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Key Hospital Financial Statistics and Ratio Medians 2019

The table below lists hospital indicators collected by a few organizations that you may find useful when considering your organization's performance.

Measure	Optum[1]	Premier, Inc.[2]	HFMA MAP App[3]
Sample size (n)	4742	N/A	303
Average length of stay (days)	4.2	4.3	
Maintained bed occupancy (%)	43.1	55.3	
Operating margin (%)	2.37	7.41	
Total margin (%)	3.1	8.4	
Debt services coverage (x)	N/A	N/A	
Current ratio (x)	2	2.18	
Cushion ratio (x)	N/A	N/A	
Accounts receivable (days)	54.9	47.1	49.2
Average payment period (days)	N/A	N/A	
Average age of plant (years)	11.9	12.6	
Debt-to-capitalization (%)	22.3	30.01	
Capital expense (%)	5.22	6.67	
Patient recommends (%)	N/A	N/A	

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[2.] Source: Premier OperationsAdvisor.™

[3.] Source: HFMA's mapapp December 2019.

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