

Setting the record straight

You may have seen recent media coverage of local elected officials alleging that the closure of Atlanta Medical Center was discriminatory.

The claim that Wellstar discriminated against any patient is shameful and false.

We find it troubling that certain community leaders and representatives have chosen not to share or discuss the facts of the AMC discussions and strategies over the years.

To learn more, please visit **wellstar.org/AMCfacts**.

We care for the people who need us.

And we care for more people in need than anyone else in the state.

As the largest provider of charity care in Georgia, we remain focused on our mission to enhance the health and well-being of every person we serve, regardless of their race, socioeconomic status or ability to pay. This is why we serve and why we exist.

Wellstar provides more uncompensated care than any other health system in the state, totaling more than \$1.2 billion during fiscal year 2022. Wellstar also ranks in the top 10 nationally of health systems in the amount of charity care provided.

Our safety net hospitals care for every patient that comes through our doors, often without receiving payment or any public financial support.

We have always emphasized inclusion at Wellstar so that our diverse group of 24,000 caregivers can continue caring for diverse communities across Georgia.

OUR VALUES

We will continue to put people first – our values of *serving with compassion, pursuing excellence and honoring every voice* are not just words but serve as the foundation of how we care for our patients, communities and each other.

We will continue to provide More than Healthcare. PeopleCare.

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