

Form **990**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2018, and ending 12-31-2018

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc
 % GERALD OETZEL
 Doing business as Gundersen Health System

D Employer identification number: 39-1866425

E Telephone number: (608) 782-7300

G Gross receipts \$ 2,531,002

F Name and address of principal officer: Scott Rathgaber MD, 1836 South Avenue, La Crosse, WI 54601

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No
H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
 If "No," attach a list (see instructions)
H(c) Group exemption number ▶

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) 501(c) () ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ www.gundersenhealth.org

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other ▶

L Year of formation: 1996 **M** State of legal domicile: WI

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities See Schedule O		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	13
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	4
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)	5	0
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	439,589
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	392,821	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	1,494,750	2,528,270
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	0	0
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	1,736	2,732
	12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	8,414	0
		1,504,900	2,531,002
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	1,494,750	2,528,270
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	0	0
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶0		
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	82,942	18,347
18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	1,577,692	2,546,617	
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	-72,792	-15,615	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	40,013,880	34,182,777
	22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	220,574	233,476
	39,793,306	33,949,301	

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here

Signature of officer: ***** Date: 2019-11-05

GERALD OETZEL CFO Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name: Preparer's signature: Date: 2019-11-03 Check if self-employed PTIN: P01413237

Firm's name ▶ KPMG LLP Firm's EIN ▶

Firm's address ▶ 4200 WELLS FARGO CTR 90 S 7TH ST MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402 Phone no (612) 305-5000

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission

To support Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center, Inc and Gundersen Clinic, Ltd and/or their affiliates' programs of health care, medical education, medical research and community health promotion activities within the meaning of Sec 509(a)(3) of the IRC, to engage in activities relating to the aforementioned purposes, including the power to acquire/receive funds and property of every kind and to invest in, receive, hold, use and dispose of all property, real or personal, to carry into effect the aforementioned purposes

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code) (Expenses \$ 2,528,270 including grants of \$ 2,528,270) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4c (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses ▶ 2,528,270

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question Number, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 22 regarding organizational requirements and reporting.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23	Yes
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>	24a	No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a	No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b	No
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26	No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27	No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a	No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b	No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c	No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29	No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30	No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31	No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32	No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33	No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34	Yes
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	Yes
b	If 'Yes' to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b	Yes
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36	No
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37	No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	0
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	

2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return		2a	0		
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)		2b			
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		3a	Yes		
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? <i>If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O</i>		3b	Yes		
4a At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		4a		No	
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ _____ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)					
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		5a		No	
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		5b		No	
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?		5c			
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?		6a		No	
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		6b			
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).					
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?		7a		No	
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		7b			
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		7c		No	
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		7d			
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		7e		No	
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		7f		No	
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		7g			
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?		7h			
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		8			
9a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		9a			
b Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		9b			
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter					
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		10a			
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		10b			
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter					
a Gross income from members or shareholders		11a			
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		11b			
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		12a			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year		12b			
13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.					
a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O		13a			
b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans		13b			
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand		13c			
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?		14a		No	
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? <i>If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O</i>		14b			
15 Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N		15		No	
16 Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O		16		No	

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O See instructions Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI



Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year (13); 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent (4); 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? (Yes); 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? (No); 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? (No); 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? (No); 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders? (No); 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? (No); 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? (No); 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: 8a The governing body? (Yes); 8b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? (Yes); 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O (No).

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? (No); 10b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? (Yes); 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 (Yes); 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? (Yes); 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done (Yes); 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? (Yes); 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? (Yes); 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? 15a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official (Yes); 15b Other officers or key employees of the organization (Yes); If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions); 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? (No); 16b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

Table with 2 columns: Question, Answer. Rows include: 17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed (WI); 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply: Own website, Another's website, Upon request, Other (explain in Schedule O); 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year; 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records (GERALD OETZEL 1836 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 (608) 775-7914).

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a			
	b Membership dues	1b			
	c Fundraising events	1c			
	d Related organizations	1d	2,528,270		
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e			
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f			
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a - 1f \$ _____				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		2,528,270		

Program Service Revenue			Business Code				
	2a _____						
	b _____						
	c _____						
	d _____						
	e _____						
	f All other program service revenue						
9 Total. Add lines 2a-2f			0				

Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			2,732		439,589	-436,857
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds			0			
	5 Royalties			0			
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
	b Less rental expenses						
	c Rental income or (loss)	0	0				
	d Net rental income or (loss)			0			
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other				
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses						
	c Gain or (loss)						
	d Net gain or (loss)			0			
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a	0				
	b Less direct expenses	b	0				
	c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events			0			
	9a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a	0				
	b Less direct expenses	b	0				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities			0			
	10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a	0				
b Less cost of goods sold	b	0					
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			0				
11a Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code						
b _____							
c _____							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			0				
12 Total revenue. See Instructions			2,531,002		439,589	-436,857	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.	2,528,270	2,528,270		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.	0			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.	0			
4 Benefits paid to or for members.	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	0			
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).	0			
7 Other salaries and wages.	0			
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401 (k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	0			
9 Other employee benefits.	0			
10 Payroll taxes.	0			
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management.	0			
b Legal.	0			
c Accounting.	0			
d Lobbying.	0			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			
f Investment management fees.	0			
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	0			
12 Advertising and promotion.	0			
13 Office expenses.	0			
14 Information technology.	0			
15 Royalties.	0			
16 Occupancy.	0			
17 Travel.	0			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	0			
20 Interest.	0			
21 Payments to affiliates.	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	0			
23 Insurance.	0			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a Income Tax	18,347		18,347	
b				
c				
d				
e All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	2,546,617	2,528,270	18,347	0
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	0	1	0	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	198,648	2	195,934	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	0	3	0	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	0	4	0	
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5	0	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	0	7	0	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	0	8	0	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	0	9	0	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a			
	b Less accumulated depreciation	10b	0	10c	0
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	0	11	0	
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11	16,463,021	12	6,988,498	
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0	
	14 Intangible assets	0	14	0	
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11	23,352,211	15	26,998,345	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	40,013,880	16	34,182,777		
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	0	17	0	
	18 Grants payable	0	18	0	
	19 Deferred revenue	0	19	0	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	0	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21	0	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	22	0	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24	0	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17 - 24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	220,574	25	233,476	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	220,574	26	233,476	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.				
	27 Unrestricted net assets	39,793,306	27	33,949,301	
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	0	28	0	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	0	29	0	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.				
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30		
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund		31		
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32		
33 Total net assets or fund balances	39,793,306	33	33,949,301		
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	40,013,880	34	34,182,777		

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2,531,002
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,546,617
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-15,615
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	39,793,306
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	-5,828,390
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	33,949,301

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

- 1** Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 Cash Accrual Other _____
 If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?
 If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
 If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both
 Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis
- c** If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?
 If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
2a		No
2b	Yes	
2c	Yes	
3a		No
3b		

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Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Form 990 (2018)

Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:

Gundersen Lutheran Health System, Inc provides support to an integrated health system with local access in the primarily rural region of West Central Wisconsin, Southeast Minnesota and Northeast Iowa. Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc 's affiliates comprehensive range of services include inpatient, clinical, behavioral health, diagnostic, emergency and other services in numerous medical specialties.

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Brad Sturm Board of Trustees - Treasurer	2 0 4 0	X		X				0	0	0
Gregory Thompson MD Board of Trustees- Member, CMO	2 0 46 0	X		X				0	462,904	57,467
John Lyche Board of Trustees - Secretary	2 0 4 0	X		X				0	0	0
Mark Glendenning Board of Trustees - Vice Chair	2 0 4 0	X		X				0	0	0
Scott Rathgaber MD Chief Executive Officer	2 0 46 0	X		X				0	1,005,902	58,927
Wendy Lommen Board of Trustees - Chair	2 0 4 0	X		X				0	0	0
Dan Florness Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 4 0	X						0	0	0
Dana Benden MD Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 46 0	X						0	472,616	57,467
Gerald Arndt Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 7 0	X						0	0	0
Jonathan Zlabek MD Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 46 0	X						0	337,801	59,927

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Kelley Bahr MD Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 46 0	X						0	360,034	39,485
Richard Radcliffe Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 4 0	X						0	0	0
Stephen Shapiro MD Board of Trustees - Member	2 0 47 0	X						0	462,556	60,027
Dara Bartels CFO until June 2018	2 0 46 0			X				0	386,123	40,357
Elizabeth Smith-Houskamp RN Administrative COO	2 0 49 0			X				0	423,284	39,875
Janine Luz Chief Learning Officer	2 0 46 0			X				0	172,798	34,860
Kari Adank Chief Compliance Officer	2 0 46 0			X				0	203,616	47,571
Marilu Bintz MD Senior Vice President, CMO	2 0 48 0			X				0	635,394	46,703
Mark Teresi Interim CFO	2 0 46 0			X				0	0	0
Michael Dolan MD Exec VP, Medical COO	2 0 46 0			X				0	592,442	58,967

