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## 4Q24 results at first glance

กำไร 4Q24 โต 10% y-y เป็น 207 ลบ. ใกล้เคียงกับที่เราคาด

### Highlights

- PR9 รายงานกำไร 4Q24 อยู่ที่ 207 ลบ. (+10% y-y, -1% q-q) ใกล้เคียงกับที่เราคาด
- ในไตรมาส PR9 มีรายการลดภาษีได้สุทธิ 18 ลบ. (จากการบริจาค X-ray มูลค่า 18 ลบ. ซึ่งใช้หักภาษีได้ 36 ลบ.) ดังนั้นกำไรปกติหลังหักประโยชน์ทางภาษีจึงลดลง 9% q-q เป็น 189 ลบ. (เทียบกับ 208 ลบ. ใน 3Q24)
- แม้ว่ารายได้จะสูงขึ้น 2% q-q ไปทำสถิติสูงสุดใหม่ ตลาดอาจจะผิดหวังกับกำไรอยู่เล็กน้อยเนื่องจากมีรายการพิเศษหลายรายการในค่าใช้จ่ายการขายและบริหาร ประกอบด้วยรายการด้อยค่าของสินทรัพย์ 6 ลบ. ค่าซ่อมบำรุงเพิ่มเติม 3-4 ลบ. และการปรับต้นทุนปลายปี 8-10 ลบ. เมื่อหักรายการพิเศษดังกล่าวเราคาดว่ากำไรปกติอยู่ที่ 203-205 ลบ.
- รายได้สูงขึ้น 7% y-y โดยได้ปัจจัยผลักดันจากรายได้ผู้ป่วยต่างชาติ (+51% y-y) เป็นหลัก ในขณะที่รายได้ผู้ป่วยชาวไทยทรงตัว y-y จากฐานที่สูงและการชะลอตัวทางเศรษฐกิจ
- สัดส่วนรายได้จากผู้ป่วยชาวไทยคิดเป็น 80% ในขณะที่รายได้ผู้ป่วยต่างชาติคิดเป็น 20% สูงที่สุดเมื่อเทียบกับ 15-18% ก่อนหน้า
- ค่าใช้จ่ายการขายและบริหารเพิ่มขึ้น 15% y-y และ 13% q-q ดังได้กล่าวไว้แล้วเบื้องต้น ในขณะที่ต้นทุนขายสูงขึ้น 8% y-y ซึ่งทำให้ EBITDA margin ลดลงเหลือ 23% ใน 4Q24 (เทียบกับ 25% ใน 4Q23) เมื่อหักรายการพิเศษต่าง ๆ EBITDA margin น่าจะอยู่ที่ 25%
- ในปี 2024 กำไรปกติกระโดดเพิ่ม 28% y-y เป็น 713 ลบ. ใกล้เคียงกับที่เราคาด

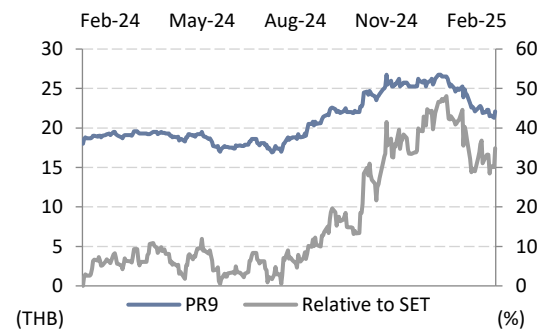
### Outlook and valuation

- เราเชื่อว่าราคาหุ้นที่ลดลงในปัจจุบันและความกังวลเกี่ยวกับค่าใช้จ่ายการขายและบริหารที่สูงขึ้นใน 4Q24 เป็นโอกาสในการซื้อเนื่องจากเราคาดว่ากำไรจะโตต่อเนื่อง y-y ใน 1Q25 โดยมีปัจจัยผลักดันจากรายได้ผู้ป่วยต่างชาติเป็นหลัก
- PR9 ประกาศจ่ายเงินปันผลสำหรับผลประกอบการในรอบ 2H25 อยู่ที่ 0.25 บาท/หุ้น (เงินปันผลระหว่างกาลรอบ 1H25 อยู่ที่ 0.15 บาท/หุ้น) คิดเป็นผลตอบแทนในรูปเงินปันผลอยู่ที่ 2%
- PR9 มีการซื้อขายโดยมี Valuation อยู่ในระดับที่น่าสนใจที่ 21x 2025E P/E พร้อมโอกาสที่จะได้ Upside จากรายได้ผู้ป่วยต่างชาติ

