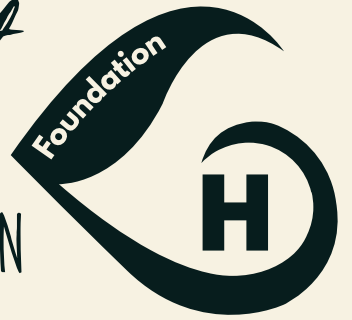


2018-2019 *Annual Report*
GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL HOSPITAL FOUNDATION





*H*appiness doesn't result from what we get,
but from what we give."
-Ben Carson



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*Caring about the future of healthcare for
our communities and our families.*

OUR MISSION





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*Engaging
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OUR VISION



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Message FROM THE Board Chair AND THE Executive Director



Kim Drever



Keith Curtis

You Are the Future of Healthcare in Our Region

We extend a heartfelt thank you for the generosity you have displayed. Your donations, volunteer hours, and attendance of events have had an incredible impact on enhancing healthcare in Grande Prairie and across our region. You have made a difference in the lives of the patients and their families.

You are the reason that the Foundation can fund enhanced healthcare needs. Together, we have improved the lives of our friends and neighbours by keeping families together during their time of need and getting loved ones back to the community sooner. Your donations make it possible for medical staff to enhance their education to provide a higher level of care.

You made a difference... in the lives of expectant moms by providing funding for a portable Ultrasound. This medical equipment allows medical staff to conduct ultrasound exams at mom's bedside, decreasing stress on both mother and baby during delivery.

You made a difference... in the lives of seniors and medical care staff by providing funding for a Snoezelen Room. This high level multi-sensory room allows patients to reduce stress brought on by dementia and Alzheimers.

You made a difference... in the lives of patients and their families by providing funding for a new ENT Navigation system which allows doctors to perform complex endoscopic sinus surgeries in Grande Prairie, saving patients from having to travel to a major centre. This medical equipment allows patients to receive enhanced care closer to home, friends and families.

You made a difference... in so many ways this past year. You have provided funding in almost every area of healthcare this year including Mental Health, Youth Mental Health, Homecare, Seniors Care, Emergency Medical Services, Operating Room Services and so many others.

It is through your generosity that enhanced healthcare services are made available in Grande Prairie and the surrounding region.

We are very grateful to all of you. Our donors, our sponsors, our volunteers, the medical care teams at our Hospital and the Foundation team has made this year better for patients and their families. Together, we care about the future of healthcare for our communities and our families.

Our Sincerest Thank You,

Kim Drever
Board of Trustees
Chairperson

Keith Curtis
Executive Director
GPRH Foundation

Message from



Alberta Health Services

At Alberta Health Services, we have the privilege of working with foundation partners who make remarkable contributions toward patients and their families. These foundations and their donors raise an estimated \$250 million each year for medical equipment, programs, services and research across the province.

So much of what we do, simply wouldn't be possible without foundation support.

One of these partners is the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation, and we are proud to work alongside them to support health care delivery in Grande Prairie and Area.

Families and patients accessing services in hospital or in the community have benefitted from the generosity of the foundation and its donors. Whether it's funding a new portable ultrasound for expectant moms, supporting grieving families through the White Rose Program, sensory equipment for our youth day program, a wheelchair companion bike to enhance mobility for residents, or providing the Bravery Bead Program for kids, every contribution has made a difference in the lives of families and patients.

We are pleased to share the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation's reach will expand even further with the new Grande Prairie hospital. Through the Key to Care Capital Campaign, the foundation is raising \$20 million to create welcoming spaces, fund new educational opportunities and bring innovative medical equipment to the new hospital. We are excited to partner with the foundation on this endeavour, and look forward to seeing the impact it has on our community.

To close, we want to express our sincere gratitude to the foundation and its many donors, volunteers and sponsors who give their time and talent toward advancing healthcare in Grande Prairie and the surrounding region.

Thank you for your passion, commitment and unwavering support. We truly appreciate your generosity and look forward to our continued work together.

Stacy Greening

Senior Operating Officer
QEI Regional Hospital/Area 9 Clinical Operations
and Zone Wide Addiction and Mental Health

Dr. James Pope

Associate Zone Medical Director
Area 9



Ways to Give

"Kindness, like a boomerang, always returns." -Unknown

People often reach out to us to find ways that they can help the Hospital. While our primary goal is to raise funds for equipment, patient care programs and healthcare education we also work with the hospital to source items that can comfort, calm and help patients and families while they are receiving care. These items improve the quality of life for the people that they touch. They bring joy into daily life at the hospital and they soothe families in a time of need.