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Pamela Maas Chief Biz Dev & Mktg Officer	2 0 46 0			X				0	224,747	41,550
Rose Ann-Laureto Chief Information Officer	2 0 47 0			X				0	421,006	46,703
William Farrell Senior Vice President	0 0 41 0				X			0	395,594	28,875
Bryan Erdmann Vice President	0 0 43 0				X			0	261,182	58,336
Garth Steiner Vice President	0 0 40 0				X			0	278,260	35,750
Kraig Schuster Vice President	0 0 42 0				X			0	220,594	50,026
Lisa Wied Vice President	0 0 40 0				X			0	213,099	48,340
Mary Ellen McCartney Senior Vice President	0 0 40 0				X			0	329,024	48,187
Mary Kuffel MD Medical Vice President	0 0 41 0				X			0	513,196	41,267
Michael McKee Vice President	0 0 43 0				X			0	208,406	50,242

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
P Michael Jacobs DPM Medical Vice President	0 0 42 0				X			0	374,940	59,927
Stephanie Carroll MD Medical Vice President	0 0 40 0				X			0	320,666	58,010
Todd Kowalski MD Medical Vice President	0 0 40 0				X			0	367,906	57,927
Douglas Hughes MD Medical Doctor	0 0 40 0					X		0	1,146,139	46,467
Edward Riley II MD Medical Doctor	0 0 40 0					X		0	1,217,530	60,027
Jeffrey Lawrence MD Medical Doctor	0 0 40 0					X		0	1,132,400	57,467
Jerry Davis MD Medical Doctor	0 0 40 0					X		0	1,223,496	46,467
Patrick Conway MD Medical Doctor	0 0 40 0					X		0	1,011,337	57,467
Brian Sieck MD Board of Trustees - Member	0 0 0 0						X	0	404,790	60,077
Jeffery Thompson MD Former CEO	0 0 0 0						X	0	255,300	57,489

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Kathleen Klock Former Senior Vice President	0 0 0 0						X	0	227,369	43,372

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support
Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

2018
Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number
39-1866425

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ))
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state _____
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
- 9 An agricultural research organization described in **170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land grant college of agriculture See instructions Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university _____
- 10 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions) **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations 2
 - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A) Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center Inc	390813416	3	Yes		0	0
(B) Gundersen Clinic Ltd	391028657	3	Yes		0	0
Total	2				0	0

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv), 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, 8, or 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grant.")						
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5	The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
7	Amounts from line 4						
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10	Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12	Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	

13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14	Public support percentage for 2018 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	
15	Public support percentage for 2017 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	

- 16a 33 1/3% support test—2018.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- b 33 1/3% support test—2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- 17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2018.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2017.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- 18 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►		(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6						
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ►

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15	Public support percentage for 2018 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	
16	Public support percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17	Investment income percentage for 2018 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	
18	Investment income percentage from 2017 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	

19a 33 1/3% support tests—2018. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ►

b 33 1/3% support tests—2017. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ►

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ►

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.		
1		Yes	
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).		No
2			No
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.		No
3a			No
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.		
3b			
c	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.		
3c			
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes" and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.		No
4a			No
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.		
4b			
c	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.		
4c			
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI , including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action, and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).		No
5a			No
b	Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
5b			
c	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
5c			
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .	Yes	
6		Yes	
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		No
7			No
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).		No
8			No
9a	Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		No
9a			No
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		No
9b			No
c	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI .		No
9c			No
10a	Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.		No
10a			No
b	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)		
10b			

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

		Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? <i>If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI</i>		
		11a	No
		11b	No
		11c	No

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
		1	
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		
		2	

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		
		1	Yes

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
		1	
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization (s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
		2	
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		
		3	

Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations

1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions)		
a	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
2	Activities Test Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>	Yes	No
		2a	
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>		
		2b	
3	Parent of Supported Organizations Answer (a) and (b) below.		
a	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>Provide details in Part VI.</i>		
		3a	
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>		
		3b	

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

- Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	8	
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year)	1	
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI)		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by .035	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1	
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions)		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI) See instructions	
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6	
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI) See instructions	
9 Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6	
10 Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2018	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2018 (reasonable cause required-- explain in Part VI) See instructions			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018			
a From 2013.			
b From 2014.			
c From 2015.			
d From 2016.			
e From 2017.			
f Total of lines 3a through e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2013 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f			
4 Distributions for 2018 from Section D, line 7			
\$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2018 distributable amount			
c Remainder Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2018, if any Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI See instructions			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2018 Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 If the amount is greater than zero, explain in Part VI See instructions			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Add lines 3j and 4c			
8 Breakdown of line 7			
a Excess from 2014.			
b Excess from 2015.			
c Excess from 2016.			
d Excess from 2017.			
e Excess from 2018.			

