CMS said that while premiums will rise, beneficiaries should see an increase in their Social Security benefits. For example, someone earning \$1,565 per month at present will see a net increase of \$70.40 each month, the agency said. Open enrollment for Medicare ends Dec. 7.

# GE, J&J to Split Off Healthcare, Medical Device/Pharma Businesses<sup>2</sup>

#### Medtech Intelligence | November 12, 2021

Early this week General Electric Company announced that it would spin off its healthcare division, and today Johnson & Johnson released its plan to separate its businesses—one focused on drugs and medical devices and the other on consumer health products into two separate companies. GE plans to spin off its healthcare business, which generated \$17 billion in revenue last year, in early 2023 (the company is also spinning off its energy business and will be left with its aviation business). The company states the move will make its businesses stronger and in a position to achieve long-term growth. "The world demands—and deserves—we bring our best to solve the biggest challenges in flight, healthcare, and energy," stated GE Chairman and CEO H. Lawrence Culp, Jr. in a company press release. "By creating three industry-leading, global public companies, each can benefit from greater focus, tailored capital allocation, and strategic flexibility to drive long-term growth and value for customers, investors, and employees. We are putting our technology expertise, leadership, and global reach to work to better serve our customers." The healthcare division, which has yet to be named, will be led by Peter Arduini, who will take on the role of president and CEO of GE Healthcare on January 1, 2022.

### Behavioral Health Providers Falling Behind in EHR Adoption, Critical to Participate in Value-Based Care<sup>3</sup>

#### Behavioral Health Business | November 13, 2021

As a majority of the medical and healthcare community have made the transition to electronic health records over the past decade, behavioral health providers have fallen behind in adopting EHRs in their process, which can cause difficulties for integrating care for behavioral health patients. At a September public meeting for the Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission (MACPAC), a panel of experts detailed the reasons for the lack of EHRs in behavioral health, what options are out there now and what changes can be made in the near future to get behavioral health providers up to speed when dealing with records. Psychiatric hospitals are using EHRs at 46% rate, compared to 96% in general medicine and surgical practices. That same number for office-based physicians practice psychiatry is 61% compared to over 93% in everything from general practice and surgery to urology and cardiology.

# **Healthcare News Continued...**

# FDA Hopes Draft Guidance on Device Software Will Offer 'Clarity, Simplicity'1

#### Healthcare IT News | November 8, 2021

The FDA's draft recommendations pertain to device software functions – software in a medical device (SiMD) and software as a medical device (SaMD), most notably – and describe data that would be generated and documented during software design, development, verification and validation. The guidance, once finalized after a public content period, would replace the FDA's more than 16-year-old Guidance for the Content of Premarket Submissions for Software Contained in Medical Devices. It represents a substantial reworking of that document, which was first issued in May 2005, when the existing technology landscape could hardly have been imagined. Just as the maturity and capabilities of medical devices have evolved significantly since then, so has the agency's regulatory approach.

#### Report: Nursing Homes Shed 221K Jobs Since Start Of Pandemic While Other Sectors Have Recovered<sup>2</sup>

#### Fierce Healthcare | November 11, 2021

Nursing homes have lost 221,000 jobs since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, the most among all healthcare providers, a new industry report finds. The report, released Wednesday by the American Health Care Association and the National Center for Assisted Living, shows that while other healthcare employment sectors have recovered some of their job losses, recovery for nursing homes remains stagnant. The group analyzed employment numbers from the Bureau of Labor Statistics since March 2020 when the pandemic reached full swing in the U.S. It showed employment in nursing homes declined by 220,000 from 1.58 million in March 2020 to 1.36 million in October 2021. Assisted living centers also lost 38,000 jobs in that time period.

#### Diabetes Is A 'Pandemic Of Unprecedented Magnitude,' And Experts Fear Covid-19 May Make It Worse<sup>3</sup>

#### CNN | November 14, 2021

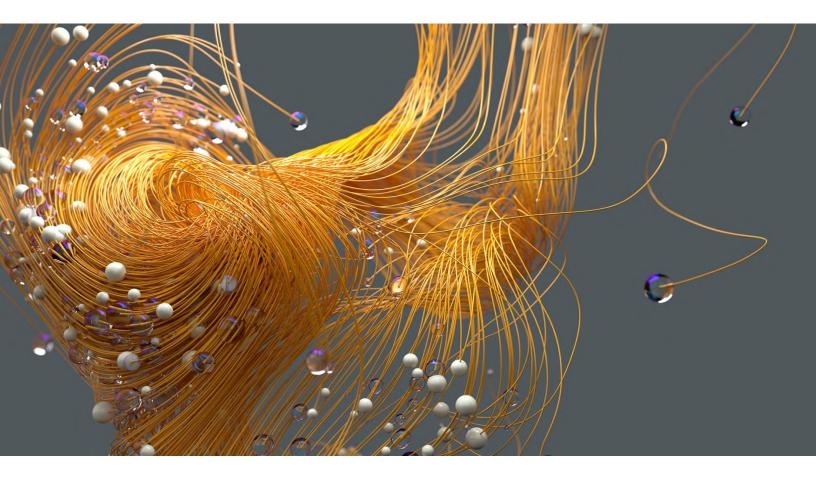
The year 2021 marks 100 years since the discovery of insulin, a game-changing drug in the fight against diabetes. Despite a century of advancements in treatment, education and prevention, World Diabetes Day 2021 occurs in the wake of grim statistics. One in 10 adults around the world -- some 537 million people -- are currently living with diabetes, according to figures recently released by the International Diabetes Federation (IDF). By 2024, the IDF predicted that the number of people with diabetes is expected to rise to 1 in 8 adults. Nearly 7 million adults have died worldwide in 2021 so far due to diabetes or its complications, the IDF estimated -- that's more than 1 in 10 global deaths from any cause. The pandemic also took a toll on how well people have managed their diabetes over the past year and a half, said Boulton, who is also a professor of medicine at the University of Manchester in the UK.



November 24, 2021

# **Cain Brothers Industry Insights**

Healthcare Weekly Market Report



This week's banker commentary:
Health Systems Expanding Principal Investing Capabilities

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# **Health Systems Expanding Principal Investing Capabilities**

Banker Commentary by Nick Davis

Record amounts of capital have flooded the private capital markets, arming private equity and venture capital firms with a war chest of investable cash exceeding \$2 trillion. With an ever-

increasing focus on the broader healthcare sector, companies from the early-stage startup to near-maturation have a myriad of options when it comes to evaluating and ultimately selecting a capital partner. Historically, hospitals and health systems, particularly in the not-for-profit category, have allocated a portion of their earmarked investment dollars toward these asset classes with the goal of generating a return to further support their long-term capital needs. In recent years, however, these same organizations have been building teams and capabilities to participate in these types of private investments as principal investors, offering unique attributes not otherwise available to target companies.

