## **US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy Inconsistency**

## **Health Care Revenues**

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This specific analysis is for TWO PURPOSES. First, there is a specific issue related to the inconsistent use of the following four health care revenue concepts relative to one another within XBRL-based public company financial filings to the SEC:

- us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenue
- us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationPatientServiceRevenue
- us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationPatientServiceRevenueLessProvisionForBadDebts
- us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenueNetOfPatientServiceRevenueProvisions

Second, this specific issue can be used to understand the general issue that exists in the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy related to understanding the relations between concepts within that taxonomy.

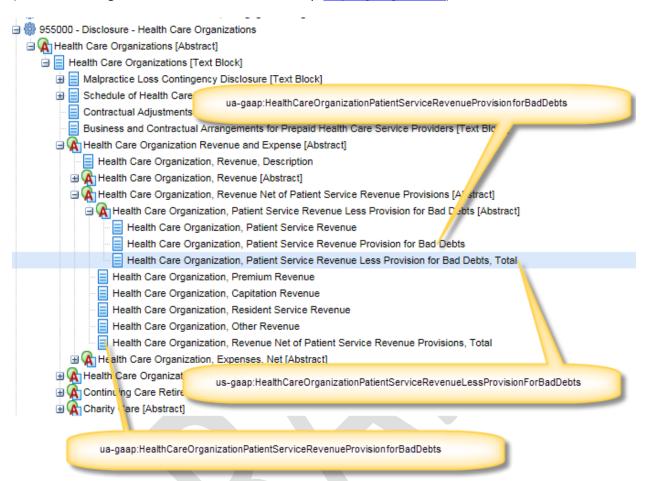
The US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy provides these four concepts within two different networks of the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy. The first concept and second concept (us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenue and us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationPatientServiceRevenue) are part of network 124000 – Statement – Statement of Income (Including Gross Margin)

(Use this link to go to the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy, <a href="http://goo.gl/uxcPBe">http://goo.gl/uxcPBe</a>)



The second location of health care related these health care related revenues concepts is 955000 – Disclosure – Health Care Organization

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Second and most importantly, this specific example is representative of a general issue that exists within XBRL-based public company financial filings to the SEC. Meaning, a solution is not only needed for the issue I am pointing out here, solutions are need for many, many other areas within the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy and XBRL-based public company financial filings which use that taxonomy. The general pattern is how concepts should be used relative to one another.

The diagram below maps the calculations from the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy to one another in order to see the combined flow. This flow is rather confusing.

	Health Care Organization, Patient Service Revenue Less Provision for Bad Debts			
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Per the documentation within the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy and per observations of XBRL-based financial filings to the SEC, the following appears to be the relative relationship between the concepts referenced above:

us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationPatientServiceRevenue --- is PART-OF --->
us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationPatientServiceRevenueLessProvisionForBadDebts --- is PART-OF --->
us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenueNetOfPatientServiceRevenueProvisions --- is PART-OF --->
us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenue

Below are a number of observations from XBRL-based public company financial filings to the SEC which appear to show the relations documented above and one (the first one) which contradicts this flow of relations:

## Example #1: COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC

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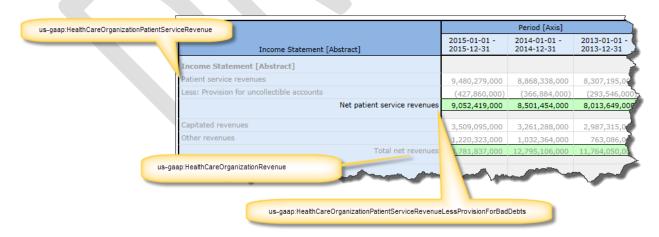
This incorrectly mixes concepts from the income statement and the disclosure. This appears to be **INCORRECT** because us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenue is PART-OF us-gaap:HealthCareOrganizationRevenueNetOfPatientServiceRevenueProvisions; based on what the US GAAP XBRL Taxonomy appears to say, this is the reverse of what is stated in the taxonomy.



