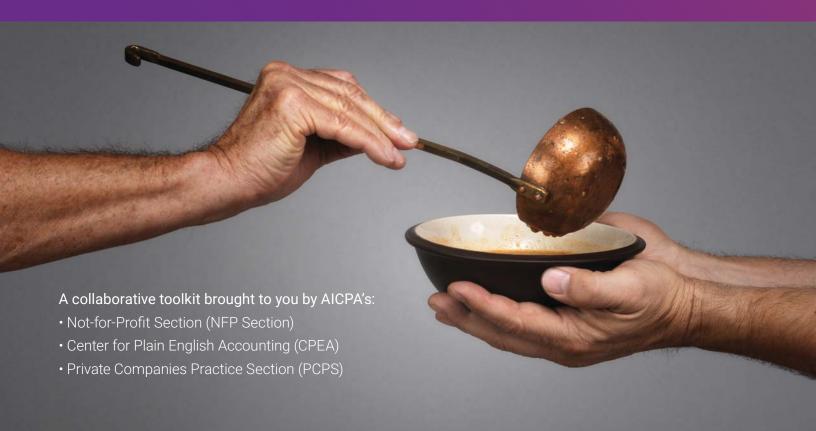


Exploring FASB's Not-for-Profit Financial Reporting Standard: ASU 2016-14

Supplemental Health Care Disclosure Examples: Liquidity and Availability



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Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-14, Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities Healthcare Entity Considerations
ISSUES ANALYSIS – LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

Background

Prior to the adoption of ASU 2016-14, unlike other not-for-profit entities (NFPs), healthcare NFPs were required to show a classified statement of financial position. Additionally, many healthcare NFPs have historically used "assets limited to use" categorization to disclose external and internal-designation limitations that impact their liquidity and availability to meet current operating needs. To enhance the transparency and usefulness of that information, ASU 2016-14, among other provisions, required enhanced disclosures for all NFP entities, including healthcare entities that currently present classified balance sheets, to report how they manage their liquid resources to meet short-term demands for cash and the effects, if any, of limits on resources imposed by a governing board, grantors, donors, lenders, contracts, etc. Under the new reporting model, an NFP's statement of financial position should sequence assets and liabilities based on their relative liquidity. Additionally, a NFP will be required to disclose the following:

- Qualitative information in the notes to financial statements that is useful in assessing an entity's liquidity and that communicates how it manages its liquid resources available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year of the date of the statement of financial position. "General expenditures" is not a defined term in ASU 2016-14. Thus, a preparer could take the position that certain donor restrictions or assets otherwise limited to use are for purposes related to regular, ongoing operations (i.e., fixed asset purchases), and, therefore, such assets could be considered available for general expenditures. The qualitative disclosures should supplement the quantitative disclosure of such items to clearly convey the NFP's views as what is available for general expenditure.
- Quantitative information either on the face of the balance sheet/statement of financial position or in the notes, and additional qualitative information in the notes as necessary, that communicates the availability of an NFP's financial assets to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year of the date of the statement of financial position. Availability of a financial asset may be affected by: 1) its nature, 2) external limits imposed by lenders, contracts, etc., and 3) internal limits imposed by governing boards.

The main objective in presenting this information is to achieve transparency and consistency, and flexibility in the standard gives the organization the opportunity to present the information in a way that best conveys the NFP's views on how it manages its financial assets available for general expenditure.

Issue

Although healthcare entities have historically disclosed more liquidity and availability information than other NFPs, ASU 2016-14 will require additional disclosures as outlined above. Below is an example liquidity and availability disclosure for a healthcare entity focusing on the expanded disclosures outlined in ASU 2016-14. This disclosure should not require a significant amount of additional time as most of the information should already be readily available.

ASSETS Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Patient receivables, net of allowances for uncollectible Investments for current use Other current assets	\$ 70,322 819,074 144,838 332,075
Total current assets	1,366,309
Assets limited to use:	
Board designated	2,950,076
Funds held by trustees	1,119,388
Assets held by captive insurance subsidiary	1,106,317
Donor-restricted assets	 1,474,227
	6,650,008
Property, plant, and equipment, net	3,599,607
Other assets:	
Pledges receivable, net	161,757
Trusts and interests in foundations	122,498
Other noncurrent assets	 367,381
	 651,636
Total assets	\$ 12,267,560

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable	\$ 335,475
Compensation and amounts withheld from payroll	238,938
Current portion of long-term debt	55,778
Variable rate debt classified as current	386,875
Other current liabilities	 434,815
Total current liabilities	1,451,881
Long-term debt:	
Hospital revenue bonds	2,798,062
Notes payable and capital leases	175,548
	2,973,610
Other liabilities:	
Professional and general liability insurance reserves	143,240
Accrued retirement benefits	452,897
Other noncurrent liabilities	 443,437
	 1,039,574
Total liabilities	5,465,065
Net assets:	
Net assets without donor restrictions	5,998,053
Net assets with donor restrictions	 804,442
Total net assets	 6,802,495
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 12,267,560

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Liquidity and Availability-Example 1

As of December 31, 2016, XYZ Hospital System has a working capital (deficit) of (\$85,572) and average days (based on normal expenditures) cash on hand of 7.

Financial assets available for general expenditure within one year of the balance sheet date, consist of the following:

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 70,322
Accounts receivable, net	819,074
Investments	144,838
Assets limited to use:	
Board-designated	1,200,000
Donor-restricted	 500,000
	\$ 2.734.234

The System has certain board-designated and donor-restricted assets limited to use which are available for general expenditure within one year in the normal course of operations. Accordingly, these assets have been included in the qualitative information above. The System has other assets limited to use for donor-restricted purposes, debt service, and for the professional and general liability captive insurance program. Additionally, certain other board-designated assets are designated for future capital expenditures and an operating reserve. These assets limited to use, which are more fully described in Notes ____ and ___ are not available for general expenditure within the next year and are not reflected in the amounts above. However, the board-designated amounts could be made available, if necessary.

As part of the System's liquidity management plan, cash in excess of daily requirements are invested in in short-term investments and money market funds. Occasionally, the Board designates a portion of any operating surplus to an operating reserve, which was \$1,200,000 as of December 31, 2016. This fund established by the board of directors may be drawn upon, if necessary, to meet unexpected liquidity needs.

Additionally, the System maintains a \$5 million line of credit, as discussed in more detail in Note X. As of December 31, 2016, \$5 million remained available on the System's line of credit.

As of December 31, 2016, the System was in compliance with bond covenants, Note Y.

1. Liquidity and Availability-Example 2

As of December 31, 2016, XYZ Hospital System has a working capital (deficit) of (\$85,572) and average days (based on normal expenditures) cash on hand of 7.

The table below represents financial assets available for general expenditures within one year at December 31, 2016:

Financial assets at year end:

Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable, net Investments Assets limited to use:	\$ 70,322 819,074 144,838
Board-designated	2,950,076
Funds held by trustees	1,119,388
Donor-restricted	1,474,227
Pledges receivable, net	161,757
Trusts and interests in foundations	 122,498
Total financial assets	 6,862,180
Less amounts not available to be used within one year:	
Board-designated with liquidity horizons greater than one year	(1,750,076)
Funds held by trustees	(1,119,388)
Donor-restricted with liquidity horizons greater than one year	(974,227)
Pledges receivable, net	(161,757)
Trusts and interests in foundations	 (122,498)
Financial assets not available to be used within one year	 (4,127,946)
Financial assets available to meet general expenditures within one year	\$ 2,734,234

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