# **Community Benefit Report 2022**

**Elmore** 



### **Continuing Our Legacy of Excellence in Health Care**

From our founding in 1902 to 2022, when we were recognized as one of the top 15 health systems in the nation for the ninth consecutive year, St. Luke's has always been a leader in quality care and a dedicated community partner.

As Idaho's only locally based, not-for-profit, community owned and led health system, we are committed to providing all patients with the highest quality health care, regardless of their ability to pay.

15 Top Health Systems



Supported by amazing community partners, visionary board members and a highly dedicated team, St. Luke's delivers on its mission with care and compassion, and I'm proud and grateful to be part of that.

- Chris Roth, St. Luke's President and CEO

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Ensuring homebound or transportation-limited seniors and people with disabilities have access to nutritious, balanced meals can be a challenge. Fortunately, a St. Luke's grant allowed the Mountain Home Senior Center to provide 23,500 Meals on Wheels meals and 5,400 congregate meals to Elmore County residents.



The Officers Spouses Club at Mountain Home Air Force base is one of the largest supporters of St. Luke's Elmore Foundation's Mammography Fund. Their generosity provides access to hundreds of free mammograms for our community and will help fund a 3-D Mobile Mammography Unit to be used in Elmore and Twin Falls counties.



### At a Glance: Caring for Our Communities in 2022

St. Luke's primary service area is Ada County, with our secondary service area covering southwest and south-central Idaho, eastern Oregon and northern Nevada. The numbers below provide a broad overview of the rich benefits St. Luke's provides to local communities in these counties: Ada, Blaine, Canyon, Elmore, Jerome, Twin Falls and Valley. Please note that community benefits provided outside these counties is not captured in this data. All numbers are current as of the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 2022.



\$947 Million
Total Community
Benefit



\$78 Million
Services and Programs for

Services and Programs for the Community





#### **Community Needs Determination Process**

St. Luke's community health efforts are directed by community needs assessments, St. Luke's community boards and community health managers. In 2022, St. Luke's published our most recent Community Health Needs Assessment, which is designed to help us better understand the most significant health challenges facing the individuals and families in our service areas.

Community Health and Engagement, in collaboration with internal and external stakeholders, is responsible for developing, implementing and maintaining optimal community health initiatives designed to address our communities' most significant health needs.



It is exciting to invest in solutions and relationships that solve multiple challenges in our community, allowing us to increase our reach and impact to improve lives.

> - Theresa McLeod, St. Luke's Administrator of Community Health and Engagement

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# Report of Community Benefits 2022 St. Luke's Elmore

St. Luke's Elmore is a critical access hospital serving Mountain Home and the large, rural areas of Elmore County. The former Elmore Medical Center was founded in 1955 and integrated with St. Luke's Health System in 2013. The hospital, area clinics and local providers are a vital part of this close-knit community, which includes Mountain Home Air Force Base.







**\$154,673**Donations Received



**676**Volunteer Hours



**34** Volunteers



**275** Employees



153 Physicians\*



**86**Advanced Practice Providers\*

### **Providing a High Quality of Care**

\$505,041

Education of Health Professionals

\$110,480

Cash and In-Kind Donations

\$54,236

Subsidized Health Services \$2,764

Community Health Improvement Services

**Community Services** 

\*Providers with practice privileges at our locations. All numbers provided as of fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 2022.





\$1.57M Medicare

\$2.04M Medicaid

St. Luke's provides health care to eligible patients without charge or at a reduced rate, based upon a sliding scale derived from federal poverty guidelines.





We live in a wonderful community, and the team at St. Luke's Elmore, along with great local partners, is committed to keeping our kids and neighbors healthy and thriving.

- Lisa Melchiorre, St. Luke's Elmore Chief Operations
Officer and Chief Nursing Officer

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# **Giving Thanks**

Our work assessing and addressing community needs would not be possible without a visionary board of directors and dedicated community boards. We are grateful for their partnership and guidance.

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The information provided in this report is required by Idaho Code 63-602D, which states that 501(c)(3) hospitals having 150 or more beds must file a community benefit report with the Board of Equalization by Dec. 31 of each year. According to the code, the report is to include a description of the process the hospital has used to determine general community needs that align with the hospital's mission. In addition, the report shall include the hospital's amount of:

- Unreimbursed services for the prior year (charity care, bad debt, and under-reimbursed care covered through government programs).
- Donated time, funds, subsidies and in-kind services.
- · Additions to capital such as physical plant and equipment.

