KEY THOUGHTS ON ASC VALUATIONS

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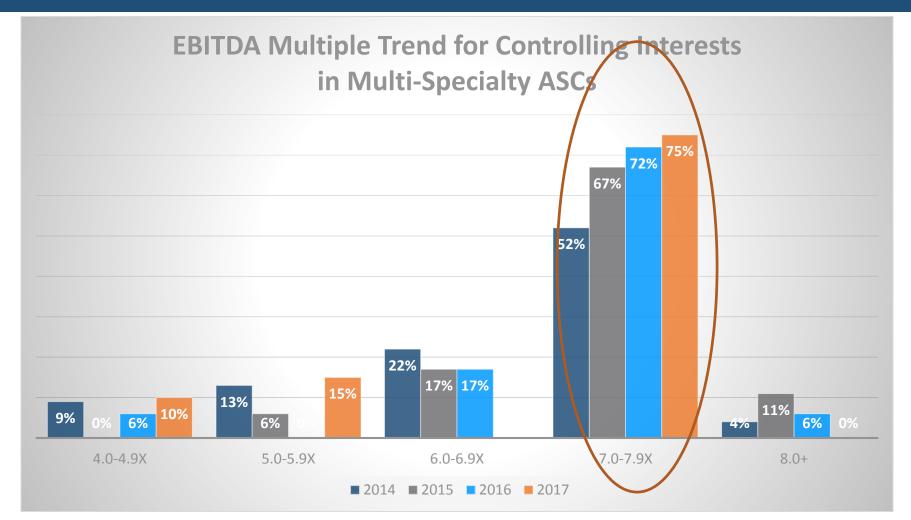
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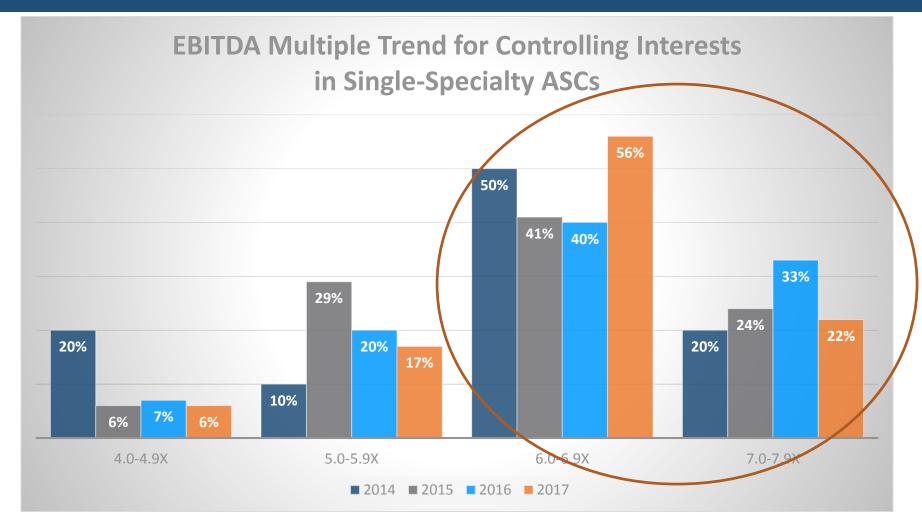
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Outline of Presentation Key Thoughts on ASC Valuations

- FMV Considerations Comparable Transactions
- Public Companies Transactions and Industry Outlook
- Forms/Structures of Recent M&A Activity
- Regulatory Environment Update
- Common Errors/Pitfalls in Valuation Analyses







- Factors Contributing to Higher Multiples
 - Multispecialty (diversification of case types)
 - Diversification of surgeons majority of cases not done by a single surgeon
 - High % of cases performed by owners
 - An established history of continually seeking new owners
 - History and expectation of continued distributions
 - Growth in cases and earnings
 - Little debt over time
 - Barriers to entry (e.g., CON)
 - Predominantly in network with Commercial payors

