

# FY18 IMPACT REPORT

Your support greatly impacts  
Dignity Health – Northridge Hospital's  
physicians, staff, patients and their families





## LETTER FROM THE FOUNDATION PRESIDENT

Dear Friends,

One of the many privileges of being President of Northridge Hospital Foundation is having the opportunity to thank our many loyal supporters for their continuous generosity. In a time of many worthy causes and requests for charitable gifts, please know your support of Dignity Health - Northridge Hospital Medical Center and our community truly makes a difference in the lives of so many.

The Foundation's purpose is to support the hospital's core mission in providing compassionate high quality, affordable health services; serving and advocating for our sisters and brothers who are poor and disfranchised; and partnering with others in the community to improve the quality of life. Your gift will allow us to continue to fulfill our mission.

This past year, your support and generosity assisted us in the following:

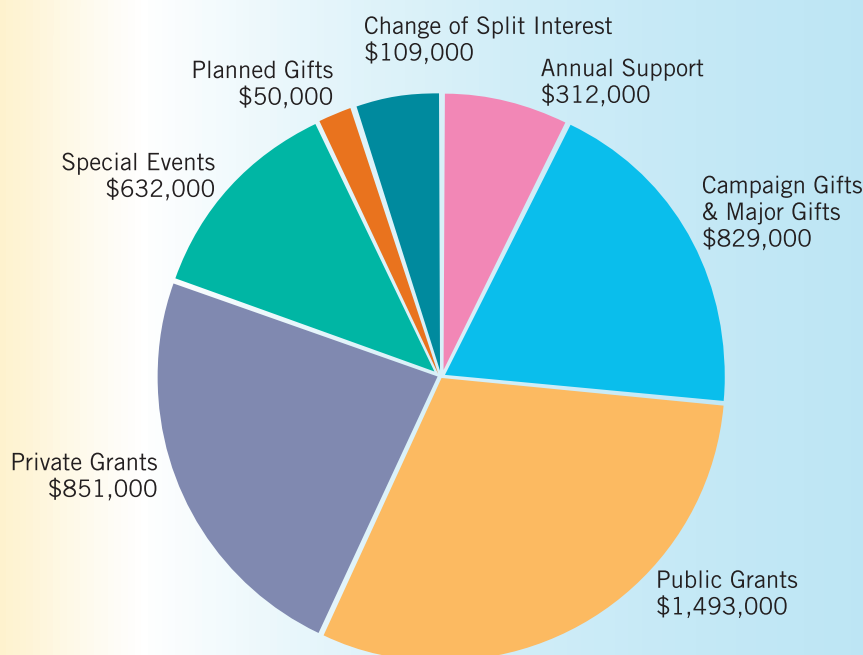
- Provided 575 women with free health screenings
- Introduced Project Brave which increased access to services for victims of crime with disabilities.
- Purchased a C-Mill Treadmill for the Center for Rehabilitation Medicine
- Funded the grand re-opening of the Pump Family Infusion Center in the Cancer Center
- Partnered with 35 LAUSD schools for the Great Kindness Challenge
- Provided 507 new moms with essential services during pregnancy and throughout the baby's first nine months
- Provided over 1,500 free therapeutic massages to cancer patients
- Implemented the Safe Dates Program addressing teen dating violence

Please know that together we can continue to build and improve our hospital and our community and ensure access to care and a commitment to clinical and service excellence with compassion and dignity for everyone.

Sincerely,

Brian P. Hammel  
President  
Northridge Hospital Foundation

## FOUNDATION BY THE NUMBERS



- Total revenue raised **\$4,275,000**
- Total funds transferred to the hospital for programs, services and equipment **\$3,744,000**
- Cost per contribution revenue \$ raised **\$0.29**
- Total number of donors **1,691**
- Total Fundraising revenue per Full Time Employee (FTE) **\$1,164,000**



### Starlight Brave Gowns for Brave Little Patients at Northridge Hospital

Our Pediatric Center received a special donation from the Starlight Children's Foundation. They donated hospital gowns with fun themes and designs for our youngest patients. While patients at Northridge, the children get to wear these fun gowns that make them feel like a superhero and help them feel a little more at home. The mission

of the Starlight Foundation is to brighten the lives of seriously ill children and their families by turning pain, fear and stress into laughter, fun and joy – because a sick kid is still a kid at heart.