TARGET PRICE	THB30.00
CLOSE	THB22.10
UP/DOWNSIDE	+35.7%
PRIOR TP	THB30.00
CHANGE IN TP	UNCHANGED
TP vs CONSENSUS	+1.3%

### KEY STOCK DATA

YE Dec (THB m)	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	4,635	5,068	5,481	5,872
Net profit	713	816	905	1,002
EPS (THB)	0.91	1.04	1.15	1.27
vs Consensus (%)	-	13.9	11.1	10.1
EBITDA	1,114	1,271	1,427	1,562
Recurring net profit	713	816	905	1,002
Core EPS (THB)	0.91	1.04	1.15	1.27
Chg. In EPS est. (%)	nm	0.0	0.0	nm
EPS growth (%)	27.8	14.5	10.9	10.7
Core P/E (x)	24.4	21.3	19.2	17.3
Dividend yield (%)	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.9
EV/EBITDA (x)	13.6	11.8	10.2	8.9
Price/book (x)	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5
Net debt/Equity (%)	(41.2)	(40.4)	(44.2)	(48.7)
ROE (%)	13.6	14.3	14.6	14.9



Share price performance	1 Month	3 Month	12 Month
Absolute (%)	(10.9)	(15.0)	24.2
Relative to country (%)	(5.0)	(1.8)	36.9
Mkt cap (USD m)	516		
3m avg. daily turnover (USD m)	2.3		
Free float (%)	59		
Major shareholder	Khunying Potjaman Damapong (37%)		
12m high/low (THB)	27.50/16.90		
Issued shares (m)	786.30		

Sources: Bloomberg consensus; FSSIA estimates



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## Exhibit 1: PR9 – 4Q24 results summary

FY ending Dec	4Q23	1Q24	2Q24	3Q24	4Q24	----- Change -----		2024	2025E	Change
	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(q-q %)	(y-y %)	(THB m)	(THB m)	(y-y %)
Sales	1,175	1,071	1,084	1,226	1,255	2	7	4,635	5,068	9
COGS (incl depreciation)	(761)	(715)	(733)	(781)	(817)	5	7	(3,045)	(3,287)	8
Gross profit	414	356	350	445	439	(1)	6	1,590	1,781	12
SG&A	(209)	(182)	(204)	(212)	(240)	13	15	(837)	(884)	6
Operating profit	205	175	146	233	198	(15)	(3)	753	897	19
Net other income	16	10	14	10	21	106	29	55	57	3
Interest income	12	13	12	15	15	1	27	55	45	
Interest expenses	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)			(0)	(1)	n/a
Pretax profit	233	197	173	258	234	(9)	1	862	998	16
Income tax	(45)	(38)	(34)	(50)	(28)	(44)	(38)	(149)	(182)	22
Core profit	188	159	139	208	207	(1)	10	713	816	14
Extraordinaries, GW & FX										
Reported net profit	188	159	139	208	207	(1)	10	713	816	14
Outstanding shares (m)	786	786	786	786	786	0	0	786	786	0
Pre-ex EPS (THB)	0.24	0.20	0.18	0.26	0.26	(1)	10	0.91	1.04	14
EPS (THB)	0.24	0.20	0.18	0.26	0.26	(1)	10	0.91	1.04	14
COGS excl. depreciation	(686)	(640)	(658)	(703)	(739)	5	8	(2,739)	(2,970)	8
Depreciation	(75)	(75)	(76)	(78)	(78)	1	4	(306)	(318)	4
EBITDA	297	259	236	321	298	(7)	0	1,114	1,271	14
<b>Key ratios</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(ppt)</b>	<b>(ppt)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(ppt)</b>
Gross margin	35	33	32	36	35	(1)	(0)	34	35	1
SG&A/Revenue	18	17	19	17	19	2	1	18	17	(1)
EBITDA margin	25	24	22	26	23	(3)	(2)	24	25	1
Net profit margin	16	15	13	17	16	(1)	0	15	16	1
<b>Operating stats</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>	<b>(%)</b>					
OPD revenue growth y-y	3	13	10	11	-					
OPD volume growth y-y	4	9	4	5	-					
OPD revenue per head growth y-y	(1)	4	6	6	-					
IPD revenue growth y-y	12	11	5	21	-					
IPD volume growth y-y	13	15	(4)	7	-					
IPD revenue per head growth y-y	(1)	(4)	10	13	-					
Thai patient revenue growth y-y	6	10	5	11	(0)					
Inter patient revenue growth y-y	9	25	24	42	51					