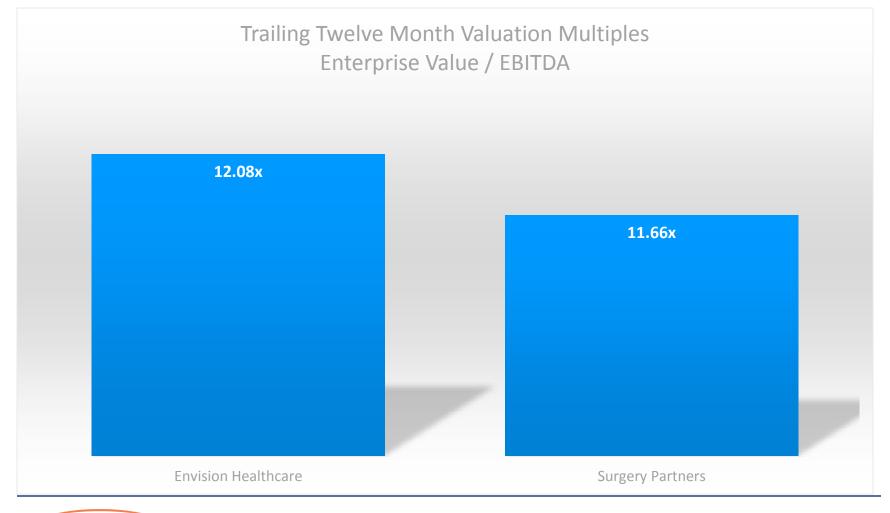


- Factors Contributing to Lower Multiples
 - Reliance on single specialty
 - Lack of diversification of surgeons majority of cases by a single surgeon
 - High % of cases performed by non-owners
 - Little vision on extending center life cycle
 - Lack of distributions or lack of consistency in distributing cash flow
 - No growth or loss in volume, revenue
 - Excessive debt
 - Heavy reliance on workers compensation
 - Predominantly out-of-network with Commercial payors
 - High Medicaid patient population

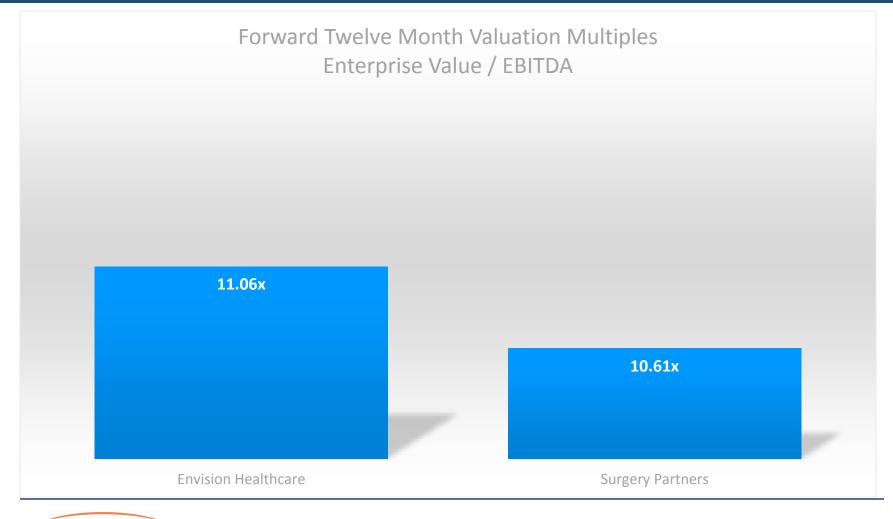


- Factors Affecting Transaction Multiples
 - The average discount for a non-controlling interest in an ASC as compared to a controlling interest is 30% to 35%
 - The average multiple *premium* paid for a surgery center with a CON ranges from 0.25x to 0.50x
 - The average decrease in multiple paid for a surgery center that is out of network is 2.0x

FMV Considerations Guideline Public Companies



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FMV Considerations Envision Healthcare Corporation

- Envision Healthcare Holdings, Inc. merged with AmSurg Corp (Closed December 2016)
- Ambulatory Services Segment Outlook
- Ambulatory Services Segment Operating Strategies

FMV Considerations – Surgery Partners Acquisition Activity and Financial Performance

- Purchase of 54.19% interest in Surgery Partners by Bain Capital from H.I.G. Capital (Closed August 2017)
 - Implied 11.1x LTM MVIC/EBITDA multiple
 - Transaction in conjunction with Surgery Partners purchase of National Surgical Healthcare



FMV Considerations – Surgery Partners Acquisition Activity and Financial Performance

- Surgery Partners hit a 52-week low in August 2017
 - Key takeaways from 2Q2017 Earnings Call
 - Slower industry-wide utilization
 - Unfavorable payor dynamics
 - Physician practice integration issues
 - Positive CMS actions

Optum, Inc. Acquires Surgical Care Affiliates, Inc.