### 2nd Annual Hondaween Event

Our Pediatric patients received a special treat at the 2nd Annual Helpful Hondaween Event. Halloween cheer spread throughout the hospital thanks to the Helpful Honda team in blue. Honda surprised pediatric patients and family members with fun activities like pumpkin decorating, arts and crafts, Halloween decorations and Hondaween glow in the dark pails, perfect for trick-or-treating.



Jayden Bartels visiting a pediatric patient

### Pediatric Patients Get a "Star" Visit

Our Pediatric patients received a "star" visit, compliments of the Starlight Children's Foundation, from Jayden Bartels! Jayden took a break from her schedule to celebrate her 13th birthday by visiting pediatric patients, delivering fun-themed Brave Gowns and playing a few rounds of Uno. (If she looks familiar, you may have seen Jayden on Dance Moms and Disney's XD: Walk the Prank.) This special surprise was much appreciated by our youngest patients, their parents and staff.



## HEALTHY BABIES



### Welcome Baby Program

In 2018, First 5 LA's Welcome Baby program provided Northridge Hospital with over \$1.1 million dollars that benefitted 509 patients. This program offers patients essential services (i.e., in-hospital visit, a personal parent coach, information and support, an in-home appointment, and baby-and-mom friendly items) during pregnancy and throughout a baby's first nine months. Partnering with First 5 LA, Northridge Hospital Foundation is able to further each family's Best Start!

*"I wanted to share how wonderful you are. You helped me so much when I needed it most. I am confident that all your clients are in good hands. The Welcome Baby Program at Northridge Hospital helped me to be strong and take care of myself."*

- Candice, 37, Northridge, CA

## QUANTIFYING PHILANTHROPY'S IMPACT - FY18

DEPARTMENT	NAME OF PROGRAM	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED	IMPACT	NAME OF FUNDER
Cancer Center	Cancer Massages	Free therapeutic massage services - hand/foot, neck/shoulder and chair massage	\$39,500	1,500 massages	Angie's Spa Cancer Foundation, Vons Foundation
Cancer Center	Navigator Program	Educating the community about cancer prevention and early detection	\$100,000	Educated 8,911 people at 73 community events	Avon Foundation for Women
Cancer Center	"Reaching Out" Health Fairs	Free mammograms for the under and non-insured	\$93,395	Total of 575 screenings, ultrasounds, biopsies and consultations	Harold & Carole Pump Foundation
Cancer Center	"Family Plan" Home Health	Provides support and comfort to patients in their homes	\$6,216	416 hours	Harold & Carole Pump Foundation
Cancer Center	"Family Plan" Transportation	Provides transportation to/from the hospital for patients in need	\$39,420	2,835 Trips	Harold & Carole Pump Foundation
Cancer Center	Chemotherapy Infusion Room	Increase number of infusion chairs from 13 to a total of 20, 1 private treatment room for higher acuity patients, additional restroom, new nutrition room and a nurses station	\$1,486,536	To provide the most comprehensive, technologically advanced treatments in the San Fernando Valley	Harold & Carole Pump Foundation, Employee Giving, Direct Mail Campaign
Cancer Center	Transportation	Provide transportation to/from hospital for breast and lung cancer patients	\$10,000	400 trips	Pfizer Healthcare Charitable Foundation
Women's & Children	Welcome Baby	Provides hospital and home-based intervention for pregnant and postpartum women	\$1,376,474	401 hospital visits 1,523 home visits	First 5 LA
Trauma	Trauma Surgery	New Ultrasound System which offers precision and exceptional image quality	\$79,738	Trauma Patients	All sponsors and donors that supported the Golden Hour Guild Brunch
Rehabilitation	Rehab Services	C-Mill Treadmill – allows patients to learn gait adaptability strategies through obstacle avoidance in a safe and controlled environment	\$171,000	All inpatients and outpatients at the Center for Rehabilitation	All sponsors and donors that supported the Golf Classic & Tennis Tournament
Care Coordination	Chronic Disease Transitional Care Coordination	Provides clinical oversight to support the physical, psychosocial, and supportive care needs of those patients with long term/chronic illness	\$241,915	Performed 32,332 patient assessments and 7,265 patient consults	UniHealth Foundation, Cardinal Health Foundation
Community Health	Center for Assault Treatment Services	Provides compassionate, comprehensive care to child and adult victims of domestic and sexual assault and abuse	\$223,276	1,106 clients served	Sunair Children's Fdn, Lon V. Smith Fdn, In-N-Out Burger Fdn, Johnny Carson Carson Fdn, Victory 4 Victims Walk/Run
Cardiovascular	Activate Your Heart	To reduce the risk of hypertension and cardiovascular disease for underserved, low-income adults in the SFV	\$33,000	182 participants	AstraZeneca HealthCare Foundation
Community Health	Project BRAVE	Project BRAVE (Barrier Reduction and Victim Empowerment) increases access to services for victims of crime with disabilities	\$125,000	2,781 people served	California Office of Emergency Services (Cal-OES)

