Understanding the Impact of Private Equity Acquisitions on Physician Practices





INTRODUCTION & PERSPECTIVE

Who?

What?

Why?

You were here before it was an industry





BACKGROUND

How we got here and why





CURRENT TRENDS





IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC, 20580

Plaintiff,

v.

U.S. ANESTHESIA PARTNERS, INC. 12222 Merit Drive, Suite 700 Dallas, TX, 75251

and

WELSH, CARSON, ANDERSON & STOWE XI, L.P.,
WCAS ASSOCIATES XI, LLC,
WELSH, CARSON, ANDERSON & STOWE XII, L.P.,
WCAS ASSOCIATES XII, LLC,
WCAS MANAGEMENT CORPORATION,
WCAS MANAGEMENT, L.P., and
WCAS MANAGEMENT, LLC
599 Lexington Avenue, Suite 1800

Defendants.

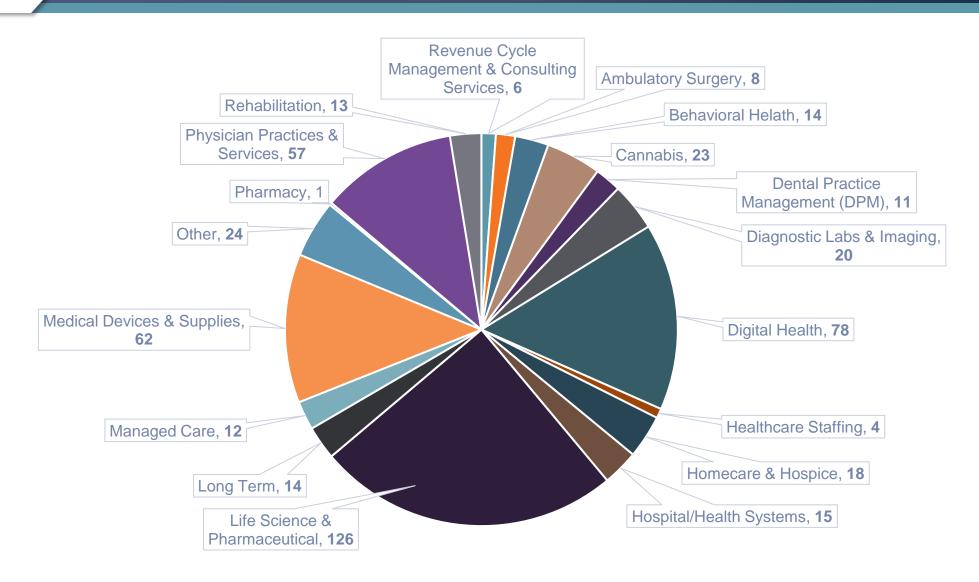
New York, NY, 10022

Case No.:

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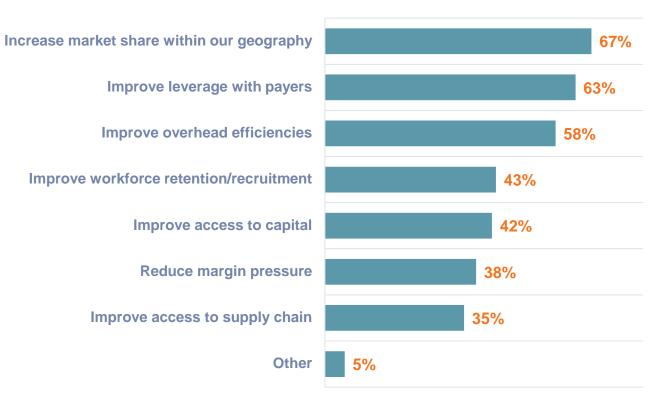
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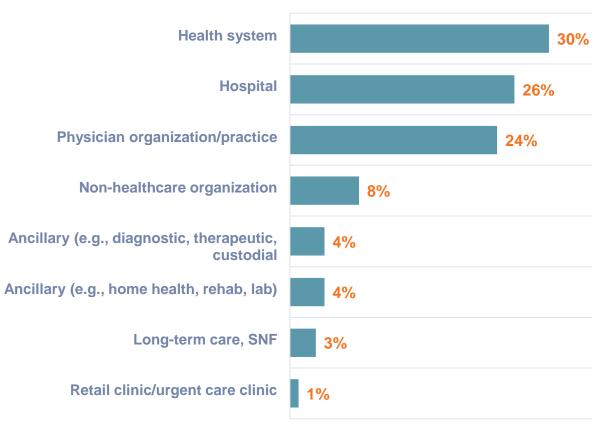


STATISTICS

What Are the Financial Objectives of Your M&A?