Items Needed for the Hospital

MACKENZIE PLACE

Blankets (lap size and full size)
Slippers
Large print word search and Sudoku
Travel Size Toiletries

PEDIATRICS/NICU

Teddy Bears (We can only accept new with tags on)
New toys
Knit Baby Beanies/Toques
Bonding Hearts (Need to be made in pet free, smoke free homes)

MENTAL HEALTH UNIT

Travel Size Toiletries (Shampoo, conditioner, bar soap, deodorant, unscented hand lotion)
Combs
Slippers and Shoes
Sweatpants, T-Shirts (comfortable clothes, Mens and Womens, all sizes)
Underwear (Mens and Womens, all sizes)
Socks

RECREATION THERAPY

Art Supplies
Adult puzzles (500 pieces or less)
Craft Supplies
Scrapbooking Supplies
Wool
Board Games
Large Print Word Search & Sudoku



Madeline Johnson and Ella Barkman with Butterfly



Heather MacKinnon, Vera Matheson and Marianne Matheson

FOCUS ON

Mental Health

We are very grateful for our donors. In the past year our donors have made enhancements for Mental Health Services that will have a lasting impact on our communities. Our donors provided a multi-sensory room for the Youth Day Program, a music therapy room for the Mental Health Unit at the QEII Hospital and the Snoezelen Room coming soon to Mackenzie Place.

The new Multi-Sensory Room in the Youth Day Program is a therapeutic room that is designed to promote self-organization and positive change. The room provides a range of stimuli to help regulate emotions and a calming environment that is full of many items such as a swinging chair, weighted blankets and numerous fidget items. The room is there for youth to use what they need in order to calm themselves down.

The Music Therapy room officially opened at the QEII Hospital on April 30, 2019 in the Mental Health Unit. The room features electronic drums, a piano, guitars and equipment for listening and enjoying. Music Therapy is a type of recreation therapy that is used to calm and relax the mind. The space provides patients with the opportunity to learn a new skill and promotes creativity and social engagement.



Multi-Sensory Room at the Youth Day Program



*“What mental health needs is more sunlight,
more candor, and more unashamed conversation.”*

– Glenn Close



Mural in the Music Therapy Room at the QEII Hospital



There are many different ways that Donors impact the lives of people accessing mental health services inside of the hospital and out. At the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation we are working with our community to provide enhancements to create exceptional care possibilities for the people of our region.

You can help by making a donation to the Mental Health and Addictions designation on our website or at our office. We also accept donations of specific items (*see page 5*) that help to create better quality of living for people in need of care. These items promote well-being and create opportunities to bring joy. Recreation therapy plays a large role in the hospital setting, adding fun activities and exercise. Recreation Therapy helps patients throughout the hospital who are suffering from depression and social isolation. The opportunity to enjoy, relax and exercise help to aid in healing and improve clinical outcomes.

¹ Mental Health Commission of Canada (2013). Making the case for investing in mental health in Canada.

² Government of Canada (2006). The human face of mental health and mental illness in Canada, Ottawa: Minister of Public Works and Government Services Canada.

PATIENT CARE Programs

THE ART OF HEALING

The Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation's Visual Arts Program brings beauty into daily life at the QEII Hospital. The Foundation operates two rotating gallery spaces within the Hospital, the Courtyard Gallery and the Art Cubes.

You will find new exhibitions in the galleries every two months. These wonderful spaces show works of art from talented peace country artists and are often available for purchase. Any art purchased from these gallery spaces support local artists and a portion of the proceeds from these sales go back to the Foundation to help us in our mission.

Visual Arts ensure that the hospital is decorated with care to inspire a sense of calm, healing and comfort for patients, their families and hospital staff. If you are an artist who would like to donate to our collection please contact our office.



Clouds Roll In by Alison Newth



WHITE ROSE



The White Rose program was designed to make it easier for families to say goodbye to their loved ones. White Rose brings a great deal of solace to families facing an end of life situation. The White Rose program was introduced by Sandra Beida, Teri Donald (*left*) and Amanda Dreisbach (*right*) at the QEII Hospital.





Butterfly, the Therapeutic Clown, works with children at the QEII Hospital. She minimizes stress for kids and their families during treatments, medical procedures and while they are waiting for surgery. You will see Butterfly delivering Teddy Bears and toys, giving out glitter tattoos, cruising in her clown car and helping children with their bravery beads.

Bravery Beads is a voluntary program for children that allows kids to collect a different bead for each procedure, test and treatment they receive. Through this program children make a bracelet or necklace of colorful beads that represents their medical journey.

Hospitals are scary and intimidating for kids and Butterfly brings laughter, companionship and happiness that aid in healing. She alleviates fear for young patients and their families.