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DEPARTMENT	NAME OF PROGRAM	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED	IMPACT	NAME OF FUNDER
Emergency Department	Capital Campaign	Expansion and Renovation of the Emergency/Trauma Department	\$684,833	Increase expansion and re-design of ED	All sponsors and donors that supported Steppin' Out, Employee Giving, Direct Mail, & Area of Greatest Need Donations
Diabetes	Community Health	To educate children in the community about good nutrition and exercise	\$25,000	97 people served	Medtronic Foundation
Community Services	Safe Dates	A program to reduce our youth's exposure to dating violence	\$22,500	104 people served	Meissner Mfg. Co., Inc., Arbonne Charitable Foundation
Community Outreach	Holiday Jam, Clothes for Homeless & Trauma Patients, Family Practice Holiday Baskets	Events and activities to fulfill our mission and to spread humankindness	\$27,000	350 children from Title 1 elementary schools, 600 patients receiving clothes and 50 families for holiday baskets	Northridge Hospital Medical Center, Northridge Hospital Foundation, Dignity Health Medical Foundation, Foundation Board Members
Nursing Education	Scholarship Program	RN to BSN Scholarships	\$31,365	Continuing education for nurses who have demonstrated a commitment to service and kindness in the workplace	West Coast University
Nursing Education	Scholarship Program	Love of Humanity Scholarship	\$2,500	RN must demonstrate empathy, love, and support to patients	Ronald Greenwald and Family
Security	Identity Management System	Security cameras, badge readers, and a Visitor Management System which provides photo ID badges to identify all visitors	\$70,000	All staff, physicians, employees and visitors to the hospital	California Office of Emergency Services (Cal-OES)
Various	Special Donations	Funding for equipment items less than \$5,000 and a gift to the Capital Campaign for the Emergency Department	\$59,621	New service line equipment	Northridge Hospital Auxiliary

## CHRONIC DISEASE TRANSITIONAL CARE COORDINATION

The Transitional Care Team works collaboratively with patients/care partners, medical staff, nursing, case management, pharmacy, ancillary services, skilled nursing facilities and home health agencies to assist chronically ill patients throughout the health care continuum:

- Team-based care planning that involves the patient and family
- Communication among patients, families and provider team members
- Continuity of care across a range of clinical settings and services
- Pain and non-pain symptom management
- Attention to spiritual support
- Psychosocial support for patients and families
- Bereavement support for families and care team members

The Chronic Disease Transitional Care Program performed 32,332 assessments and 7,265 consults in FY 2018.



*The Transitional Care Team includes physicians, program director, nurse practitioners, RN care coordinators, social workers, pharmacists and data coordinators*

## COMMUNITY OUTREACH

### Safe Dates Program Addresses Teen Dating Violence

Reducing our youth's exposure to dating violence is the aim of the Safe Dates program. A team from the Center for Assault Treatment Services (C·A·T·S) and the Center for Healthier Communities recently completed two Safe Dates programs at George Ellery Hale Middle School and the West Valley Boys and Girls Club Teen Center.

