

From the moment the pandemic hit in early 2020, you rallied in support of your community hospital, its frontline workers, and the patients we serve in unprecedented ways.

From meals to homemade masks to monetary donations to notes of encouragement, you were critical to Island Hospital's ability to face the unforeseen challenges of the pandemic while continuing to provide four-star care. This report serves as a snapshot of the immense impact you had on ensuring quality healthcare remained close to home. For more stories about your impact, please visit www.myihf.org/news. On behalf of the Board of Directors and the patients and staff of the Island Hospital, thank you for awe-inspiring support.

With gratitude,



James Tangaro
Foundation
Board President



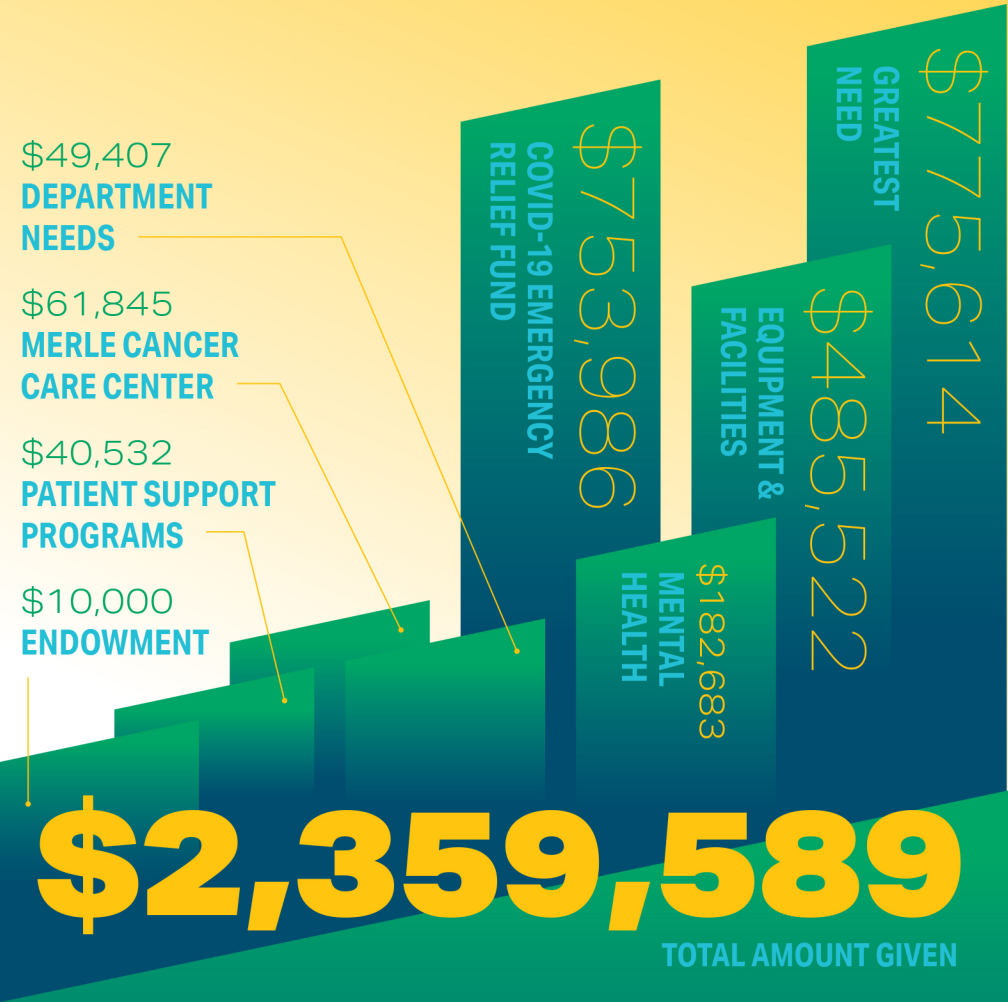
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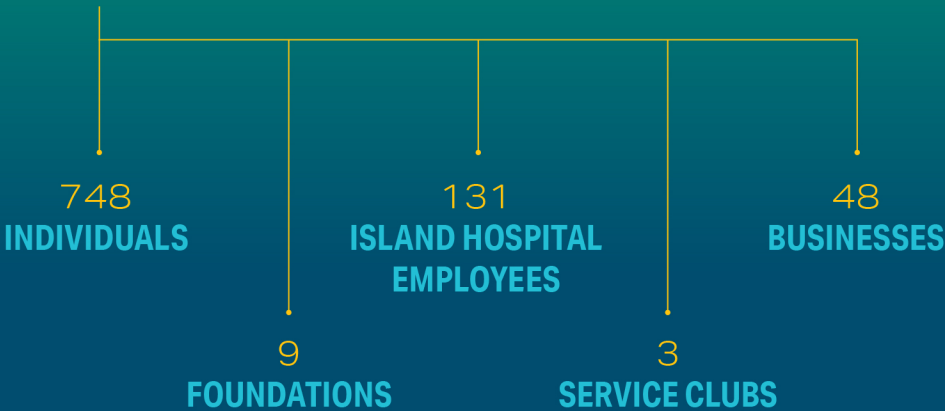
To raise funds to support Island Hospital and its commitment to community health.