Aligning with their own broader missions and visions, a number of the country's leading health systems have formed in-house venture arms to pursue direct investments. Health systems target opportunities as both primary and secondary investors, the latter utilizing a consortium model where there is participation from venture capital / private equity firms and potentially additional health systems. While not limited to specific sectors, target investments typically are borne out of areas where health systems see ample opportunity to implement a certain product or solution into their own continuum of care. In the last year, related transactions include Advocate Aurora Enterprises acquiring Senior Helpers¹ for approximately \$180 million to further enhance the system's suite of senior services, while separately Ascension Ventures led a \$77 million financing round in Cala Health, a developer of wearable neuromodulation therapy products. Along these lines, a key differentiator that health systems can offer to prospective companies is access to their robust ecosystems and internal support. Attributes include fully staffed research capabilities, leading industry expertise, and an ability to efficiently roll out products and services to an immediate customer base.

Given that the shift to principal investing from the health system perspective has picked up primarily in the last few years, successful exits are beginning to take shape, providing

<sup>1</sup> Cain Brothers served as the lead financial advisor to Senior Helpers in its sale to Advocate Aurora Enterprises, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Advocate Aurora Health, Inc.

a roadmap and proof of concept. Recent examples include Lumere2, a technology-enabled decision support tool of which Spectrum Health Ventures was an investor, and Ivantis, a glaucoma-focused medical device organization that included Ascension Ventures and MemorialCare Innovation Fund as investors. In the case of Lumere, in addition to Spectrum Health participating as an investor, the health system was also a customer, further highlighting the uniqueness of which companies can leverage the size and scale of a leading health system to refine and expand their own services.

Currently, the majority of health system venture funds are targeting investment in the sub-\$5 – 10 million check size. While this level of investment lends itself to focusing on early-stage investment opportunities, as health systems continue to build out their investment teams, processes, and capital allocation, there will be a natural shift toward larger, more established investments that are typical of traditional venture capital and private equity. In tandem with their unmatched clinical expertise and support, hospitals and health systems that recognize the opportunity to realize potentially significant results from private investments will prove to be a differentiating capital provider.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 2Cain Brothers served as the exclusive financial advisor to Lumere in its sale to Global Healthcare Exchange, LLC ("GHX")



# **Healthcare M&A Activity**

### Recent Selected Healthcare M&A Transactions (\$MM)

			Enterprise Value /				
Date	Target Name	Acquirer	EV	LTM Rev.	LTM EBITDA	Description	
11/19/2021	InnovaCare Health (Bain Capital Private Equity)	Bain Capital Private Equity	NA	NA	NA	Provider of integrated and value-based healthcare services	
11/18/2021	Alliance Pharma	Ampersand Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Large and small molecule bioanalytical services	
11/18/2021	Life Science Logistics	Blackstone Tactical Opportunities	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare supply chain solutions	
11/17/2021	BioAgilytix	Cinven (majority stake)	NA	NA	NA	Global contract research organization	
11/16/2021	Genesis Research	GHO Capital	NA	NA	NA	Provider of tech-enabled Real-World Evidence and Health Economics and Outcomes Research services	
11/16/2021	U.S. Endodontics Partners (Thurston Group)	Quad-C Management	NA	NA	NA	Endodontic platform with 80 offices in 28 states	
11/15/2021	Behavioral Learning Center	The Stepping Stones Group (Five Arrows)	NA	NA	NA	Therapeutic and behavioral company	
11/15/2021	Colorado Springs Urological Associates	Solaris Health (Lee Equity Partners)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of independent urological services	
11/9/2021	Health Fidelity*	Edifecs (TA Associates and Francisco Partners)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of cloud-based risk adjustment solutions that project, detect, and capture all commensurate member risk	
11/10/2021	Integra Managed Care	Anthem (NYSE: ANTM)	NA	NA	NA	Managed Long-Term Care Plan in New York that helps adults with long term care needs and disabilities live safely and independently in their own home	
11/10/2021	Generate Life Sciences (GI Partners)*	CooperCompanies (NYSE: CO)	\$1,600	\$6	NA	Reproductive, newborn stem cell, genetic screening, medical device, and healthcare technology services	
11/9/2021	Leiters (Kaiser Permanente Ventures, Mayo Clinic, Frazier Healthcare Partners, SV Health Investors H.I.G. BioHealth Partners)	Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe	NA	NA	NA	FDA-registered 503B outsourcing provider of high-quality hospital and ophthalmology compounded sterile preparations.	
11/8/2021	BioCare	The Vistria Group	NA	NA	NA	Specialty pharmaceutical distribution partner that provides distribution, specialty pharmacy and logistics services	
11/8/2021	SurgCenter Development	Tenet Healthcare / United Surgical Partners International	\$1,200	NA	NA	92 ASCs and related ambulatory support services	
11/8/2021	U.S. Oral Surgery Management (RiverGlade Capital)	Oak Hill Capital	NA	NA	NA	Provider of oral surgery management, partnering with over 140 oral surgeons across 18 states	
11/3/2021	U.S. Medical Management (Centene's majority stake)	Rubicon Founders, Valtruis, Oak HC/FT and HLM Venture Partners	NA	NA	NA	A family of companies that provide home health services as well as an accountable care organization	
11/2/2021	Guidemark Health	Arsenal Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Healthcare marketing communications, training, and medical education agency	
11/1/2021	iCare Health Solutions (Pine Tree Equity Partners)	VSP Vision Care*	NA	NA	NA	Integrated specialty network and administrato of comprehensive ocular care services	
11/1/2021	Lighthouse Lab Services (majority stake)	Martis Capital	NA	NA	NA	End-to-end provider of turnkey lab build-out and management services to clinical labs	