THERAPEUTIC CLOWN & BRAVERY BEADS



This program is funded by donors and ran by volunteers. White Rose provides families with comfort bags, brochures to assist with grief and planning, as well as an opportunity to create a memento. It also provides families with a parking pass, blankets, snacks and coffee so they can focus on spending their time with their loved one.



Born to Read is the newest program at the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation. Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Grande Prairie and in partnership with the Grande Prairie Public Library, Born to Read sends every baby born at the Hospital home with their very first book.

Born to Read aims to encourage early literacy skills, which are the roots to reading success. It plays an important role in preparing children for school and making them motivated learners. You can develop early literacy with your child through loving interactions like sharing books, telling stories and singing songs.

2019 Bursary & Scholarship Recipients

Congratulations to all the 2019 Bursary and Scholarship Recipients!



**NORTHERN ALBERTA RURAL
PHYSICIANS SCHOLARSHIP**
David Edgeworth
Alexander Miles
Jacquelyn Paquet
Rebecca Sherk



**DR. PHIL AND VI SUNOHARA
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Tyra Death



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Grant Doornekamp
David Edgeworth
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Saba Libeskal
Alexander Miles
Jacquelyn Paquet
Genevra Perrott
Madison Robak
Rebecca Sherk



THE GIFT OF Deep Breath

Donors make a difference every day at the QEII Hospital. Our donors are impacting participants in the Pulmonary Rehab Program. This year the program received a new Recumbent Stepper Cross Trainer. Equipment like this helps individuals with chronic lung disease, such as COPD, Asthma or Emphysema, to improve their quality of life.

The Pulmonary Rehab Program began at the QEII in 2007, started by Tracy Nielsen, with the help of the GF Macdonald Centre for Lung Health in Edmonton. This eight week program aims to help patients manage and decrease their shortness of breath, improve their endurance, reduce hospital admissions, and educate them on how to manage their disease.



Jennifer Schoenroth with the Recumbent Stepper Cross Trainer

There are three areas of Focus in the Pulmonary Rehab Program; education, exercise and support. The Recumbent Stepper Cross Trainer helps patients to build endurance, improve their mobility and increase their stamina. Jennifer Schoenroth, a Community Respiratory Therapist, says patients “learn how to manage shortness of breath at rest and with exertion, how to take inhalers correctly, what to do when their symptoms worsen as well as many other aspects of managing their disease.”

Participants that have completed the program are encouraged to continue exercising on a regular basis. After participating in the Pulmonary Rehab Program individuals notice an improvement in their strength, endurance and their overall quality of life.



Stealth Station

BRINGING COMPLEX ENDOSCOPIC SINUS SURGERY TO THE PEACE REGION

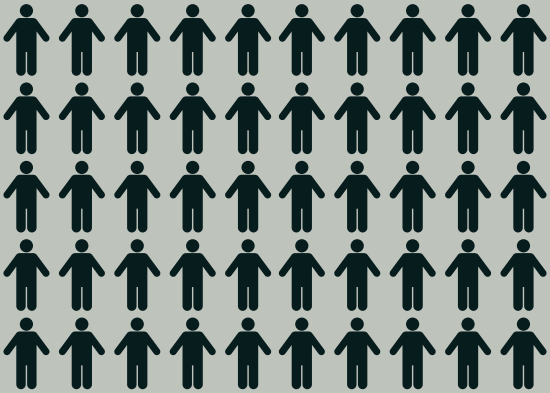
A new piece of equipment has arrived in the operating room at the QEII Hospital thanks to the donors of the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation. The StealthStation ENT Navigation System brings complex endoscopic sinus surgery close to home for patients across northwestern Alberta. Board certified otolaryngologists, Dr. Davin Chark and Dr. Kevin Wong, will now be able to perform surgery to treat patients with chronic sinus infections, chronic sinusitis and nasal polyps.

The navigation system works by generating an electromagnetic field around the patient's anatomy during surgery. This tracks the instrument positioning throughout the procedure similar to a GPS system. The system includes an emitter that is placed under the patient's head, allowing space around the operating table for healthcare providers. The 27" touch screen is high resolution ensuring surgeons can perform thorough and efficient procedures through image guided surgery.

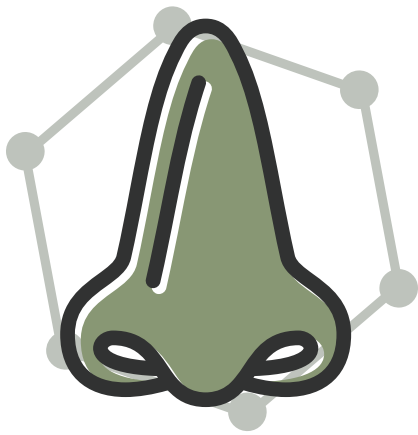
Dr. Chark told us it is "a GPS navigation system that helps us be safer during surgery and to provide care in terms of more efficient and more effective treatment of the sinus disease." Previously, when these surgeries were done in Grande Prairie they would have to be done conservatively. Having this system allows our surgeons to be more efficient, performing far more effective surgeries.