YOUR IMPACT IN ACTION

We gratefully acknowledge all the individuals, foundations, organizations and businesses who made it possible for us to fulfill our mission and commitment to the health of our community.



939 TOTAL DONORS



MENTAL HEALTH IN OUR SCHOOLS

"As the Psychiatry and Behavioral Health Team that services the Island Hospital Behavioral Health Intervention Program in the schools, we are so grateful that this program continues to be in place, especially during this difficult year of the pandemic. So many of the mental health concerns we treat for these students, such as Depression, Anxiety, Trauma Impact, and other socio-emotional difficulties, have largely been amplified by the many facets and sudden adaptations of the pandemic. We have in turn, intended to amplify our care practices, and are privileged to assist the students in improving their well-being and mental health enough to not be overcome or overwhelmed by these stressors in their lives; and so as to continue the pursuit of academic success and accomplishment of goals. We are also glad to support the ASD staff themselves as they work through these uncharted waters, while enduring this public health crisis in their own lives. Our deepest thanks to the donors that make any and all of this service possible, for the good of this wonderful community, and please know we aim to be the best stewards of these resources possible."

Cyndy Stevenson, MSW, LICSW, ACSW

**GIVING
TUESDAY NOW**



Because of you, **\$15,835** was raised in support of replenishing personal protective equipment—gloves, gowns, N95 masks, face shields, shoe covers and head covers—through the #GivingTuesdayNow campaign!

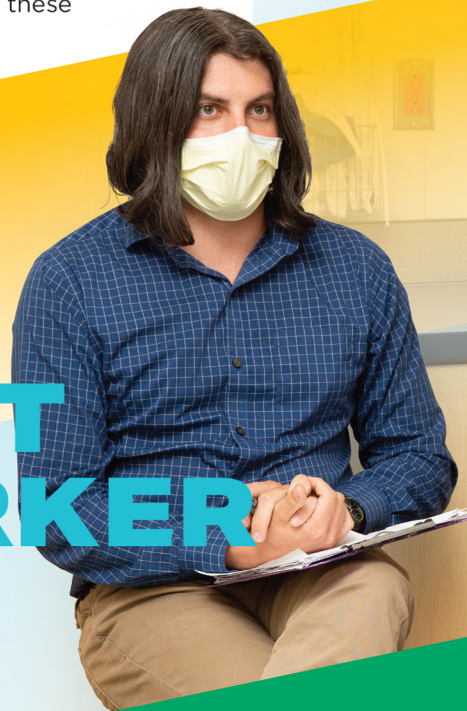
Thank you for keeping patients and frontline workers safe.

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT SOCIAL WORKER

On average, over 17,000 community members visit the Emergency Department (ED) each year. A rising number of patients who go to the ED need mental or behavioral health support to address substance abuse, schizophrenia, homelessness, anxiety or adult and child protective service situations to name a few. Your abundant generosity funded the addition of a social worker to the Emergency Department team to serve patients needing behavioral and mental health support. In January of 2020, Jeremy Caplan, MSW, was hired to begin serving patients in the Emergency Department.

"In the Emergency Department, the MSW is invaluable to the patient, the staff and our community. MSWs are able to spend the much needed time to assist the patient and the family with finding the best solution. The Emergency Department staff is very grateful to have them here."

