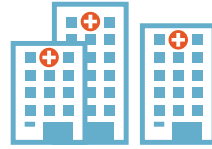


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454 *hospitals*



 **480,000**  
EMPLOYEES

**1,120,000**   
*total jobs supported*

 **BILLION**  
PURCHASES FROM OTHER BUSINESSES

*TOTAL  
STATE  
ECONOMIC  
ACTIVITY* **\$297** **BILLION**