Part VI Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10, Part II, line 17a or 17b, Part III, line 12, Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c, Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2, Part IV, Section C, line 1, Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3, Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a and 3b, Part V, line 1, Part V, Section B, line 1e, Part V Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8, and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6 Also complete this part for any additional information (See instructions)

Facts And Circumstances Test

990 Schedule A, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch A Part I Line 12g	GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC PROVIDES SUPPORT TO EACH OF THE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED, HOWEVER, SUCH SERVICES CANNOT EASILY BE QUANTIFIED IN DOLLAR-BASED TERMS

990 Schedule A, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch A Part IV Section A Line 6	SERVICES PROVIDED BY SUPPORTING, OPERATING FOR BENEFIT OF, PERFORMING THE FUNCTIONS OF, AND CARRYING OUT THE CHARITABLE PURPOSES OF GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM AFFILIATES THE ORGANIZATION SUPPORTS THE GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM AFFILIATES' PROGRAMS OF HEALTH CARE, MEDICAL EDUCATION, MEDICAL RESEARCH, AND COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION ACTIVITIES WITH IN THE MEANING OF SECTION 509(A)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities
For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

▶Complete if the organization is described below. ▶Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B
- Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

Name of the organization Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc	Employer identification number 39-1866425
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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV (see instructions for definition of "political campaign activities")
- 2 Political campaign activity expenditures (see instructions) ▶ \$ _____
- 3 Volunteer hours for political campaign activities (see instructions) _____

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$ _____
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$ _____
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? Yes No
- 4a Was a correction made? Yes No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ _____
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ _____
- 4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? Yes No
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				

Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A** Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)
- B** Check if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures
(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)

	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)														
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		231,180												
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)		231,180												
d Other exempt purpose expenditures	2,546,617	2,044,382,146												
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)	2,546,617	2,044,613,326												
f Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns	277,331	1,000,000												
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:													
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e													
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000													
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000													
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000													
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000													
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)	69,333	250,000												
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-														
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-														
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No													

4-Year Averaging Period Under section 501(h)
(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,000,000
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					6,000,000
c Total lobbying expenditures	271,755	219,895	243,711	231,180	966,541
d Grassroots nontaxable amount	250,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	1,000,000
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					1,500,000
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities?			
j Total Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1
2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).	
a Current year	2a
b Carryover from last year	2b
c Total	2c
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1 Also, complete this part for any additional information

Return Reference	Explanation
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TY 2018 Affiliated Group Schedule

Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

EIN: 39-1866425

Affiliated Group Business Name: Gundersen Lutheran Administr

Address. Either US or Foreign Type: 1910 South Avenue
La Crosse, WI 54601

EIN: 39-1606449

Electing Organization Checkbox:

Total Grassroots Lobbying: 0

Total Direct Lobbying: 211,415

Total Lobbying Expenditures: 211,415

Other Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 801,331,832

Total Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 801,543,247

Lobbying Nontaxable Amount: 1,000,000

Grassroots Nontaxable Amount: 250,000

Tot Lobbying Grassroot Minus Non Tx: 0

Tot Lobby Expend Mns Lobbying Non Tx: 0

Share Of Excess Lobbying: 0

Affiliated Group Business Name: Gundersen Clinic

Address. Either US or Foreign Type: 1836 South Avenue
La Crosse, WI 54601

EIN: 39-1028657

Electing Organization Checkbox:

Total Grassroots Lobbying: 0

Total Direct Lobbying: 19,765

Total Lobbying Expenditures: 19,765

Other Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 243,184,215

Total Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 243,203,980

Lobbying Nontaxable Amount: 1,000,000

Grassroots Nontaxable Amount: 250,000

Tot Lobbying Grassroot Minus Non Tx: 0

Tot Lobby Expend Mns Lobbying Non Tx: 0

Share Of Excess Lobbying: 0

Affiliated Group Business Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health Sy
Address. Either US or Foreign Type: 1836 South Avenue
La Crosse, WI 54601
EIN: 39-1866425
Electing Organization Checkbox:
Total Grassroots Lobbying: 0
Total Direct Lobbying: 0
Total Lobbying Expenditures: 0
Other Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 2,546,617
Total Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 2,546,617
Lobbying Nontaxable Amount: 277,331
Grassroots Nontaxable Amount: 69,333
Tot Lobbying Grassroot Minus Non Tx: 0
Tot Lobby Expend Mns Lobbying Non Tx: 0
Share Of Excess Lobbying: 0

Affiliated Group Business Name: Gundersen Lutheran Medical C
Address. Either US or Foreign Type: 1910 South Avenue
La Crosse, WI 54601
EIN: 39-0813416
Electing Organization Checkbox:
Total Grassroots Lobbying: 0
Total Direct Lobbying: 0
Total Lobbying Expenditures: 0
Other Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 997,319,482
Total Exempt Purpose Expenditures: 997,319,482
Lobbying Nontaxable Amount: 1,000,000
Grassroots Nontaxable Amount: 250,000
Tot Lobbying Grassroot Minus Non Tx: 0
Tot Lobby Expend Mns Lobbying Non Tx: 0
Share Of Excess Lobbying: 0

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements
▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Name of the organization
Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number
39-1866425