Example #2: DAVITA HEALTHCARE PARTNERS INC.

http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/927066/000156459016013587/0001564590-16-013587-index.htm

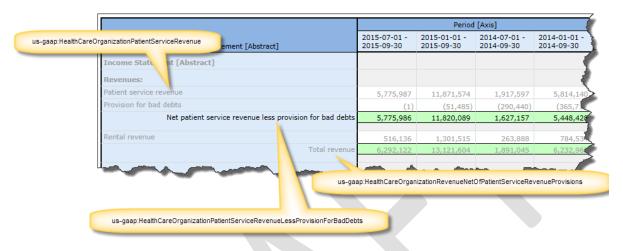
This mixes concepts from the income statement and the disclosure. This appears consistent with my assessment and what is observed in the majority of XBRL-based public company financial filings.



Example #3: First Choice Healthcare Solutions, Inc.

http://www.sec.gov/Archives/edgar/data/1416876/000157570515000068/0001575705-15-000068-index.htm

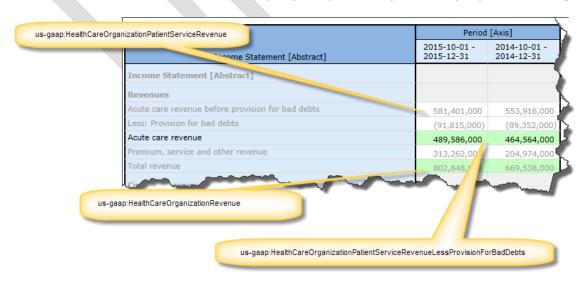
This uses only concepts from the disclosure. This appears consistent with my assessment and what is observed in the majority of XBRL-based public company financial filings.



## Example #4: IASIS HEALTHCARE LLC

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This mixes concepts from the income statement and disclosure. This appears consistent with my assessment and what is observed in the majority of XBRL-based public company financial filings.



Off-the-shelf commercial software, XBRL Cloud, was used to verify 17 XBRL-based public company financial reports of the health services industry which had these relations with the consistency of this suggests of this document and only one was not consistent with this document. As pointed out in Example #1, Community Health systems was not consistent with the suggestions of this document.



Here is a list of public company filings that can be used to obtain more information about this inconsistency issue:

CIK	Accession	Entity Registrant Name	Document Type	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Period	Activity	Accepted
CIK	Accession	Entity Registrant Name	Туре	Teal	renou	Activity	Accepted
1606180	0001564590-15-010373	AAC Holdings, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/10/2015
896262	0001193125-15-368169	AMEDISYS INC	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/5/2015
1014739	0001014739-15-000017	BioScrip, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/4/2015
1136174	0001437749-15-020812	CATASYS, INC.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/13/2015
1108109	0001193125-16-467152	COMMUNITY HEALTH SYSTEMS INC	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/17/2016
927066	0001564590-16-013587	DAVITA HEALTHCARE PARTNERS INC.	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/26/2016
919956	0001628280-15-008338	Diversicare Healthcare Services, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/5/2015
1578318	0001558370-16-003692	Envision Healthcare Holdings, Inc.	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/29/2016
1416876	0001575705-15-000068	First Choice Healthcare Solutions, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/16/2015
1294632	0001193125-16-465388	IASIS HEALTHCARE LLC	10-Q	2016	Q1	HealthCare	2/16/2016
1060009	0001564590-16-013685	KINDRED HEALTHCARE, INC	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/29/2016
1303313	0001303313-15-000028	LHC Group, Inc	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/5/2015
893949	0001193125-16-459842	MEDNAX, INC.	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/11/2016
1047335	0001047335-16-000180	NATIONAL HEALTHCARE CORP	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/19/2016

70318	0001558370-16-003350	TENET HEALTHCARE CORP	10-K	2015	FY	HealthCare	2/22/2016
1389518	0001199835-15-000550	Tongji Healthcare Group, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/23/2015
1089815	0001140361-15-041345	U.S. NeuroSurgical Holdings, Inc.	10-Q	2015	Q3	HealthCare	11/16/2015