We extend a special thanks to the team members, our sponsor - the Canoga Park Elks Lodge Beacon grant, our partner site - the Boys and Girls Club, and to the students that participated in our first two 8-week programs. In addition, we are grateful to Meissner Mfg. Co., Inc., whose contribution enabled us to expand the program into three new school sites.

Edwin, a student from Grover Cleveland Charter High School, stated that he enjoyed the Safe Dates' because "the staff always tried to understand my questions and opinions without putting me down, especially when we discussed intense topics".



*The Safe Dates Project Management Team poses for a celebratory photo with graduating middle school students at The Boys & Girls Club of the West Valley*

### Clothing for the Homeless

Northridge Hospital Foundation provides free clothing needs for homeless individuals and trauma patients at discharge. Our caregivers and house supervisors distribute items such as t-shirts, pants, sweatshirts, and shoes. The sweatshirts have been particularly well-received during the fall and winter months. Providing this service has been a great asset to our Emergency Department and Care Coordination staff. We believe in the dignity and equality of all people, and no one should leave our facility in a hospital gown!

### Cal-OES Awards \$125,000 to Project Brave

The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) awarded NHF a \$125,000 grant to increase access to services for victims of crime who also suffer with disabilities. Project BRAVE (Barrier Reduction and Victim Empowerment) focuses on reducing barriers, increasing access, providing knowledge, and empowering victims of violence with disabilities.

### Diabetes Wellness Rx Outreach Program

Diabetes Wellness Rx classes are funded by Medtronic and designed for individuals with Type 1 or Type 2 diabetes. The program covered topics such as diabetes management techniques, fatigue, pain, stress, and emotional issues; such as, depression, anger, or fear. The program served 97 participants as part of a two-year grant of \$50K.

*"Diabetes Wellness Rx helped me lose 10 pounds and drop my fasting glucose from 163 to 123. This was possible because of the knowledge obtained of how to read nutrition labels and newly acquired eating habits."*

- Guadalupe R., 48, Reseda, CA

### Northridge Hospital Auxiliary

The Northridge Hospital Auxiliary is a volunteer group of individuals who can make all the difference to our patients during their stay. In 2018, they raised \$25,000 to purchase equipment (i.e., blanket warmers, infection control equipment, and specialty exam tables) that provides a higher quality of care. The Auxiliary was instrumental in raising another \$50,000 for the Emergency Department and Trauma Center expansion and renovation. This investment furthers health care safety, and patient outcomes throughout the San Fernando Valley.



### Activate Your Heart Community Outreach Program

Activate Your Heart is a partnership with Mid-Valley YMCA, and funded by Astra Zeneca HealthCare Foundation with a goal to increase cardiovascular health awareness. During 2018, the program impacted 182 participants. Classes included cooking demonstrations, stress management techniques, grocery store tours, group exercise, and health screenings.

## Soothing the Body - Massage Therapy

The generous support from the Angie's Spa Cancer Foundation enabled our cancer outpatients and inpatients undergoing treatment, to receive free therapeutic massage services – hand/foot, neck/shoulder and chair massage.

This past year, we provided over 1,500 massages that have proven to:

- Decrease the side effects of treatments
- Ease pain and stress
- Increase self-esteem
- Provide relaxation
- Enhance traditional treatments



*"I am a cancer patient at the Leavey Cancer Center who recently went through radiation treatment. I want to express my sincere gratitude to Angie's Spa for providing services that are so incredibly helpful for somebody going through cancer treatment. It was so nice to focus on something therapeutic and calming during a period of tremendous anxiety."*

– Karen, Cancer Center Patient

## PUMPED TO FIGHT CANCER

### 17th Annual Harold & Carole Pump Foundation Celebrity Dinner

#### EDUCATION & FREE SCREENINGS

Educating the community about cancer prevention and early detection is vital to the health of our residents. With free education and cancer screenings, lives can be saved with early detection. The Harold & Carole Pump Foundation (H&CPF) Outreach Program attended 73 community events and educated 8,911 people on cancer awareness in both English and Spanish.