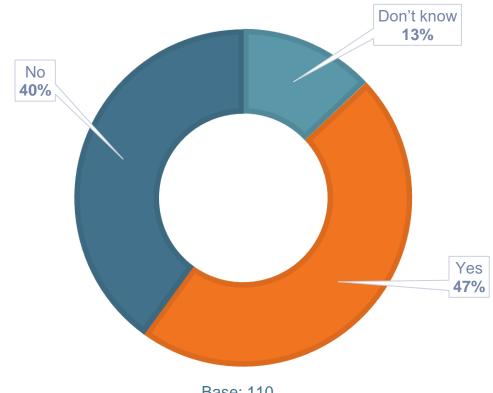
What Entity Was Involved in Your M&A?





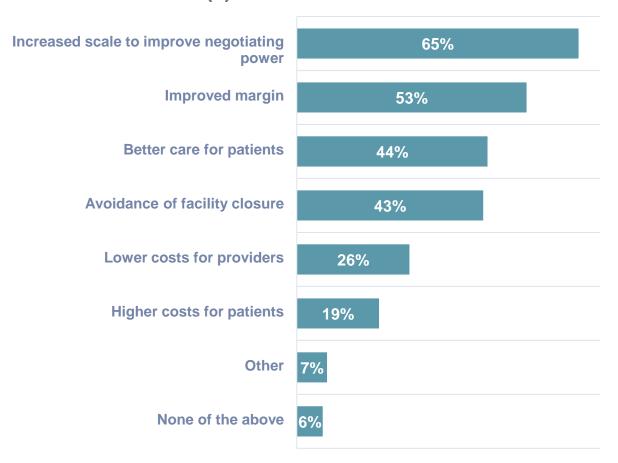
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Given the Regulatory Climate, Are State and Federal Regulations Affecting Your M&A Plans?



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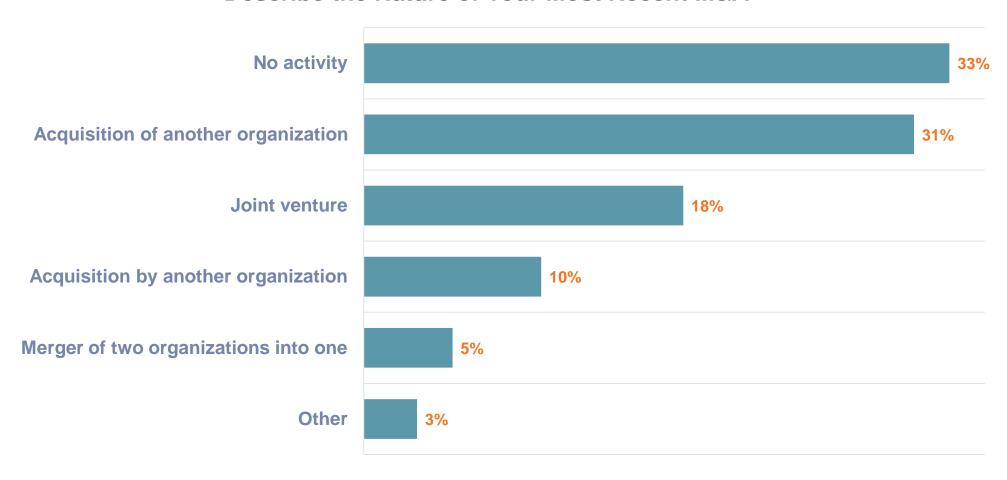
What Result(s) Do Healthcare M&As Deliver?





