



4 NYC HEALTH + HOSPITALS ARTS IN MEDICINE COLLECTION

(New York City, USA)

“This diverse portfolio, which includes paintings, sculptures, photographs, and murals, not only enriches the healthcare experience but also serves as a testament to the system’s cultural values.”

This public hospital system manages **one of the country’s largest municipal art collections** – more than 8,000 works (murals, paintings, sculptures, photography) – throughout multiple facilities and public areas.



5 PROJECT ART

University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics (Iowa City, USA)

Originating in the 1970s, Project Art is a long-standing arts program with rotating exhibitions and displays similar to museum programming. It has helped guide other hospital art programs and is noted as a national example of arts in healthcare.



ATTENTION:

These hospitals are all tax exempt and benefit from federal programs intended to help the poor, like Medicaid and 340B. But instead of passing on all the benefits to patients in need, hospitals use scarce resources on luxury investments like art galleries, fancy facilities, and inflated executive salaries, while often betraying patients by cutting corners on care, billing inflated prices, suing low-income patients over medical debt, and even denying care for patients with medical bills.



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THE TOP 5

**NONPROFIT
HOSPITAL ART
MUSEUMS**



YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS!



All across America there are tax-exempt hospitals that receive special taxpayer subsidized benefits in exchange for providing specific charity care and community benefits.

But while far too many Americans report struggling to keep up with healthcare costs, non-profit hospitals are finding creative ways to use that money .. **without actually passing benefits to the lower-income patients who need it!**

One trend in non-profit hospital spending? Expansive art museums, displays, and collections.

These are the top 5 non-profit hospital art museums you won't want to miss (because your tax dollars subsidize them)!



1 CLEVELAND CLINIC (Multiple Locations, USA)

"Take a good look around. Hospital or art museum? Here, it's both."

-Cleveland Clinic

Not a traditional museum, but one of the most ambitious and large-scale art programs in the world: the Cleveland Clinic Art Collection **features thousands of artworks (paintings, sculptures, murals, installations)** throughout its campuses in Ohio, Florida, Nevada, and internationally. Many pieces — including works by celebrated artists — are displayed in public spaces, and there's a dedicated gallery space (the Julia and Larry Pollock Gallery) on the main campus.



2 CEDARS-SINAI ART COLLECTION (Los Angeles, USA)

While part of a major medical center, Cedars-Sinai's permanent art collection (over 4,000 pieces) includes works by...

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renowned 20th-century artists like **Andy Warhol, Pablo Picasso**, Roy Lichtenstein, and Willem de Kooning. Its size, quality, and visibility within a hospital context make it museum-worthy for both patients and the general public.



3 ESKENAZI HEALTH (Indiana, USA)

"The Eskenazi Health Public Art Collection was created to represent the diversity and brilliance of our community, and carry forward Eskenazi Health's deep and long-standing connection with the people of Indianapolis."

-Eskenazi Health

This growing collection of more than 400 art objects covers a multitude of disciplines from international and national artists alongside a very large collection of local Indianapolis artists and makers.