Sources: PR9; FSSIA estimates

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### Praram 9 Hospital

Profit and Loss (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Revenue	4,202	4,635	5,068	5,481	5,872
Cost of goods sold	(2,820)	(3,045)	(3,287)	(3,528)	(3,759)
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>1,382</b>	<b>1,590</b>	<b>1,781</b>	<b>1,954</b>	<b>2,112</b>
Other operating income	51	55	57	59	60
Operating costs	(774)	(837)	(884)	(929)	(977)
<b>Operating EBITDA</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>1,271</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>1,562</b>
Depreciation	(299)	(306)	(318)	(344)	(366)
Goodwill amortisation	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Operating EBIT</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>953</b>	<b>1,084</b>	<b>1,196</b>
Net financing costs	30	54	44	47	56
Associates	0	0	0	0	0
Recurring non-operating income	0	0	0	0	0
Non-recurring items	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Profit before tax</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>862</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>1,131</b>	<b>1,252</b>
Tax	(131)	(149)	(182)	(226)	(250)
<b>Profit after tax</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>816</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>1,002</b>
Minority interests	0	0	0	0	0
Preferred dividends	-	-	-	-	-
Other items	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Reported net profit</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>816</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>1,002</b>
<b>Non-recurring items &amp; goodwill (net)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Recurring net profit</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>816</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>1,002</b>
<b>Per share (THB)</b>					
Recurring EPS *	0.71	0.91	1.04	1.15	1.27
Reported EPS	0.71	0.91	1.04	1.15	1.27
DPS	0.30	0.40	0.52	0.58	0.64
Diluted shares (used to calculate per share data)	786	786	786	786	786
<b>Growth</b>					
Revenue (%)	2.3	10.3	9.3	8.1	7.1
Operating EBITDA (%)	(3.4)	16.3	14.1	12.3	9.4
Operating EBIT (%)	(4.7)	22.6	18.0	13.7	10.3
Recurring EPS (%)	(1.7)	27.8	14.5	10.9	10.7
Reported EPS (%)	(1.7)	27.8	14.5	10.9	10.7
<b>Operating performance</b>					
Gross margin inc. depreciation (%)	32.9	34.3	35.1	35.6	36.0
Gross margin exc. depreciation (%)	40.0	40.9	41.4	41.9	42.2
Operating EBITDA margin (%)	22.8	24.0	25.1	26.0	26.6
Operating EBIT margin (%)	15.7	17.4	18.8	19.8	20.4
Net margin (%)	13.3	15.4	16.1	16.5	17.1
Effective tax rate (%)	19.0	17.3	18.2	20.0	20.0
Dividend payout on recurring profit (%)	42.3	44.1	50.0	50.0	50.0
Interest cover (X)	(22.3)	(14.9)	(21.6)	(22.9)	(21.2)
Inventory days	7.2	7.0	7.3	7.3	7.3
Debtor days	23.1	24.9	26.7	28.7	30.8
Creditor days	73.9	77.9	82.9	83.3	87.5
Operating ROIC (%)	17.6	22.2	25.0	26.2	28.7
ROIC (%)	16.1	19.7	21.8	23.0	25.2
ROE (%)	11.4	13.6	14.3	14.6	14.9
ROA (%)	9.3	10.9	11.7	12.0	12.2
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted					
<b>Revenue by Division (THB m)</b>					
OPD patient revenue	2,491	2,731	2,998	3,243	3,474
IPD patient revenue	1,711	1,904	2,070	2,239	2,398

