

2025 BARTON
HEALTH

community
BENEFIT REPORT





MESSAGE TO OUR *Community*



It is deeply meaningful to provide care for the community where you live — watching neighbors heal, welcoming new families, and working alongside colleagues who are as committed to this place as you are. That is the work we do every day at Barton Health, and this past year reminded me, once again, why it matters.

In 2025, we took a significant step forward in our pursuit of healthcare excellence by joining Cleveland Clinic Connected — a global network of top-performing hospitals committed to the highest standards of patient care, safety, and innovation. This collaboration brings the expertise of one of the world's leading health systems to Lake Tahoe and will strengthen our capabilities in cardiology, oncology, and neurology. It will also inform the design of our future hospital, drawing on Cleveland Clinic's vast experience in healthcare facility planning to ensure our new campus is built around the patient experience from the very first blueprint. Our community deserves access to exceptional care close to home, and this partnership is an impactful step toward that goal.

Expanding access to care across our region remained a priority throughout the year. Tahoe Orthopedics & Sports Medicine opened a new clinic in Gardnerville, bringing expert orthopedic and sports medicine care to the Carson Valley. We expanded our services into Incline Village with a multi-specialty practice offering cardiovascular care and plastic and reconstructive surgery. And we opened the Barton Wound Center, a dedicated outpatient facility providing comprehensive, multidisciplinary care for patients with complex wounds — addressing not just the wound itself, but the underlying conditions that affect healing.

Over the past year, we welcomed new specialists across multiple disciplines — from orthopedics to critical care and beyond — adding depth to the services our community depends on and enhancing the care we're able to provide close to home.

Beyond our clinical walls, we continued our commitment to the broader health of this community. Partnering with the Tahoe Fund, we helped close the final funding gap for the Kahle Complete Streets Project in Stateline — a water quality and pedestrian safety initiative which will protect Lake Tahoe's clarity and make our streets more accessible for everyone. Environmental stewardship is not separate from our mission; it is part of it.

As we reflect on the year behind us and look ahead, I am grateful — for the trust this community places in us, for our dedicated team of physicians, nurses, and staff, and for the partnerships that make this work possible. It is an honor to serve Lake Tahoe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Clint Purvance', written in a cursive style.

Clint Purvance, MD
President & CEO, Barton Health

OUR *Strategy*

CONSISTENTLY EXCEPTIONAL CARE

Barton Health's Strategic Plan focuses efforts on continuously improving care by putting patients first and delivering excellence in care. Our goals are the pillars of exceptional care and a healthy community.

OUR FIVE PILLARS:



Operational Excellence:

Improve the continuum of care for all patients and their families.



Financial Stewardship & Strategic Growth:

Ensure the continuity of a locally governed health system.



Quality & Compassion:

Strengthen our position as a provider of compassionate and quality care.



Physician & Employee Engagement:

Strengthen our position as a great place to work, practice, and volunteer.



Community Health & Collaboration:

Strengthen our position as a leader in community health.



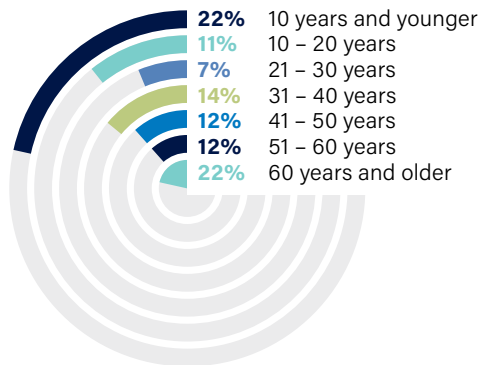
Operational EXCELLENCE

BARTON COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

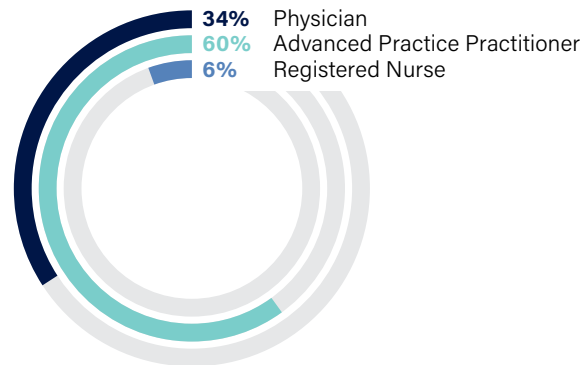
Barton Community Health Center plays a vital role in improving access to care for our most vulnerable populations by providing comprehensive, affordable primary and preventive services regardless of ability to pay.

