

2019-20 REPORT



Spartanburg Regional
Foundation

Hope Made Possible By You.





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HOPE MADE POSSIBLE BY YOU.



CELEBRATING OUR SUCCESSES

“Our system is supported by a vibrant and appreciative community, and together we stand united in a common purpose — to make our communities stronger and healthier.”

Since 1921, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System has cared for the Upstate — rising in prosperity and persevering through challenging times, together. These past two years have brought their share of each to our community.

Now, more than ever, it is important to celebrate our successes and the work of our physicians, associates and health system.

A health system that began with one building on Church Street in 1921 now includes two Spartanburg Medical Center campuses, Pelham Medical Center, Cherokee Medical Center, Union Medical Center and Spartanburg Hospital for Restorative Care, as well as nearly 100 medical offices throughout the Upstate and Western North Carolina.

In 2020, Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute opened a 191,000-square-foot expansion off Interstate 85 in Greer. Gibbs Cancer Center at Pelham will serve generations of families, meeting the increased demands for cancer care locally and regionally.

Spartanburg Regional also continues to receive national recognition, both for the quality of care our team provides and for the working atmosphere we create for associates.

- In 2020, *U.S. News and World Report* ranked Spartanburg Medical Center – Church Street Campus as the No. 2 hospital in South Carolina.
- For the fifth consecutive year, Pelham Medical Center was named as one of the 100 “Best Places to Work in Healthcare” by Modern Healthcare.

These honors are emblematic of the tremendous work our physicians and associates do each day on behalf of our community. In the past several months, this calling has been evident in the care provided during COVID-19.

From the beginning of the pandemic, physicians and associates across the system have responded with dedication and determination, caring for patients and families as everyone navigates through these troubling times.

Our system is supported by a vibrant and appreciative community, and together we stand united in a common purpose — to make our communities stronger and healthier. We are truly thankful for your continued partnership and advocacy.

To the future and to good health,

Bruce Holstien

CEO, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System



OUR FIRST TWO-YEAR REPORT

“Your support for the Foundation and the healthcare system has buoyed our spirits, our resolve and our ability to give help.”

In the spring of 2020, when our 2019 annual report was about to be released, COVID-19 emerged. It was an uncertain time and our usual annual report seemed out of step with what was happening in that moment. We chose to delay the publication and eventually decided to move forward with a two-year report.

Your support for the Foundation and the healthcare system has buoyed our spirits, our resolve and our ability to give help. We remain committed to providing critical health care at a threshold of excellence that ensures you and your loved ones can rely on us now and into the future.

Over the past 12 months, the Foundation set a record for the number of people receiving help. The stack of checks processed each week — representing support from the COVID-19 Fund, the Hospice Special Needs Fund and many others — was tall.

The needs were great. With each check, our hearts were full in knowing that we could help. This help was only possible because of you.

For many years, the Foundation has included the following message on our materials: HOPE MADE POSSIBLE BY YOU. Never before has this statement been more accurate.

Thank you for helping us provide hope, healing and comfort during the past two years.

Your partnership has meant everything.

With appreciation,

Kristy Caradori

Executive Director, Spartanburg Regional Foundation

Senior Vice President, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System



MEET OUR BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The community volunteers who make up the Spartanburg Regional Foundation Board of Trustees bring a wealth of diverse talents and leadership perspectives. They provide strategic vision and ensure proper stewardship of donors' investments in the strength of Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System and the health of our community. We are grateful for their service and their commitment to the well-being of others.



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FOUNDATION HIGHLIGHTS



New funds were established to support needs at Spartanburg Medical Center – Mary Black Campus and Cherokee Medical Center.



The expanded Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute at Pelham opened for patients in March 2020.



Spartanburg Regional Hospice was awarded a grant from The Duke Endowment to promote Advance Care Planning.



Foundation trustees designated \$2 million for a new COVID-19 Fund.



Fifteen distinguished leaders were inducted into the new Robert H. Chapman Leadership Society.



Over 2019-2020, SRHS employees donated more than \$1.75 million.



Large legacy gifts from Anne and Terrell Sovey (pictured above) and from the late Robert Ryman will support SRHS in perpetuity.



More than 1,000 children benefited from the Bradshaw Pediatric Rehab Fund.



Spartanburg Regional Foundation and community partners secured a \$4.4 million federal grant to reduce teen pregnancy and promote overall adolescent well-being.



The inaugural Heart Gala raised more than \$700,000 for the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center.



The mobile mammography program expanded with two new units.