UP TO 50 PEOPLE PER YEAR



WILL NO LONGER HAVE TO TRAVEL FOR SURGERY.



NASAL POLYPS

Soft, painless, noncancerous growths on the lining of your nasal passages or sinuses.

CHRONIC SINUSITIS

Caused by an infection, growths in the sinuses (nasal polyps), or swelling of the lining of your sinuses.

This equipment allows the 40-50 patients needing this surgery annually to be able to have this done closer to home. In the past, according to Dr. Chark, when referrals are made to Edmonton Surgeons “their waitlist may be a year for the initial consultation and possibly another year for surgery.” Now that patients are able to receive treatment locally, the wait time can be as low as six months. “Dr. Wong and I will be able to treat more of our patients locally and we won’t have to refer as many patients as we have been to Edmonton.”

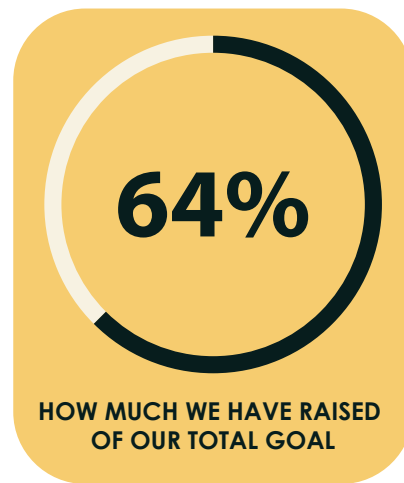
Having this surgery available so close to home for patients has a big impact on their quality of life. Dr. Chark says “there have been numerous studies showing that the inability to breathe through ones nose really effects someone’s quality of life. Being able to help somebody be able to breathe through their nose and be able to appreciate smells again is very rewarding for both the patient and the surgeon.” We are grateful for the impact our donors have made for patients suffering from chronic sinus infections and nasal polyps. Donors really do make a difference!



YOU ARE THE Key to Care

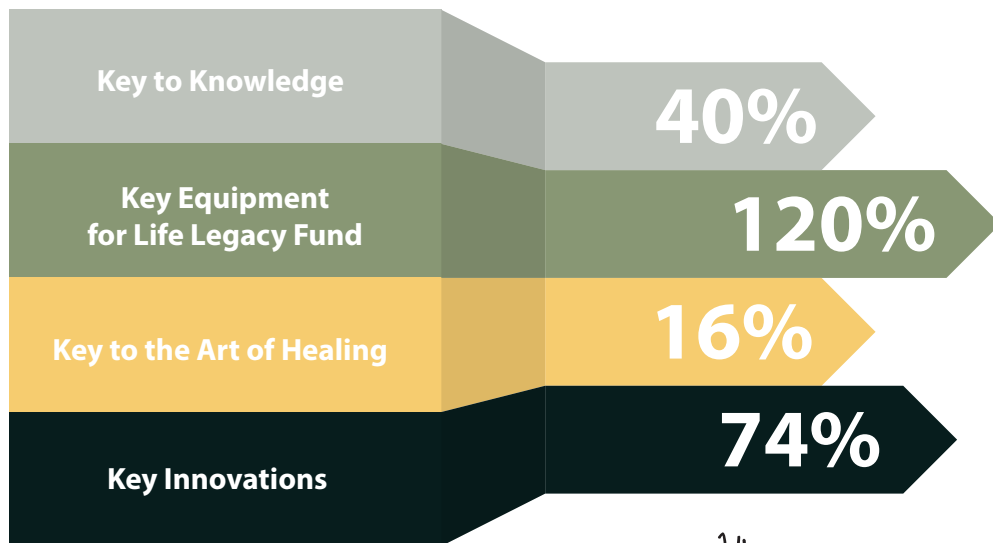


Douglas Marshall Family



The Key to Care Capital Campaign began in 2015 with a goal to raise 20 million dollars for the new Grande Prairie Regional Hospital. This campaign is focused on raising funds for four key areas to enhance care for patients and families across our region. Each key is a vital piece in a project that looks at the healthcare needs of today and the opportunity to make a difference tomorrow.

Key Innovations is the largest segment of the Key to Care Capital Campaign. Donations to Key Innovations allow the purchase of equipment for the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital and the QEII Hospital. Key Innovations will provide funding for new and exciting technological enhancements for our region. Innovative equipment purchased with funds raised from the Key to Care Capital Campaign will bring new services, treatments and procedures to our region. Families will benefit from reduced travel, reduced wait times and the alleviation of financial burden. Innovative and technologically advanced equipment also help to attract new medical professionals to our communities.