Sources: Praram 9 Hospital; FSSIA estimates

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### Praram 9 Hospital

Cash Flow (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Recurring net profit	558	713	816	905	1,002
Depreciation	299	306	318	344	366
Associates & minorities	-	-	-	-	-
Other non-cash items	10	(6)	0	0	0
Change in working capital	(23)	63	1	(8)	58
<b>Cash flow from operations</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>1,076</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>1,241</b>	<b>1,426</b>
Capex - maintenance	(326)	(251)	(659)	(388)	(415)
Capex - new investment	-	-	-	-	-
Net acquisitions & disposals	(100)	(128)	0	0	0
Other investments (net)	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Cash flow from investing</b>	<b>(426)</b>	<b>(379)</b>	<b>(659)</b>	<b>(388)</b>	<b>(415)</b>
Dividends paid	(234)	(351)	(315)	(408)	(452)
Equity finance	0	0	0	0	0
Debt finance	1	(4)	0	0	0
Other financing cash flows	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Cash flow from financing</b>	<b>(233)</b>	<b>(355)</b>	<b>(315)</b>	<b>(408)</b>	<b>(452)</b>
Non-recurring cash flows	-	-	-	-	-
Other adjustments	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Net other adjustments</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Movement in cash</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>558</b>
Free cash flow to firm (FCFF)	418.17	697.32	476.45	853.50	1,011.24
Free cash flow to equity (FCFE)	418.73	692.74	475.75	852.80	1,010.54
<b>Per share (THB)</b>					
FCFF per share	0.53	0.89	0.61	1.09	1.29
FCFE per share	0.53	0.88	0.61	1.08	1.29
Recurring cash flow per share	1.10	1.29	1.44	1.59	1.74
Balance Sheet (THB m) Year Ending Dec	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
Tangible fixed assets (gross)	5,898	5,992	6,651	7,039	7,454
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(2,556)	(2,705)	(3,022)	(3,366)	(3,732)
<b>Tangible fixed assets (net)</b>	<b>3,343</b>	<b>3,288</b>	<b>3,629</b>	<b>3,673</b>	<b>3,722</b>
<b>Intangible fixed assets (net)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Long-term financial assets	-	-	-	-	-
Invest. in associates & subsidiaries	254	382	382	382	382
Cash & equivalents	1,901	2,243	2,404	2,849	3,407
A/C receivable	290	343	400	462	529
Inventories	48	57	62	66	70
Other current assets	12	15	16	18	19
<b>Current assets</b>	<b>2,251</b>	<b>2,658</b>	<b>2,882</b>	<b>3,395</b>	<b>4,026</b>
Other assets	62	72	72	72	72
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>5,910</b>	<b>6,399</b>	<b>6,965</b>	<b>7,522</b>	<b>8,202</b>
Common equity	5,080	5,439	5,940	6,437	6,986
Minorities etc.	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total shareholders' equity</b>	<b>5,080</b>	<b>5,439</b>	<b>5,940</b>	<b>6,437</b>	<b>6,986</b>
Long term debt	9	5	5	5	5
Other long-term liabilities	195	202	202	202	202
<b>Long-term liabilities</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>207</b>
A/C payable	522	647	702	752	874
Short term debt	0	0	0	0	0
Other current liabilities	105	106	116	126	135
<b>Current liabilities</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>1,009</b>
<b>Total liabilities and shareholders' equity</b>	<b>5,910</b>	<b>6,399</b>	<b>6,965</b>	<b>7,522</b>	<b>8,202</b>
Net working capital	(276)	(339)	(340)	(332)	(390)
Invested capital	3,382	3,402	3,743	3,795	3,786
* Includes convertibles and preferred stock which is being treated as debt					
<b>Per share (THB)</b>					
Book value per share	6.46	6.92	7.55	8.19	8.88
Tangible book value per share	6.46	6.92	7.55	8.19	8.88
<b>Financial strength</b>					
Net debt/equity (%)	(37.3)	(41.2)	(40.4)	(44.2)	(48.7)
Net debt/total assets (%)	(32.0)	(35.0)	(34.4)	(37.8)	(41.5)
Current ratio (x)	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.9	4.0
CF interest cover (x)	(13.2)	(11.8)	(9.8)	(17.0)	(17.0)
Valuation	2023	2024	2025E	2026E	2027E
<b>Recurring P/E (x) *</b>	<b>31.1</b>	<b>24.4</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>17.3</b>
<b>Recurring P/E @ target price (x) *</b>	<b>42.3</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>23.6</b>
Reported P/E (x)	31.1	24.4	21.3	19.2	17.3
Dividend yield (%)	1.4	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.9
Price/book (x)	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5
Price/tangible book (x)	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5
EV/EBITDA (x) **	16.2	13.6	11.8	10.2	8.9
EV/EBITDA @ target price (x) **	22.6	19.2	16.7	14.5	12.9
EV/invested capital (x)	4.6	4.4	4.0	3.8	3.7
* Pre-exceptional, pre-goodwill and fully diluted    ** EBITDA includes associate income and recurring non-operating income					