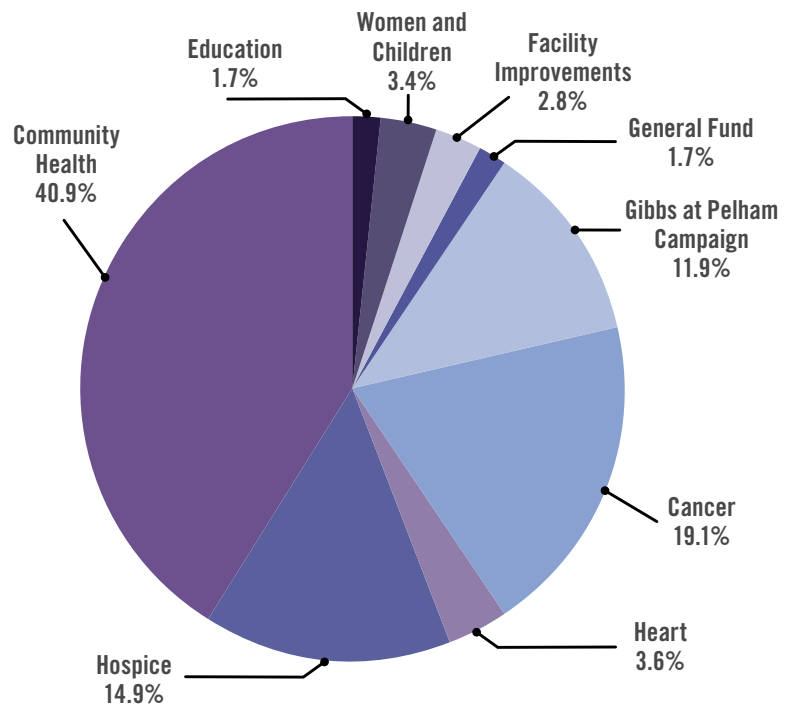


Spartanburg Regional Foundation coordinated delivery of more than 30,000 meals to seniors during the pandemic.

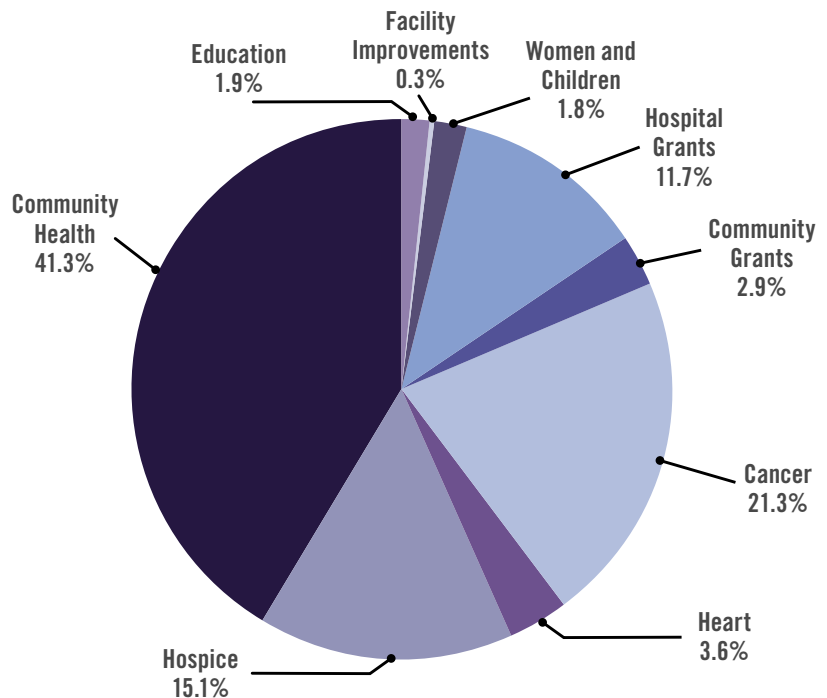


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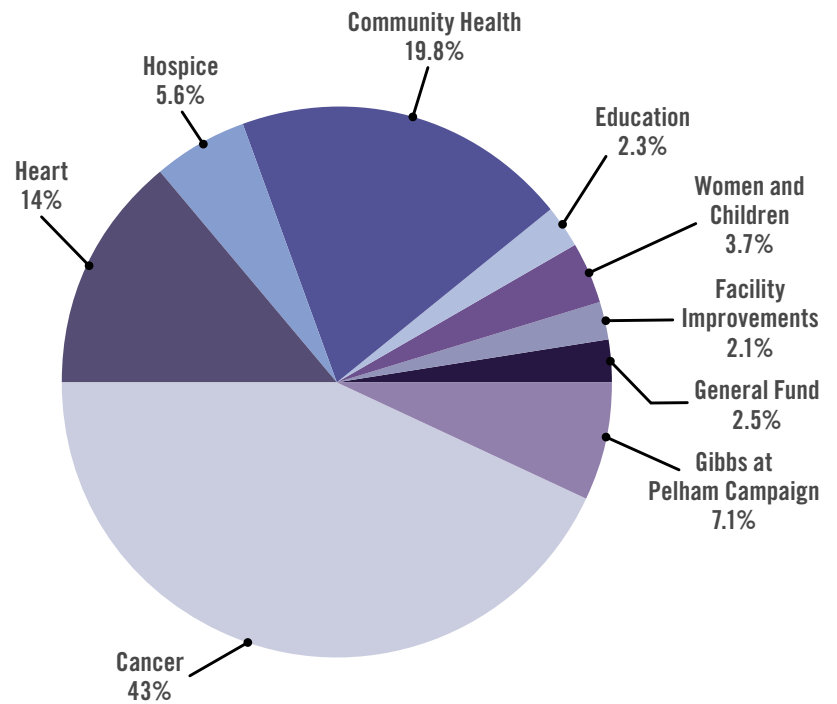
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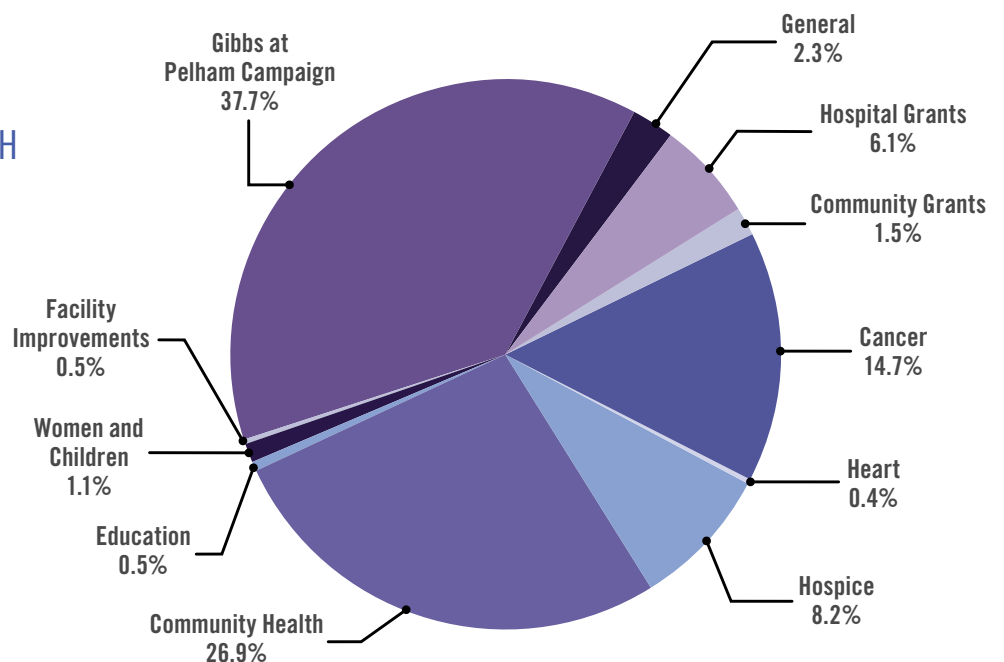
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INVESTMENTS IN HEALTH
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2020 FOUNDATION GIFTS
RECEIVED BY SERVICE AREA
\$5,291,115



