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Brian Krummel* (bkrum1@umbc.edu), 4305 Cottington Road, Baltimore, MD 21236, and **Mike Greenberg** (mikeyg@nyu.edu), 363 Gulf Rd., Elyria, OH 44035. *Isoperimetric Surfaces and General Relativity*.

Recall that the isoperimetric problem for 3-manifolds is the problem of bounding a region of given volume with a surface of minimal surface area. We obtain the isoperimetric profile for the standard initial slices in the Reissner-Nordstrom and Schwarzschild Anti-deSitter spacetimes. We derive our results by modifying and applying recent work of Bray and Morgan on isoperimetric comparison. The study of the isoperimetric problem on Schwarzschild Anti-deSitter space can be applied to deriving a Penrose Inequality for a class of asymptotically hyperbolic spaces.

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