Living Our Mission

2017 Annual Report

TOP RURAL HOSPITAL 2017
At DECH, we speak frequently about our Mission to serve the health care needs of the people of the Sunrise County. Our Mission statement is not merely a piece of paper with a few sentences scribed in ink, collecting dust somewhere or hung in offices and a few hallways throughout our buildings. Going into the fourth year of serving DECH and this community, I have seen throughout, a group of compassionate, skilled, and hardworking people who are truly committed to the people of the community and to our great Mission to serve all those who come through our doors seeking health care.

A clearly defined and communicated Mission is essential to the success of any organization as it serves as a guide for all decision making. We speak frequently about the organization’s Strategic Plan. The strategic plan is the organization’s process of delivering its strategy, or direction, and making decisions on allocation of its resources to pursue specific strategies. It sets priorities, focuses energies, strengthens operations, and guides the organization as it works towards common goals. It also provides the roadmap that allows us to establish intended goals and set pathways that continuously lead us to improve: patient outcomes, patient satisfaction, financial stability, strong employee and physician relationships and engagement, and all those things that keep us focused and aligned with our Mission to serve our community now and well into the future.

The team here at DECH has worked hard during the past year to meet our strategic goals. We have already set our goals for 2018 and are actively turning them into reality. Two thousand seventeen was a solid year for DECH. As many of you may know, we worked hard to achieve a nationally recognized award for patient quality and safety and were presented with the Leapfrog Top Rural Hospital award. Our patient satisfaction scores have continually risen over the years and we consistently reach patient survey scores that outrank many of our peers; with all being above national average and many being in the top 90th percentile. Physician engagement scores based on medical staff surveys have also improved over previous surveys with engagement scores reaching levels that are well-above national average and some being at the highest levels amongst thousands of physicians who take similar surveys across the United States.

During 2017 we invested in capital improvements. The new Emergency Department held its grand opening and has been providing top-notch care since. Our Rehabilitation Services Department moved into its new off-campus location adding significantly more space for our growing program and greatly improving the environment of care delivery for both patients and staff. In 2017 we made significant upgrades to our information technology infrastructure to enhance security and improve operability of our electronic medical records system. We also increased access to care through the purchase of Arnold Memorial Medical Center in Jonesport in February 2017 adding four new providers to our DECH program and a team of dedicated employees to our team. During 2017, we added an integrated behavioral health program, expanded our orthopedic program, and signed a contract with another ENT surgeon to support our already high-quality program.

As an organization, the Board of Trustees and the Senior Team have a remarkable responsibility to maintain financial responsibility and integrity of the organization. By doing so, it ensures that the current and future capacity of the organization to provide services remain solvent. DECH finished the year with a positive operating margin and a positive total margin two years in a row.

While we can only be sure that the future will continue to throw challenges at health care, I end up referring to an old Irish saying that states “When you come upon a wall, throw your hat over it, and then go get your hat”. Practical advice. That’s why we plan so hard, because we really believe in our Mission.

Sincerely,

Dennis Welsh, CEO
Growing Our Services

Down East Community experienced a good deal of growth during 2017. We saw the first patients in our new Emergency Department and our new Rehabilitation Department space located on Dublin Street in Machias. The increased square footage for the Emergency Department was approximately 4,000 square feet and the increase for the Rehabilitation Department was 3,200 square feet. Arnold Memorial Medical Center in Jonesport officially became part of the Down East Community family and the previous space used for Rehabilitation was renovated to provide Behavioral Health Services.

Leadership:

President & CEO: Dennis Welsh
Board Chair: David Whitney
Employees on payroll: 360

2017 DECH & SCF payroll/benefits
Payroll exp: $20,029,718
Benefits: $4,725,624

Payer Types

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Volume Statistics

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<td>Deliveries</td>
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<td>Inpatient Surgery</td>
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<td>Lab Tests</td>
<td>68,513</td>
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<td>Outpatient Surgeries</td>
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<td>Rehabilitation Visits</td>
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<td>Cardiopulmonary Visits</td>
<td>7,992</td>
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## Financial Statements

