

CHI St. Alexius Health Devils Lake Hospital Devils Lake, ND:

Mercy Hospital of Devil Lake Hospital is a 25-bed Critical Access Hospital accredited by The Joint Commission, licensed by the North Dakota State Department of Health, and certified by the Department of Health and Human Services for participation in the Medicare Program. Our hospital has been committed to providing patients quality medical treatment in the Lake Region area and surrounding communities since 1902. Our patients have access to a state-of-the-art health care facility, including 24-7 emergency care, a swing bed program, extensive therapy services, a critical care unit, obstetrical care, and advanced radiology. Our professional and caring staff is dedicated to ensuring patients have compassionate and excellent care. Mercy Hospital of Devils Lake Hospital was designated as a "Top 100 Critical Access Hospital" in 2016 and 2018. If a patient needs a higher level of care than CHI St. Alexius Health Devils Lake Hospital can provide, our network of referral relationships allows us to transfer patients, quickly and efficiently, as needed. Our physicians are able to consult with specialists near and far using TeleHealth, a videoconferencing service.

Services offered locally by Mercy Hospital of Devils Lake include:

- Cardiac rehabilitation
- Critical care unit
- Emergency services
- Laboratory services
- Medical/Surgical unit
- Obstetrics Unit
- Occupational therapy
- Physical therapy
- Radiology services
- Cardiac imaging
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
- Computed Tomography Imaging (CAT)
- Ultrasound imaging
- Vascular imaging
- Respiratory therapy
- Speech therapy
- Surgical services
- Ophthalmology

- Obstetrics
- Podiatry
- Endoscopy
- General surgery
- Swingbed unit

The mission of Catholic Health Initiatives is to nurture the healing ministry of the Church, supported by education and research. Fidelity to the Gospel urges us to emphasize human dignity and social justice as we create healthier communities. The mission of Catholic Health Initiatives is to live our core values of Reverence, Integrity, Compassion and Excellence by improving the health of the people and communities we serve and pioneering models and systems of care to enhance care delivery.

The hospital identifies its service area as a 50-mile radius around Devils Lake.

- City Population: 7,313 (2013-2017 estimate)
- County Population: 11,574 (201-2017 estimate)
- County Median Household Income: \$55,927 (2013-2017 estimate)
- County Median Age: 42.4 (2013-2017 estimate)
- Service Area Population: 15,000 (50 mile radius)

THE BENEFITS OF THE 340B PROGRAM:

Revenue generated from the 340B program helps support not only a discount for certain medications but helps the overall operations of the hospital. Mercy Hospital of Devils Lake was able to provide \$731,937 in community benefit in fiscal year 2018 between financial assistance programs and other support in the community which in turn supported 5,725 people.

To-date estimates of expense reductions: \$66,701 (estimated through 6/10/2019)

IMPACT IF THE PROGRAM WAS SCALED BACK:

In Fiscal Year 2018 we were able to save \$50203.16 from the 340B program. This has helped us save money for our outpatients and allow us to provide services to these patients locally, so they do not have to travel 90 miles to the next largest hospital.