In addition, the Carole Pump Women's Center hosted 12 FREE health fairs for the uninsured in our community. "Reaching Out Health Fairs" attract hundreds of women who receive free breast evaluations and screenings. Since prevention is key, attendees also learn how to decrease their chances of a cancer diagnosis. The Foundation provided 575 people with FREE health screenings. As a result of the screenings and follow-up work, four positive breast cancer cases were diagnosed.



L-R: Dana Pump, Phil Oates, Johnny Bench, LL COOL J, Emmitt Smith, David Pump

#### FAMILY PLAN - SUPPORT, COMFORT & HOME HEALTH

The Family Plan Fund assists patients and their families with payment for services or equipment needs. Patients who are hospitalized or at home with a cancer diagnosis face many difficult hours filled with painful treatments, unpleasant side effects, invasive tests, and much uncertainty. This is interspersed with periods of boredom, depression and fatigue - making it a very difficult time for the patient and their families. The H&CPF provided cancer patients with over 416 hours of home health care and one-to-one support.

#### FAMILY PLAN - TRANSPORTATION TO THOSE IN NEED

For those cancer patients with no means of travel, the H&CPF budgeted a portion of their funding to provide transportation to and from the hospital for treatment and tests. This past year the Foundation provided 2,835 trips. This service continues to be a tremendous benefit for those in need.

*"All of the nurses who took care of me were always ready to help, guide, and their kindness was like none I ever experienced in any other medical facility. I feel blessed to have had the opportunity to be treated and surrounded by such special staff."*

– Sasha R., 40, Northridge, CA

*"I have been a patient at the Leavey Cancer Center for almost three years. On occasion, my wife either cannot drop me off or pick me up. I am fortunate to have taxi service available through funding by the Harold & Carole Pump Foundation. My wife and I are grateful that this service is available to us. Thank you to the Pump Foundation for providing funding for this much needed and valuable program."*

– Richard L., 54, Reseda, CA

## BATTLING CANCER WHILE COMFORTING PATIENTS

### Leavey Cancer Center Halloween Harvest Bake Sale Raises \$3,000

The staff and patients of the Leavey Cancer Center would like to extend a warm thank you to everyone who came to support our Halloween Harvest Bake Sale on October 30th. Our bake sale was a success thanks to the generosity of our patients and staff who donated either their time or baked goods. Through their efforts, we were able to raise \$3,000, which makes this bake sale our most successful to date. These funds will allow for more cancer patients to have access to free therapeutic massages at our center.



### Pfizer Healthcare Foundation - \$10,000 Grant for Patient Transportation

For the fourth consecutive year the Northridge Hospital Foundation has received a \$10,000 grant from Pfizer Healthcare Charitable Contributions. Funds will be used to improve access to care by providing taxi vouchers to patients who need transportation assistance for chemotherapy or radiation appointments. This is a critical need for low-income patients who do not have a car or for the elderly who cannot drive and have financial hardships.

### Expanding the Horizons of Care from Wellness to Survivorship

Funding from the Avon Foundation for Women and the Harold & Carole Pump Foundation has enabled our Navigator Program to offer services from health education to end-of-life treatment, as well as post-discharge care and survivorship.

Our Navigator Program offers both onsite services and community outreach. In 2018, the Patient Navigation Team attended 73 community events and educated 8,911 people in cancer awareness in both English and Spanish.



### Bell of Hope Recognition

Ring the Bell of Hope at the Thomas & Dorothy Leavey Cancer Center signifies a patient has completed their chemotherapy or radiation treatment. This is a long standing tradition at cancer centers across America.

Jim Lione, a Stage IV Cancer survivor, was receiving his final chemo infusion treatment at Northridge Hospital Medical Center and noticed our infusion center did not have a bell. He immediately contacted the Foundation and made a gift to purchase the bell. Upon completion of his treatments, Jim returned to the Chemotherapy Infusion Center and was the first patient to ring the bell.



