

Asarfi Hospital Limited

May 16, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	25.00	CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE BB; Stable;

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated April 18, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Asarfi Hospital Limited (AHL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as AHL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. AHL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 13, 2024, May 14, 2024, May 15, 2024.

In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE Ratings Ltd. has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE Ratings Ltd.'s opinion is not sufficient to arrive at a fair rating.

Users of this rating (including investors, lenders and the public at large) are hence requested to exercise caution while using the above rating(s).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of AHL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information. The revision also factored in increased debt levels during FY24(UA) over previous year.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated April 18, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u> <u>Policy on default recognition</u> <u>Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings</u>

About the company

AHL(ISIN:INE0DN001027) was incorporated in 2005 as a Private Limited Company. The constitution of the company was changed to a public limited company in 2012 and got listed on BSE SME platform on July 2023. AHL operates a 120 beds premium private general medical facility; renders health care services offering advanced medical care and emergency services. The Hospital has a full-fledged High Dependency Unit, Emergency Department, Outpatient consultation, CCU, ICU, NICU, SICU, Endoscopy, Neurosurgery and Cardiac unit equipped with modern equipment. Currently the hospital has 65 doctors out of which 40 in-house doctors and 25 visiting doctors, 174 nursing staff and 284 other supporting staffs.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)	March 31, 2024 (UA)
Total operating income	65.77	70.70	86.07
PBILDT	11.47	13.77	17.77
PAT	5.82	8.02	4.21
Overall gearing (times)	0.51	0.41	0.47
Interest coverage (times)	16.34	10.29	6.61

A: Audited, UA: Unaudited; Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

Any other information: Not applicable

Rating history for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications



Covenants of rated instrument / facility: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

Annexure-1: Details of instruments/facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance (DD-MM-YYYY)	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date (DD- MM-YYYY)	Size of the Issue (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan^	-	-	-	-	25.00	CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information; ^Proposed

Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

		Current Ratings			Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstanding (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2024- 2025	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2023- 2024	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022- 2023	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2021- 2022
1	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	25.00	CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING*	-	1)CARE BB; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (18-Apr-23)	-	1)CARE BB; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (02-Mar-22)

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information. LT: Long term

Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not applicable

Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various instruments rated

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

Note on the complexity levels of the rated instruments: CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for any clarifications.



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