Sources: Praram 9 Hospital; FSSIA estimates

# Praram 9 Hospital PCL (PR9 TB)

FSSIA ESG rating

★ ★ ★

Exhibit 2: FSSIA ESG score implication

54.08 /100

Rating	Score	Implication
★★★★★	>79-100	Leading its industry peers in managing the most significant ESG risks which not only better cost efficiency but also lead to higher profitability.
★★★★★	>59-79	A mixed track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers.
★★★	>39-59	Relevant ESG materiality matrix has been constructively addressed, well-managed and incorporated into day-to-day operations, in which targets and achievements are evaluated annually.
★★	>19-39	Relevant ESG materiality matrix has been identified with key management in charge for progress to be followed up on and to provide intensive disclosure. Most targets are conventional and achievable.
★	1-19	The company has adopted the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs), established sustainability management guidelines and fully complies with regulations or ESG suggested guidance from related organizations such as the SET and SEC.

Sources: FSSIA estimates

Exhibit 3: ESG – peer comparison

	FSSIA	Domestic ratings						Global ratings					Bloomberg		
	ESG score	DJSI	SET ESG	SET ESG Rating	CG score	AGM level	Thai CAC	Morningstar ESG risk	ESG Book	MSCI	Moody's	Refinitiv	S&P Global	ESG score	Disclosure score
SET100	69.20	5.34	4.40	4.40	4.76	4.65	3.84	Medium	51.76	BBB	20.87	58.72	63.91	3.72	28.17
Coverage	67.12	5.11	4.15	4.17	4.83	4.71	3.53	Medium	52.04	BB	16.97	56.85	62.09	3.40	31.94
BCH	39.71	--	--	--	4.00	5.00	Certified	High	48.21	--	--	27.19	18.00	3.52	47.60
BDMS	74.00	Y	Y	Y	5.00	4.00	--	Medium	61.06	AA	34.00	59.83	72.00	3.45	58.92
BH	51.21	--	--	--	4.00	4.00	--	Medium	64.29	A	29.00	59.03	27.00	5.08	47.79
CHG	38.25	--	--	--	4.00	5.00	--	High	55.35	--	--	59.57	21.00	2.34	50.24
PR9	54.08	--	Y	Y	5.00	5.00	Certified	High	71.12	--	--	62.39	--	2.43	37.90
PRINC	18.00	--	--	--	4.00	4.00	Certified	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
RAM	11.75	--	--	--	3.00	--	--	High	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
THG	18.75	--	--	--	5.00	5.00	--	High	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
VIBHA	20.88	--	--	--	4.00	3.00	Declared	High	--	--	--	--	17.00	--	--

Sources: SETTRADE.com; FSSIA's compilation

Exhibit 4: ESG score by Bloomberg

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
ESG financial materiality scores - ESG score	—	2.33	2.43
BESG environmental pillar score	—	2.56	2.18
BESG social pillar score	—	1.36	1.52
BESG governance pillar score	—	4.13	4.46
ESG disclosure score	—	37.90	37.90
Environmental disclosure score	—	11.78	11.78
Social disclosure score	—	20.68	20.68
Governance disclosure score	—	81.10	81.10
Environmental			
Emissions reduction initiatives	No	Yes	Yes
Climate change policy	No	Yes	Yes
Climate change opportunities discussed	No	No	No
Risks of climate change discussed	No	No	No
GHG scope 1	—	0	0
GHG scope 2 location-based	—	4	6
GHG Scope 3	—	0	5
Carbon per unit of production	—	—	—
Biodiversity policy	No	No	No
Energy efficiency policy	No	Yes	Yes
Total energy consumption	—	7	13
Renewable energy use	—	—	—
Electricity used	—	—	—
Fuel used - natural gas	—	—	—

Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA's compilation

**Exhibit 5: ESG score by Bloomberg (cont.)**

FY ending Dec 31	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Fuel used - crude oil/diesel	No	No	No
Waste reduction policy	No	Yes	Yes
Hazardous waste	—	—	—
Total waste	—	—	—
Waste recycled	—	—	—
Waste sent to landfills	—	—	—
Environmental supply chain management	No	No	No
Water policy	No	Yes	Yes
Water consumption	—	60	151
<b>Social</b>			
Human rights policy	Yes	Yes	Yes
Policy against child labor	No	Yes	Yes
Quality assurance and recall policy	No	Yes	Yes
Consumer data protection policy	No	Yes	Yes
Equal opportunity policy	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gender pay gap breakout	No	No	No
Pct women in workforce	—	—	—
Pct disabled in workforce	—	—	—
Business ethics policy	No	Yes	Yes
Anti-bribery ethics policy	Yes	Yes	Yes
Health and safety policy	No	Yes	Yes
Lost time incident rate - employees	—	—	—
Total recordable incident rate - employees	—	1	0
Training policy	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fair remuneration policy	No	No	No
Number of employees – CSR	2,083	1,987	2,011
Employee turnover pct	—	11	13
Total hours spent by firm - employee training	14,566	13,462	66,852
Social supply chain management	No	No	No
<b>Governance</b>			
<b>Board size</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>No. of independent directors (ID)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>
No. of women on board	2	2	2
No. of non-executive directors on board	7	7	6
Company conducts board evaluations	Yes	Yes	Yes
No. of board meetings for the year	7	7	7
Board meeting attendance pct	97	100	89
Board duration (years)	3	3	3
Director share ownership guidelines	No	No	No
Age of the youngest director	56	56	57
Age of the oldest director	72	73	74
<b>No. of executives / company managers</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>
No. of female executives	2	0	0
Executive share ownership guidelines	No	No	No
<b>Size of audit committee</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
No. of ID on audit committee	3	3	3
Audit committee meetings	4	4	4
Audit meeting attendance %	100	100	100
<b>Size of compensation committee</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
No. of ID on compensation committee	3	2	3
No. of compensation committee meetings	2	2	2
Compensation meeting attendance %	83	100	100
<b>Size of nomination committee</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
No. of nomination committee meetings	2	2	2
Nomination meeting attendance %	83	100	100
<b>Sustainability governance</b>			
Verification type	No	No	No