### Consolidated Statements

#### Consolidated Statements of Operations Years Ended December 31, 2017 and 2016

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<td><strong>Unrestricted revenues, gains, and other support</strong></td>
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<td>Patient service revenue</td>
<td>$46,948,981</td>
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<td>(net of contractual allowances and discounts)</td>
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<td>Less provision for bad debts</td>
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<td><strong>$44,078,599</strong></td>
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<td>Investment income</td>
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<td>Other revenue</td>
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<td>Electronic health record incentives</td>
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<td><strong>Total revenues, gains and other support</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Expenses</strong></td>
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<td>Salaries</td>
<td>20,029,718</td>
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<td>Employee benefits</td>
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<td>Purchased services</td>
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<td>Supplies</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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<td>Depreciation and amortization</td>
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<td>Interest</td>
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<td>114,621</td>
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<td><strong>Total expenses</strong></td>
<td>45,039,648</td>
<td>40,865,237</td>
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<td><strong>Excess (deficiency) excess of revenues, gains, and other support over expenses</strong></td>
<td>436,270</td>
<td>706,915</td>
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<td>Change in net unrealized gains and losses on investments</td>
<td>263,282</td>
<td>26,926</td>
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<td>Net assets released from restrictions of capital expenditures</td>
<td>365,469</td>
<td>70,674</td>
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<td>Unfunded pension liability adjustment</td>
<td>31,654</td>
<td>243,846</td>
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<td><strong>Increase in unrestricted net assets</strong></td>
<td><strong>$1,096,675</strong></td>
<td><strong>$1,048,361</strong></td>
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Our Mission Statement

At Down East Community our mission is to improve the health of the people in the Sunrise County by being as passionate, determined and resilient as those we serve and by balancing exceptional service, financial integrity, current technology, staff satisfaction and collaborative community involvement.

An integral part of the mission of Down East Community is to improve the health of the people in the Sunrise County and our Community Benefit is a part of what we do to fulfill that mission.

Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA)

Down East Community Hospital continues to take steps to improve the health of its communities. In 2017 DECH focused its community health efforts based on its selected priorities of focus.

- Obesity • Drug & Alcohol Abuse • Cardiovascular Disease • Mental Health • Cancer • Access to Healthcare • Diabetes

Subsidized Programs:

- Bold Coast Festival
- Elaine Hill Walk
- Cancer There Is Hope
- DAC Cross Country Taping
- Women's Health Resource Library
- Pee Wee Basketball
- Harrington Round Ball Classic
- Machias Area Little League
- Machias Bay Chamber Concerts
- Machias Bay Chamber
- Machias Wild Blueberry Festival
- Milbridge Baseball/Softball
- Opioid Education
Medical Services:
- NYU Dental Clinic
- Free Mammograms
- Free Medical Care
- Health Fairs and Flu Shot Clinics
- Community Health Needs

Medical Education:
- Healthcare Professional Education

Total: $1,379,966

Medical Education $116,434
Subsidized Programs $25,672
Medical Services $1,237,860
Recognized for Quality

Leapfrog Top Rural Hospital Award

Down East Community Hospital was named a Top Rural Hospital by The Leapfrog Group, an independent hospital watchdog organization. The Leapfrog Top Hospital award is widely acknowledged as one of the most competitive honors American hospitals can receive.

The selection is based on the results of The Leapfrog Group's annual hospital survey, which measures hospitals performance on patient safety and quality, focusing on three critical areas of hospital care: how patients fare, resource use, and management structures established to prevent errors. Performance across many areas of hospital care is considered in establishing the qualifications for the award, including survival rates for high-risk procedures and a hospital's ability to prevent medication errors. Leapfrog's Top Hospital award is widely acknowledged as one of the most prestigious distinctions any hospital can achieve in the United States. Top Hospitals have lower infection rates, better outcomes, decreased length of stay and fewer readmissions.

High HCAHPS Scores

HCAHPS (Hospital Consumer Assessment of Providers & Systems) is an independent, standardized survey instrument used to measure patient's perspectives on hospital care. It contains 21 patient perspectives on care and patient rating items that encompass nine key topics: communication with providers, communication with nurses, responsiveness of hospital staff, pain management, communication about medicines, discharge information, cleanliness of the hospital environment, quietness of the hospital environment, and transition of care.