2020 FOUNDATION
INVESTMENTS IN HEALTH
\$7,947,113





'WHERE I BELONG'

John Harrill, MD | 2019 Board Chair

JOHN HARRILL, MD, IS GRATEFUL FOR HIS CAREER AS A RADIOLOGIST AND IS COMMITTED TO GIVING BACK.

John Harrill, MD, enjoyed a career spanning four decades, during which he saw the radiology field revolutionized by technology.

"It's beyond comprehension, based on where things were when I started here in the 1970s," he said.

Dr. Harrill credits hospital leaders and community philanthropists for providing him with the tools needed to provide advanced care.

"I had friends from medical school who practiced in health systems that didn't

have the same level of support," said Dr. Harrill. "That was never a problem here."

In the early 1990s, he served on the Spartanburg Regional Foundation board for the first time. He was a member of the hospital system's board from 2000 to 2002. Following retirement, Dr. Harrill returned to serve another board term with the Foundation.

"This is where I belong," he said.

His service led him to become Foundation board chair in 2019.

"We have been tremendously blessed by his leadership," said Foundation Executive Director Kristy Caradori. "Dr. Harrill has a vision for how the Foundation can benefit the health of our community long into the future."

As a radiologist, he has a special appreciation for the Foundation's "exemplary support" for making mammography more widely accessible to women

in need. Dr. Harrill is excited about the development and use of other diagnostic screening technologies to detect cancer early. He points to the success of low-dose CT screening for

lung cancer, generally recommended for smokers and former smokers over the age of 55.

"It can make lung cancer a curable disease," he said.

As these and other advancements continue to shape the future of health care, Dr. Harrill expects the Foundation to help keep Spartanburg Regional at the forefront.

"I'm grateful for what this hospital and the Foundation have allowed me to enjoy in my career," he said. "It's a big part of my life."

"Dr. Harrill has a vision for how the Foundation can benefit the health of our community long into the future."

- Kristy Caradori



JOHN HARRILL, MD



ANNE FLYNN

THE LONG VIEW

Anne Flynn | 2020 Board Chair

THE FOUNDATION HAS THRIVED DURING AN UNCERTAIN TIME UNDER ANNE FLYNN'S STEADY LEADERSHIP.

Anne Flynn believes an essential key to leadership is the ability to adapt, learn and “play the hand you’re dealt as well as you possibly can.” That’s certainly what she has done as chair of the Spartanburg Regional Foundation Board of Trustees.

Only weeks after leading her first board meeting as chair, the COVID-19 pandemic brought an abrupt new reality. Meetings took place virtually and annual events were either postponed or canceled. The pandemic would impact the needs and activities of the Foundation.

“Who would have imagined that this would be our situation?” said Flynn. “We can’t always control what’s going on in the world, but we can choose to see change as an opportunity to improve and, in our case, address the emerging health needs of the community.”

One of the early steps taken by Foundation leaders during the pandemic was the establishment of a new COVID-19 fund to support the health system. The fund assists Spartanburg Regional employees affected financially as well as patients hospitalized with COVID-19.

Meanwhile, Flynn and Foundation Executive Director Kristy Caradori approached members of the Board of Trustees and division boards about extending all board terms another year. Flynn was happy with the result.

“Every single member said yes — that was a powerful statement of their commitment to the health system and the well-being of our community,” said Flynn.

Caradori said the Foundation has benefited from Flynn’s steady leadership.

“We can choose to see change as an opportunity to improve and, in our case, address the emerging health needs of the community.”

- Anne Flynn

“Anne understands what it takes to work with a diverse group of volunteer leaders during changing times,” she said. “She is great at remaining focused on the big picture.”

Flynn is taking the long view: “Our community had needs before COVID-19 and will have needs after COVID-19. In some ways, the pandemic has brought to light needs and opportunities that will make the Foundation stronger when we come out of this.”



\$2 MILLION COVID-19 FUND HELPS THOUSANDS

Trustees establish new fund to address pandemic needs

As COVID-19 emerged, healthcare professionals at Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System acted with courage to confront the virus. At the same time, the Spartanburg Regional Foundation's Board of Trustees took swift action to support needs resulting from the pandemic.

Trustees allocated \$2 million to a new fund dedicated to supporting employees impacted by the pandemic as well as patients hospitalized with COVID-19.