Patient Jim Lione rings the Bell of Hope upon completion of his chemotherapy treatment

*"I saw a bell in the radiation oncology area (which was donated by an anonymous donor) and I asked why we couldn't have one in the Chemo Infusion Center? After a few meetings, I got my wish. I want to thank all the wonderful caregivers and physicians for their care, kindness and compassion during my treatments. I hope the ringing of the bell gives other patients a real sense of accomplishment and completion as it did for me."*

— Jim Lione, Stage IV Cancer survivor



L-R: Ronald Tang, MD; Gary Davidson, MD; Patient Jim Lione, Sheldon Davidson, MD, & Afshin Safa, MD

## NORTHRIDGE HOSPITAL FOUNDATION FUNDRAISING EVENTS

### Steppin' Out Celebration of Hope Gala raises \$452,000 in 2017

Last year's Steppin' Out Gala at the Four Seasons Hotel was a smashing success! More than 570 guests were in attendance, and the event raised \$452,000 which benefitted the renovation and expansion of our Emergency and Trauma Departments for the "Building for the Future – Today" capital campaign. Congratulations to Asher Taban, MD, recipient of the "Grace Leland Appreciation Award" and Kim Belshe "Celebration of Hope Award" recipient. A special thanks to our Steppin' Out Steering Committee for all their hard work and support.

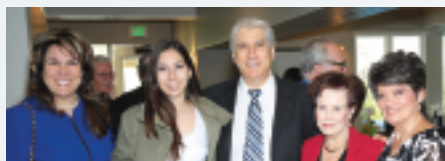
### Hello humankindness!



#### Golden Hour Guild Brunch – An Annual Tradition!

The Golden Hour Guild Champagne Brunch has become an annual tradition and an important fundraiser for the Northridge Hospital Adult Trauma and the Richie Pediatric Trauma Center's. The event helps to sustain the mission of Northridge Hospital, while providing great fellowship and lifesaving care.

This year's event raised \$25,000 for our medical center to provide funding for a new Venue Ultrasound System. Venue offers precision and exceptional image quality and is designed specifically for point of care workflow.



*L – R: Tere Saad, MD, and President of the Medical Staff Shawki Saad, MD, pose with their daughter, and Golden Hour Guild Founders Joan Geisbush and Susan Miller*

*1,250 walkers and runners at the starting line*

### 16th Annual Victory for Victims 5K/10K

The 16th Annual Victory for Victims Walk/Run took place on Saturday, April 21 and was a complete success. More than 1,250 participants took part in the event and it raised \$162,000. Proceeds from the event go directly to the Center for Assault Treatment Services, which is the only 24-hour/7-day-per-week program that provides forensic medical evidentiary examinations and interviews in the San Fernando and Santa Clarita Valleys for domestic & sexual violence victims, as well as child victims. Victory for Victims serves as a reminder that each of us have an opportunity to "Help Break the Silence, and Stop the Abuse!"



*Grace Leland Physician Appreciation Award Recipients, from L-R: Michael Soltero, MD (2014), Steven Cantamout, MD (2016), Shawki Saad, MD (2015), Grace Leland & Asher Taban, MD (2017) honoree*

### 2017 Helping Hands Holiday Jam

The annual "Helping Hands Holiday Jam" was a fun filled day at Northridge Hospital Medical Center for over 350 children from five local Title 1 Elementary Schools! In partnership with many community partners and donors, we turned our ordinary parking lot into a child's holiday extravaganza. Students were treated to lunch, participated in carnival games, and arts and crafts. In addition, all of the children went home with a bag filled with presents from Santa! Title 1 students are underserved, and for most this may be the only Christmas they have this holiday season. Teachers say the children look forward to this day from the first day of school. Rumor around school, is that once you reach 2nd grade you get to go to this "Holiday Celebration at Northridge Hospital".

*Holiday Jam volunteers*



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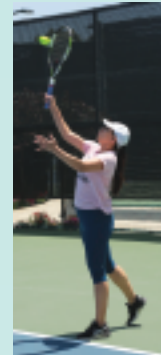
### Northridge Hospital Foundation's 28th Annual Golf Classic & Tennis Tournament Raises \$171,000 for The Center for Rehabilitation!