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) Preservation of an historically important land area

Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year	
a Total number of conservation easements	2a	
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b	
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c	
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d	

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ _____

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Yes No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ _____

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ _____

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? Yes No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)
a Public exhibition
b Scholarly research
c Preservation for future generations
d Loan or exchange programs
e Other
4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII
5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?
b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table
c Beginning balance
d Additions during the year
e Distributions during the year
f Ending balance
2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?
b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

Table with 2 columns: Description (1c-1f) and Amount

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

Table with 6 columns: (a) Current year, (b) Prior year, (c) Two years back, (d) Three years back, (e) Four years back. Rows include: 1a Beginning of year balance, b Contributions, c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses, d Grants or scholarships, e Other expenditures for facilities and programs, f Administrative expenses, g End of year balance

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment
b Permanent endowment
c Temporarily restricted endowment
The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

- (i) unrelated organizations
(ii) related organizations

Table with 3 columns: Question (3a(i), 3a(ii), 3b) and Yes/No

b If "Yes" on 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?
4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Table with 5 columns: Description of property, (a) Cost or other basis (investment), (b) Cost or other basis (other), (c) Accumulated depreciation, (d) Book value. Rows include: 1a Land, b Buildings, c Leasehold improvements, d Equipment, e Other

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))

Part VII Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other _____		
(A) DEGEN BERGLUND, INC	1,644,557	F
(B) GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ENVISION	5,342,441	F
(C) GUNDERSEN CLINIC, LTD	1,500	F
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)	6,988,498	

Part VIII Investments—Program Related. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		

Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) GUNDERSEN HEALTH PLAN	4,229,791
(2) SPWI TPA (QUARTZ)	22,042,371
(3) WINONA AREA AMBULANCE SERVICE	726,183
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15)	26,998,345

Part X Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

(a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	0
LA CROSSE MEDICAL HEALTH SCIENCE CO	215,476
INTERCOMPANY PAYABLE	18,000
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25)	233,476

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12			
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a		
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)		5	

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a		
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)		5	

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b Also complete this part to provide any additional information

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

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EIN: 39-1866425

Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch D Part X Line 2	<p>INCOME TAX FOOTNOTE (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS) THE SYSTEM QUALIFIES AS A TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATION UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE (THE CODE), WITH THE EXCEPTION OF DEGEN BERGLUND, INC AND GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ENVISION, LLC, WHICH ARE FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES AT DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017, NET DEFERRED TAX ASSETS OF \$7,574 AND \$5,036, RESPECTIVELY, WHICH PRIMARILY ARE RELATED TO NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARDS, HAVE VALUATION ALLOWANCES OF \$6,300 AND \$4,000, RESPECTIVELY, RECORDED AGAINST THEM DUE TO THE UNCERTAINTY OF REALIZING THOSE BENEFITS IN THE FUTURE AT DECEMBER 31, 2018, THE SYSTEM'S FEDERAL NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARDS WERE APPROXIMATELY \$30,291, AND THE STATE NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARDS WERE APPROXIMATELY \$27,785, WHICH WILL EXPIRE BETWEEN 2027 AND 2036 THE SYSTEM HAS REVIEWED ITS TAX POSITIONS FOR ALL OPEN YEARS AND HAS CONCLUDED THAT NO LIABILITIES EXIST FOR UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THE SYSTEM'S INCOME TAX RETURNS ARE NO LONGER SUBJECT TO EXAMINATION FOR 2014 AND PRIOR YEARS THE TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT (ACT) WAS ENACTED ON DECEMBER 22, 2017 THE ACT REDUCES THE U S FEDERAL CORPORATE TAX RATE FROM 35% TO 21%, REQUIRES COMPANIES TO PAY A ONE-TIME TRANSITION TAX ON EARNINGS OF CERTAIN FOREIGN SUBSIDIARIES THAT WAS PREVIOUSLY TAX DEFERRED, AND CREATES NEW TAXES ON CERTAIN FOREIGN SOURCED EARNINGS FOR OR TAX-EXEMPT ENTITIES, THE ACT ALSO REQUIRES ORGANIZATIONS TO CATEGORIZE CERTAIN FRINGE BENEFIT EXPENSES AS A SOURCE OF UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME, PAY AN EXCISE TAX ON REMUNERATION ABOVE CERTAIN THRESHOLDS THAT IS PAID TO EXECUTIVES BY THE ORGANIZATION, AND REPORT INCOME OR LOSS FROM UNRELATED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES ON AN ACTIVITY-BY-ACTIVITY BASIS, AMONG OTHER PROVISIONS AT DECEMBER 31, 2018, THE SYSTEM HAS MADE A REASONABLE ESTIMATE OF THE TAX EFFECTS OF THE ENACTMENT OF THE ACT CERTAIN REGULATORY GUIDANCE PROVIDES FOR A MEASUREMENT PERIOD OF UP TO ONE YEAR DURING WHICH THE ACCOUNTING FOR THE TAX EFFECTS OF THE ACT MAY BE COMPLETED THE SYSTEM MAY RECORD FURTHER ADJUSTMENTS IN FUTURE PERIODS UPON OBTAINING, PREPARING, OR ANALYZING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES THAT EXISTED AS OF THE DATE OF ENACTMENT THAT WOULD HAVE AFFECTED THE INCOME TAX EFFECTS INITIALLY REPORTED THE SYSTEM WILL CONTINUE TO REVISE AND REFINE THE CALCULATIONS AS ADDITIONAL INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE GUIDANCE IS ISSUED</p>