"This new investment is just part of the Foundation's ongoing work to support our hospital system and the community," said Anne Flynn, 2020 Foundation board chair. "We are honored to be able to help in such a significant way."

Businesses, foundations and individuals also contributed to the fund. Early gifts were made by Activision, BMW, Fullerton Foundation and Timken Foundation. SRHS CEO Bruce Holstien made a leadership gift and was followed by others, including Michael Orseck, MD.

"It is important, now more than ever, to support the needs created by COVID-19," said Dr. Orseck.

"I'm invested in our system and our associates, and I want to help."

In the first six months of the pandemic, more than 1,500 people received support from the COVID-19 Fund.

Kim Hoffman, RN, was one employee who received help. Hoffman is a nurse in SRHS Corporate Health and manages clinics for Inman Mills. She was diagnosed with COVID-19 during the summer of 2020.

"It was worse than any flu I've ever had," she said. Her illness required a 10-day stay in the ICU. "I truly had the best care," said Hoffman. The help she received was an unexpected and needed boost.

"It meant a lot to us to have this support during such a challenging time," she said.

Although times have been difficult, 2020 Board Chair Anne Flynn is optimistic for the future.

"We will overcome this," said Flynn. "We face this pandemic together — united in our resolve, committed in our love of our community, strengthened by our faith and resilient in our actions."





THE ROBERT H. CHAPMAN LEADERSHIP SOCIETY

New society honors Chapman legacy, two-term trustees

The Spartanburg Regional Foundation is grateful for those who have served on its board of trustees since its inception nearly 30 years ago. These community leaders have brought diverse talents and perspectives to the role. They have given generously of their time and expertise and have served as ambassadors for both the Foundation and Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System.

To honor those who have served for two terms — giving 12 years of service — on the Foundation's governing board, trustees have established the Robert H. Chapman Leadership Society. The first group of inductees was introduced in August 2019 at the Society of 1921 Donor Appreciation Gala.

Creation of the society also honors the legacy of businessman, philanthropist and civic leader Rob Chapman, who died unexpectedly in 2017. Chapman was a two-term Foundation trustee and provided instrumental support for such projects as the new emergency center and the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health.

John Harrill, MD, 2019 Foundation board chair, spoke at length about Chapman's contributions before introducing the inductees.

"I could spend the next hour discussing Rob's leadership, his kind heart and his impact on others, and I would still never be able to do him justice," he told the audience. "He was a special friend of mine and an amazing man, and his legacy continues to make a positive difference."

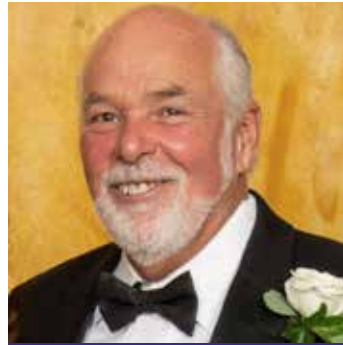
The following leaders have been recognized as members of the Robert H. Chapman III Leadership Society:

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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| • G. Ashley Allen, PhD | • Ellen H. Gramling |
| • Jeff B. Berline | • Robert A. Harley* |
| • Mellnee G. Buchheit | • Katie A. Hodge* |
| • William H. Burton | • Julian C. Josey Jr., MD |
| • Harrison S. Chapman* | • Samuel H. Maw Jr. |
| • Robert H. Chapman* | • Norman F. Pulliam |
| • Phyllis B. DeLapp | • L. Terrell Sovey Jr. |
| • Marsha H. Gibbs | • Thomas R. Young III |

**Deceased*



A. Allen



J. Berline



M. Buchheit



W. Burton



H. Chapman



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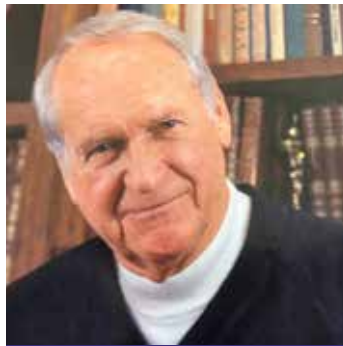
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ANNE AND TERRELL SOVEY

CHARITABLE TRUST CREATES LEGACY

Anne and Terrell Sovey

ESTATE PLANNING BY ANNE AND TERRELL SOVEY WILL BENEFIT HEALTH FOR GENERATIONS TO COME.

Anne and Terrell Sovey are longtime supporters of the healthcare system. In 2019, they decided to make their support live forever through the creation of a seven-figure charitable trust – the largest in the Foundation’s history.

“Spartanburg is a wonderful community, and its future depends on having top-notch health resources,” Terrell said. “We’re grateful for this opportunity to make a legacy contribution.”

The Soveys established a charitable remainder unitrust that will benefit Spartanburg Regional Foundation and the YMCA of Greater Spartanburg.

The couple has supported both organizations over the years, and Terrell has served as a board member of both the Foundation and the YMCA.

In 2019, the Foundation recognized Terrell’s service by inducting him into the Robert H. Chapman Leadership Society.

“Terrell is one of the smartest people I know,” said Vic Bailey, a fellow Foundation board leader.

“He is an innovative problem-solver who keeps us all on our toes.”

Charitable remainder unitrusts were established under the IRS tax code.

“This type of trust is ideal when you have an appreciated asset and you wish to reduce your tax burden while making a positive impact on one or more charities,” said Jim Shaw, a Spartanburg attorney who helped execute the gift. “A charitable remainder unitrust will provide annual income to a donor for life, reduce tax burden, and leave the remaining funds to charity.”