The 28th Annual Golf Classic & Tennis Tournament was a smashing success and raised \$171,000 to support The Center for Rehabilitation Medicine with the purchase of a C-Mill Treadmill. More than 150 golfers and tennis players participated in the event, and many were on-hand to witness Steve Jones' (1996 U.S. Open Champion) amazing hole in one!

The C-Mill uses visual and acoustic cues for training and evaluation of impaired gait and balance. It allows for learning gait adaptability strategies through obstacle avoidance in a safe and controlled environment.

This equipment will benefit both our inpatient and outpatient service lines.

The Golf Classic & Tennis Tournament also provided us with the opportunity to recognize Bill and Mary Newbold with the "Bill Lake Appreciation Award."



*C-Mill Treadmill*



### The Great Kindness Challenge – Creating a Culture of Kindness

For the fifth consecutive year, Dignity Health served as a presenting sponsor of The Great Kindness Challenge (GKC). The GKC was created by the non-profit Kids for Peace, whose mission is to create a culture of kindness in elementary, middle, and high schools worldwide.

Northridge Hospital registered 35 schools for the challenge, engaged 28,198 local students who participated in a total of 319 acts of kindness. The activities included, kindness messages, spirit days, poster contests, and many more. Plus, students at Hart Elementary in Canoga Park were treated to a Teddy Bear clinic where they performed mini checkups on their new teddy bears - just like real doctors.

## EDUCATION

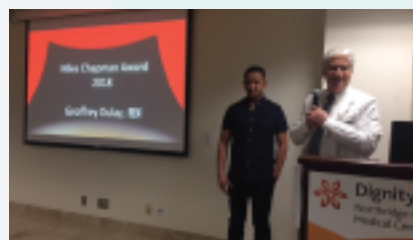
### The Lauren Mickool and Robert Greenwald Love of Humanity and West Coast University Scholarship Recipients

Ryan Perez, RN, Emergency Department, received The Lauren Mickool and Robert Greenwald Love of Humanity Scholarship which was established in 2016 in the loving memory of Robert Greenwald. This scholarship is awarded to a RN who has demonstrated empathy for pain and suffering of patients and patient's families; advocates for the patient; anticipates patient needs; and provides a "piece of your heart" while providing care. Ryan is currently enrolled at California State University, Los Angeles, in the Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Program.

Geoffrey Dulay, RN, Surgery Department, received The West Coast University RN to Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) Scholarship which has been designed to advance the quality and delivery of health care. Geoffrey's passion to engage patients and collaborate with providers, distinguished him as the recipient of this meaningful award.



*Brian Hammel, Foundation President and Mary Jane Jones, Chief Nursing Officer, present The Lauren Mickool and Robert Greenwald Scholarship to Ryan Perez, RN/Emergency Department*



*Dr. Shawki Saad, MD, President of the Medical Staff, honors Geoffrey Dulay, RN/Surgery Department*

## "BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE - TODAY" CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

To keep pace with population growth and medical technology, Northridge Hospital Foundation continues to build for the future. "Building for the Future-Today" will ensure the hospital has furthered health care access, and created a greater quality of care that supports residents throughout the San Fernando Valley.

### Pump Family Infusion Center Opens

NHMC continues to be committed to expanding our state-of-the-art services in serving our community. Part of our Capital Campaign was the expansion of our infusion and hematology services. We are pleased to announce that the Pump Family Infusion Center has been completed and opened in November 2017.

Our spacious center includes:

- 20 infusion chairs in a comfortable setting
- Seating for family members and care partners
- Nutrition room with on-demand beverages and snacks
- Private suite for patients requiring additional care
- Convenient Cancer Center access and valet parking

### Expansion of Emergency Department and Trauma Center

Having a local Trauma Center and Emergency Department is vital to our community. Yet, continuing to provide immediate, life-saving care is becoming increasingly challenging amidst population growth. This past year, the Foundation raised \$1.5 million towards this project. These vitally needed improvements to our hospital's Emergency Department will be transformational not only to our facility, but to our community and its members lives.