Each Key within the Key to Care Capital Campaign has a specific goal.

These percentages show how much we have fundraised in each of the four Key Components.



Mike House, Dean & Chloe Radbourne, Ryan & Alison Pomeroy, Keith Curtis



Canadian Natural Resources

Key Equipment for Life Legacy Fund commits to the long term needs of our growing region. This endowment fund will be used to purchase specialized medical equipment using the annual returns of the fund. This fund will allow us to purchase equipment today and for years to come. This provides consistent opportunities to enhance patient care for communities throughout our region.

Key to the Art of Healing enriches health and well-being outside of traditional medical technologies. Funds raised will beautify the hospital and warm the hearts of patients, their families and care providers. We will be able to purchase art works, sculptures, develop beautiful gardens and explore the emotional healing of music. The arts have been proven to be highly beneficial to patient recovery, emotional healing and provide a sense of calm.

Key to Knowledge will develop learning opportunities in ways that are currently unavailable. Funding will give patients, staff and students access to new educational tools. This key will bring a beside engagement system to connect and educate patients. The new Grande Prairie Regional Hospital is a teaching hospital, creating connections for students and healthcare professionals.

Through the Key to Care Capital Campaign our donors are bringing enhanced healthcare services to patients and families across north western Alberta. These services and specialized medical equipment will save lives and reduce recovery times. Patients will be able to receive the care they need closer to home than ever before, giving them better community support in their time of need.

Grande Prairie Regional Hospital



172 BEDS WITH CAPACITY TO ADD 60 BEDS.

ALL ROOMS ARE PRIVATE AND INCLUDE A WINDOW.

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT WILL HAVE DOUBLE THE NUMBER OF ROOMS.

8 OPERATING SUITES WITH CAPACITY TO ADD 2 MORE.



4000²M FOR THE NURSING AND MEDICAL PROGRAMS FROM THE GPRC.

OBSTETRICS WILL HAVE ITS OWN OPERATING ROOM FOR CAESARIAN BIRTHS.

ADDED YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AND LOUNGE.



64,000²M FACILITY THAT WILL OFFER A WIDE RANGE OF HEALTHCARE SERVICES.

2 RADIATION VAULTS THAT ALLOW GRANDE PRAIRIE TO OFFER RADIATION THERAPY.

INCREASED SERVICES WILL DRASTICALLY REDUCE TRAVEL COSTS FOR FAMILIES.

Leave a Legacy

BY BUILDING A BETTER FOUNDATION FOR TOMORROW... TODAY.

PLANNED GIVING

Planning now for your future and the future of the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation can be mutually beneficial. The foundation depends on thoughtful individuals like you to make decisions today that create a legacy for tomorrow. Arranging a planned charitable gift is sound financial planning, offering an attractive tax incentive.

The Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation offers a wide variety of investment options that can help you leave a lasting family legacy. Whether you choose to give through a cash donation, life insurance policy, bequest in your will, gifts of publicly traded stock options, bursaries, endowments, RRSP's, or even gifts of property or art, there is a way to give that can suit everyone's needs.