26,489 PATIENT VISITS IN 2025

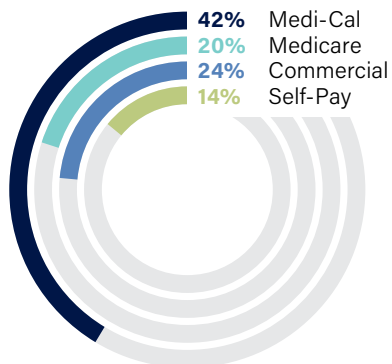
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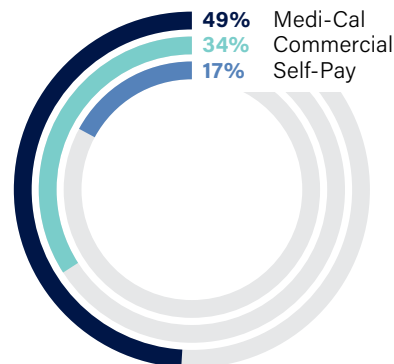
2025 VISITS



2025 PAYER MIX (ADULT)



2025 PAYER MIX (PEDIATRICS)



EXPANDING ACCESS TO OUR COMMUNITY

Barton welcomed the following providers in 2025, expanding access to care:

1.

Anesthesiologist
Nurse Practitioner
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon
Pathologist
Physician's Assistant
Pulmonologist
Radiologist

2.

Critical Care Providers
Emergency Medicine Providers
Orthopedic Surgeons

Barton also expanded to new locations and service lines in 2025, including:

- Tahoe Orthopedics & Sports Medicine in Carson Valley
- Incline Village Service Expansion with Cardiology and Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery
- Barton Wound Center
- Pulmonary Medicine

BARTON WELCOMED 337 BABIES IN 2025

Barton Health welcomed the first baby of the new year on Thursday, January 2, 2025.

Three hundred and thirty-seven babies were delivered at the Barton Memorial



Hospital Family Birthing Center in 2025. Composed of registered nurses, lactation consultants, board-certified obstetricians and pediatricians, the Family Birthing Center offers families private suites for labor, delivery and recovery. Barton is proud to maintain one of the lowest cesarean section rates in California and holds a Baby-Friendly designation, reflecting our commitment to evidence-based maternity care.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP & STRATEGIC GROWTH



Barton Health remains committed to strategically introducing and expanding service lines to improve access to care, enhance quality, and respond to the evolving health needs of the community.

CLEVELAND CLINIC CONNECTED COLLABORATION

In 2025, Barton Health joined **Cleveland Clinic Connected**, a global network of hospitals focused on excellence in patient care, safety, and innovation. This collaboration enhances Barton Health's clinical resources and access to best practices while care continues to be delivered locally by Barton Health providers, allowing patients to receive high-quality care close to home.



2025 FINANCIAL COMMITMENT TO OUR COMMUNITY

Barton Health is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization that provides high-quality, compassionate care to anyone who comes to us for medical attention.

\$7.8 MILLION

in hospital and charity care provided for free or at discounted rates for eligible low-income, uninsured, or underinsured patients.

ECONOMIC IMPACT

Barton's goal is not only to deliver consistently exceptional healthcare services to patients, but also foster a vibrant and thriving community by positively impacting the local economy. As one of the region's largest employers, Barton Health contributes significantly to the local economy by providing stable employment, competitive wages, and comprehensive benefits – supporting the financial well-being of hundreds of local families.

GROSS PAYROLL

\$101,921,867

QUALITY & COMPASSION

Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) is a care delivery model that emphasizes coordinated, comprehensive care led by a primary care provider to ensure patients receive the right care, at the right time, in the right setting.



PATIENT-CENTERED MEDICAL HOME 2025 REPORT CARD

IMPROVED:

Depression Screening and Follow-Up by **6%**

Diabetic Control by **3%**

Blood Pressure Control by **3%**

Breast Cancer Screening by **2%**

Colorectal Cancer Screening by **2%**

Cervical Cancer Screening by **1%**

ADDITIONALLY:

Access to **remote patient monitoring was expanded** to include Hypertension (HTN) monitoring and Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) monitoring

Increased Medicare wellness visits by **12%**

Access to primary care increased, serving an additional **998** patients compared to last year

MEDICATION FOR ADDICTION TREATMENT AND SUBSTANCE USE PREVENTION



Physicians at Barton Health provide **Medication for Addiction Treatment (MAT)** for individuals with alcohol and opioid use disorders across inpatient, outpatient, and emergency department settings. MAT may include FDA-approved medications, combined with clinical care and community-based support to promote long-term recovery.

