Mission
OHA exists to collaborate with member hospitals and health systems to ensure a healthy Ohio.

The United Voice of Ohio’s Hospitals
Founded in 1915, OHA is the nation’s first state-level hospital association. Based in Columbus, OHA represents 236 hospitals and 14 health systems.

In addition to advocacy, OHA’s staff of 56 professionals leads statewide health care initiatives and serves members through our expertise in population health, economic modeling, health care finance, data analytics and health policy.

Who We Serve
Ohio is the home of internationally renowned hospitals for adults and children. Patients traveled to Ohio for care in 2017 from all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands and numerous countries abroad.

Economic Drivers
In 2017, Ohio hospitals:
$29.7 BILLION TOTAL ECONOMIC IMPACT

DIRECTLY EMPLOYED OVER 255,000 OHIOANS
PAID $18.1 BILLION IN DIRECT WAGES

INDIRECTLY SUPPORTED ANOTHER 280,000 OHIO JOBS
COLLECTED IN STATE INCOME TAXES FOR DIRECT EMPLOYEES $350.5 MILLION

OHA is a leader in health care employment in Ohio, operating staffing and employment programs covering the full scope of health-related jobs in Ohio: Ohhospitaljobs.com and OHA Solutions staffing program.

MEMBERSHIP
188 Acute care hospitals
21 Long-term acute care
27 Psychiatric, rehabilitation and specialty surgical hospitals
  • 10 Children’s hospitals
  • 33 Critical access hospitals
  • 51 Teaching hospitals

14 HEALTH SYSTEMS

OWNERSHIP
Hospitals can be both nonprofit and publicly owned.

186 Nonprofit
3 For-profit acute care

26 Public/Government
42 Specialty for-profit

SERVICE
2018 Ohio Hospital Patient Encounters: 33.7 million

Babies delivered: more than 130,000

Outpatient: 27.6 million

Inpatient: 1.5 million

ER-Treated and released: 5.5 million