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Schedule I (Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States

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2018

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22. Attach to Form 990. Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

Name of the organization

Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number

39-1866425

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?
2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000 Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed

Table with 8 columns: (a) Name and address of organization or government, (b) EIN, (c) IRC section (if applicable), (d) Amount of cash grant, (e) Amount of non-cash assistance, (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other), (g) Description of noncash assistance, (h) Purpose of grant or assistance. Row 1: (1) United Health Corporation, 47-2553196, 501(c)(4), 2,528,270, Integration and Tax Costs Assistance.

- 2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table
3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of noncash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch I Part I Line 2	ASSISTANCE WAS MADE TO PREVIOUS RELATED ORGANIZATIONS THAT WE STILL HAVE AN INVESTMENT IN THE FUNDS ARE MONITORED BY MANAGEMENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

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Name of the organization
Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number
39-1866425

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

		Yes	No								
<p>1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel</td> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions</td> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments</td> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account</td> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)			
<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use										
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence										
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees										
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)										
<p>b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain</p>	1b										
<p>2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?</p>	2										
<p>3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee</td> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant</td> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations</td> <td style="border: none;"><input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee					
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract										
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study										
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee										
<p>4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization</p>											
<p>a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?</p>	4a	Yes									
<p>b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?</p>	4b		No								
<p>c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III</p>	4c		No								
<p>Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.</p>											
<p>5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of</p>											
<p>a The organization?</p>	5a		No								
<p>b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III</p>	5b		No								
<p>6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of</p>											
<p>a The organization?</p>	6a		No								
<p>b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III</p>	6b		No								
<p>7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III</p>	7		No								
<p>8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III</p>	8		No								
<p>9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?</p>	9										

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch J Part I Line 1a & 3	All personnel services for Gundersen Lutheran Health System, Inc are performed by employees of Gundersen Lutheran Administrative Services, Inc

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch J Part I Line 4a	2018 Severance Payments Dara Bartels \$218,744

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Sch J Part II	GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC PROVIDES LEASED EMPLOYEES AND MANAGEMENT SERVICES TO GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC THEREFORE THE AMOUNTS REPORTED ON SCHEDULE J REPRESENT REIMBURSEMENTS TO GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC



Schedule J (Form 990) 2018

Additional Data

Software ID:

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EIN: 39-1866425

Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
Gregory Thompson MD Board of Trustees- Member, CMO	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	452,116	0	10,788	39,875	19,610	522,389	0
Scott Rathgaber MD Chief Executive Officer	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	857,656	65,000	83,246	39,875	21,070	1,066,847	0
Brian Sjeck MD Board of Trustees - Member	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	400,506	0	4,284	39,875	22,220	466,885	0
Dana Benden MD Board of Trustees - Member	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	469,116	3,000	500	39,875	21,930	534,421	0
Jonathan Zlabek MD Board of Trustees - Member	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	323,156	10,000	4,645	39,875	21,954	399,630	0
Kelley Bahr MD Board of Trustees - Member	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	352,500	3,000	4,534	39,485	2,018	401,537	0
Stephen Shapiro MD Board of Trustees - Member	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	459,056	3,000	500	39,875	24,490	526,921	0
Jeffery Thompson MD Former CEO	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	251,555	0	3,745	37,337	21,675	314,312	0
Dara Bartels CFO until June 2018	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	145,376	0	240,747	23,382	18,787	428,292	0
Elizabeth Smith-Houskamp RN Administrative COO	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	419,000	0	4,284	39,875	2,018	465,177	0
Janine Luz Chief Learning Officer	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	170,368	0	2,430	21,392	14,504	208,694	0
Kari Adank Chief Compliance Officer	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	203,366	0	250	29,979	20,251	253,846	0
Marilu Bintz MD Senior Vice President, CMO	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	574,456	0	60,938	39,875	8,846	684,115	0
Michael Dolan MD Exec VP, Medical COO	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	586,942	5,000	500	39,875	23,430	655,747	0
Pamela Maas Chief Biz Dev & Mktg Officer	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	221,423	0	3,324	32,502	10,334	267,583	0
Rose Ann-Laureto Chief Information Officer	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	402,956	0	18,050	39,875	11,166	472,047	0
Kathleen Klock Former Senior Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	226,369	0	1,000	33,110	12,423	272,902	0
William Farrell Senior Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	376,500	0	19,094	28,875	2,018	426,487	0
Bryan Erdmann Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	256,257	2,500	2,425	38,135	23,559	322,876	0
Garith Steiner Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	277,750	0	510	35,750	3,554	317,564	0

Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees								
(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
Kraig Schuster Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	220,094	0	500	31,216	21,705	273,515	0
Lisa Wied Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	209,906	0	3,193	30,288	19,319	262,706	0
Mary Ellen McCartney Senior Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	328,524	0	500	39,875	12,530	381,429	0
Mary Kuffel MD Medical Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	505,912	3,000	4,284	39,875	3,410	556,481	0
Michael McKee Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	207,906	0	500	30,994	21,995	261,395	0
P Michael Jacobs DPM Medical Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	370,656	0	4,284	39,875	22,070	436,885	0
Stephanie Carroll MD Medical Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	317,916	2,500	250	39,875	22,164	382,705	0
Todd Kowalski MD Medical Vice President	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	362,656	5,000	250	39,875	22,390	430,171	0
Douglas Hughes MD Medical Doctor	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	1,107,616	0	38,523	28,875	19,610	1,194,624	0
Edward Riley II MD Medical Doctor	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	1,217,530	0	0	39,875	24,490	1,281,895	0
Jeffrey Lawrence MD Medical Doctor	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	1,128,116	0	4,284	39,875	19,610	1,191,885	0
Jerry Davis MD Medical Doctor	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	1,111,616	0	111,880	28,875	19,610	1,271,981	0
Patrick Conway MD Medical Doctor	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	926,616	0	84,721	39,875	21,930	1,073,142	0

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Department of the Treasury

Name of the organization

Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number

39-1866425

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part I Line 1	PURPOSE OF PROMOTING HEALTH CARE BY SUPPORTING, OPERATING FOR THE BENEFIT OF, PERFORMING THE FUNCTIONS OF AND CARRYING OUT THE CHARITABLE PURPOSES OF GLHS, INC 'S AFFILIATES AS LONG AS SUCH ORGANIZATIONS ARE DESCRIBED IN SECTION 501(C)(3) AND SECTIONS 509(A)(1) OR (2) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE Form 990 Part VI Line 2 MARK GLENDENNING AND GERALD ARNDT - BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP Form 990 Part V Lines 1 & 2 ALL PERSONNEL SERVICES FOR GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC ARE PERFORMED BY EMPLOYEES OF GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC AND ALL PAYMENTS TO VENDORS ARE MADE BY GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC HENCE LINES 1 & 2 INDICATE ZERO (0) FILINGS

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part VI Line 11b	THE FORM 990 WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL BOARD MEMBERS AT A BOARD MEETING AND THE GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM FINANCE COMMITTEE RECEIVES A COPY OF THE 990 BEFORE FILING AND UPON FURTHER REVIEW FROM THE CFO AND/OR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FINANCE, THE 990S ARE APPROVED AND FILED

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part VI Line 12c	EACH MEMBER OF GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC 'S GOVERNING BOARD SIGNS A CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT ON AN ANNUAL BASIS CONFLICTS ARE MONITORED BY REVIEWING ANY DISCLOSURES MADE ON THESE STATEMENTS

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part VI Line 15a	ALL PERSONNEL SERVICES FOR GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC ARE PERFORMED BY EMPLOYEES OF GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC THE COMPENSATION OF THE CEO IS DETERMINED ANNUALLY BY A COMMITTEE MADE UP OF THE COMMUNITY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES THEIR DETERMINATION IS MADE AFTER A REVIEW OF MARKET DATA OBTAINED FROM SEVERAL ORGANIZATIONS AND CEO PERFORMANCE MEETING MINUTES ARE TAKEN WHERE SUCH DISCUSSIONS TAKE PLACE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COMPENSATION FOR THE ORGANIZATION'S KEY MANAGEMENT EMPLOYEES ARE DEVELOPED ANNUALLY BY THE CEO, AFTER REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE AND COMPARABLE MARKET DATA THE PROPOSED SALARIES ARE INDEPENDENTLY REVIEWED BY AN OUTSIDE AUDITING FIRM THE COMPENSATION RECOMMENDATIONS, AUDIT REPORTS, ALONG WITH THE MARKET DATA, ARE PRESENTED TO A COMMITTEE MADE UP OF THE COMMUNITY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES THE COMPENSATION AMOUNTS ARE NOT EFFECTIVE UNTIL THE BOARD COMMITTEE APPROVES THEM MEETING MINUTES ARE TAKEN AND KEPT AT THE MEETINGS WHERE THE BOARD REVIEWS AND APPROVES THE COMPENSATION OF THE KEY EMPLOYEES