Substance Use Navigators are available **7 days a week**, serving as a vital resource for patients in the hospital as well as individuals throughout the community. Navigators provide education, harm-reduction resources, care coordination, and connections to treatment and recovery services.

Consistently Exceptional Care ISN'T JUST OUR PROMISE; IT'S IN THE PROOF.



Newsweek World's Best Hospitals 2025 for patient satisfaction, recommendations from medical experts and key performance indicators.



The Leapfrog Group awarded Barton with an "A" Grade for Patient Safety in their Hospital Safety Score.



US News & World Report awarded Barton with a High Performing Hospitals rating for Maternity Care.



Baby-Friendly Designated Hospital demonstrates that Barton Health adheres to the highest standards of care for breastfeeding mothers and their babies.



Recognized for safe and healthy outcomes at Barton Center for Orthopedics & Wellness for knee and hip replacements.



Designated a Blue Distinction® Center for Maternity Care at Barton's Family Birthing Center.



Designated a Surgical Quality Partner in recognition of surgical quality and commitment to maintaining the highest standards in surgical care.



Designated as a Birthing-Friendly Center for a perinatal quality improvement collaborative program to improve maternal health.



Opioid Care Honor Roll "Superior Performance," Maternity Honor Roll, Patient Safety Honor Roll



Five-Star Overall Rating for patient safety and quality of care at Barton's Skilled Nursing Facility.



Cesarean Delivery Rate Award for the fourth year in a row for achieving a target cesarean birth rate.



Sepsis Honor Roll participant for exceptional, safe sepsis care.



Joint Commission Core Certification in spine surgery and for total hip and knee joint replacement surgery.



Lake Tahoe's only Level III Trauma Center, offering expanded trauma care services.



Recognized with the Women's Choice Award® as one of America's Best Hospitals in Orthopedics and Patient Experience.

COMMUNITY HEALTH AND *Collaboration*



TAHOE FUND PARTNERSHIP - KAHLE DRIVE

Barton Health partnered with Tahoe Fund to close the final funding gap for Kahle Drive improvements, supporting safer access for the community.



LIGHT UP A LIFE EVENT

On December 3, Barton Hospice hosted a remembrance event allowing community members and hospice families to gather in honor of those whom they have loved and lost. This event provided people with the opportunity to honor their loved ones, followed by the lighting of a tree adorned with photos.



FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CLINICS

Barton hosted a February Heart Health Month event and multiple walk-in clinics in 2025, serving 264 patients. There were 149 free blood pressure monitors distributed, and patients were educated about the risks of hypertension, lifestyle changes to reduce hypertension, and how to use the monitors.

DRUG TAKE BACK DAY

Barton promoted the local Drug Take Back Days on April 26 and October 25, where community members could drop off used or expired medications and pick up a free lock bag for medication safekeeping.



COMMUNITY HEALTH FAIR

Barton hosted a successful community health fair at Bijou Elementary School on October 19. Approximately **300** community members attended and received medical services and education, such as blood pressure checks, CPR training, and Covered CA enrollment support, along with community-provided services, including flu vaccines.



BARTON HEALTH TEAM MEMBERS GIVING BACK

Barton Health team members volunteered at 14 community events in 2025, supporting local nonprofits and giving back to the community. Volunteer efforts included partnerships with organizations such as Sample the Sierra, Clean Tahoe, Feed Tahoe, CASA El Dorado, Keep Tahoe Blue, Bread & Broth, Tahoe Paws, Lake Tahoe Wildlife Care, and many more dedicated groups serving the Lake Tahoe region.



PROVIDERS OUT IN THE COMMUNITY

- Official medical coverage provided by Certified Athletic Trainers for local school athletic programs.
- Sports medicine coverage for Come Up for Air (CUFA) Soccer Tournament.
- Medical coverage at America's Most Beautiful Bike Ride, Tour of the California Alps "Death Ride," Reef's Run for Hydrocephalus, and U.S. Ski & Snowboard events.
- Keynote speakers at Lake Tahoe Sports Medicine Primary Care Symposium and Winter Injury Symposium for Medical Professionals.



CAMP SUNRISE

Camp Sunrise is an annual bereavement camp, hosted in August, serving children ages 7 to 14 who have experienced the death of a loved one or another significant loss. This camp allows children to meet others their age who have experienced similar losses and participate in events involving art, music, and recreation.