Down East Community Hospital was well above benchmark in almost all of the categories and received an overall rating of 91.3.

4 Star Rating from Medicare.gov

DECH received a 4 Star rating from Medicare.gov. The Medicare.gov overall rating summarizes up to 57 quality measures on Hospital Compare reflecting common conditions that hospitals treat, such as heart attacks or pneumonia. The overall rating ranges from one to five stars. The more stars, the better a hospital performed on the available quality measures.

We know that we've worked hard to be a great provider of health care, but it's always nice to be publicly recognized at this level for the great work that our team does every day. At DECH, our Vision is that "Every patient experience will be exceptional!" Our team takes quality, safety, and compassionate care very seriously. It feels good to be recognized as a 'Top Hospital'. It acknowledges our commitment to our patients. These awards and scores exemplify continued commitment to excellence, and reflects the incredible work by our physicians, advanced practitioners, nurses and staff, and particularly our Quality Improvement and Patient Safety team, all of whom contributed tremendously to our success.
Get Better Maine Overall Rating

Better

Get Better Maine ratings use federal and state data to compare Maine’s hospitals to those in the remainder of the United States. Ratings are assigned as Low, Good, Better, and Best.

Uses Treatments that are Proven Effective for Maternity Care

Best Rating

Uses Methods to Make Care Safer

Best Rating

How Patients Have Rated Their Care

Better Rating

Comments from Patients

My stay was excellent & all the staff I came in contact with were very kind & respectful.
I’ve been in several hospitals & this was by far, my best experience.

The meals were excellent. I was more than satisfied with my stay at Dorm East Community Hospital (all personnel involved) I’d stay at the hospital in the future.

Dr. & Nurses were GREAT! Always polite and concerned about what was wrong with my condition.

I was treated very good and all the drs, nurses and other people were very wonderful to me. I would certainly tell people what wonderful care I got while at the hospital.

Yes! DECH Emergency Dept. rates up there with any ER in the state! Drs & staff were with me 100%, can’t say enough about the care I received. Thank you!

This was my most positive hospital experience for me and my husband. Extremely clean, professional and timely.
You guys are a great team. Felt cared for - not rushed, not confused, you all respected each other & patient. Well done!

Staff & doctors were great and I appreciated their diligence and care.

The most dedicated, compassionate, professional care I ever received!!

Everybody is so down to earth, that I feel right at home with all the staff.
List Of Service Chiefs (as of December 31, 2017)

Michael Bell, MD  Emergency Medicine Service
Peter Morningstar, MD  Pediatric Service
Christian Inegbenijie, MD  Obstetric Service
Thomas Crowe, MD  Surgical Service
Diane Zavotsky, MD  Medicine Service
Stephen Madigan, MD  Radiology Service

New Medical Staff Members in 2017

Cressey Brazier, MD  Linda Napier, APRN-FNP
Ryan Byers, PA-C  William Peternel, DO
Helen Deuschle, LCSW  Daniel Reinke, MD
LeRoy Danielson, MD  Holly Stewart, PMH-NP
Nathan Donaldson, DO  Teri Weisberger, APRN-FNP
Deborah Guilmette, APRN-FNP  Kellie Wheeler, PA-C
Sarah Kopke, PA-C  Joseph Williams, MD

In 2017 the following practitioners joined the DECH Staff:

Cressey Brazier, MD  Linda Napier, APRN-FNP
Ryan Byers, PA-C  William Peternel, DO
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Deborah Guilmette, APRN-FNP  Kellie Wheeler, PA-C
Sarah Kopke, PA-C  Joseph Williams, MD