# **Healthcare Equity Private Placements Activity**

# Recent Selected Healthcare Equity Private Placements (\$MM)

Date	Company	Investor(s)	Туре	Amount	Description
11/17/2021	aptihealth	Takeda Digital Ventures, Pivotal Life Sciences, Vista Credit Partners, Olive Tree Ventures, Claritas Capital, and What If Ventures	Series B	\$50	Tech-driven behavioral health provider
11/16/2021	Trella Health	Cressey & Company (lead) and Panoramic Ventures	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Provider of healthcare growth insights and performance analytics data
11/8/2021	Enhance Health	Bain Capital Insurance	Undisclosed	\$150	Digital health insurance brokerage and care navigation platform focused on serving the Medicare Advantage market
11/2/2021	Infusion for Health	Oak HC/FT (lead), Cimarron Healthcare Capital	Undisclosed	\$50	Network of ambulatory infusion centers
11/1/2021	Convergent Dental	Arboretum Ventures (lead), Long River Ventures and the Gund Foundation	Series C	\$40	Dental equipment company
10/26/2021	Medable	Blackstone Growth and Tiger Global (coleads), GSR Ventures, Sapphire Ventures and WTI	Series D	\$304.0 \$2.1 bln valuation	Patient-focused clinical research company offering a cloud offering for adoption of digital and decentralized clinical trials
10/26/2021	Stride	King River Capital (lead), Mastercard, Allstate, Venrock, NEA, and Fidelity's F- Prime Capital	Series C	\$47	Portable benefits for independent workers for independent workers
10/21/2021	Workit Health	Insight Partners (lead), CVS Health Ventures, FirstMark Capital, BCBS Venture Fund, and 3L Capital	Series C	\$118	Provider of virtual substance use disorder treatment
10/20/2021	Bardavon Health Innovations	Matrix Capital Management (lead), WestCap	Series C	\$90	Workers' compensation and musculoskeletal health company
10/20/2021	Saama Technologies	Carlyle, Amgen Ventures, Intermountain Ventures, Merck Global Health Innovation Fund, McKesson Ventures, Northpond Ventures, Pfizer Ventures, and Population Health Partners	rategic and Majority Sta	\$430	Al-driven intelligent clinical cloud company serving the life science industry
10/19/2021	HistoWiz	Vivo Capital (lead), venBio, Asahi Kasei and Jon Oringer	Series A	\$32	Digital histopathology service company
10/14/2021	VillageMD	Walgreens Boots Alliance	Undisclosed	\$5,200	Provider of value-based primary care services
10/13/2021	Lark Health	Deerfield Management (lead), PFM Health Sciences, Franklin Templeton, King River Capital, Castlepeak, IPD and Olive Tree Capital	Series D	\$100	Al solutions for virtual chronic and preventative healthcare
10/13/2021	Lively	B Capital Group (lead), Telstra Ventures and Costanoa Ventures	Series C	\$80	Modern health savings account
10/13/2021	Sprinter Health	Andreessen Horowitz (lead), General Catalyst, Accel and Google Ventures	Series A	\$33	On-demand mobile health company that sends full-time nurses and phlebotomists into the home
10/12/2021	Oshi Health	Flare Capital Partners, Bessemer Venture Partners and Frist Cressey Ventures (co-leads), CVS Health Ventures and Takeda Digital Ventures	Series A	\$23	Virtual, patient-centered gastrointestinal care
10/11/2021	Bond Vet	Warburg Pincus	Undisclosed	\$170	Tech-enabled brand of veterinary care clinics
10/7/2021	Brave Care	Mednax (lead)	Series B	\$25	Pediatric healthcare and technology platform

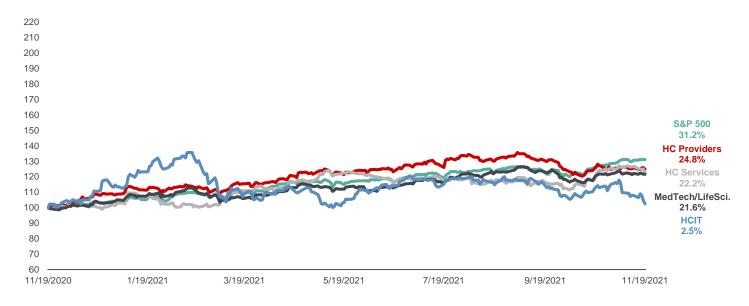
# **Public Equity Capital Markets Activity & Indices**

### **Equity Indices Information as of November 19, 2021**

			Returns		
Index	Wk Open	Wk Close	52 Week	Weekly	
DJIA	36,100	35,602	20.8%	(1.4%)	
S&P 500	4,683	4,698	31.2%	0.3%	
NASDAQ	15,861	16,057	34.9%	1.2%	
Russell 2000	2,412	2,343	31.3%	(2.8%)	
NYSE Healthcare	22,151	23,190	20.2%	4.7%	

	Returns			
Cain Brothers Indicies	52 Week	Weekly		
Acute Care	51.5%	(2.9%)		
Alternate Site Services	(8.1%)	(5.0%)		
Diagnostics	26.4%	(2.9%)		
Distribution	17.5%	(3.5%)		
Healthcare IT	2.5%	(5.6%)		
Healthcare REITs	10.4%	(1.4%)		
Managed Care	24.5%	(4.0%)		
Medical Technology	18.7%	(0.8%)		
Outsourced Services	25.2%	(2.0%)		
Pharma Services	45.4%	2.8%		
Pharmacy	36.3%	(2.0%)		
Post-Acute Care	12.7%	(2.7%)		

#### **Cain Brothers Core Healthcare Indices (1YR Performance)**



#### Recent Selected Healthcare IPOs and Follow-Ons (\$MM)

Issuer (Ticker)	Pricing Date	Offering	Deal Value	Mkt Cap.1	Offer Price	Current / Offer	Description
Paragon 28 (FNA)	10/15/2021	IPO	\$125	\$1,391	\$16.00	11.3%	Orthopedic medical device company
Cue Health (HLTH)	9/24/2021	IPO	\$200	\$2,875	\$16.00	(37.9%)	Consumer focused healthcare IT company
Definitive Healthcare (DH)	9/15/2021	IPO	\$420	\$4,288	\$27.00	44.7%	Healthcare commercial intelligence solutions
Avantor (AVTR)	9/15/2021	Follow On	\$875	\$25,884	\$42.00	(8.5%)	Critical products and services to customers in the biopharma and healthcare industries
Maravai LifeSciences (Nasdaq: MRVI)*	9/10/2021	Follow On	\$1,000	\$15,400	\$50.00	(16.0%)	Data and analytics technology and services to healthcare organizations

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

# Tax-Exempt Debt Information as of November 19, 2021

Security	Current (%)	One Week Ago (%)	One Year Ago (%)
A-rated Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.84%	1.83%	2.12%
AA Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.64%	1.63%	1.82%
SIFMA (Variable Rate Demand Notes)	0.04%	0.04%	0.11%
Revenue Bond Index	2.49%	2.46%	2.61%
SIFMA/1 Month LIBOR	44.44%	44.44%	73.33%
	130.37%	126.15%	170.59%
RBI/30 Yr Treasury (%)			
30–Year Floating to Fixed Swap (81% LIBOR)	1.42%	1.44%	0.93%

## Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuance Information<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Borrower	Par	State	Rating	Maturity	Call, Put or Reprice*	Coupon	Yield to Call	Yield to Mat.	AAA
Sanford Health <sup>(a)</sup> (Taxable)	\$249.845	SD	NR / A+ / AA-	2052	MWC	3.17%	3.17%	N/A	1.97%
Cedars-Sinai Health System <sup>(b)</sup>	\$1,034.365	CA	Aa3 / AA- / AA-	2051	2031 (C)	5.00%	1.91%	3.51%	1.54%
Cedars-Sinai Health System <sup>(b)</sup> (Taxable)	\$300.000	CA	Aa3 / AA- / AA-	2031	MWC <sup>(b)</sup>	2.29%	2.29%	N/A	1.60%
Bayhealth Medical Center Project	\$92.820	DE	NR / AA- / AA	2050	2032 (C)	3.00%	2.63%	2.83%	1.54%
Bayhealth Medical Center Project (Taxable)	\$26.340	DE	NR / AA- / AA	2051	2032 (C)	3.41%	3.41%	N/A	2.02%
Good Shepherd Village at Endwell, Inc. Project	\$51.320	NY	NR / NR / BBB-	2047	2030 (C)	4.00%	2.50%	3.32%	1.54%
Otterbein Homes Obligated Group	\$24.485	ОН	NR / A / NR	2046	2031 (C)	4.00%	2.31%	3.15%	1.54%
Otterbein Homes Obligated Group (Forward Delivery)	\$20.500	ОН	NR / A / NR	2039	2033 (C)	4.00%	2.92%	3.24%	1.54%
Wesley Retirement Services	\$44.285	IA	NR / NR / NR	2051	2031 (C)	4.00%	3.05%	3.56%	1.54%
Plantation Village	\$32.740	NC	NR / NR / BBB	2052	2030 (C)	4.00%	2.55%	3.44%	1.54%
Maine Health and Higher Educational Facilities Authority <sup>(c)</sup>	\$20.435	ME	A1 / AA / NR	2051	2031 (C)	2.75%	2.93%	N/A	1.54%

a) Cain Brothers Sole-Managed Transaction

b) \$1.034 Bn Tranche: Overlapping final maturity with Coupon / YTC / YTM of 3.00% / 2.52% / 2.80%; \$300.000MM Tranche subject to Make Whole Call at 15 bps

c) Insured By: Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. which provides 'A1' Moody's rating and 'AA' S&P rating