- Highlights of Acquisition
 - Complex deal structure
 - Closed March 24, 2017
 - LTM EBITDA multiple of 12.3x
- Expected Impact from Acquisition

Forms/Structures of Recent M&A Activity

- De Novos
- Existing Surgery Centers
 - HOPD
 - Freestanding
- Existing Surgery Centers as part of larger JOA
- Single + Multispecialty Surgery Centers
- Involvement of multiple types of market participants
- Other driving factors (*e.g.*, capital, contracts)

Less Traditional Transaction Structures

- Joint ventures and strategic partnerships have become a common alternative to traditional M&A
 - Allow participants to retain independence while expanding their service line
 - Allow for more nuance in contracts and terms of affiliation
 - Expect multi-entity joint ventures / affiliations to proliferate goingforward



Less Traditional Transaction Structures

- Remaining Independent Can Present Long-Term Challenges
 - Competing against larger, more diverse ASC peers and HOPDs
 - Face weaker position in payor negotiations

Less Traditional Transaction Structures

- More Complex Deal Structures
 - Multi-entity ownership structures
 - Management Companies
 - Physicians
 - Health Systems / Hospitals
 - Drive for enhanced collaboration between healthcare providers



- Physician Alignment
 - -Support hospital recruitment and retention of toptier physicians
 - Increased economic upside for physicians
 - Increased quality of care

- Strategic Market Position
 - Maximize patient access and capture increased market share through alignment

-Expand a hospital's presence and patient base in the

community



- Management and Operational Expertise
 - Enhanced administrative support / increased resources
 - Additional capital, operational expertise and experience

- Increased Surgical Specialization
 - Larger multi-specialty ASCs targeted
 - Improved efficiency and coordination of patient care

Fair Market Value of JV Contributions

- Participants must consider the value of each contribution "as-is"
- Value of Contributions Different than Value of NewCo
- Strategic valuations often performed by participants separate from FMV

Fair Market Value of JV Contributions

Standard of Value

- Must be careful with Investment/Strategic Value
 - Contracts
 - Expenses
 - Synergies

- Ask yourself:

- What is being given-up by seller on an as-is basis?
- Are there market adjustments that would be applicable to any hypothetical ASC?

Example of Complex Deal Structure

Proposed Joint Venture

- Large Multi-Specialty ASC ("ASC")
 - Multi-Entity Ownership
 - Declining due-to local competition
- Off-Campus HOPD of Hospital
 - Hospital already has an interest in ASC
 - Additional affiliation opportunity
 - Consolidate surgical services

Shift Towards Site-Neutral Payments

- Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015 Section 603
 - Effective Jan. 1, 2017
 - Revisions to Act in late 2016
- 21st Century Cures Act
 - Revised Site-Neutral Payment Policy in Section 603
 - Addresses newly built off-campus outpatient departments that were poised to accept patients before Dec. 2, 2015; and submitted proper attestation to CMS
 - Provides some clarification to questions surrounding Section 603
- Excepted Off-Campus Provider Based Departments
 - Service expansion
 - Relocation
 - Changes in ownership



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Impact of Site-Neutral Payments

- Reimbursement
- Impact may be payor mix-dependent
 - Government vs. Commercial payors
- Transaction Impact
 - Hospitals shift from 100% acquisition to partnerships and JVs
 - Increase in HOPD transactions

Future Payment Landscape

- CMS continues to explore alternative payment structures
- Anthem's New Imaging Site-of-Care Policy
 - No longer reimbursing some hospital outpatient imaging services
 - Could ultimately affect 4.5 million Anthem members
- What Does This Mean for ASCs?

Errors Encountered in Recent Appraisal Reviews

- Unsupportable Growth Assumptions
- Incorrect Standard of Value
 - Investment Value vs. Fair Market Value
 - HOPD Pricing
- Use of Unsubstantiated Figures
 - One size fits all approach
 - "Well, this is the same assumption we have used on the last few hundred appraisals we have completed."
- Math and Valuation Theory Errors in Appraisal
 - One size fits all approach
 - Discounted cash flow application error by internationally renowned accounting firm



Thank You!

Key Thoughts on ASC Valuations

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