

# OUR COMMUNITY IMPACT



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2025 marked yet another exceptional year for Carolina Pines Regional Medical Center. We earned our seventh and eighth consecutive A grades for hospital safety from the Leapfrog Group, we were named to Becker's Hospital Reviews 2025 listing of Great Community Hospitals, and we received the Platinum Award, the highest honor in parent-company ScionHealth's National Quality Strategy.

What made the year even more exceptional was our continued success in growing the hospital to meet the needs of our community. We added services like pain management and speech therapy, opened a spine and pain center, and created Renew, our state-of-the-art medical spa. These additions follow our 2024 expansion of services that included the opening of a multi-specialty center in Pageland and a Vein Clinic in Hartsville.

These accolades and growth positively reflect our efforts to bring high-quality care close to home – our purpose as Hartsville's preferred healthcare provider. This report showcases some of our successes over the past year and quantifies our positive community benefit in terms of being a large employer, taxpayer, charitable care provider, and supporter of local organizations.

As you view the details, I'd like to extend our thanks to all in the Pee Dee area who choose Carolina Pines for their healthcare needs. Your support and partnership make it possible for us to continue to best serve our patients, our team members, and our community.

Sincerely,  
Brian Sponseller, M.D.  
CEO, Carolina Pines Regional Medical Center

## 2025 Success Spotlight

Recruiting skilled clinicians to our hospital and community and supporting them in their new roles is critical to ensuring access to high-quality care across a broad spectrum of services. In 2025, we added 14 affiliated providers in areas that included Cardiology, Nephrology, Occupational Health, Pain & Spine, Primary Care, Speech Therapy, and Women's Care.

Investments in our facilities – from infrastructure to the latest healthcare technology – ensure that our hospital can continue to meet the community's evolving healthcare needs. Last year, we spent nearly \$5.9 million on capital improvements, including a 3D mammography system, a robotic navigation system for spine surgery, other surgical equipment, renovations of our new pain and spine center, and major catheterization laboratory updates to support our new Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI) program.

Our greatest asset is our people. We aspire to create an environment where talent is recognized, job satisfaction is valued, and our employees can effectively use their skills to provide high-quality care and service.

In 2025, we provided more than \$55 million in services to those in need of healthcare but without the means to pay.

We are proud to be an important partner to the Pee Dee region as a healthcare provider, as a significant taxpayer and employer, and as an ardent supporter of local organizations that also serve the region.

## In 2025, we...



added **14 affiliated providers**



invested nearly **\$5.9 million** in capital improvements



distributed a **payroll of more than \$51 million** to our 725 employees



donated more than **\$55 million** in healthcare services to those in need



paid more than **\$11 million** in taxes

# SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS

It was our pleasure to be able to support numerous activities and organizations during 2025, including the following and many more:

- » Boys & Girls Club
- » Butler Heritage Foundation
- » Carolina Kids
- » Chapter 402, Military Order of the Purple Heart
- » Chesterfield County Schools
- » Child & Family Resource Center
- » Darlington County Humane Society
- » Darlington County Schools
- » Diversity Works Initiatives
- » Greater Hartsville Chamber of Commerce
- » Hartsville Police Department
- » Hartsville Rotary Club
- » PDRTA
- » Rubicon Family Counseling
- » SC Governor's School for Science and Mathematics
- » SC Nurses Foundation
- » Trent Hill Center
- » Women's League of Hartsville

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

### OFFICERS

**Jamie Kelly**, *Chair*, Owner of Indigo Salon & Day Spa

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**Pete Smith, M.D.**, Anesthesiologist, Sand Hills Anesthesia

## ACCREDITATIONS/CERTIFICATIONS

Certifications from The Joint Commission for Sepsis, Total Knee and Hip Replacement, and Heart Failure

Named an American Heart Association 2025 Gold Plus recipient of the organization's Get With the Guidelines designation for heart disease and stroke

Designated as a Blue Distinction® Center (BDC) for Knee and Hip Replacement designation, from BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina

Designated as a Purple Heart Hospital by the Military Order of the Purple Heart



## ECONOMIC IMPACT

<b>Charity and other uncompensated care</b>	<b>\$55,219,244</b>
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*(Includes charity care, uninsured discounts and uncompensated care)*

<b>Community benefit programs</b>	<b>\$824,213</b>
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Financial contributions	\$113,313
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Professional development	\$127,555
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Tuition reimbursement	\$111,884
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Physician recruitment	\$471,461
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<b>Taxes paid</b>	<b>\$11,454,593</b>
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Property and other taxes	\$1,237,623
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Provider taxes	\$4,908,941
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Payroll taxes	\$3,430,405
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Local sales taxes	\$469,406
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State sales taxes	\$1,408,218
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**2025 TOTAL: \$67,498,050**

*Charity care and other uncompensated care include charity care, uninsured discounts, and uncompensated care. Physician recruitment costs include recruitment costs and support of new physicians' initial practice establishment in the community. Payroll includes consolidated salaries, wages, benefits, and contract labor costs. Capital investments include facility expansions/renovations, equipment purchases, technology replacement, information technology additions/updates, and routine facility upkeep and maintenance. All references to "ScionHealth" or the "Company" used in this release refer to subsidiaries of Knight Health Holdings, LLC.*

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