1. Bloomberg, Capital IQ

## What's On Deck: Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuances<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Issuer Date Amount Rating
None

1. Bloomberg, Capital IQ



# Corporate High Grade, High Yield & Leveraged Loan Market

#### **Market Overview**

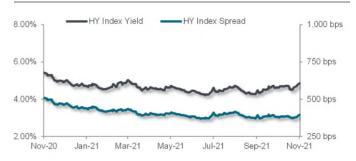
#### **High Yield**

 Last week saw a \$99 million inflow, which follows the prior week's inflow of \$2.6 billion. YTD net outflows total \$14.1 billion, which compares to 2020 net inflows of \$44.9 billion

#### **Leveraged Loans**

 Leveraged loan funds saw a \$959 million inflow last week. There have been 44 inflows in 2021 totaling \$28.6 billion YTD following net outflows in 2020 totaling \$27.0 billion; Inflows totaled a more modest \$8.0 billion in 3Q21 following \$13.6 billion of inflows in 2Q21

#### **HY Index Yield & Spread (YTD)**



### Weekly New Issue Volume (\$B)



#### New-Issue Clearing Yields<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

			30-Day Rolling Average					
	2Q21	3Q21	September 2021	October 2021	11/18/21			
Overall	4.64%	4.78%	4.66%	4.87%	4.63%			
4B	2.98%	3.45%	3.44%	2.82%	3.65%			
2B	4.99%	5.02%	4.87%	4.82%	4.70%			
Middle Market	5.15%	5.75%	6.21%	5.82%	5.34%			

### Most Recent Healthcare High-Grade Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	IPT-Pricing
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$800	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.868%	12/1/2023	+35	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$300	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.310%	12/1/2023	SOFR+26	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,400	Baa2 / BBB / NR	1.322%	11/29/2024	+45	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$300	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.490%	11/29/2024	SOFR+44	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,450	Baa2 / BBB / NR	1.915%	2/1/2027	+65	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,250	Baa2 / BBB / NR	2.272%	12/1/2028	+75	20 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,550	Baa2 / BBB / NR	2.539%	2/1/2032	+90	20 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$750	Baa2 / BBB / NR	3.132%	12/1/2051	+110	20 bps
11/15/2021	Zimmer Bionet Holdings Inc	Sr Notes	\$850	Baa3 / BBB / BBB	1.450%	11/22/2024	+58	20 bps
11/15/2021	Zimmer Bionet Holdings Inc	Sr Notes	\$750	Baa3 / BBB / BBB	2.600%	11/24/2031	+98	22 bps

#### Most Recent Healthcare High-Yield Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	Price Talk
11/16/2021	Tenet Healthcare	1st Lien Notes	\$1,450	B1/B+	4.375%	1/15/2030	284 bps	4.375% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,269	Ba2/BB-	3.750%	5/9/2027	421 bps	4.00% area

#### Most Recent Healthcare Leveraged Loan Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Ownership	Ratings	Use of Proceeds	Size	Pricing	Yield
11/18/2021	Duly Health & Care	Ares Management	B2 / B	Acquisition	\$80	L+325, 0.75% @ 99.5	4.125%
11/17/2021	Carestream Dental	CD&R	B3 / B	Recap/Dividend	\$335	L+450, 0.50% @ 99	5.250%

## **Healthcare News**

# CVS Unveils New Health-Focused Retail Strategy, Explicit Move Into Primary Care<sup>1</sup> Healthcare Dive | November 19, 2021

CVS plans to close 900 stores (~10% of footprint) over the next three years as it works to keep pace with the evolving consumer patterns of ecommerce retail. The new strategy includes new store formats with a stronger focus on healthcare delivery. Healthcare being a highly local industry allows CVS to tailor its offerings to the communities they are located in. As of Sept 30, CVS had over 9,900 retail stores and 1,200 walk-in medical clinics, but the new strategy is focused on driving higher consumer engagement.

# More Than 1.6 million Signed up for ACA Coverage Through 2 Weeks of Open Enrollment<sup>2</sup> Fierce Healthcare | November 19, 2021

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) released an enrollment update on Healthcare.gov sign-ups since enrollment started November 1, and the number of sign-ups resembles the count that occurred over the same period in 2020. The Biden administration has made massive investments in outreach and marketing for 2022 open enrollment in an effort to increase participation. This includes quadrupling the number of ACA navigators to help assist consumers with choosing coverage, which represents a stark departure from the Trump administration's policy to cut enrollment funding.

# BMA: Plans offering extra Medicare Advantage supplemental benefits grow by 43%<sup>3</sup> Fierce Healthcare | November 22, 2021

The number of Medicare Advantage plans offering at least one of five recently expanded supplemental benefits increased by 43% from 2021 to the 2022 coverage year, a new analysis finds. The findings, released Thursday by the Better Medicare Alliance (BMA), come as supplemental benefits not offered by traditional Medicare have become a popular tool by insurers to market MA plans, an increasingly lucrative space for the industry. Overall, MA plans that offered at least one of the five expanded benefits increased from 575 in 2021 to 824 for 2022, according to the analysis conducted by consulting firm Milliman. The five supplemental benefits offered are adult day health services, home-based palliative care, in-home support services, caregiver support and therapeutic massages.

