UPMC McKeesport brings exceptional health care to communities in the Monongahela Valley, southeast of Pittsburgh. An important contributor to the area’s health, the hospital takes an active role in supporting the local economy through employment, local spending, and strategic community partnerships.

VITAL STATISTICS
FISCAL YEAR 2014

- Licensed Beds: 224
- Hospital Patients: 12,556
- Emergency Dept. Visits: 37,895
- Total Surgeries: 3,465
- Affiliated Physicians: 370

JOBS AND STRENGTHENING THE LOCAL ECONOMY

- UPMC McKeesport Employees: 1,020
- Community Benefits Contribution: $19.9 million
- Free and Reduced Cost Care: $11.5 million
- Total Economic Impact Of Hospital Operations: $268.6 million

World-Class Care Close to Home
- UPMC McKeesport provides cutting-edge medical services not typically found in a community hospital. Specialized services include CT imaging, digital mammography, minimally invasive surgery, an on-site UPMC CancerCenter, and an Advanced Primary Stroke Center.
- The hospital also provides cardiac care, behavioral health, rehabilitation, and wound healing services.
- UPMC McKeesport has obtained NICHE (Nurses Improving Care for Health System Elderly) designation recognizing its expertise in providing quality care to the area’s growing senior population.

Serving as an Important Economic Resource to the Community
- An important resource to the community, UPMC McKeesport provides jobs to 1,020 employees.
- UPMC McKeesport continues to be a campus site for UPMC St. Margaret School of Nursing. This past year, nearly 80 percent of graduates were hired to join the UPMC workforce.
- The hospital’s Allied Health Apprenticeship Program guides high school students through training and certification to become nursing assistants.

UPMC helps support the economies of local communities by providing 4,900 jobs to area residents.
CREATING A HEALTHIER COMMUNITY

Promoting Healthy Living Throughout the Community

• UPMC McKeesport’s flu shot program — presented in cooperation with McKeesport Hospital Foundation, UPMC Health Plan, and local EMS providers — joins with the Mon River Fleet, a group of local State Health Improvement Plans (SHIPS), to help protect the community from illness.
• UPMC McKeesport’s Lion’s Diabetes Center offers more than 230 patients personalized education sessions, including discussions about blood sugar monitoring and control, diet, and coping with stress and life changes.

Linking Seniors to Community Resources

• In 2014, the hospital opened the new Aging Institute Community Resource Center at UPMC McKeesport to address the special needs of seniors.
• UPMC McKeesport’s “Ask a Pharmacist” events bring pharmacists to senior community centers to help answer questions about medications.

UPMC McKeesport helps provide over 7,300 doses of flu vaccine to community members through 158 neighborhood sites, as well as to elderly and homebound residents.

In 2013, UPMC McKeesport conducted a Community Health Needs Assessment which brought together community leaders and public health experts to identify and discuss local health needs. The assessment showed that diabetes, immunizations and vaccinations, post-discharge coordination, and preventive screenings are important health topics for UPMC McKeesport to focus on over the next three years.