Sources: Bloomberg; FSSIA's compilation

## Disclaimer for ESG scoring

ESG score	Methodology	Rating																				
The Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) By S&P Global	The DJSI World applies a transparent, rules-based component selection process based on the companies' Total Sustainability Scores resulting from the annual S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA). Only the top-ranked companies within each industry are selected for inclusion.	Be a member and invited to the annual S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) for DJSI. Companies with an S&P Global ESG Score of less than 45% of the S&P Global ESG Score of the highest scoring company are disqualified. The constituents of the DJSI indices are selected from the Eligible Universe.																				
SET ESG Ratings List (SETESG) by The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET)	SET ESG quantifies responsibility in Environmental and Social issues by managing business with transparency in Governance, updated annually. Candidates must pass the preemptive criteria, with two crucial conditions: 1) no irregular trading of the board members and executives; and 2) free float of >150 shareholders, and combined holding must be >15% of paid-up capital. Some key disqualifying criteria include: 1) CG score of below 70%; 2) independent directors and free float violation; 3) executives' wrongdoing related to CG, social & environmental impacts; 4) equity in negative territory; and 5) earnings in red for > 3 years in the last 5 years.	To be eligible for <b>SETESG inclusion</b> , verified data must be scored at a minimum of 50% for each indicator, unless the company is a part of DJSI during the assessment year. The scoring will be fairly weighted against the nature of the relevant industry and materiality. <b>SETESG Index</b> is extended from the SET ESG Ratings companies whose 1) market capitalization > THB5b (~USD150b); 2) free float >20%; and 3) liquidity >0.5% of paid-up capital for at least 9 out of 12 months. The SETTHSI Index is a market capitalisation-weighted index, cap 5% quarterly weight at maximum, and no cap for number of stocks.																				
CG Score by Thai Institute of Directors Association (Thai IOD)	An indicator of CG strength in sustainable development, measured annually by the Thai IOD, with support from the Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET). The results are from the perspective of a third party, not an evaluation of operations.	Scores are rated in six categories: 5 for Excellent (90-100), 4 for Very Good (80-89), 3 for Good (70-79), 2 for Fair (60-69), 1 for Pass (60-69), and not rated for scores below 50. Weightings include: 1) the rights; 2) and equitable treatment of shareholders (weight 25% combined); 3) the role of stakeholders (25%); 4) disclosure & transparency (15%); and 5) board responsibilities (35%).																				
AGM level By Thai Investors Association (TIA) with support from the SEC	It quantifies the extent to which shareholders' rights and equitable treatment are incorporated into business operations and information is transparent and sufficiently disclosed. All form important elements of two out of five the CG components to be evaluated annually. The assessment criteria cover AGM procedures before the meeting (45%), at the meeting date (45%), and after the meeting (10%). <i>(The first assesses 1) advance circulation of sufficient information for voting; and 2) facilitating how voting rights can be exercised. The second assesses 1) the ease of attending meetings; 2) transparency and verifiability; and 3) openness for Q&amp;A. The third involves the meeting minutes that should contain discussion issues, resolutions and voting results.)</i>	The scores are classified into four categories: 5 for Excellent (100), 4 for Very Good (90-99), 3 for Fair (80-89), and not rated for scores below 79.																				
Thai CAC By Thai Private Sector Collective Action Against Corruption (CAC)	The core elements of the Checklist include corruption risk assessment, establishment of key controls, and the monitoring and developing of policies. The Certification is good for three years. <i>(Companies deciding to become a CAC certified member start by submitting a Declaration of Intent to kick off an 18-month deadline to submit the CAC Checklist for Certification, including risk assessment, in place of policy and control, training of managers and employees, establishment of whistleblowing channels, and communication of policies to all stakeholders.)</i>	The document will be reviewed by a committee of nine professionals. A passed Checklist will move for granting certification by the CAC Council approvals whose members are twelve highly respected individuals in professionalism and ethical achievements.																				
Morningstar Sustainalytics	The Sustainalytics' ESG risk rating provides an overall company score based on an assessment of how much of a company's exposure to ESG risk is unmanaged. <i>Sources to be reviewed include corporate publications and regulatory filings, news and other media, NGO reports/websites, multi-sector information, company feedback, ESG controversies, issuer feedback on draft ESG reports, and quality &amp; peer reviews.</i>	A company's ESG risk rating score is the sum of unmanaged risk. The more risk is unmanaged, the higher ESG risk is scored. <table><tr><th>NEGL</th><th>Low</th><th>Medium</th><th>High</th><th>Severe</th></tr><tr><td>0-10</td><td>10-20</td><td>20-30</td><td>30-40</td><td>40+</td></tr></table>	NEGL	Low	Medium	High	Severe	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40+										
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ESG Book	The ESG score identifies sustainable companies that are better positioned to outperform over the long term. The methodology considers the principle of financial materiality including information that significantly helps explain future risk-adjusted performance. Materiality is applied by over-weighting features with higher materiality and rebalancing these weights on a rolling quarterly basis.	The total ESG score is calculated as a weighted sum of the features scores using materiality-based weights. The score is scaled between 0 and 100 with higher scores indicating better performance.																				
MSCI	MSCI ESG ratings aim to measure a company's management of financially relevant ESG risks and opportunities. It uses a rules-based methodology to identify industry leaders and laggards according to their exposure to ESG risks and how well they manage those risks relative to peers. <table><tr><td>AAA</td><td>8.571-10.000</td><td rowspan="3">Leader:</td><td rowspan="3">leading its industry in managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities</td></tr><tr><td>AA</td><td>7.143-8.570</td></tr><tr><td>A</td><td>5.714-7.142</td></tr><tr><td>BBB</td><td>4.286-5.713</td><td rowspan="3">Average:</td><td rowspan="3">a mixed or unexceptional track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers</td></tr><tr><td>BB</td><td>2.857-4.285</td></tr><tr><td>B</td><td>1.429-2.856</td></tr><tr><td>CCC</td><td>0.000-1.428</td><td>Laggard:</td><td>lagging its industry based on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks</td></tr></table>		AAA	8.571-10.000	Leader:	leading its industry in managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities	AA	7.143-8.570	A	5.714-7.142	BBB	4.286-5.713	Average:	a mixed or unexceptional track record of managing the most significant ESG risks and opportunities relative to industry peers	BB	2.857-4.285	B	1.429-2.856	CCC	0.000-1.428	Laggard:	lagging its industry based on its high exposure and failure to manage significant ESG risks
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Moody's ESG solutions	Moody's assesses the degree to which companies take into account ESG objectives in the definition and implementation of their strategy policies. It believes that a company integrating ESG factors into its business model and relatively outperforming its peers is better positioned to mitigate risks and create sustainable value for shareholders over the medium to long term.																					
Refinitiv ESG rating	Designed to transparently and objectively measure a company's relative ESG performance, commitment and effectiveness across 10 main themes, based on publicly available and auditable data. The score ranges from 0 to 100 on relative ESG performance and insufficient degree of transparency in reporting material ESG data publicly. <i>(Score ratings are 0 to 25 = poor; &gt;25 to 50 = satisfactory; &gt;50 to 75 = good; and &gt;75 to 100 = excellent.)</i>																					
S&P Global	The S&P Global ESG Score is a relative score measuring a company's performance on and management of ESG risks, opportunities, and impacts compared to its peers within the same industry classification. The score ranges from 0 to 100.																					
Bloomberg	ESG Score	Bloomberg score evaluating the company's aggregated Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) performance. The score is based on Bloomberg's view of ESG financial materiality. The score is a weighted generalized mean (power mean) of Pillar Scores, where the weights are determined by the pillar priority ranking. Values range from 0 to 10; 10 is the best.																				
Bloomberg	ESG Disclosure Score	Disclosure of a company's ESG used for Bloomberg ESG score. The score ranges from 0 for none to 100 for disclosure of every data point, measuring the amount of ESG data reported publicly, and not the performance on any data point.																				