## **Healthcare News Continued...**

# Policies and Reforms that could Reshape Healthcare in the \$2T bill just Passed by the House<sup>1</sup> Fierce Healthcare | November 17, 2021

The House passed a massive, roughly \$2 trillion infrastructure package called the Build Back Better Act that will give Medicare the power to narrowly negotiate prices on certain prescription drugs and close the Medicaid coverage gap. Passage of the legislation earned plaudits from some provider groups, but others were worried about the inclusion of cuts to disproportionate share hospital (DSH) payments that help facilities cover uncompensated care. Some of the big healthcare items in the package are:

- Closing the Medicaid coverage gap
- Offering several reforms to drug prices
- Expanding Medicare benefits to cover hearing aids
- Expanding Medicare-supported physician graduate medical education (GME) slots

# Survey: US Hospital Patient Volumes Move Back Towards 2019 Levels<sup>2</sup> McKinsey & Company | November 15, 2021

In mid-2021, McKinsey surveyed leaders at 100 private-sector hospitals across the United States to understand how COVID-19 continued to impact hospital volume. We repeated the survey in October 2021, and found that, overall, hospital volumes are near 2019 levels, but continue to be impacted by waves of COVID-19. Of note: emergency department visits are above 2019 levels across all regions, and procedural volumes across all regions are close to their 2019 baseline. The flat operating-room volumes appear to be partially driven by relatively lower outpatient clinic volumes. Eight of the 10 specialties with the lowest relative clinic volumes are surgical specialties, with plastic surgery and ENT clinic volumes still between 8 percent and 12 percent below 2019 levels. Lower specialty clinic volumes appear to be due to capacity constraints, as a majority of respondents report access to care being worse now than pre-COVID-19. While most practices are trying to address access issues, the primary barrier is clinical staffing challenges. Ninety percent of respondents said staffing challenges are impacting elective procedure capacity, with plastic surgery, orthopedic surgery, and dermatology having some of the longest wait times for care.

#### Telemental Health Laws: Overview<sup>3</sup>

#### The National Law Review | November 23, 2021

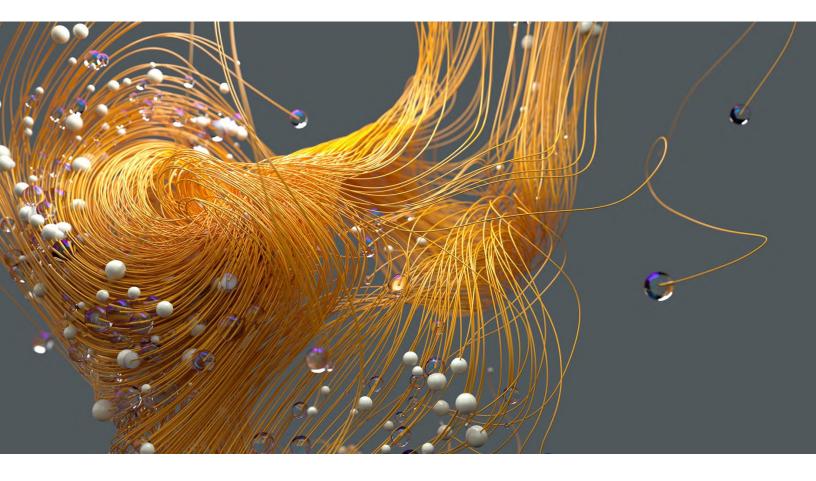
It is well known that there is a shortage of behavioral health providers in the United States. Expanding telehealth technologies to increase patient access to psychiatrists, psychologists, counselors, therapists, and other behavioral health professionals has continued to gain attention and validation as the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic stretched into a second year. For most of 2021, health care providers dealt with the implications of COVID-19 on their professional practices. While providers struggled to care for patients amid COVID-19 contagion concerns, federal and state regulatory efforts that began in 2020, and have continued throughout 2021, have significantly helped ease the path to greater provision of services via telehealth. Now that we are more than a year and a half into the pandemic, federal and state governments have continued to support flexibilities put into place during the height of the pandemic that have promoted increased use of telehealth, both as lessons learned and to help lawmakers and regulators decide which temporary changes should, perhaps, be made more permanent.



November 30, 2021

# **Cain Brothers Industry Insights**

Healthcare Weekly Market Report



This week's banker commentary: First It Was Telehealth. Now It's...Teleplans?

# **Industry Insights**

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First It Was Telehealth. Now It's...Teleplans?
Banker Commentary by Mike Elizondo

Value-based care has taken the healthcare economy by storm, and many of my colleagues have written about value-based care. It's a daily consideration for us as healthcare investment bankers. Yet, value-based care often means different things to

different groups. Some may consider value-based care as disease state specific program with capitated payments. Some may consider value-based care as full upside and downside risk for primary care providers to manage populations, while others may consider upside only arrangements.

One element that is clear is that value-based care is typically considered a provider function, a key element of which is the ability to provide and steer patients to virtual care across broad patient populations via technology, from asynchronous chats to video visits and remote patient monitoring. These functions have typically excluded payers, relegating payers to financing mechanisms vs. active participants in value-based care. Yet, payers are not sitting idly by.

Some payers have gone the direct route of investing in provider assets, vertically integrating to create close ties between insurance (i.e., healthcare financing) and the provision of care. Of the large insurers, United-Optum and Humana are most notable with significant acquisitions and investments in physician groups, primary care, and capitated clinic model businesses. These vertical integration strategies can be very effective due to the direct alignment of care and healthcare financing. Yet, these models require significant investments in infrastructure and in M&A/investments. Also, the ability to scale these solutions over large or multiple geographies is to be determined.

If vertical integration is not possible, how else can a payer be a meaningful player in value-based care and not relegated to a payment source? A relatively new phenomena is the advent of the virtual-first health plan. Via this plan design, payers seek to fundamentally change care patterns through benefit design, promoting virtual primary care as the triage point for members. The goal of these products is significant:

• Increased access: The availability of in-person visits can be a barrier to care as two points of failure (a provider's schedule and the member's schedule) are required to match up, often with a member needing to alter his/her schedule to accommodate a provider's schedule. Virtual care allows members to access care, anytime and anywhere, which in turn helps to improves overall member experience and satisfaction.

# **Industry Insights**

- Quicker and more robust member data: By using a virtual care touchpoint, payers can begin to more quickly
  and accurately aggregate member data for use, as an example, to identify and intervene for members that
  may have an imminent healthcare event. Population health requires timely and accurate data, and using a
  virtual front door helps to bridge the health record gap.
- Lower overall costs: The fundamental premise of the cost of insurance is to pay for the underlying covered services. Therefore, designing benefits that emphasize lower cost of care venues should bring down the cost of a fully-insured product. Furthermore, self-insured employers are expected to more directly reap the benefits of a virtual-first benefit design through lower overall direct healthcare costs for their employee populations. Insurers estimate that virtual-first plan designs may reduce overall costs by 10-15%.

Virtual-first health plans do not aim to replace in person care. Rather, these benefit designs help "codify" a key premise of value-based care: the right care, at the right time, at the right cost. Importantly, virtual-first health plan designs help to bring value-based care to the commercial segment at a time when value-based care investments have largely been focused on the Medicare population. Importantly, investments in the health status of commercial membership, done effectively, should have meaningful downstream effects to the cost of care for future Medicare populations.

It's early days for virtual-first health plans, but I expect these plans to increase in popularity and in number. These plans will continue to change but the fundamental premise of this benefit design is promising.