Kim Brotemarkle, RN
Emergency Department



NEW EQUIPMENT

You helped keep Island Hospital on the leading edge of medical technology through funding new equipment. Your generosity supported the following:

- Hoyer Lift
- Laparoscope
- Lithotripsy Laser
- Fluid Warmers
- AED Device
- Urology Equipment
- Ventilators
- Tele-ICU Technology



FROM GOLF CLASSIC TO MULLIGAN MATCH

The coronavirus pandemic may have caused us to cancel the 19th Annual Island Hospital Golf Classic, but it did not cancel our sponsors' philanthropic spirit. Sponsors converted their sponsorship to a dollar-for-dollar matching donation campaign and helped raise **\$67,577** in support of expanding COVID-19 testing.

MULLIGAN MATCH SPONSORS

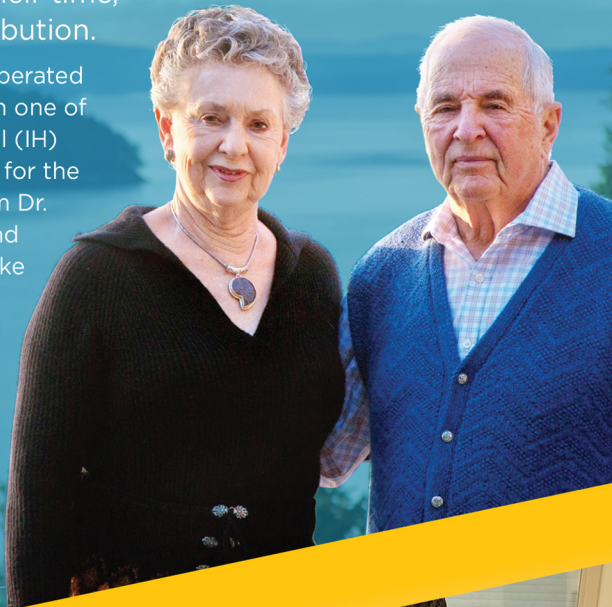
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INSPIRING GENEROSITY

Anacortes residents Major General William "Bill" and Valerie Anders chose not to wait to set their legacy in motion. Rather than include a legacy gift in their will, they made a point to give back while they are able to see the impact of their time, energy, involvement and contribution.

After a recent head wound, Bill was operated on by Dr. Melody of Island Surgeons in one of the operating rooms at Island Hospital (IH) on a Sunday morning. In appreciation for the excellent wound care he received from Dr. Melody and the IH team to address and resolve the wound, Bill decided to make a \$500,000 contribution to Island Hospital Foundation (IHF) designated to purchase surgical equipment and support the hospital's increased needs.

Inspiring others to give is also part of leaving a legacy. "Ours is an early legacy gift," he says of the donation to IHF. "We hope to inspire others in our community to give now if they're able."



TELEHEALTH

"Our team is beyond grateful to have access to telemedicine services for our patients. It gives us the opportunity to provide ongoing access to mental health treatment during a time when COVID has limited so many things. People we work with continue to tell us how important their care is during this time; telemedicine makes that possible."

Jacynda Wheeler, DO
Psychiatrist, Psychiatry & Behavior
Health Medical Director



TESTING

"The Island Hospital Laboratory is very grateful for the donations given to purchase COVID-19 testing supplies. This allowed us to obtain swab and testing materials to meet the community and hospital demand for testing. Because of you, we were able to focus on patient care instead of trying to stockpile supplies. Your gifts improved the lives of our community and reduced the stress of my team. Thank you!"

Michael Sharp, MLS
Director Laboratory Services



VENTILATORS

"Because of you, we were able to purchase 8 ventilators, capable of both ventilation and providing heated high flow. These units were instrumental in treating COVID patients at the hospital. Utilizing these machines, our respiratory therapists were able to keep many of our COVID patients from being intubated. The donations came when our hospital and patients needed it most. Very blessed to have such great support from our community."

Tammy Akard, RRT
Respiratory Care Manager

- 1 Hundreds of meals donated by local restaurants through Anacortes Strong
- 2 Record financial support for your community hospital
- 3 Homemade masks protected non-clinical visitors and staff
- 4 Signs of appreciation and notes of encouragement fueled frontline workers

UNPRECEDENTED GENEROSITY



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