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- Vic Bailey

The Soveys grew up in Georgia and met during their college years. They have called Spartanburg home since the late 1950s, when he came to work as an industrial engineer for Milliken & Co. He became a vice

president at Milliken before going on to lead several other companies.

“Terrell has brought visionary leadership to the Foundation,” said Foundation Executive Director Kristy Caradori. “We are grateful for his and Anne’s thoughtful generosity, which will make a positive impact on others forever.”



A DREAM FULFILLED

Nelda Hope

THE COMMUNITY NELDA HOPE NOW CALLS HOME BENEFITS FROM HER DEDICATION TO HELP OTHERS.

As a girl growing up in the Philippines, Nelda Hope knew she wanted to be a nurse.

“I always liked caring for people,” she said.

She had another dream, too – to work in the United States. And, in 1975, Hope got the opportunity to pursue her dream.

Hospitals in the U.S. were facing a shortage of nurses, and many turned to the Philippines to fill positions.

Hope had graduated with a BSN degree when the late Zerno Martin, who was a vice president with Spartanburg General Hospital, visited to interview nurses. She was among 16 nurses who came to work at Spartanburg General.

Hope, along with several of the other Filipino nurses, settled in Spartanburg. She gained American citizenship, married, and started a family. She also worked her way up the ranks in Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System. She served as continuing education coordinator before retiring in 2020.

Along the way, Hope, who continues to work on an as-needed basis, has been a consistent donor to Spartanburg Regional Foundation.

“Donations to the Foundation do so much to help our community,” she said.

Hope is among the many Spartanburg Regional employees who supported the Foundation’s annual employee campaign. For five years in a row, thousands of employees have given collectively

more than a million dollars each year to support the health system and community wellness.

“She is wonderful example of our associates’ commitment to others in need,” said Shelly Sinclair, who

heads up the employee campaign as a Foundation director of philanthropy. “Nelda does great work to support the professional development of caregivers, and she’s passionate about serving our patients and the community. On top of all that, she makes an impact as a Foundation donor.”

As she looks back on her life since coming to America nearly 45 years ago, Hope is thankful for the opportunities she’s been afforded. And she has been dedicated to giving back.

“Every day I pray, ‘Lord, help me to give more.’”

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- Shelly Sinclair



NELDA HOPE



LIZA AND BYRD MILLER

COMMITMENT TO COMMUNITY

Liza and Byrd Miller

DRIVEN BY CIVIC PRIDE AND PERSONAL GRATITUDE, LIZA AND BYRD MILLER ARE PROUD TO SERVE.

Liza and Byrd Miller had been longtime supporters of the Spartanburg Regional Foundation and Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System. It was a cancer diagnosis that gave them a deeply personal perspective on the importance of top-notch medical care.

In 2016, Liza was diagnosed with breast cancer.

“At first, you’re just stunned and don’t really know what to do,” she said.

But Liza was fortunate that mammography screening at the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health detected her cancer early. Following a lumpectomy and radiation treatment, she is doing well now.

Liza felt grateful and wanted to do more to give back. In 2018, she joined the Foundation’s Cancer Division board.

Byrd, meanwhile, has been a member of the Spartanburg Regional board since 2012 and later the Apella Health Board. He recognizes the impact of philanthropic giving to the healthcare system.

“The advantages that the Foundation brings to the entire hospital system are remarkable,” he said.

Since joining the Cancer Division board, Liza is pleased with the development of the cancer program, including technology improvements and the growth of the mobile mammography program.

“It is so important that we have cutting-edge resources to promote prevention and early detection of cancer and to treat those who are facing a diagnosis,” she said.

Liza and Byrd grew up in Greenville and began dating in high school. They married after

college and came to Spartanburg for his job in banking.

“Spartanburg is home to us now,” said Byrd, who has gone on to become chief financial officer and treasurer with William Barnet & Son, LLC.

Byrd is excited about the direction of the healthcare system and its growing capacity to provide access to care in the Upstate.

“A vibrant hospital system is the first sign of a thriving community. We’re fortunate to have that here,” he said.

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- Byrd Miller



LEADER SETS EXAMPLE

Anita Butler

ANITA BUTLER VALUES THE IMPACT OF PHILANTHROPIC SUPPORT TO HELP PATIENTS OF ALL AGES.

From the very start, Anita Butler was a leader who would contribute in any way needed. She also knew how to maximize resources for her patients.

When the Foundation was established, she quickly determined that philanthropy could make a difference.

In the early 1990s, she was director of maternal and pediatric services. One of

the departments she managed was the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU).

“I knew if we could put donations toward enhanced training and specialized equipment, it would help our tiny patients,” Butler said.

Butler would go on to take new and expanded leadership roles. She retired in early 2020 as vice president of post-acute care, a large and ever-growing area of the health system that includes the Spartanburg Hospital for Restorative Care, Spartanburg Regional Hospice and Palliative Care, home health, senior health, Woodruff Manor, and Ellen Sagar Nursing Center.

Butler was respected for her compassion for patients in need, her loyalty to her staff, and her vision for systemwide change and constant improvement. She was a leader who was quick to give hands-on support, no matter the task.

“The advantages that the Foundation brings to the entire hospital system are remarkable.”

- Anita Butler

“My favorite thing about Anita is that she never asked you to do something she wouldn’t do,” said Kim Ross, who worked under Butler’s direction at SHRC and then as

director of hospice. “We would have cleaning days at restorative care, and Anita would be right there alongside us – scrubbing walls, wiping door handles, doing whatever was needed.”