# **Healthcare M&A Activity**

### Recent Selected Healthcare M&A Transactions (\$MM)

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Date	Target Name	Acquirer	EV	•	EBITDA	Description
11/22/2021	American Health Staffing Group (BelHealth Investment Partners)	Littlejohn & Co	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare talent and technology solution
11/22/2021	athenahealth (Veritas Capital and Evergreen Coast Capital)	Hellman & Friedman and Bain Capital	\$17,000	NA	NA	Provider of cloud-based enterprise software solutions for medical groups and health systems
11/22/2021	Silver Linings Hospice Care	Charter Healthcare Group (Pharos Capital Group)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of hospice care in New Mexico
11/22/2021	StateServ Medical	WindRose Health Investors	NA	NA	NA	Provider of durable medical equipment benefit management solutions to the post-acute care market
11/19/2021	InnovaCare Health (Bain Capital Private Equity)	Bain Capital Private Equity	NA	NA	NA	Provider of integrated and value-based healthcare services
11/18/2021	Alliance Pharma	Ampersand Capital Partners	NA	NA	NA	Large and small molecule bioanalytical services
11/18/2021	Life Science Logistics	Blackstone Tactical Opportunities	NA	NA	NA	Provider of healthcare supply chain solutions
11/17/2021	BioAgilytix	Cinven (majority stake)	NA	NA	NA	Global contract research organization
11/16/2021	Genesis Research	GHO Capital	NA	NA	NA	Provider of tech-enabled Real-World Evidence and Health Economics and Outcomes Research services
11/16/2021	U.S. Endodontics Partners (Thurston Group)	Quad-C Management	NA	NA	NA	Endodontic platform with 80 offices in 28 states
11/15/2021	Behavioral Learning Center	The Stepping Stones Group (Five Arrows)	NA	NA	NA	Therapeutic and behavioral company
11/15/2021	Colorado Springs Urological Associates	Solaris Health (Lee Equity Partners)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of independent urological services
11/9/2021	Health Fidelity*	Edifecs (TA Associates and Francisco Partners)	NA	NA	NA	Provider of cloud-based risk adjustment solutions that project, detect, and capture all commensurate member risk
11/10/2021	Integra Managed Care	Anthem (NYSE: ANTM)	NA	NA	NA	Managed Long-Term Care Plan in New York that helps adults with long term care needs and disabilities live safely and independently in their own home
11/10/2021	Generate Life Sciences (GI Partners)*	CooperCompanies (NYSE: CO)	\$1,600	\$6	NA	Reproductive, newborn stem cell, genetic screening, medical device, and healthcare technology services
11/9/2021	Leiters (Kaiser Permanente Ventures, Mayo Clinic, Frazier Healthcare Partners, SV Health Investors H.I.G. BioHealth Partners)	Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe	NA	NA	NA	FDA-registered 503B outsourcing provider of high-quality hospital and ophthalmology compounded sterile preparations.
11/8/2021	BioCare	The Vistria Group	NA	NA	NA	Specialty pharmaceutical distribution partner that provides distribution, specialty pharmacy and logistics services
11/8/2021	SurgCenter Development	Tenet Healthcare / United Surgical Partners International	\$1,200	NA	NA	92 ASCs and related ambulatory support services

# **Healthcare Equity Private Placements Activity**

## Recent Selected Healthcare Equity Private Placements (\$MM)

Date	Company	Investor(s)	Туре	Amount	Description
11/23/2021	Luma Health	FTV Capital	Series C	\$130	Patient engagement platform
11/17/2021	aptihealth	Takeda Digital Ventures, Pivotal Life Sciences, Vista Credit Partners, Olive Tree Ventures, Claritas Capital, and What If Ventures	Series B	\$50	Tech-driven behavioral health provider
11/16/2021	Trella Health	Cressey & Company (lead) and Panoramic Ventures	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Provider of healthcare growth insights and performance analytics data
11/8/2021	Enhance Health	Bain Capital Insurance	Undisclosed	\$150	Digital health insurance brokerage and care navigation platform focused on serving the Medicare Advantage market
11/2/2021	Infusion for Health	Oak HC/FT (lead), Cimarron Healthcare Capital	Undisclosed	\$50	Network of ambulatory infusion centers
11/1/2021	Convergent Dental	Arboretum Ventures (lead), Long River Ventures and the Gund Foundation	Series C	\$40	Dental equipment company
10/26/2021	Medable	Blackstone Growth and Tiger Global (coleads), GSR Ventures, Sapphire Ventures and WTI	Series D	\$304.0 \$2.1 bln valuation	Patient-focused clinical research company offering a cloud offering for adoption of digital and decentralized clinical trials
10/26/2021	Stride	King River Capital (lead), Mastercard, Allstate, Venrock, NEA, and Fidelity's F- Prime Capital	Series C	\$47	Portable benefits for independent workers for independent workers
10/21/2021	Workit Health	Insight Partners (lead), CVS Health Ventures, FirstMark Capital, BCBS Venture Fund, and 3L Capital	Series C	\$118	Provider of virtual substance use disorder treatment
10/20/2021	Bardavon Health Innovations	Matrix Capital Management (lead), WestCap	Series C	\$90	Workers' compensation and musculoskeletal health company
10/20/2021	Saama Technologies	Carlyle, Amgen Ventures, Intermountain Ventures, Merck Global Health Innovation Fund, McKesson Ventures, Northpond Ventures, Pfizer Ventures, and Population Health Partners	rategic and Majority Sta	\$430	Al-driven intelligent clinical cloud company serving the life science industry
10/19/2021	HistoWiz	Vivo Capital (lead), venBio, Asahi Kasei and Jon Oringer	Series A	\$32	Digital histopathology service company
10/14/2021	VillageMD	Walgreens Boots Alliance	Undisclosed	\$5,200	Provider of value-based primary care services
10/13/2021	Lark Health	Deerfield Management (lead), PFM Health Sciences, Franklin Templeton, King River Capital, Castlepeak, IPD and Olive Tree Capital	Series D	\$100	Al solutions for virtual chronic and preventative healthcare
10/13/2021	Lively	B Capital Group (lead), Telstra Ventures and Costanoa Ventures	Series C	\$80	Modern health savings account
10/13/2021	Sprinter Health	Andreessen Horowitz (lead), General Catalyst, Accel and Google Ventures	Series A	\$33	On-demand mobile health company that sends full-time nurses and phlebotomists into the home
10/12/2021	Oshi Health	Flare Capital Partners, Bessemer Venture Partners and Frist Cressey Ventures (co-leads), CVS Health Ventures and Takeda Digital Ventures	Series A	\$23	Virtual, patient-centered gastrointestinal care
10/11/2021	Bond Vet	Warburg Pincus	Undisclosed	\$170	Tech-enabled brand of veterinary care clinics
10/7/2021	Brave Care	Mednax (lead)	Series B	\$25	Pediatric healthcare and technology platform

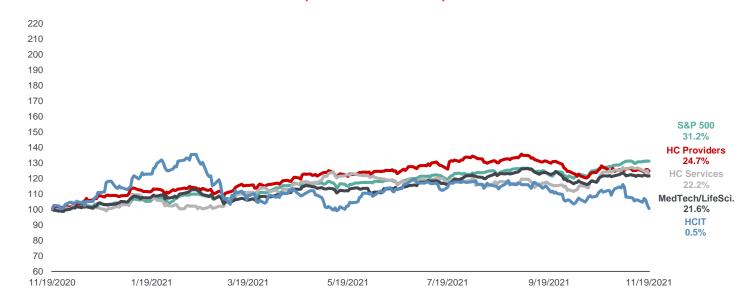
# **Public Equity Capital Markets Activity & Indices**

