

Special Report

Largest For-Profit Hospital Corporations*

Name	No. of Beds	Location	Profile
Hospital Corporation of America	40,665	One Park Plaza Nashville, TN 37203 Tel. (615) 344-9551	At December 31, 2005, owned and operated 169 general, and acute care hospitals. The facilities are located in 22 states, England, and Switzerland.
Tenet Healthcare Corporation	18,259	13737 Noel Road Dallas, TX 75240 Tel. (469) 893-2200	As of December 31, 2005, operated 73 general hospitals, serving urban and rural communities in 13 states.
Triad Hospitals	8,674	5800 Tennyson Parkway Plano, TX 75024 Tel. (972) 789-2732	As of December 31, 2005, owned and operated 49 general, acute care hospitals in 16 states.
Health Management Associates	8,128	5811 Pelican Bay Blvd. Naples, FL 33963 Tel. (941) 598-3131	As of September 30, 2005, owned and operated 55 general, acute care hospitals in 16 states.
Community Health Systems	8,097	155 Franklin Road Brentwood, TN 37027 Tel. (615) 373-9600	As of December 31, 2005, owned 71 general, acute care hospitals in 21 states.
LifePoint Hospitals	5,666	103 Powell Court Brentwood, TN 37027 Tel. (615) 372-8500	As of December 31, 2005, owned and operated 53 general, acute care hospitals in 20 states.
Universal Health Services	5,372	367 S. Gulph Road King of Prussia, PA 19406 Tel. (610) 768-3300	As of December 31, 2005, owned and operated 28 general, acute care hospitals in 32 states, Washington, DC, and Puerto Rico.
Vanguard Health Systems	4,557	20 Burton Hills Boulevard Nashville, TN 37215 Tel. (615) 665-6000	As of June 30, 2005, owned and operated 19 general, acute care hospitals in 5 states.
Iasis Healthcare	2,544	117 Seaboard Lane Franklin, TN 37067 Tel. (615) 844-2747	As of September 30, 2005, owned and operated 14 general acute care hospitals in 5 states.
Ardent Health Services	2,258	One Burton Hills Blvd. Nashville, TN 37215 Tel. (615) 296-3000	As of December 31, 2004, owned and operated 15 general, acute care hospitals in 3 states.
MedCath Corporation	672	10720 Sikes Place Charlotte, NC 28277 Tel. (704) 708-6600	As of September 30, 2005, owned and operated 11 general, acute care hospitals in 8 states.
SunLink Health Systems	402	900 Circle 75 Parkway Atlanta, GA 30339 Tel. (770) 933-7000	As of June 30, 2005, owned/leased and operated 7 hospitals in 4 states.

*Ranked by No. of Licensed Beds