Butler remained loyal to the Foundation throughout her career. She is most proud of her role in supporting the Harold E. Fleming, Sr. MD Patient Independence Fund. The fund honors the legacy of Fleming, who died in 2009, and provides equipment that helps patients return home after an illness.

“Foundation funds are special,” she said.
“Every dollar helps the patients we serve.”



ANITA BUTLER



MOBILE MAMMOGRAPHY PROGRAM GROWS

Two new mobile units are added with community support

Mammograms save lives.

But for many women, making it to a mammogram appointment can be a challenge. Taking time off work, finding transportation and the driving distance to a fixed site location create barriers for patients. This is why the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health mobile mammography program is such an important resource.

In recent years, the program has operated at capacity as demand for screening access has grown. A new mobile unit was needed. Bearden-Josey

Center for Breast Health Director Mary Mabry made a presentation to the Foundation's cancer board — and the rest is history.

Cancer Division board leader Chris Cannon heard Mabry's presentation and contacted the Foundation to help. Chris, his wife Cara Lynn and their family made a \$250,000 leadership gift in memory of Chris's mother, Jeanne Lytle Cannon.

Others soon followed their lead. Leadership gifts came in from the Fullerton Foundation and the Timken Foundation. Additional support was provided



by companies that utilize the mobile mammography unit, including Contec and Inman Mills. The mobile mammography program was featured as the beneficiary of proceeds of the 2018 Uplifting luncheon and was a focus of the employee campaign.

In all, more than \$800,000 was raised to help purchase two new mobile mammography units, which were delivered in 2020. They are now on the road, serving women at convenient locations such as workplaces, churches, physician offices and community centers.

“The new units help us expand our reach, thereby increasing annual screening rates, detecting breast cancers at an earlier stage when most treatable and, most importantly, saving lives,” Mabry said.

Having two mobile mammography units providing access to the Upstate will expand screening capacity to approximately 7,500 women annually.

“We are proud to support the mobile mammography program,” Cancer Division board chair Betty Montgomery said. “There was such enthusiasm for this project. We are truly grateful.”

“The new units help us expand our reach, thereby increasing annual screening rates, detecting breast cancers at an earlier stage when most treatable and, most importantly, saving lives,”

- Mary Mabry



CANCER DIVISION



EXPANDED GIBBS CANCER CENTER OPENS

The expanded Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute at Pelham opened in March 2020. The seven-story facility features advanced technology and other essential resources for patients and caregivers – from conference areas where multidisciplinary team meetings are held to discuss patient cases, to spaces for physical rehabilitation and community education, to infusion rooms that look out onto the Blue Ridge Mountains. The expansion was supported by a \$16 million commitment by the Spartanburg Regional Foundation.



INSPIRATIONAL LUNCHEON RAISES MORE THAN \$122,000

A crowd of 600 community members came together in October 2019 for An Uplifting Event. Attendees heard stories of hope and inspiration as well as perspectives on treatment and prevention. Speakers included breast cancer survivor Kim Toler, MD, and Steve Corso, MD, who discussed ongoing advancements in cancer treatment. The luncheon raised more than \$122,000 to support programs and services at the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health.





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HEART DIVISION

ECMO GRANT

In 2019, the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center benefited from the purchase of a second extra corporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO) machine. Made possible by a \$125,586 Spartanburg Regional Foundation grant, this equipment provides life support for patients in crisis whose lungs and/or heart cannot function adequately on their own. It is this kind of donor-supported, state-of-the-art technology that helps our heart center offer world-class care.



HEART GALA RAISES MORE THAN \$700,000 FOR HEART CENTER

More than 800 community members came together for Spartanburg Regional Foundation's inaugural Heart Gala – *Welcome to Wonderland*.

Under the leadership of event co-chairs Dr. Sidney Fulmer and Kathy Dunleavy, attendees enjoyed great food, drinks, music, and dancing as well as a live auction.

Sponsorships, ticket sales and other contributions raised more than \$700,000 to benefit the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center. These proceeds will support new technology, specialized training, preventive screenings and community awareness programs.

"The Spartanburg Regional Heart Center is nationally recognized for excellence, and we are proud to support the life-saving work of cardiologists, surgeons, nurses and other heart center team members," Foundation Executive Director Kristy Caradori said. "We are so grateful for the many sponsors, volunteers and other supporters who made it a tremendous success."





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HOSPICE DIVISION

ADVANCE CARE PLANNING FOR HOSPICE

Spartanburg Regional Hospice, in partnership with Spartanburg Regional Foundation, secured a \$412,500 grant from The Duke Endowment to promote advance care planning throughout the health system and community. The idea is for individuals to discuss with their loved ones and caregivers what kind of care they would want if an illness or injury left them unable to communicate their wishes. These conversations can result in the signing of an advance directive or living will.



DIRECTING YOUR LIFE

Do you have an Advance Care Plan?

To get started, call one of our Certified Advance Care Planning Facilitators at 864-560-3888.



HOPE BLOOMS

The 2019 Hope Blooms for Hospice luncheon drew a crowd of more than 500 community members to honor and support the work of Spartanburg Regional Hospice caregivers. More than \$103,000 was netted to benefit the Hospice Special Needs Fund. The fund supports direct financial assistance for qualifying patients, special occasions for families to come together and build memories, enhanced bereavement services and more.





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COMMENTS FROM EMPLOYEE DONORS

“I have been a recipient of assistance from the Foundation. I don’t know what would have happened if we had not been able to receive this help.”

“By sharing with others, I feel a bigger part of the family that is this organization.”