*"I would like to thank you for what I feel is stellar care by your staff. You addressed not only my medical emergency, but my emotional distress as well. I am grateful and very appreciative of your continued efforts to make Northridge Hospital an exceptional medical environment"*

– Maureen F., 64, Northridge, CA

L-R: Dana Pump,  
Afshin Safa, MD,  
Carl Singerman, MD,  
Brian Hammel,  
Ronald Tang, MD  
and David Pump



### Employee "Spirit of Giving" Partners Program

The Employee "Spirit of Giving" Partners Program is an annual campaign that allows our employees to make a charitable contribution to support the hospital. All gifts to the campaign are reinvested in Northridge Hospital to support the many programs and services we provide. Employee giving creates an environment of goodwill among all employees. In fiscal year 2018, employees donated \$76,600. These gifts benefitted our Cancer Center; Emergency & Trauma Department; Center for Assault Treatment Services; Center for Rehabilitation; Cardiology; and area of greatest need.



*Giving to "The Spirit of Giving" Partners Program gives me the feeling providing support back to the place I work but also helping provide the service needs to our community. I see it as an investment in our future here at Northridge Hospital.*

*Providing the highest Quality of Care and Excellence in Service. I am proud to be part of this organization.*

– Michael Mello, Director of Materials Management

## LEADING BY EXAMPLE

### Northridge Hospital Foundation Receives the 2017 Philip "Flip" Smith Pillar of the Community Award

Northridge Hospital Foundation was the proud recipient of the Mid Valley Family YMCA's Philip "Flip" Smith Pillar of the Community award in November 2017. The YMCA recognized Northridge Hospital, The Center of Healthier Communities, and the Northridge Hospital Foundation for their outstanding work and service for the youth and families of the San Fernando Valley.

Northridge Hospital has been a leading collaborator and partner with the Mid Valley Family YMCA for the last 15 years, helping the YMCA provide little to no-cost programs that are directly impacting the largest issues that are facing families in the San Fernando Valley.



L-R: 6th District Councilwoman Nury Martinez; Foundation President Brian Hammel; Director, Community Health Joni Novosel; Center for Healthier Communities Program Manager Barbara Gonzalez; and Mid-Valley YMCA Executive Director Chad Meander

**Through their generosity, the following individuals, organizations, corporations, and government entities have supported a wide range of programs and Northridge Hospital Medical Center capital needs between July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.**

***Thank you!***

**\$1,000,000 and up**

Harold & Carole Pump Foundation  
Los Angeles County Children  
and Families First

**\$100,000 - \$200,000**

Avon Foundation For Women  
City Of Los Angeles

**\$50,000 - \$99,999**

Cardinal Health Foundation  
Estate of Raisa Dulian  
Emergency Management Agency  
(Cal-EMA) (Cal-OES)  
Luella Morey Murphey Foundation  
Northridge Hospital Auxiliary

**\$20,000 - \$49,999**

Angie's Spa  
Johnny Carson Foundation  
Lon V. Smith Foundation  
Meissner Mfg. Co., Inc.  
New Venture Fund  
Risen Bread, LLC/Panera Bread  
Sunair Children's Foundation  
Tiller Constructors  
VEP Healthcare  
West Coast University  
Young Men's Christian Association  
of Metropolitan Los Angeles

**\$5,000 - \$19,999**

AAA T.L.C Health Care  
Accredited Home Health  
Automac Parking, Inc.  
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Biagi Bros. Transportation  
BNY Mellon  
California State University, Northridge  
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Family Medicine  
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Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hammel \*  
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Healthcare Partners Medical Group  
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In-N-Out Burger  
Mr. and Mrs. William Kane  
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Mrs. Dorothy Lake  
Leon Max, Inc.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lin Lindstedt  
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North Hills Healthcare  
Northridge Care Center  
Northridge Hospital Medical Center  
Northridge Lumber  
Packer, O'Leary & Corson  
Panorama Meadows Nursing Center  
Pfizer, Inc.  
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& Vascular Surgery  
Dr. and Mrs. Asher Taban  
The American Kennel Club  
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Torres  
TRL Systems, Inc.  
VITAS Healthcare Corp. of California  
Vogue Prosthetic Orthotic Center  
West Valley Post Acute  
Western Mechanical  
Mr. and Mrs. Mel Wilson  
Mr. and Mrs. Enrique Wong  
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