Isn't it time for TRANSPARENCY in how our taxpayer dollars are being spent?

Most hospitals in Massachusetts receive more than half of their revenues from you, the taxpayer (through Medicare and Medicaid). In addition, most facilities receive other generous public benefits - the most obvious being the favorable property tax treatment that not-for-profit hospitals enjoy (they pay zero in property taxes).

These taxpayer subsidies are intended to provide health care services, but often get diverted for any number of things including exorbitant salaries for executives.

Don't you want to know how hospital CEOs are spending your tax dollars?

Taxpayer dollars received by hospitals are intended for the exclusive purpose of providing health care services. This voter initiative – The Hospital Profit Transparency and Fairness Act – is designed to provide a mechanism to:

- require hospitals to be fully transparent about their revenues and financial holdings, including revenues stashed in off shore accounts
- limit CEO compensation to 100 times the lowest paid employee
- limit and claw back excess profits to establish a fund to ensure taxpayer dollars are dedicated exclusively to the delivery of safe patient care and necessary health care services for all communities in the Commonwealth

Help us put patients and communities before hospital profits and CEO compensation. Sign our petition today to place this important initiative on the ballot.

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