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HOSPITAL & HEALTH CARE SYSTEMS REQUESTED DATA ITEMS

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BEST'S RATING REQUIREMENTS AS OF 2/08

SYSTEM-PROVIDED DATA SOURCES:

1. AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS INCLUDING CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT AND BALANCE SHEET FOR PAST THREE YEARS AND MOST CURRENT YEAR-TO-DATE INTERNAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
2. BUDGET (INCOME STATEMENT, BALANCE SHEET, CASH FLOW AND STATISTICS)
3. OPERATING PROJECTIONS FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS
4. CORPORATE STRUCTURE CHART
5. CURRENT BOND RATINGS AND REPORTS
6. PATIENT UTILIZATION STATISTICS FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS AND YEAR TO DATE (BY HOSPITAL IF APPLICABLE)
7. CURRENT MARKET SHARE INFORMATION AND SERVICE AREA DEMOGRAPHICS
8. PAYOR MIX
9. TOP 10 ADMITTING PHYSICIANS AND PERCENTAGE OF PATIENTS ADMITTED (BASED ON PHYSICIAN SPECIALTY) BY HOSPITAL
10. NUMBER OF BOARD-CERTIFIED PHYSICIANS (BY HOSPITAL)
11. AVERAGE AGE OF PHYSICIANS (BY HOSPITAL)
12. CAPITAL BUDGET
13. SOURCES AND USES OF CASH FOR NEXT THREE YEARS
14. STRATEGIC PLAN/FORECASTS
15. CURRENT INVESTMENT POLICY AND ASSET ALLOCATION

EXTERNAL DATA SOURCES:

1. MEDICARE COST REPORTS
2. INDEPENDENT, THIRD-PARTY QUALITY-OF-CARE COMPARISON REPORTS AND AWARDS