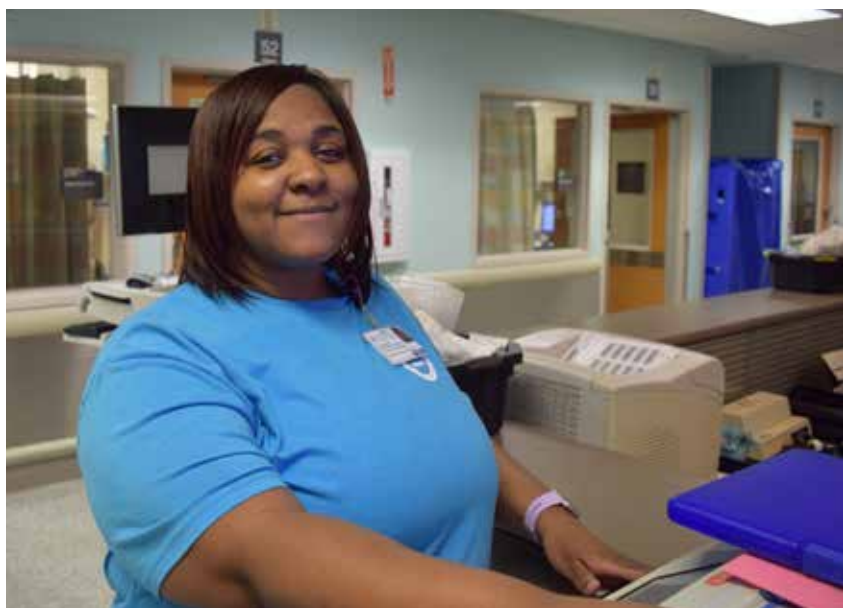
“Being born and raised in Spartanburg, it’s a special way for me to give back to the community and hospital system that have given so much to me.”

“It’s great to see how employee donations are directly used throughout the hospital system and local community.”

“I’m a new associate here at SRHS, and the opportunity to give back is awesome.”

“I have worked here for more than 20 years and am so proud and supportive of the work that the Foundation does in the hospital system and in the community.”

“I love working for an organization that has the sole mission to take care of our wonderful community.”





A SPECIAL WAY TO THANK HEALTHCARE HEROES

Foundation provides take-home family holiday meals for 10,000 SRHS associates

2020 was an unprecedented and difficult year for health workers. To show appreciation and support for our local healthcare heroes, Spartanburg Regional Foundation provided a packaged holiday meal in December for each SRHS employee – 10,000 in all. The meals fed up to six family members and included a holiday protein of turkey or ham, gravy, macaroni and cheese, green beans, rolls, and a pumpkin pie.

The Foundation's restaurant partners were Hub City Hospitality Group – which includes Willy Taco, FR8yard, and Flock Shop – as well as Cribbs

Catering. To serve the entire SRHS team, there were eight pick-up locations throughout the health system.

"It's been so tough for everybody this year with COVID-19," said Phyllis Osborne, a nurse with Woodruff Manor nursing home. "To have these wonderful meals for our families – we're so grateful and very, very appreciative."







2019 GRANTS



Grant supports forensic nursing program

Appropriate treatment of sexual assault victims in the emergency setting is essential for the recovery and long-term wellness of those patients. It is also important for the collection of evidence that may be used by law enforcement in court.

To that end, Spartanburg Regional Foundation awarded the Spartanburg Regional Emergency Center a \$28,506 grant in 2019 to expand its forensic nursing program at the Spartanburg Medical Center – Mary Black and Cherokee Medical Center campuses. A 2018 Foundation grant supported development of the program at the main hospital campus Emergency Center.

Jennifer Combs, who directs the team of Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANEs), said more than 200 victims of sexual assault were treated at the Emergency Center in 2018. About half of those were children.

As SANE services have expanded in 2019 and 2020, the caseload has grown to include domestic



assault and family violence victims, Combs said. By the beginning of December, more than 540 patients had been served in 2020.

Combs said the nurses provide holistic care that goes beyond an emergency room exam to include coordination with law enforcement and, in some cases, referrals to non-profit shelters or organizations that advocate for victims. “If we can make a difference for one patient, it has made our job worthwhile,” Combs said.

2019 Spartanburg Regional Foundation Grant Recipients

Angels Charge Ministry:
\$2,500

Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health:
\$50,000

Cherokee County Meals on Wheels:
\$3,500

Cherokee Medical Center:
\$21,887

Ellen Sagar Nursing Center:
\$5,000

EMERGE Family Therapy:
\$12,600

Free Medical Clinic of Cherokee County:
\$5,700

GoForth Recovery:
\$2,500

Greer Relief & Resources Agency:
\$5,000

HALTER:
\$10,000

Hope Center for Children:
\$4,000

JumpStart South Carolina:
\$2,500

Medical Group of the Carolinas – Diabetes Education:
\$5,000

Medical Group of the Carolinas –
Infectious Disease and Ryan White Clinic:
\$5,000

Middle Tyger Community Center:
\$7,500

Mobile Meal Service of Spartanburg County, Inc.:
\$3,500

NAMI Spartanburg:
\$3,500

ReGenesis Health Care:
\$7,500

St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic:
\$7,500

Sidewalk Hope:
\$2,500

Spartanburg Medical Center:
\$40,934

Spartanburg Medical Center:
\$16,880

Spartanburg Medical Center Imaging Services:
\$53,660

Spartanburg Medical Center – Mary Black Campus:
\$30,000

Spartanburg Medical Center Rehabilitation Services:
\$29,490

Spartanburg Regional Emergency Centers:
\$28,506

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Surgery:
\$1,080

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Transportation:
\$7,177

Spartanburg Regional Heart Center:
\$125,586

SWITCH:
\$5,000

The Turning Point of South Carolina – Harmony House:
\$2,500

Union County EMS:
\$19,000

Union Lions Club:
\$7,000

Union Medical Center:
\$35,000



2020 GRANTS

Dental clinic fills “a tremendous void”

Our teeth can affect our daily life more than we think. A toothache can make you feel miserable. Poor oral hygiene can be socially stigmatizing and affect employment.

