



California

On November 20, 2014, leaders from the rural health community from across the country will celebrate National Rural Health Day in recognition of the tremendous accomplishments that have been achieved in rural healthcare this year. In support of this recognition, iVantage Health Analytics has developed a data-driven program designed to identify excellence across a broad spectrum of indicators relevant to hospital performance and patient care.

The National Organization of State Offices of Rural Health (NOSORH) and iVantage recognize California as having 31 hospitals reach top quartile performance status in Quality, Outcomes, Patient Satisfaction, and Financial Stability compared to all acute care hospitals in the nation. The rankings have been designated by the Hospital Strength INDEX™, the assessment of hospital performance in the country to include all rural providers.

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5 Rural Hospitals are recognized for Excellence in Quality – Top quartile performers in the Quality-Based pillar of INDEX (AMI, HF, PN, SCIP, OP Process of Care Scores)

- Barstow Community Hospital
- Memorial Hospital Los Banos
- Santa Ynez Valley Cottage Hospital
- Sonora Regional Medical Center

6 Rural Hospitals are recognized for Excellence in Outcomes – Top quartile performers in the Outcomes pillar of INDEX (Patient Safety Indicators, Readmissions, Mortality).

- Feather River Hospital
- John C. Fremont Healthcare District
- Kern Valley Healthcare District
- Sonora Regional Medical Center
- St. Elizabeth Community Hospital
- St. Joseph Hospital

10 Rural Hospitals are recognized for Excellence in Patient Satisfaction – Top quartile performers in the Patient Perspective pillar of INDEX (HCAHPS “Willingness to recommend”).

- Bear Valley Community Hospital
- Feather River Hospital
- Frank R. Howard Memorial Hospital
- Healdsburg District Hospital
- John C. Fremont Healthcare District
- Mammoth Hospital
- Mercy Medical Center Mt. Shasta
- Northern Inyo Hospital
- Santa Ynez Valley Cottage Hospital
- Tahoe Forest Hospital

10 Rural Hospitals are recognized for Excellence in Financial Strength –
 Top quartile performers in the Financial Stability pillar of INDEX (Leverage, Liquidity, Capital Efficiency, and Resource Availability).

- Barstow Community Hospital
- Barton Memorial Hospital
- Colusa Regional Medical Center
- Frank R. Howard Memorial Hospital
- Mammoth Hospital
- Mark Twain Medical Center
- Redwood Memorial Center
- Santa Ynez Valley Cottage Hospital
- St. Elizabeth Community Hospital
- Tehachapi Hospital

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