BEQUESTS

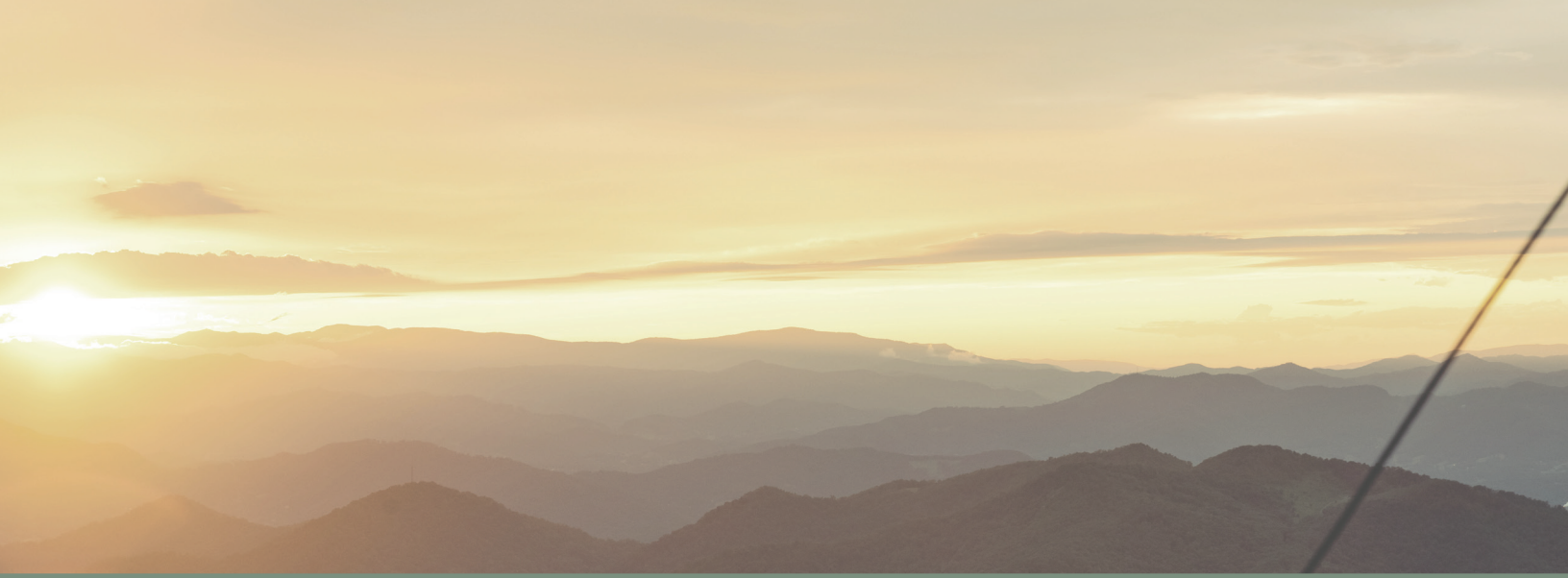
Gifts that are made through a will are called bequests. Your bequest can be a fixed amount, a specific percentage of the residual amount of the estate and/or a specific asset. A bequest in your will to the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation will provide tax relief for your estate in the year of your death.

The most common concern is that giving a cash gift today may take away from your income in the future. A bequest gives the donor the advantage of arranging a gift to the charity of your choice while maintaining your future financial security.

"What you leave behind is not what is engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the lives of others."

-Pericles

Always seek the advice of an accredited estate planner or financial advisor when considering your legacy giving goals, and then contact us to determine how your gift can make a difference in Grande Prairie's Regional Hospitals.



LIFE INSURANCE

A gift of life insurance makes it possible for you to leverage your charitable contributions. Your gift to charity is assured with a paid up policy or through a policy with ongoing premiums paid by the donor. New or existing policies may be gifted to the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation.

Life insurance proceeds flow outside of your estate, and will reduce probate fees and other costs. When you give the gift of a life insurance policy, you can enjoy significant tax savings, either now or in your estate. A gift of life insurance is not subject to challenge by an estate beneficiary or secured creditor.

ENDOWMENT FUNDS

*W*hen a donor attaches their name to an endowment fund, they create an enduring legacy that will outlive them and influence succeeding generations. Grandchildren, great-grandchildren and other family members will be reminded of your values and commitments.

There are two type of endowment funds, restricted and unrestricted or general. A restricted fund is when the donations held by the charity are circumscribed to a specific purpose, such as a bursary or a department (ie, NICU). An unrestricted fund is when the fund is held by the charity, but is not restricted to a specific purpose and is used to complete the charity's general mission.

Many donors see an endowment fund as a means to underwrite their own regular giving. An endowment fund of \$20,000 could create an annual gift of \$1,000 to the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation. Endowment funds are a great way to keep giving generation after generation.

For more information on Planned Giving and how to leave a lasting legacy please contact Keith Curtis, Executive Director at the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation. Call: (780)538-7583 Email: keith.curtis2@ahs.ca



Festival *of* TREES

Celebrating 30 Years

In 2018 the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation celebrated the 30th annual Festival of Trees. The Festival of Trees is the largest fundraiser put on by the Hospital Foundation each year and the 30th year was bigger and better than ever! For many, the Festival of Trees represents the beginning of the holiday season.

The Festival offers a variety of fun for the whole family. From ticketed special events to general admission, there is something for everyone to enjoy. We are grateful to everyone who came out and took delight in the Festival. Some highlights were the Teddy Bear Hospital where children take on the role of healthcare providers to care for sick and injured Teddy Bears, the Secret Shop where children can shop in an adult free environment for presents for their friends and family and all of the beautiful trees.

Many of our ticketed special events sold out last year! Thank you for coming out to these events; we are truly grateful to have the support of our community. Your support allows us to work towards our mission, enhancing care for people across our region.





Last year marked the beginning of a brand new event, the Holiday Business Luncheon. Guests that came out for the business luncheon had a great time networking and learning from the guest speaker, Todd Hirsch. The Executive Chef at the Tara Centre, Kelly Buyar, treated our guests to a fabulous meal. We are looking forward to hosting this event again this year and offering even more ticketed special events to enjoy with your family and friends.