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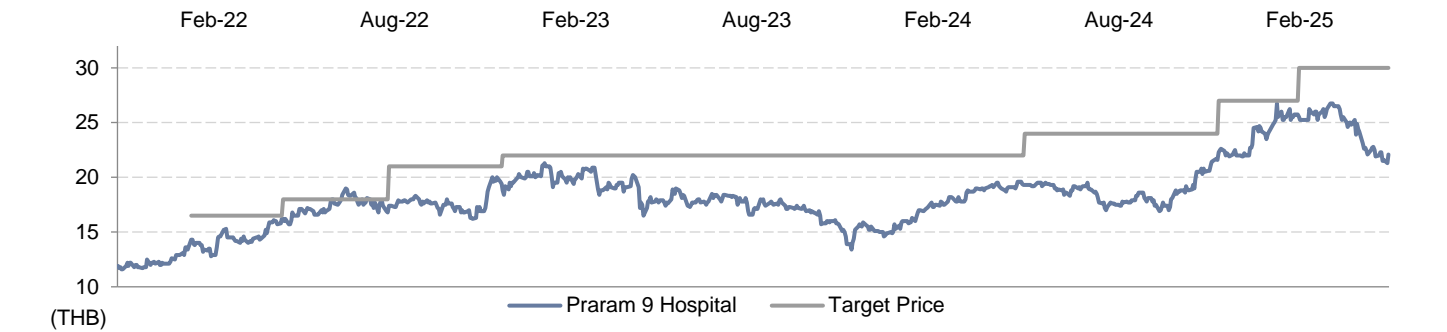
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Praram 9 Hospital (PR9 TB)



Teerapol Udomvej, CFA started covering this stock from 30-Jul-2020  
Price and TP are in local currency  
Source: FSSIA estimates

Company	Ticker	Price	Rating	Valuation & Risks
Praram 9 Hospital	PR9 TB	THB 22.10	BUY	Downside risks to our DCF-based target price include 1) weak patient volumes following the economic slowdown; 2) regulatory risks from drug price and medical bill controls; and 3) higher-than-expected expenses from its new building.

Source: FSSIA estimates

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