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Price Gouging Experience:

My local hospital is 'gouged' by uncompensated care of people using the Emergency Services for low acuity issues. After some subsidy assistance, primarily from the Federal government, the hospital reports to the State of Florida show over \$2million of uncompensated care. This causes this hospital to negotiate higher reimbursement rates from commercial carriers. This type of 'gouging' should not be acceptable to the Governor or the legislative body. Thank you.