## **Governance Support Template**

## INSERT HEALTH SYSTEM NAME Committee Executive Summary August 2022

Agenda Item: Overview of August Finance Committee Meeting (EXAMPLE)

Presenter: INSERT BOARD MEMBER NAME(S)

Objectives/ The Finance Committee recommends that an in-depth educational Action Item: presentation about current financial trends in healthcare be provided to

the board at a future board meeting. (EXAMPLE)

## Executive Summary (EXAMPLE):

- The committee met with ABC Investments, which is the independent investment
  advisory firm that provides portfolio management and recommendations to the
  committee. The committee received a general market update and an overview of current
  investment performance which is trending negative consistent with the market.
- After discussion, the committee reaffirmed the Investment Philosophy & Policy. The committee also commended ABC Investments for its work during a very difficult time period.
- The CFO provided a general overview of financial headwinds for the healthcare sector in general. The CEO and CFO provided an update on INSERT HEALTH SYSTEM NAME plan to achieve an operating margin break-even by calendar year end. The system continues to experience high labor costs, supply chain challenges (leading to higher supply costs), and difficult negotiations with payors.
- The committee noted that the financial challenges faced by hospitals and health systems, including INSERT HEALTH SYSTEM NAME are daunting. The committee recommends that the full board be fully briefed on the financial trends in the field that are most impactful to the system.

## Questions/Action Item:

- 1. What question(s) do you have for the board?
- 2. What should the board consider or do after this presentation?