### **Equity Indices Information as of November 26, 2021**

			Returns		
Index	Wk Open	Wk Close	52 Week	Weekly	
DJIA	35,602	34,899	16.8%	(2.0%)	
S&P 500	4,698	4,595	26.6%	(2.2%)	
NASDAQ	16,057	15,492	28.1%	(3.5%)	
Russell 2000	2,343	2,246	21.7%	(4.1%)	
NYSE Healthcare	23,190	22,664	18.3%	(2.3%)	

	Returns				
Cain Brothers Indicies	52 Week	Weekly			
Acute Care	45.0%	(2.9%)			
Alternate Site Services	(11.5%)	(3.7%)			
Diagnostics	26.3%	(0.0%)			
Distribution	13.5%	(0.9%)			
Healthcare IT	0.5%	(3.8%)			
Healthcare REITs	6.1%	(2.6%)			
Managed Care	25.0%	(0.7%)			
Medical Technology	16.0%	(3.3%)			
Outsourced Services	19.2%	(2.0%)			
Pharma Services	48.7%	(1.5%)			
Pharmacy	30.2%	(1.9%)			
Post-Acute Care	5.7%	(4.7%)			

### **Cain Brothers Core Healthcare Indices (1YR Performance)**



### Recent Selected Healthcare IPOs and Follow-Ons (\$MM)

Issuer (Ticker)	Pricing Date	Offering	Deal Value	Mkt Cap.1	Offer Price	Current / Offer	Description
Paragon 28 (FNA)	10/15/2021	IPO	\$125	\$1,391	\$16.00	11.3%	Orthopedic medical device company
Cue Health (HLTH)	9/24/2021	IPO	\$200	\$2,875	\$16.00	(37.9%)	Consumer focused healthcare IT company
Definitive Healthcare (DH)	9/15/2021	IPO	\$420	\$4,288	\$27.00	44.7%	Healthcare commercial intelligence solutions
Avantor (AVTR)	9/15/2021	Follow On	\$875	\$25,884	\$42.00	(8.5%)	Critical products and services to customers in the biopharma and healthcare industries
Maravai LifeSciences (Nasdaq: MRVI)*	9/10/2021	Follow On	\$1,000	\$15,400	\$50.00	(16.0%)	Data and analytics technology and services to healthcare organizations

# **Tax-Exempt Debt Markets**

## Tax-Exempt Debt Information as of November 26, 2021

Security	Current (%)	One Week Ago (%)	One Year Ago (%)
A-rated Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.81%	1.84%	2.12%
AA Tax-Exempt Hospital Bonds (30-Yr)	1.61%	1.64%	1.82%
SIFMA (Variable Rate Demand Notes)	0.05%	0.04%	0.11%
Revenue Bond Index	2.47%	2.49%	2,58%
SIFMA/1 Month LIBOR	55.56%	44.44%	73.33%
RBI/30 Yr Treasury (%)	127.98%	130.37%	164.33%
30–Year Floating to Fixed Swap (81% LIBOR)	1.39%	1.42%	0.98%

## Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuance Information<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Borrower	Par	State	Rating	Maturity	Call, Put or Reprice*	Coupon	Yield to Call	Yield to Mat.	AAA
Buckingham Senior Living Community, Inc. Project <sup>(a)</sup> (Private Placement; Taxable)	\$24.580	TX	NR/NR/NR	2036	NC	7.50%	7.50%	N/A	1.83%
Buckingham Senior Living Community, Inc. Project <sup>(a)</sup> (Private Placement)	\$3.920	TX	NR/NR/NR	2037	NC	7.50%	7.50%	N/A	1.51%
Total	\$28 500								

<sup>\*</sup>Key: NC = No Call, MWC = Make Whole Call, (C) = Par Call, (P) = 1st Put, (R) = Reprice Date

## What's On Deck: Tax-Exempt Healthcare Issuances<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

Issuer	Date	Amount	Rating
Colorado Health Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds (Aberdeen Ridge), Series 2021	Week of	\$138.995	NR / NR / NR
Decatur Hospital Authority Hospital Revenue Bonds (Wise Health System) Taxable Series 2021A (For Purchase) Series 2021B (For Purchase) Series 2021C (For Purchase)	12/2/2021	\$56.805	NR / BBB- / BBB-
The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Hospital Authority (North Carolina) Doing Business as Atrium Health Variable Rate Healthcare Revenue Bonds, Series 2018E Remarketing	12/1/2021	\$50.000	Aa3 / AA- / NR
City of Valparaiso, Indiana Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds (Green Oaks of Valparaiso Project), Series 2021	12/1/2021	\$19.650	NR / NR / NR

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a) Private Placement Agent: RBC Capital Markets

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# Corporate High Grade, High Yield & Leveraged Loan Market

#### **Market Overview**

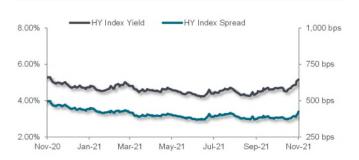
#### **High Yield**

Last week saw a \$3.3 billion outflow, which follows the prior week's inflow of \$99 million. YTD net outflows total \$14.8 billion, which compares to 2020 net inflows of \$44.9 billion

#### **Leveraged Loans**

Leveraged loan funds saw a \$850 million inflow last week. There have been 45 inflows in 2021 totaling \$29.5 billion YTD following net outflows in 2020 totaling \$27.0 billion; Inflows totaled a more modest \$8.0 billion in 3Q21 following \$13.6 billion of inflows in 2Q21

#### **HY Index Yield & Spread (YTD)**



### Weekly New Issue Volume (\$B)



#### New-Issue Clearing Yields<sup>1</sup> (\$MM)

			30-Day Rolling Average					
	2Q21	3Q21	September 2021	October 2021	11/24/21			
Overall	4.64%	4.78%	4.66%	4.87%	4.60%			
4B	2.98%	3.45%	3.44%	2.82%	3.59%			
2B	4.99%	5.02%	4.87%	4.82%	4.68%			
Middle Market	5.15%	5.75%	6.21%	5.82%	5.35%			

#### Most Recent Healthcare High-Grade Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	IPT-Pricing
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$800	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.868%	12/1/2023	+35	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$300	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.310%	12/1/2023	SOFR+26	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,400	Baa2 / BBB / NR	1.322%	11/29/2024	+45	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$300	Baa2 / BBB / NR	0.490%	11/29/2024	SOFR+44	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,450	Baa2 / BBB / NR	1.915%	2/1/2027	+65	15 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,250	Baa2 / BBB / NR	2.272%	12/1/2028	+75	20 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$1,550	Baa2 / BBB / NR	2.539%	2/1/2032	+90	20 bps
11/16/2021	Baxter International Inc	Sr Notes	\$750	Baa2 / BBB / NR	3.132%	12/1/2051	+110	20 bps

