



Critical Access Hospital Profile

Spotlight on: Tioga, North Dakota

Tioga Medical Center

Quick Facts

President/CEO:

Ryan Mickelsen

Chief of Medical Staff:

Robert Rotering, MD

Board Chair:

Pastor James Booth

City Population:

1,062 (2019 estimate)¹

County Population:

37,589 (2019 estimate)¹

County Median Household Income:

\$87,161 (2019 estimate)¹

County Median Age:

31.3 years (2019 estimate)¹

Service Area Population:

5,000

Owned by: Non-Profit**Hospital Beds:** 25**Skilled Nursing Facility Beds:** 30**Trauma Level:** V**Critical Access Hospital Designation:** 1999

Economic Impact on the County²

Employment:

Primary – 100

Secondary – 44

Total – 144

Financial Impact:

Primary – \$7.4 million

Secondary – \$1.6 million

Total – \$9 million

Mission:

The mission of Tioga Medical Center is to address the health care needs of the community through providing quality health care and promoting education and wellness.

County: Williams

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Tioga Medical Center, located in Tioga, North Dakota provides a full range of quality health care services. Located in eastern Williams County, Tioga Medical Center operates a 25 bed Critical Access Hospital, a 30 bed Skilled Nursing facility, three rural health clinics located in Tioga, Ray and Powers Lake, North Dakota and a 22 unit independent living unit.

Tioga Medical Center was founded for the primary purpose of administering health care in its most complete form. This means care in the form of mercy and love, as well as providing a professional service.

All persons regardless of race, color, creed, age, or disability are entitled to the best care medical science has to offer. Restorative, physical, mental, social, and spiritual facilities are available to each individual admitted, to aid in recovery and enrich their life.

These individuals are in a transitional and stressful part of their life. They now require professional care, guidance, and support to provide for their needs to obtain their highest level of functioning. Our philosophy is to protect and promote the rights of each individual and to illicit active participation in their plan of care.

We believe the provision of in-service educational programs for employees is essential to maintain a standard of quality for the services our facility provides.

Services:

Tioga Medical Center provides the following services directly:

- Cardiac Rehab
- Clinic Services
- CT-Scan
- EKG
- Emergency Room
- Gastrointestinal Procedures
- Independent Living Unit
- Laboratory
- Occupational Therapy
- Outpatient Surgery
- Physical Therapy
- Radiology
- Skilled Nursing Facility
- Social Services
- Stress Testing
- Swingbed

Staffing

Physicians:	1
PAs:	2
RNs:	23
LPNs:	9
Total Employees:	130

Local Sponsors and Grant Funding Sources

- Center for Rural Health
 - SHIP Grant (Small Hospital Improvement Program)
 - Flex Grant (Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility Grant Program)
- North Dakota Department of Emergency Services-Division of Homeland Security
- Williams County LEPC

Sources

- ¹ - US Census Bureau; American Factfinder, Community Facts
- ² - Economic Impact 2020 Center for Rural Health Oklahoma State University and Center for Rural Health University of North Dakota



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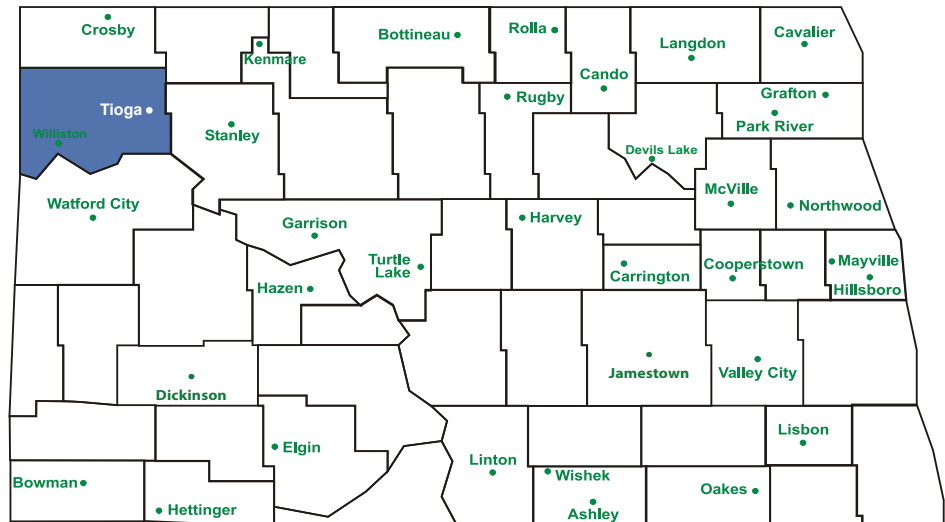
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List of Services:

Tioga Medical Center provides the following services through contract or agreement:

- Cardiology
- Diabetes education
- Nutrition services
- Orthopedic surgery
- Pediatric dental surgery
- Podiatry
- Sleep wellness studies
- Speech therapy
- Sports medicine
- Ultrasound
- Urology

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History:

As early as 1952, it was recognized that with the new oil industry, new businesses, and new construction, there was an urgent need for medical facilities in Tioga. It was decided that it would be more practical to build a clinic first followed with a hospital. Two young physicians were recruited to begin practicing in Tioga. They temporarily established offices in the Blikre Building.

It quickly became apparent that to provide adequate medical service for the area, a clinic building was imperative. The Tioga Community Clinic and Hospital Association organized to meet this challenge. The clinic open house was held February 14, 1954 and soon after, plans for a hospital began to unfold.

The hospital doors opened for patients on October 25, 1961. Fifteen years later, ground work for the new 30 bed nursing home was started and the first residents were welcomed in January of 1978.

Tioga Community Hospital was renamed Tioga Medical Center and purchased the clinic in August of 1990.

Tioga Medical Center built an adjacent independent living facility in 1998, comprised of 22 apartments with a large commons area.

In 2015, a new clinic was built attached to the hospital, the ER and ambulance bay were expanded, and a helicopter pad was added to serve the population influx.

Currently, Tioga Medical Center consists of a 25-bed critical access hospital, 30-bed long term care facility, one clinic, and a 22-apartment independent living facility located in Tioga. Tioga Medical Center also operates two satellite clinics located in Ray, and Powers Lake.

Recreation:

Located in northwest North Dakota, Tioga has an economy of primarily agriculture and oil. The area provides excellent hunting and fishing and includes Lake Sakakawea, one of North Dakota's largest recreational areas. Golf, parks, tennis courts, swimming pool, athletic fields, movie theatre, community center, and drone camp for kids provide for a variety of recreational activities.