Anesthesiology
Leonid Brodsky, MD  Steven Weisberger, DO
Rita Ten, MD  Teri Weisberger, APRN-FNP
Teresa Maresh, APRN-CRNA  Hospitalist
Shawn Sparrow, CRNA  Kerry Crowley, MD
Behavioral Health
Helen Deuschle, LCSW  Howard Grayson, MD
Holly Stewart, PMH-NP  Thomas Ryan, DO
Emergency Medicine
Nadeem Ali, MD  Daniel Stanishe, MD
Michael Bell, MD  Diane Zavotsky, MD
Justin Bennett, MD  Obstetrics/Gynecology
Peter Clark, DO  Kara Dwight, DO
Colin Coor, MD  Christian Inegbenijie, MD
Timothy Coury, MD  Behavioral Health
Peter Croft, MD
LeRoy Danielson, MD
Nathan Donaldson, DO
Brian Griffin, MD
Deborah Guilmette, APRN-FNP
George Higgins, III, MD
Sarah Kopke, PA-C
James Mullen, III, MD
Douglas Nilson, MD
Guy Nuki, MD
William Peternel, DO
Daniel Reinke, MD
Marcus Riccioni, MD
Joseph Nabozy, MD
Michelle Perkins, MD
Daniel Stanishe, MD
Ernest Walker, PA-C
Kellie Wheeler, PA-C

Family Practice
Robert Abrams, MD  New England Telemedicine
Julia Arnold, MD  Consultants
Carl Aseltin, MD  Trustin Ennacheril, MD
Kristen Barbee, DO  Gregory Lam, MD
Belinda Barron, APRN-FNP  David Rioux, DO
Ryan Byers, PA-C  Curtis Russet, APRN-FNP
John Gaddis, DO  Cynthia Sammis, MD
Sandra Manship, APRN-FNP
Kelly McCoubrey, APRN-FNP
Christine Moulton, APRN-FNP
Linda Napier, APRN-FNP
David Rioux, DO
Cynthia Sammis, MD

Pain Management
Rita Ten, MD
Pathology Consultant
Marek Skacel, MD
Pediatrics
Peter Morningstar, MD  Steven Weisberger, DO
Alfred Wakeman, PA-C  Hospitalist
Podiatry
Nima Moghaddas, DPM  Kerry Crowley, MD
Gary Degen, DPM  Howard Grayson, MD
Radiology
Stephen Madigan, MD  Thomas Ryan, DO
Karen Willens, MD  Behavioral Health
Surgery, Colorectal
Aziz Massaad, MD  Dhanvant Rathod, MD
Surgery, General
Aziz Massaad, MD  Women's Health
Urology
Christine Kuhni, APRN-WHNP  Christine Kuhni, APRN-WHNP

New England Telemedicine
Consultants
Trustin Ennacheril, MD
Gregory Lam, MD
The residents and staff of Sunrise Care Facility have had an outstanding year filled with honors, special events and lots of fun.

Obeline Crowley, 99 years young, was a recipient of the Maine Health Care Association Remember Me lifetime achievement award. Obeline lived her life on Beals where she raised her son, worked and served her community. Obeline and her husband, Jerome, owned and operated a general store. Later in life she accomplished her dream of becoming a school teacher. At the age of 55, she graduated from the University of Maine at Machias. She went on to teach first grade students for 10 years until her retirement. On August 29, 2017, Obeline became a member of an elite group of centenarians. We celebrated her 100th birthday with many family members, friends, neighbors and well wishes from President Donald Trump and Governor Paul LePage. It was a memorable day for all.

During the week of May 14th, we celebrated National Nursing Home week. We enjoyed a week filled with special activities, food and music including a beautiful afternoon at the Roque Bluffs State Park.

Elisabeth Dudley, O.T. joined the Sunrise Care Facility team as the Rehabilitation Manager in August. Lis brings many years of rehab experience to our team allowing community members to receive rehab services close to home.

September 5th, 2017, Shona Mitchell, C.N.A., was honored at a Blaine House tea hosted by Maine’s First Lady, Mrs. Ann LePage. Shona was a recipient of the 2017 Long-Term Care Ombudsman Excellence in Long-Term Care Award. Shona has been an integral part of the Sunrise Care Facility nursing team for ten years. She provides outstanding person centered care and is a great team member.