#### Most Recent Healthcare High-Yield Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Security	Size	Ratings	Coupon	Maturity	Spread	Price Talk
11/16/2021	Tenet Healthcare	1st Lien Notes	\$1,450	B1/B+	4.375%	1/15/2030	284 bps	4.375% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,269	Ba2/BB-	3.750%	5/9/2027	421 bps	4.00% area
11/2/2021	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (€)	Sr. Notes	\$1,731	Ba2/BB-	4.375%	5/9/2030	465 bps	4.625% area

#### Most Recent Healthcare Leveraged Loan Issuances (\$MM)

Date	Issuer	Ownership	Ratings	Use of Proceeds	Size	Pricing	Yield
11/23/2021	Eversana*	JLL Partners / Water Street Healthcare Partners	B3 / B-	Acquisition	\$725	L+450, 0.50% @ 99.5	5.125%
11/22/2021	Soliant Health Inc	Olympus Partners	B2 / B+	Recap/Dividend	\$180	L+425, 0.75% @ 99.75	5.063%
11/18/2021	Duly Health & Care	Ares Management	B2 / B	Acquisition	\$80	L+325, 0.75% @ 99.5	4.125%

## **Healthcare News**

## Humana: Value-Based Contracts Led To Better Care, Outcomes During Covid-19<sup>1</sup> Fierce Healthcare | November 24, 2021

Humana Medicare Advantage members receiving value-based care had more preventive care, lower costs and better outcomes in 2020 compared to those in traditional Medicare, according to Humana's latest annual value-based care report. Humana's report found that despite delays in care during the pandemic, value-based care physicians fared far better in terms of quality than those in nonvalue-based models across every care category. Value-based physicians were also more adaptable during the rapidly changing healthcare landscape that year, able to implement tech like telehealth quicker and sustain use for longer. The physicians benefited as well, the report found: Those in value-based contracts received more of the overall healthcare dollar, earning 17.5 cents of every dollar spent compared to 6.7 cents for non-value-based physicians.

# Labor, Supply Chain Pressures Mount For US Hospitals, Fitch Says<sup>2</sup> Healthcare Dive | November 22, 2021

Pressure on U.S. hospital margins is intensifying as a scarcity of workers drives up labor costs and supply chain problems ripple across the healthcare sector, according to a report out Friday from Fitch Ratings. Healthcare and pharmaceutical companies have survived the coronavirus pandemic thus far with their credit profiles largely intact. Now, wage inflation and supply chain disruptions signal the potential for lost revenue and greater margin pressure in the near term as costs rise, the ratings agency said. Staffing challenges are especially acute in skilled nursing, senior housing and in-patient behavioral health, posing a greater risk to recovery for the hardest hit operators as the pandemic stretches on, according to the report. The worker shortage is driving up wages and leading to greater use of more expensive temporary help. hospitals report staff burnout and high rates of employee turnover. Non-hospital providers face a more dire scenario where "staffing is insufficient to meet demand," resulting in lower patient admissions, the Fitch report said.

## New Health Plans Offer Twists on Existing Options, With a Dose of 'Buyer Beware'3 US News | November 2, 2021

Fueled by consumer frustration with high premiums and deductibles, two new offerings promise a means for consumers to take control of their health care costs. But experts say they pose risks. While they're still niche products, these nontraditional options say they aim to soothe consumer frustration with high premiums and deductibles by harnessing the growing availability of price information or patients' newfound comfort with online health services. One such offering, from insurer Sidecar Health, pays consumers its estimated cash price for each medical visit and lets them shop for the best deal. Another, from Antidote Health, isn't insurance, but offers access to onlineonly primary care for a small monthly fee. While the image the plans present is one of consumers taking control of their health care costs, the "reality is likely the opposite," said Dania Palanker, assistant research professor at the Center on Health Insurance Reforms at Georgetown University. That's because they are not Affordable Care Act plans. They are not comprehensive medical insurance and could leave patients responsible for hundreds or even thousands of dollars, either because benefits cover only part of a medical bill or because of other plan limitations. Some of these companies like Antidote describe themselves as "digital healthcare companies," not insurance, providing technical and administrative support to physicians.

## **Healthcare News Continued...**

# Kamala Harris Announces \$1.5 Billion Healthcare Investment For Underserved Communities As Part Of Larger Equity Push<sup>1</sup>

#### Forbes | November 22, 2021

Vice President Kamala Harris announced \$1.5 billion in funding by the Biden administration for several healthcare initiatives including service programs for medical students and professionals to work in hard-hit communities in exchange for scholarships and loan repayments, part of the White House's larger effort at "keeping equity centered" in its pandemic response. The investment from the coronavirus relief package will go to several federal programs dealing with workforce shortages and healthcare disparities, according to the White House press release: the National Health Service Corps, Nurse Corps and Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery programs. The initiatives provide scholarships and loan repayment funding to students and healthcare professionals in return for service commitments in under-resourced communities. The new funding is expected to support more than 22,700 doctors, dentists, nurses and behavioral health professionals.

# Growth Opportunities for 5G Wireless in the US Healthcare Market: Implementing Private 5G Healthcare Networks<sup>2</sup>

#### BusinessWire/ResearchandMarkets.com | November 30, 2021

5G refers to the 5th generation of wireless technology that promises to deliver game-changing benefits to users, including dramatically increased bandwidth, higher speed, reduced latency, and network slicing., The bottom line: 5G will accommodate dramatically more devices, media, and users. This will especially impact the Internet of Things, which will result in a huge increase in the number of remote monitors and sensors that will allow patients to be tracked while on the go. The new level of patient-generated healthcare data will permit enhanced analysis of various conditions and diseases, which will support personalized medicine and improved outcomes. 5G technology will also enable wireless carriers to offer providers and payers new ways to manage the spectrum. This will permit the development of wireless private networks that are able to support a healthcare enterprise's evolving IT needs. There will be numerous opportunities for healthcare enterprises to gather and transmit huge data files, such as teleradiology images, quickly and securely.

# Physical Therapy Joining Care-at-Home Movement<sup>3</sup> Healthcare Innovation | November 22, 2021

One of the key trends of 2021 is the shift of care to the home setting, ranging from acute hospital at home to skilled nursing at home. Now physical therapy has jumped on the bandwagon, too. Georgia-based Emory Healthcare has partnered with a California company called Luna to bring outpatient physical therapy treatment to patients' homes. Luna says its turnkey service helps health systems like Emory improve the profitability of their rehabilitation services by expanding access to care, improving adherence, enhancing patient experience, and reducing referral leakage. "The pandemic really accelerated the way we think about off-site care," said Scott Boden, M.D., director of the Emory Orthopaedics & Spine Center and vice president for business innovation for Emory Healthcare. "We very quickly had to reinvent not only how we diagnose patients, and figure out if they needed surgery, but also how we treat them nonoperatively, including with rehabilitation. That really accelerated the development of the toolbox for doing remote physical therapy." That toolbox includes on-site therapy, and telehealth PT, which is appropriate in some other situations. In-home PT makes sense, Boden added, if somebody doesn't live close enough to one of Emory's bricks-and-mortar PT sites. "It depends on geography, diagnosis and stage of rehabilitation, as to which of those options are the best." The partnership with Luna removes the barriers to care of time and transportation and makes it as easy as possible for patients to complete their treatment plan.



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