The Festival of Trees is a magical winter wonderland that brings joy to children and parents alike. It is heartwarming to see the smiles and hear the laughter. Festival goers get to enjoy a holiday experience like no other while knowing that their presence is helping the Hospital Foundation enhance care for patients and families across our region.

We are truly grateful
for all of the sponsors and
volunteers who make this event a
possibility year after year.

**Over 400 people volunteer at the
Festival every year.**



BECOME A SPONSOR

The **Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation** has many sponsorship opportunities. When you choose to be a sponsor you make a direct impact on the healthcare received by northwestern Albertans. You can help us raise awareness about our organization, bring smiles to sick children, and join us in working towards our mission.

Sponsorship is a great opportunity!

- ✓ Create brand awareness
- ✓ Positive public relations
- ✓ Reach a wider demographic
- ✓ Create an emotional commitment to your brand
- ✓ Help to shape consumer attitudes

You can be a sponsor of...

Programs such as the Therapeutic Clown or White Rose, our donation kiosk, Festival of Trees events, areas or auction items, and publications like our Winter Magazine, Newsletter and Annual Report!

Contact the Foundation Office at (780)538-7583 for more information today!

Seamless MONITORING



Brittany Lee, Clinical Coordinator, Labour & Delivery

There are many areas that donors can make a difference at the QEII Hospital. This year our donors purchased a Wireless Fetal Monitor for Labour and Delivery. A Wireless Fetal Monitor allows medical professionals to monitor babies before they are born, making sure that they are happy and healthy.

Brittany Lee, Clinical Coordinator of the Labour and Delivery told us that "the wireless function of this monitor greatly improves patient care" allowing staff to "monitor patients if they want to be out of bed, walking around or in the shower while they are laboring." Having this equipment available for Mothers is very helpful, ensuring that they do not have to be bedridden while staff are monitoring the baby.

The Wireless Fetal Monitor enhances care for patients in care at the QEII Hospital. This equipment increases a laboring Mom's ability to have better pain control. When using the monitor staff are able to use less analgesic drugs to help with pain, this is especially helpful for patients who do not want to have an epidural.

Staff in the department find the monitor very helpful as well. Brittany says "Repositioning patients is much easier with the wireless monitor, as previously a lot of time was spent untangling cords. Now that it is wireless it is seamless."

"Since you get more joy out of giving joy to others, you should put a good deal of thought into the happiness that you are able to give."
-Eleanor Roosevelt

Community Campaigns

TEDDY FOR A TOONIE 🌿 SMILE COOKIE 🌿 PEDIATRIC PENGUIN 🌿 LOVE. YOU.

The Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation has had the support of so many community campaigns over the past year. We are grateful to be a part of a community that places such a high value on healthcare and making a positive impact on the care given. Thank you to all of our campaign supporters and the community members that are making these campaigns such a huge success!



Shoppers Drug Mart Love. You. Women's Health Campaign



Tim Hortons Smile Cookie Campaign



Alberta Treasury Branch Teddy for a Toonie Campaign



Costco Pediatric Penguin Campaign

Events

IN SUPPORT OF THE GPRHE

FATHER DAUGHTER BALL 🌿 SUPPORT THE GIRLS 🌿 CHARITY CLAY SHOOT 🌿 BALL HOCKEY

The events held in our community assist us in reaching our mission. We owe our gratitude to every person who works hard to make these events such a big hit. Thank you to KMSC Law LLP, Aztec Engineering, Northern Mat and Bridge, Victoria's Attic, 2 Day FM, and Seven Generations Energy for your continuing support. This year has been a blast and we are looking forward to the year to come!



2Day FM Annual Father Daughter Ball



Aztec Engineering Annual Charity Ball Hockey Tournament



Victoria's Attic Support the Girls Fashion Show Fundraiser



Northern Mat and Bridge Charity Clay Shoot

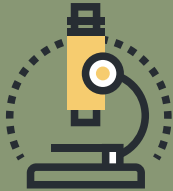
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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Directors of Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation

Qualified Opinion

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation as at March 31, 2019 and the results of its revenues and expenditures and its changes in fund balances for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many charitable organizations, the Foundation derives revenue from various cash sales, donations and contributed materials, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Foundation and we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to contributions, excess of revenues over expenditures, current assets and net assets.