Meanwhile, periodontal disease is linked to a wide range of health problems, including cancer and cardiovascular complications.

Supported by a \$285,000 grant from the Spartanburg Regional Foundation, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System unveiled the Spartanburg Community Dental Center in the summer of 2020 to serve uninsured and recovery program adults. Doctors in dental residency help staff the clinic.

“For years, we have recognized that dental care is a key for the health of our community, and there has been a tremendous void,” said Chuck Morrow, MD, who serves as Spartanburg Regional’s chief medical officer and vice president for medical affairs.



Uninsured patients suffering from tooth decay or other oral health problems routinely show up in the emergency room, Morrow said. The new clinic will enable Spartanburg Regional to connect these patients with the care they need.

Spartanburg Medical Center President Phil Feisal said the new clinic is important, bringing value to the health system and community.

“There has been a long-standing need to improve access to dental care services for the underserved and uninsured in our community,” Feisal said. “Spartanburg Regional has always served as a ‘safety net’ provider in our community, and this comprehensive dental clinic will do the same.”

“Each year, our grant program supports initiatives that promote innovation and strategic improvements,” said Kristy Caradori, executive director of the Foundation. “This is such an exciting project; we know that it addresses a serious need for our community and health system.”

2020 Spartanburg Regional Foundation Grant Recipients

AccessHealth Spartanburg:

\$38,256

Cherokee County Meals on Wheels:

\$13,445

Free Medical Clinic of Cherokee County:

\$13,445

Greer Relief and Resources Agency:

\$13,445

Hope Center for Children:

\$13,445

Medical Group of the Carolinas –

Orthopaedics – Skylyn:

\$20,000

Medical Group of the Carolinas –

Psychiatry:

\$28,750

Middle Tyger Community Center:

\$13,445

Mobile Meal Service of

Spartanburg County, Inc.:

\$13,445

SAFE Homes –

Rape Crisis Coalition:

\$13,445

Spartanburg Medical Center –

Organ, Tissue, Eye Donor Program:

\$4,150

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System –

Administration:

\$285,000

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System –

Trauma:

\$2,844

St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic:

\$13,445

TOTAL Ministries:

\$13,445

Union Medical Center:

\$30,000

Woodruff Manor:

\$75,000

WOODRUFF MANOR RECEIVED A \$75,000 GRANT IN 2020 TO REDEVELOP AN OUTDOOR COURTYARD.

“It was a thorough makeover,” said nursing home administrator Adam Terrell. “Before this work was completed, the courtyard had boxwoods and sparse grass. We had really old concrete patio furniture. Now we have pretty shrubbery and good ground cover, a walking path and new furniture.”

Terrell said it's important for seniors to have opportunities to enjoy the outdoors and to spend quality time together. He said, “One of the things we are focused on here is our residents' psychosocial well-being, and this grant to redevelop the courtyard is such a wonderful gift.”





SRHS HIGHLIGHTS



U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT BEST HOSPITALS

Spartanburg Medical Center was ranked No. 2 in South Carolina by *U.S. News and World Report* in 2020.

METABOLIC AND BARIATRIC SURGERY ACCREDITATION

In 2018 and 2020, Spartanburg Medical Center received reaccreditation as a Comprehensive Center by the Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Accreditation and Quality Improvement Program. The program was first designated in 2006.



STROKE GOLD QUALITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Spartanburg Medical Center — Mary Black Campus was recognized with the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association's Get With The Guidelines®-Stroke Gold Quality Achievement Award for 2020.

SHPBEST HHCAHPS SUPERIOR PERFORMER

For five consecutive years, Spartanburg Regional Hospice earned the SHPBest HHCAHPS Superior Performer patient satisfaction award from Strategic Healthcare Programs. The award recognizes home health agencies that consistently provide high-quality service to their patients.



STROKE SILVER PLUS WITH HONOR ROLL ELITE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Spartanburg Medical Center was recognized with the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association's Get With The Guidelines®-Stroke Silver Plus with Honor Roll Elite Achievement Award for 2020.



COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION OF REHABILITATION FACILITIES

In 2019, Spartanburg Medical Center — Mary Black Campus was recognized as being in the top 10 percent of inpatient rehabilitation facilities in the United States by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF).

HEALTHGRADES OUTSTANDING PATIENT EXPERIENCE AWARD

Pelham Medical Center was the recipient of the Healthgrades 2019 outstanding patient experience award and named among the top 15 percent in the nation for outstanding patient experience in 2019.



***MODERN HEALTHCARE* BEST PLACES TO WORK**

For five consecutive years, Pelham Medical Center is among 100 companies and organizations named “The Best Places to Work in Healthcare” by Modern Healthcare.



LEGACY SOCIETY

The Legacy Society recognizes donors who include Spartanburg Regional Foundation in their estate planning. Legacy gifts may include contributions in a will, qualified retirement plans, life insurance policies, trusts and annuities. Foundation staff members work closely with donors who wish to explore these options as they consider long-range opportunities to support health care in our community.

For more information about Spartanburg Regional Foundation's Legacy Society, contact Kristy Caradori at 864-560-6727.

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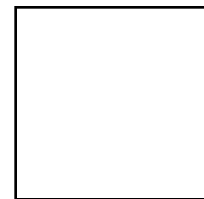


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