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**UNIVERSITY OF IOWA HOSPITALS AND CLINICS AUDIT REPORT**

**Action Requested:** Receive the external audit report for the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics (UIHC) for the years ended June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2022.

**Executive Summary:** The UIHC report includes the audit of the basic financial statements for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2022, as conducted by KPMG LLP, an independent auditing firm; and management's discussion and analysis of the financial activities of UIHC.

For reporting purposes, UIHC includes the following University of Iowa Health Care units: (1) University Hospital, (2) Psychiatric Hospital, (3) Stead Family Children's Hospital, and (4) Center for Disabilities and Development.

The audit concluded that the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of UIHC as of June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2022, and the changes in its financial position and its cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Dan Koraleski from KPMG LLP will be available via video during the meeting to present the report and answer questions.

**Background and Analysis:** Annual audited financial statements of UIHC are required by Regent Policy Manual §2.2(9)(b)(iii) and by bond covenants.

UIHC includes substantially all health care provider activities for patient care associated with the university other than physician and dentist services and research activities, which are provided by the faculties of the university's Colleges of Medicine and Dentistry. Student Health Services, Specialized Child Health Services outreach programs, and the University of Iowa Health System, a UIHC affiliate, are not included in this report.

The financial statements have been prepared: (1) in accordance with governmental accounting principles generally accepted in the United States; and (2) on an accrual basis of accounting using the economic resources measurement focus. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred without regard to receipt or disbursement of cash.

- As of June 30, 2023, net position totaled \$2.7 billion, an increase of \$437.3 million (19.3%) from the prior year. Increases in core services led to a \$189.1 million or 7.2% year-over-year increase in operating revenue.
- For FY 2023, operating revenues totaled \$2.82 billion and operating expenses totaled over \$2.41 billion, for an operating income of \$410.5 million. The increase in net patient service revenue was primarily driven by an increased number of admissions, discharges, surgical cases, outpatient clinic visits, emergency department visits and an increased case mix index. Total operating expenses increased by 187.9 million, or 8.5% compared to FY 2022. This growth was due to increased patient volumes as well as price inflation in the cost of labor, professional services, medical supplies and drugs.
- Nonoperating net revenues increased by \$121.3 million, largely due to improved investment returns. UIHC received no government funding in response to the COVID-19 pandemic in fiscal year 2023.
- At June 30, 2023, UIHC's bond debt and right to use liability obligations increased \$9.8 million, or 1.2% to \$843.7 million. During FY 2023, UIHC issued \$130.7 million in bonds to refund revenue bonds and pay for new construction projects. (See Bonds Issued on page 2)

**Related Party Transactions:** UIHC purchases certain administrative services, utilities and other general services from the university. These services and support costs are purchased at the approximate cost incurred by the university. For the years ended June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2022, UI Hospitals & Clinics expensed approximately \$285.1 million and \$258.1 million respectively, for these administrative services, utilities, and other services and support requirements.

UIHC also provides certain administrative services to units of the university. These services include billing, collection, legal, compliance and other physician practice-related clinic overhead expenses. For FY 2023 and FY 2022, UIHC received revenue of approximately \$11.1 million and \$10.0 million, respectively, for these services.

Revenue from Medicare and Medicaid programs accounted for approximately 26.2% and 23.0%, respectively, of UIHC's net patient revenue for the year ended 2023, and 25.9% and 19.9%, respectively, for the year ended 2022.

UIHC provides care to patients who meet certain criteria under its charity care policy without charge or at amounts less than its established rates. These amounts totaled \$66.1 million and \$68.1 million for 2023 and 2022, respectively, and are not reported as revenues in the accompanying statements.

The UIHC annual financial report also includes a section on management's discussion and analysis, which provides an objective analysis of the financial activities of UIHC based on currently known facts, decisions and conditions. Please read in conjunction with the audited financial statements and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Management's discussion and analysis includes the following sections:

- Financial Highlights
- Overview of the Financial Statements
- Statements of Net Position
- Statements of Revenue, Expenses and Changes in Net Position
- Net Patient Service Revenue
- Operating Expenses
- Nonoperating Revenue and Expenses, Net
- Statements of Cash Flows
- Capital Assets
- Debt
- Contacting UIHC's Financial Management

**Bonds Issued:** During 2023, UIHC issued \$130.7 million of Series S.U.I. 2022C Revenue Refunding Bonds. The proceeds of the bonds were used to pay the principal and interest on the Refunding Bond Anticipation Note Series S.U.I 2021B.

**Subsequent Events:** In August 2023, Mercy Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa (Mercy), an acute care hospital, filed for chapter 11 bankruptcy and announced they entered an asset purchase agreement with UIHC to purchase substantially all of Mercy's assets. In October 2023, as part of the bankruptcy auction process, Mercy announced that UIHC's bid was the winning bid.