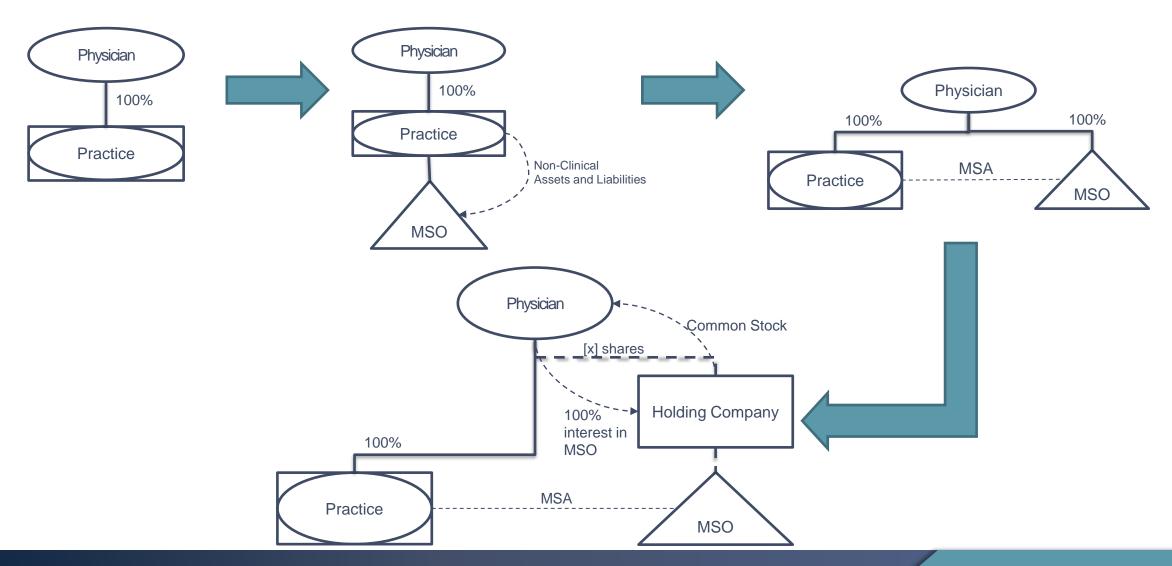
STATISTICS

Describe the Nature of Your Most Recent M&A





ROLL-UP STRATEGIES





ANATOMY OF AN ACQUISITION

- Variations on a theme, but most involve:
 - Meetings
 - LOI
 - Agreeing on a structure including a Physician controlled entity
 - Definitive Agreements
 - Closing
 - Post-Closing



MAIN BUSINESS POINTS OF CONTENTION

- Non-compete
- Rollover Equity
- Valuation
- Earn-outs and contingent payments
- Hold backs
- Ability to participate in governance post sale
- Employment agreement terms
- Conflict between the older and younger physicians





MAIN LEGAL POINTS OF CONTENTION

Reps and Warranties

Indemnification

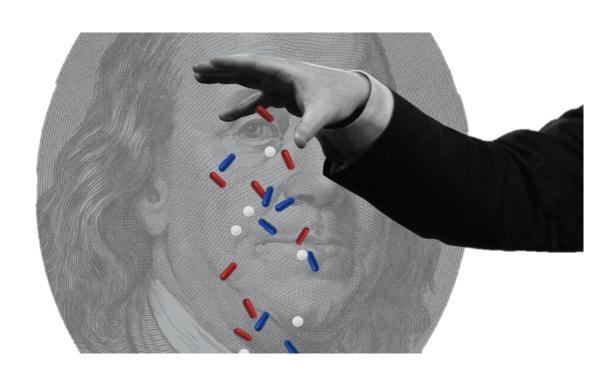
Due Diligence - Compliance

Tag-along and Drag-along rights





WHAT TO EXPECT AFTER TRANSACTION CLOSES



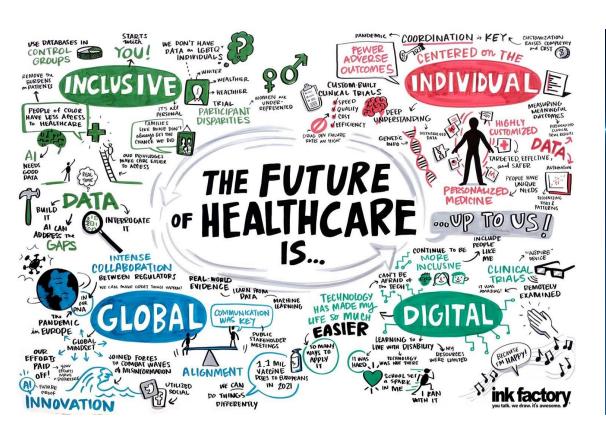
Control

Long term growth plans

 May be judged more on profit margin (versus quality) than in the past



CONCLUSION



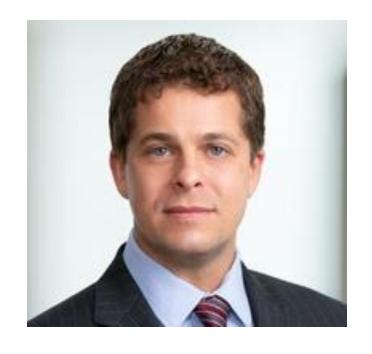




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