September 19, 2017, Julia Alley, Business Office Manager, received the Maine Health Care Association Excellence in Caregiving Award. Julia was recognized among her peers at the Augusta Civic Center. She had the honor of meeting Staff Sergeant Travis Mills. Julia has been a team member at Sunrise Care Facility for 22 years. She has a willingness to help anyone in need and a keen eye for detail which makes her a perfect fit for the business office. Her contributions to the success of the organization are innumerable.

These are just a few of the outstanding events we have enjoyed and celebrated at Sunrise Care Facility. I wish to extend my gratitude to our community, without your support much of what we do would not be possible. To the hard-working, dedicated staff, thank you for your commitment to serve. You truly embody the heart and soul of long-term care.

Arlena Ryan, Administrator
Recently, I marked the thirtieth anniversary of my father’s passing. Dad was a veteran of WW II, worked as a CPA, and along with my Mom, raised four children. My father never missed a day of work due to illness. In fact, growing up, I don’t remember him ever seeking medical attention. Dad’s generation, the so-called Greatest Generation, tended to avoid doctors and had no concept of preventive care. In the fall of 1987, Dad began to suffer extreme abdominal pain – it was time to finally visit the doctor. Dad’s physician determined that my father had advanced-stage colon cancer, which involved his liver and spine. Dad died the following April at the age of 78. My father’s passing brought me face to face with my own mortality. I knew from the literature that there was most likely a genetic component to my father’s cancer. If there was any lesson to be learned from my Dad’s situation, it was that I quite possibly had inherited a genetic propensity for colon cancer and that I must do all I could to avoid my father’s fate.

I endured my first colonoscopy, at the age of 50, in Massachusetts in 2000. I use the word “endure” because the prep was awful. At that time the preparation consisted of consuming large doses of a nauseating elixir mixed with a favorite beverage. The mixture worked okay, but was hard to keep down. And that favorite beverage is no longer my favorite. That was eighteen years and five colonoscopies ago. Things have changed.

My last colonoscopy was a breeze. The prep has evolved enormously and now requires consuming a tasteless (and very effective) product. I mix it with an energy drink to compensate for the loss of electrolytes. The best part is the huge plate of French toast that I wolf down after the previous day’s fasting. It’s incredible!

And then there’s Dr. Massaad. What can I say about someone who has saved the lives of so many individuals – including my own. It turns out that my body sees fit to produce colon polyps that can, if left unchecked, develop into cancer. Dr. Massaad has removed numbers of these from my colon during past colonoscopies, including a very large one that would have most certainly taken my life, but which produced no symptoms. I had no idea!

Oddly, my brother and sisters colonoscopies revealed no signs of the polyp-producing condition that I inherited. It just isn’t possible to predict who will contract colon cancer.

A family history is an important factor, but by age fifty, it is recommended that everyone have a colonoscopy as a simple precaution.

I remember a time when anyone suffering a severe traumatic condition in Washington County could not be treated at DECH, and would need to be transported to Bangor. There was no helipad in those days. Driving on old Route 9 thirty or forty years ago- does anyone remember the Airline thirty or forty years ago? The seemingly endless ride in a pot-hole-dodging ambulance, in pain, on old Route 9, could not have favored the outcome.

Things are very different today. Machias area residents can be proud of the state-of-the-art facility that has become Down East Community Hospital. With a well equipped and gifted staff, DECH can handle most medical situations. Anyone needing more specialized care can be transported by Life Flight Helicopter, utilizing the DECH helipad. We are truly fortunate to have, in a rural community, such a fine modern hospital. DECH routinely performs a wide variety of preventive care procedures, including colonoscopy. Thank you Dr. Massaad!

Would my father have availed himself of preventive care had it existed in his lifetime as it exists today? I’m guessing that he would not have. I think Dad (and others of his generation) would have considered going to the doctor when there is nothing wrong with you as “neurotic folly.” Still, preventive care could in time lower the cost of healthcare. It’s just a whole lot cheaper to prevent disease than it is to treat it. Every generation can appreciate that!
Dear friends,

Down East Community Hospital is an organization, which constantly is working its mission and evaluating strategy to achieve its mission. Preceding our monthly meeting, board members and senior staff enjoy breaking bread together prepared for us by the very capable staff of dining services. While we enjoy our meal, members volunteer to read our Mission, Vision, Values, and Organizational Excellence Statement:

Our mission statement is “Our mission is to improve the health of the people in Sunrise County by being as passionate, determined and resilient as those we serve and by balancing exception service, financial integrity, current technology staff satisfaction and collaborative community involvement.”