BABY/TODDLER & ME SUPPORT GROUP

Over the past year, our free Baby/Toddler & Me classes created a supportive space where parents and caregivers could connect, learn, and grow together during the critical early months of their child's life. Through shared experiences and expert guidance, families built lasting relationships and strengthened their confidence in parenting.

Program Impact

- 87** free classes hosted
- 19** guest speakers, including health and child development professionals
- 63** families served
- 451** attendees

BARTON AUXILIARY

Hard at Work



40 total members volunteered

4,000 hours in 2025

700 cheese ball sales raised **\$4,600**

OTHER PROJECTS INCLUDE:

- Donation of resident room and patio furniture provided to Barton's Skilled Nursing Facility, totaling **\$3,750**
- Footprints to the Future campaign raised **\$2,300**
- See's Candies® sales raised **\$820**
- Five student scholarships totaling **\$11,500**
- Christmas Cheer food distribution to the community
 - › **1,269** families were served, of which **649** were new families
 - › Distributed **302** complete holiday meals – boxes of food
 - › Donated countless items, including personal hygiene items, clothing, shoes, household goods, linens, etc.

BLOOD DRIVES:

- **285** Registered donors
- **319** Total units collected
- **23** First-time donors
- **957** Hospital patients impacted

EMPLOYEE, PHYSICIAN, AND VOLUNTEER *Engagement*



Barton partners with ACCEL El Dorado County, a community-wide collaborative of public and private partners working together to improve the health and well-being of El Dorado County's vulnerable populations.

STOP THE BLEED TRAINING

Barton trauma nurses provided Stop the Bleed training and medical supplies to LTUSD nurses to save lives by stopping extremity bleed in the case of a mass casualty event.



TWELVE WELLNESS WEBINARS

In 2025, 12 wellness webinars were hosted by medical experts with a variety of topics, providing free education and opportunity to engage with physicians.

2025 DRUG STORE PROJECT

Barton Health providers participated in the Drug Store Project on April 2, educating sixth grade students on the dangers and consequences of substance misuse, including vaping, marijuana, alcohol, and counterfeit pills.



FREE SPORTS PHYSICALS

Barton Health physicians and staff provided free sports physicals to student athletes at area high schools.



143

STUDENT ATHLETES SERVED AT DOUGLAS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

270

STUDENT ATHLETES SERVED AT SOUTH TAHOE HIGH SCHOOL, SOUTH TAHOE MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND GEORGE WHITTELL HIGH

BARTON FOOD SERVICES DEPARTMENT GIVES BACK

September

720 emergency meals donated to Saint Theresa's Bread and Broth program

October

50 warm coats donated to the Tahoe Coalition for the Homeless

November

10 cases of non-perishable food items donated to the Tahoe Coalition for the Homeless

December

55 unwrapped Christmas toys donated to the Vista Rise Collective

2025 Calendar Year

4,045 meals donated to the Marcella Foundation Feed Tahoe program

FREE COVERED CA OPEN ENROLLMENT SUPPORT

Our certified Covered CA enrollment counselors were available to assist and enroll community members in a healthcare plan that best fits their needs.

Barton offered discounted Wellness Lab Draws for community members, helping improve access to preventive healthcare screenings and tests. The Wellness Lab Draws are available by walk-in or by appointment, with a provider referral.



Barton Health Foundation Awards More Than **\$228,000** in 2025

Continuing its mission of advancing local healthcare through philanthropy, the Barton Health Foundation awarded more than **\$228,000** in grants throughout 2025. Made possible through the ongoing generosity of Foundation donors, these grants provided critical funding for medical equipment, clinical education, and facility enhancements that support patient services across the Barton Health service network.

Highlights include:

- Life-saving **emergency equipment** for the Emergency Department, including a Stryker LUCAS device, privacy screens, and noise-reduction solutions.
- Smart beds, mobility equipment, furnishings, and patient comfort **enhancements** for the Skilled Nursing Facility.
- Advanced trauma and orthopedic **education, symposiums, and professional training** to support clinical excellence and physician recruitment.
- Portable **“Stop the Bleed” kits** and community safety resources to strengthen emergency preparedness.
- Technology **upgrades and patient-centered amenities**, including iPads for concierge rooms and rehabilitation support services.
- Investments in **continuing education and certification** to ensure Barton Health clinicians remain at the forefront of best practices.

Together, these investments reflect the Barton Health Foundation’s commitment to enhancing patient care, supporting healthcare professionals, and strengthening the health and well-being of the Lake Tahoe community—today and into the future.



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