The Foundation maintains a permanent collection made up of donated items which are recorded at their appraised values. The Foundation does not maintain a complete catalogue of the items which comprise the permanent collection with values. Therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to the permanent collection as at March 31, 2019, and net assets for the year then ended.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Foundation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Foundation's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Foundation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Fletcher Mundy & LLP

Grande Prairie, Alberta
June 26, 2019

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GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

Statement of Changes in Fund Balances

Year Ended March 31, 2019

	Operating Funds	Flow Through Funds	Internally Restricted Funds	Externally Restricted Funds	Endowment Fund	2019	2018
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 5,544,098	\$ 626,967	\$ 2,106,140	\$ 207,342	\$ 7,186,540	\$ 15,671,087	\$ 13,954,672
Operating fund excess of revenues over expenditures	2,876,775	-	-	-	-	2,876,775	1,716,415
Designated donations to restricted funds	(2,721,629)	89,944	863,324	-	1,768,361	-	-
Investment income earned in restricted funds	(44,214)	-	2,672	673	40,869	-	-
Disbursements from restricted funds	584,055	(117,284)	(446,883)	(10,000)	(9,888)	-	-
Board approved transfers	114,450	-	(2,671)	(273)	(111,506)	-	-
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 6,353,535	\$ 599,627	\$ 2,522,582	\$ 197,742	\$ 8,874,376	\$ 18,547,862	\$ 15,671,087

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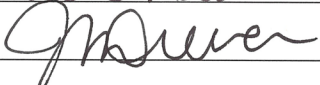
Statement of Financial Position

March 31, 2019

	2019	2018
ASSETS		
CURRENT		
Cash (Note 3)	\$ 1,391,974	\$ 1,321,654
Accounts receivable	29,144	16,968
Prepaid supplies	900	1,100
	1,422,018	1,339,722
INVESTMENTS (Note 4)	15,540,362	12,840,664
ARTWORK	66,200	35,950
CASH SURRENDER VALUE OF LIFE INSURANCE	1,601,661	1,536,664
	\$ 18,630,241	\$ 15,753,000
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 82,379	\$ 81,913
NET ASSETS		
FUND BALANCES		
Operating funds	6,353,535	5,544,098
Flow through funds	599,627	626,967
Internally restricted funds	2,522,582	2,106,140
Externally restricted funds	197,742	207,342
Endowment funds	8,874,376	7,186,540
	18,547,862	15,671,087
	\$ 18,630,241	\$ 15,753,000

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

 Board Member

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Statement of Revenues and Expenditures

Year Ended March 31, 2019

	2019	2018
REVENUES		
Designated donations	\$ 2,493,977	\$ 1,545,076
General donations	304,355	332,801
Increase in cash surrender value of life insurance	64,997	54,872
Investment income net of administration fees	455,999	311,074
Subsidy from Alberta Health Services	25,000	25,000
Bank machine commissions	16,353	17,101
Casino	-	35,088
Lifeline income	7,160	7,740
Insurance premiums	14,059	14,646
Realized gains on marketable securities	24,637	59,099
Unrealized gains (losses) on marketable securities	138,259	(181,076)
Visual Arts subsidy	7,970	8,530
	<u>3,552,766</u>	<u>2,229,951</u>
EXPENDITURES (Schedule 1)	<u>599,597</u>	<u>498,238</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES FROM OPERATIONS	<u>2,953,169</u>	<u>1,731,713</u>
Net program revenues		
Festival of Trees (Schedule 2)	361,112	330,037
Therapeutic Clown Program (Schedule 3)	7,861	4,525
	<u>368,973</u>	<u>334,562</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES BEFORE DISBURSEMENTS AND OTHER	<u>3,322,142</u>	<u>2,066,275</u>
Disbursements and other		
Bursaries awarded	19,750	22,500
Equipment and other donations	425,617	327,360
	<u>445,367</u>	<u>349,860</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 2,876,775</u>	<u>\$ 1,716,415</u>

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Statement of Cash Flows

Year Ended March 31, 2019

	2019	2018
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ 2,876,775	\$ 1,716,415
Items not affecting cash:		
Realized gains on marketable securities	(24,637)	(59,099)
Unrealized losses (gains) on marketable securities	<u>(138,259)</u>	<u>181,076</u>
	<u>2,713,879</u>	<u>1,838,392</u>
Changes in non-cash working capital:		
Accounts receivable	(12,176)	(2,643)
Prepaid supplies	200	100
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	<u>466</u>	<u>15,892</u>
	<u>(11,510)</u>	<u>13,349</u>
Cash from operating activities	<u>2,702,369</u>	<u>1,851,741</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Restricted cash and investments	(2,567,052)	(3,930,039)
Cash surrender value of life insurance	<u>(64,997)</u>	<u>(54,871)</u>
Cash used by investing activities	<u>(2,632,049)</u>	<u>(3,984,910)</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	70,320	(2,133,169)
CASH - BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>1,321,654</u>	<u>3,454,823</u>
CASH - END OF YEAR (Note 3)	<u>\$ 1,391,974</u>	<u>\$ 1,321,654</u>

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-Winston S. Churchill



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