## Policy and/or Procedure:

## Calhoun-Liberty Hospital Insured Full-time Employees Account Write-offs

Effective Date: 2/01/2014 Revised 05/08/2015

## Policy:

It shall be the policy of Calhoun Liberty Hospital to extend full time employees who are insured by the hospitals employee insurance a 100% courtesy discount from any balances that do not extend beyond \$5800.00. This discount excludes any applicable co-pays which are required by the payer.

## **Procedure:**

- Calhoun-Liberty Hospital full-time employees are eligible to have their total account balance(s) adjusted off for accounts with dates of service on or after 2/1/2014—with an annual limit of \$5,800.00.
  - a. If the employee is insured their insurance will be billed first and the adjustment will be applied to remaining balance after the insurance has paid.
    - These adjustments should be posted using the Employee Discount adjustment code.
  - b. This adjustment only applies to the employee—not their spouses or dependents. Spouses and children of the employee may receive a 70% discount off their remaining account balance(s).
    - i. Children of the employee who are eligible for the discount include minor (under 18 years of age) children or children for whom the employee is financially responsible—such as college students.
    - ii. "Step" children are included.
- 2. These adjustments should be posted using the Employee Discount adjustment code.
- 3. It is the responsibility of the employee to notify the Billing Office each time they have an account that is eligible for the discount and to make payment arrangements.