

## **NOTICE:**

## HOSPITAL LICENSING FEE INCREASE FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2013

The 2015 session of the Rhode Island General Assembly amended Rhode Island General Laws Section 23-17-38.1 to include a provision to increase the hospital licensing fee imposed upon the net patient services revenue of every hospital from the prior rate of 5.703%. A summary of the changes are as follows:

FIRST FISCAL YEAR	<u>RATE</u>
<b>ENDING ON OR AFTER:</b>	
JANUARY 1, 2013	5.745%
JANUARY 1, 2014	5.862%

A 37% license fee discount still applies to all hospitals located in Washington County.

\*Please note if you have already filed your report for the period ending September 30, 2013, you will be required to submit a revised report immediately reflecting the new rate.

An updated version of Form HCP-4 Hospital Licensing Fee Report is available on the RI Division of Taxation website: http://www.tax.ri.gov/taxforms/healthcare.php.

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