Our Values are “Respect, Communications, Ownership, Empowerment, Excellence, Resilience, Integrity, and Compassion.”

Our Vision statement is “Every Patient Experience Will be Exceptional!”

Our Organizational Excellence Statement is: “Down East Community Hospital’s foundation for organizational excellence lies in a commitment to treat others as we wish to be treated. We are important representatives of this organization, whether at work or in the community and are all responsible for contributing to a welcoming atmosphere of respect and genuine concern where every interaction is exceptional in all ways and always. We promote a culture of organizational excellence through staff education, support, and recognition.”

We recite these words as a reminder of why we are here and why we strive to deliver quality and compassionate healthcare for the people of Washington County and its visitors.

Having received a nationally recognized award for patient quality and safety, we were presented with the Leapfrog Top 100 Hospital award. Our patient satisfaction scores have continually risen. Physician engagement scores continue to rise. We continue to improve on the question, “Would you recommend?” For these achievements, we all can be very proud of the direction our hospital is headed.

Twenty seventeen brought many achievements. We completed our Emergency Department expansion and upgrade and we have been serving the public with excellent care since the grand opening. For the second year in a row, we finished with a positive operating and total margin.

Our CEO, Dennis Welsh is beginning his fourth year serving DECH. He and his senior team continually work closely and effectively with the Board of Trustees to design, develop, and operationalize strategies and initiatives that promote our Mission, Vision, and Values. Our Board remains involved and energized to govern the hospital with diligent and engaged deliberation as decisions are made. It is a pleasure to have served another year as its Chair.

Sincerely,

David M. Whitney
Chair, Board of Trustees
The 2nd Annual Hoops for Health Basketball Tournament raised $13,000 for the Obstetrics Department. So many people contributed to the success of this event. From the Hoops for Health Committee, to the many volunteers, to the business and community members who generously donated, to coaches and referees, to the schools who send their teams, to UMM for hosting and sponsoring the event, we thank you and the community for the generosity shown towards our hospital.

The proceeds from the event went towards the purchase of three new Stryker basinsets in the Obstetrics Department which were a much needed item for our patients and our nurses. The carefully designed features help allow for mother to infant closeness and ensure ease of use and mobility for caregivers and enhances interaction for mothers. They are also constructed and engineered for ease of cleaning and for dependable durability.

Our Donors
Gratitude for Giving!
Our hearts are filled with gratitude for the gifts of our generous donors during 2017.

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Joyce Hooper
Velma Hoyt
Michael C. Hoyt
Scott & Susan Huber
Annalisia Jeyte
Blaine & Dori Jones
Gwendolyn Jones
Kate Keeton
Stephen Kelly
Dr. Kerry & Deborah Crowley
Chip & Judy Knowlton
Christine Kuhnhi
Dr. Anne Baker & Dr. Robert Lacy
Thorton & Kathy Land
Roger Lane
Gilbert Larrabee
Richard & Elsie Larson
Christine Laurel
Charles & Harriet Lightner
Gene & Mrs. Look
Chris & Pam Loughlin
Patsy Luce
Chris & Andrea Lyford
William & Linda Mallar
Ellen Mallar
Barbara Manchester
Nick & Theresa Maresh
Nate Martell
Earlene Mattheson
Judson & Paula McBride
Leslie McCollum
Howard & Mary McFadden
Richard & Joan Merseve
Bonnie Milliken
Mia Mills
James Miner
Ronald Morgan & Dr. Nima Moghaddas
Ed & Carol Mosel
Bernice Murphy
Louise Murry
Charlene Myers
Robert & Margaret Nalle
Anthony Newcomb
Jacqueline & Susan O’Clair
Christopher & Lynette Parr
Warren Peabody
Robert & Jeanne Peacock
Tina Peladeau
Ed & Esther Pellan
Wayne & Gail Peters
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