

## LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - **All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page**

1. Registrant Name:

**MARSHFIELD CLINIC**

2. Address:

1000 N OAK AVE, MARSHFIELD, WI 54449

3. Principal place of business (if different from line 2):

4. Contact Name: REED HALL

Telephone: 715-387-5511

E-mail (optional): hall.reed@marshfieldclinic.org

Senate ID #: 57830-12

House ID #: 35355000

7. Client Name:  Self

## TYPE OF REPORT

8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1 - June 30):  **OR** Year End (July 1 - December 31):

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report:

10. Check if this is a Termination Report:  => Termination Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying Activity:

## INCOME OR EXPENSES

Complete Either Line 12 **OR** Line 13

### 12. Lobbying Firms

**INCOME** relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more:  => Income (nearest \$20,000): \_\_\_\_\_

Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).

### 13. Organizations

**EXPENSES** relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:

Less than \$10,000:

\$10,000 or more:  => Expenses (nearest \$20,000): 92,734.00

### 14. Reporting Method.

Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.

- Method A.** Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only  
 **Method B.** Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code  
 **Method C.** Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code

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### LOBBYING ACTIVITY

Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the registrant engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each code, provide information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code: BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

The comprehensive appropriations bill, HR 4577, providing consolidated FY 2001 funding for the Labor and Health and Human Services, the Legislative Branch, Treasury and Postal Services, and the Departments of State, Commerce, and Justice included: \$840,000 set aside for the Marshfield Clinic's personalized medicine program; and, \$200,000 for the National Children's Center for Rural Agricultural Health.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Agency for Health Care Policy & Research  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)  
Nat'l Institutes of Health (NIH)  
SENATE

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area:

Name: FARNSWORTH, KATHLEEN E.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: MILLER, BRENT V.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A  
Name: NYCZ, GREG R.  
Covered Official Position (if applicable): N/A

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above. **None**

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15. General issue area code: HCR (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues:

Privacy Regulation -- On December 28, HHS published in the Federal Register a final rule establishing standards to protect the privacy of individually identifiable health information. The rule applies to health plans, health care clearinghouses, and certain health care providers. The rule establishes standards with respect to the rights of individuals who are the subjects of this information, establishes procedures for the exercise of individual rights, and sets forth the authorized and required uses and disclosures of the information.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted:

Centers For Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

General Accounting Office (GAO)

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Health & Human Services, Dept of (HHS)

SENATE

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Signature: ON FILE Date: Feb 06, 2001

Printed Name and Title: REED HALL - EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR