

IMPACT REPORT

July 2017-June 2018

**YOUR
SUPPORT
MAKES
SO MUCH
POSSIBLE**

We're deeply grateful to the wonderful people in our community who helped enrich and improve the well-being of so many. Your warmhearted contributions, combined with the collective power of other nonprofits, local businesses, and individual donors, laid the groundwork for an astonishing 2018 fiscal year. Inside, you'll see the numerous ways our two foundations put your gifts to work.

Lisa Dungan Roth
Foundations Director



PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

Total invested: More than \$421,000

You helped fund capital projects, programs and services that otherwise would not exist including:

Affordable respite housing

Invested: \$270,000

Respite care bridges the gap between acute medical services currently provided in hospitals and emergency rooms and homeless shelters and more permanent housing options. Funds raised this year will help to secure space and support the complex needs of patients requiring medical respite after discharge from the hospital.

Partners: Salem Health Foundation, Salem Health and Salem Housing Authority

Lifesaving defibrillators

Invested: \$85,000

When someone is experiencing a heart attack, a defibrillator triples their chance of survival. We're proud to report funds invested helped the Salem Fire Foundation purchase 106 automated external defibrillator devices. Now, more than 90 percent of the city has access to these mission-critical appliances.

Partners: Salem Health Foundation, Gallagher Fitness Resources and the High Street Hustle Heart Fund

Healing Garden

Invested: \$56,000

Research shows people who interact with nature experience vastly decreased heart rates, lower blood pressure and improved moods. This new outdoor oasis at our hospital in Dallas — inspired by an employee seeking a reprieve as she processed a family member's diagnosis — now helps both staff and visitors reconnect through mindfulness, meditation, or simply by getting a little fresh air.

Partners: Salem Health West Valley Foundation and individual donors, including staff, past patients and community members

Food Farmacy

Invested: \$10,000+

Nationwide, at least one-third of patients arrive at hospitals malnourished without access to healthy and healing foods. Granted funding provided an estimated 5,400 meals (72 hours of food per family) to 600 patients and families upon discharge from the hospital. The Food Farmacy lends extra help to patients who might be readmitted otherwise.

Partners: Salem Health Foundation, Salem Health Food and Nutrition Services, Marion-Polk Food Share and Walmart, along with nurses, registered dietitians, hospital volunteers, and patient caregivers



Your partnership empowered us to provide:

75 scholarships

You made it possible for deserving students to gain valuable leadership skills, knowledge and education in medically related fields. Investing in local talent provides our community with high-quality health care now and into the future.

Invested: \$156,500



Salem Fire Foundation receives check for AEDs



Healing Garden

149 patient assistance grants

You sustained the lives of low-income and medically fragile patients by helping to pay their rent, utilities, food and medical supplies.

Invested: \$31,972

ADDITIONAL GRANT HIGHLIGHTS

Total invested: More than \$75,000



Throughout the year, we review and approve spending across the health system on high-impact, lower-cost projects to better serve our patients, community, and staff. **This year's projects included:**

- Revival of cancer genetic counseling program
- Medically necessary transportation assistance
- Motivational interviewing
- NICU loss and bereavement
- Patient clothing closet
- Bariatric scales
- Patient home equipment
- Purchase of the film "Resilience: The Biology of Stress and the Science of Hope"



Food Farmacy

Financial overview

AMOUNT RAISED: \$1,683,793

HOW DONORS DIRECTED THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS:

Area of greatest need: 53%

Other: 11%

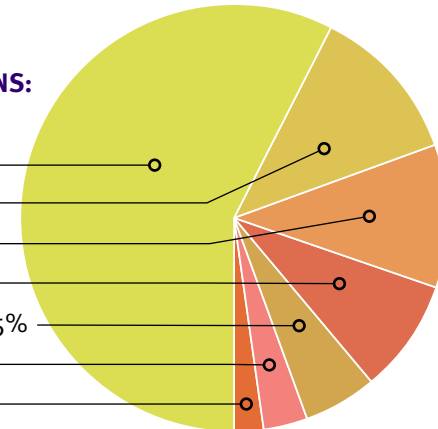
Cancer resources: 10%

Heart: 8%

Scholarships and professional development: 5%

CHEC: 3%

Capital projects: 2%



Your support matters!

Our foundations exist to secure private philanthropic support to advance Salem Health Hospitals and Clinics' mission. We strive to invest and manage each gift responsibly and in honor of our donors' wishes. Thank you for improving the health and well-being of the people and communities we serve.

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