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part VI Line 19	REQUESTS FOR ALL DOCUMENTS ARE MADE THROUGH THE LEGAL DEPARTMENT, AND THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION IN THE LEGAL DEPARTMENT A COPY OF THE GUNDERSEN LUTHERAN HEALTH SYSTEM, INC 'S FORM 990 CAN ALSO BE FOUND ELECTRONICALLY ON WWW GUIDESTAR ORG Form 990 Part VII GUNDERSEN Lutheran ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC PAID AN INDEPENDENT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY \$346,356 FOR MARK TERESIS SERVICES AS INTERIM CFO

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990 Part XI Line 9	OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS EQUITY OF CONSOLIDATED AFFILIATES \$(9,474,524) EQUITY OF UNCO NSOLIDATED AFFILIATES \$2,919,951 EQUITY IN WINONA AMBULANCE \$726,183 TOTAL \$(5,828,390)

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

OMB No 1545-0047

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▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.**
 ▶ **Attach to Form 990.**
 ▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Employer identification number

39-1866425

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

See Additional Data Table

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
(1) Degen Berglund Inc 1709 Losey Blvd South La Crosse, WI 54601 39-0971110	Retail Pharmacy	WI	GLHS	C Corp	-1,316,100	3,982,526	100 000 %	Yes	
(2) Gundersen Lutheran Envision LLC 1836 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 27-4706546	Renewable Energy	WI	GLHS	C Corp	-854,479	6,344,559	100 000 %	Yes	

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule

	Yes	No
1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?		
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		No
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)		No
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	Yes	
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)		No
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)		No
f Dividends from related organization(s)		No
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)		No
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)		No
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)		No
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)		No
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)		No
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)		No
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)		No
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)		No
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)		No
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses		No
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses		No
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)		No
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)		No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) Gundersen Lutheran Admin Services Inc	c	2,528,270	FMV

Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 39-1866425
Name: Gundersen Lutheran Health System Inc

Form 990, Schedule R, Part II - Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations

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						Yes	No
1910 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-0813416	Health Care	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
1836 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1028657	Health Care	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
1910 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1606449	Support Org	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 12B,II	GLHS	Yes	
1836 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1249705	Foundation	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 7	GLHS	Yes	
1910 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1856898	Credentialing	WI	501(c)(3)	Ln 12C,III	GLHS	Yes	
18601 Lincoln Street Whitehall, WI 54773 39-0704510	Health Care	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
18601 Lincoln Street Whitehall, WI 54773 30-0093022	Foundation	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 12A, I	TRI-COUNTY		No
815 Main Avenue South Harmony, MN 55939 41-0711606	Health Care	MN	501(c)(3)	Line 10	GLHS	Yes	
125 Fifth Avenue SE Spring Grove, MN 55974 41-1565003	Health Care	MN	501(c)(3)	Line 10	GLHS	Yes	
235 Causeway Blvd La Crosse, WI 54603 39-1965415	MDCL TRANSP	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
235 Causeway Blvd La Crosse, WI 54603 39-1962965	MDCL TRANSP	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 10	GLHS	Yes	
1910 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1480826	Housing	WI	501(c)(3)	Ln 12C,III	GLHS	Yes	
1900 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1751934	Ind Living	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 10	LRHC		No
1900 South Avenue La Crosse, WI 54601 39-1586700	Ind Living	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 10	LRHC		No
400 Water Avenue Hillsboro, WI 54634 39-0929538	Health Care	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
400 Water Avenue Hillsboro, WI 54634 39-1455787	Foundation	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 12A, I	S JOSEPH HS		No
205 Parker Street Boscobel, WI 53805 39-0845590	Health Care	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
205 Parker Street Boscobel, WI 53805 39-1688793	Fundraising	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 7	NA		No
205 Parker Street Boscobel, WI 53805 45-0498844	Fundraising	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 7	NA		No
112 Jefferson Street West Union, IA 52175 42-1320763	Health Care	IA	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	

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						Yes	No
112 Jefferson Street West Union, IA 52175 42-1032878	Foundation	IA	501(c)(3)	Line 7	PLHC		No
402 West Lake Street Friendship, WI 53934 39-0944012	Healthcare	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 3	GLHS	Yes	
402 West Lake Street Friendship, WI 53934 39-1775074	Foundation	WI	501(c)(3)	Line 12A, I	MMHC		No