

BUILDING THE FUTURE OF HEALTH CARE

Foundation 2016 Community Report

It is with great pride that we share the exciting story of how your gifts to the Foundation have advanced the mission of Kootenai Health. Since 1983 over \$15.5 million has been invested to directly benefit patient care, including \$2.5 million in 2015 to support the hospital's expanded Family Birth Center, neonatal intensive care unit, orthopedics and neurosurgery patient care units.

The growth and expansion of care are a direct result of the changing needs of our patients. With higher levels of care available closer to home, Kootenai Health is serving more patients with greater needs. This requires a higher intensity of physician and nursing care, combined with cutting edge equipment, technology and facilities to care for these patients.

Kootenai Health operates successfully in the current environment of increasing regulation and decreasing reimbursements, but not without a great deal of collaboration, quality partnerships and the willingness to adapt and change.

Did you know, there are only 88 independent, community hospitals of our size remaining in the United States?

Many hospitals have had to merge into for-profit and nationwide health care systems in order to continue operating. Yet Kootenai Health has remained steadfast in its mission of becoming a comprehensive, regional medical center serving the patients of our region with superior quality and safety, close to home.

Our Foundation Board also remains steadfast in our work to inspire philanthropy to impact the health care of our region. We are passionate that our community deserves superior care right here at home. The success of this vision requires leadership and financial support. We invite you to join us in our ongoing efforts to build the future of health care for our region; your partnerships are vital. Please consider leaving a legacy of health and wellness for your family, friends and neighbors through a gift to Kootenai Health. On behalf of the Foundation Board, thank you for your continuing generosity.

Sincerely,



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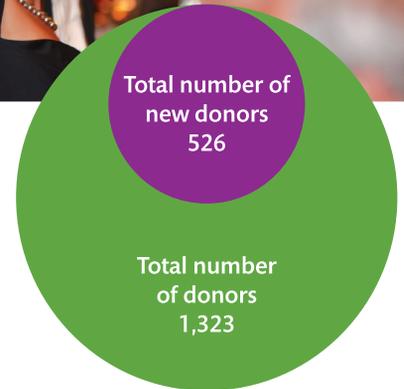


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28th Annual Festival of Trees was a HUGE Success!

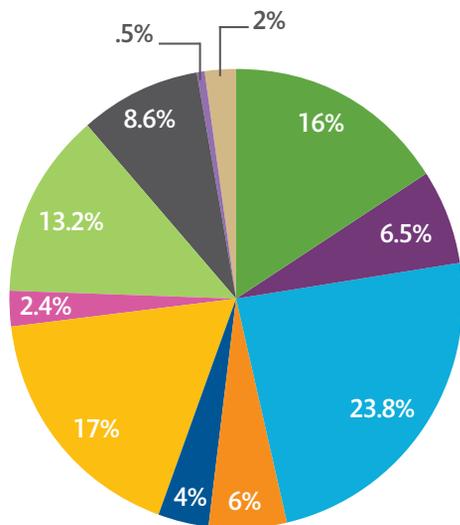
When a community of people believe in a mission and rally around a cause, amazing things happen! The 2016 Festival of Trees was a raving success due to community members like you who helped make it happen. Through your partnerships, a fundraising record was achieved with net proceeds of \$439,518, beating the prior highest net revenue of \$422,962 set in 2007!

The funds raised each year through the Festival of Trees expand access to health care throughout our region. We are grateful for the outpouring of generosity to directly support the expansion of the emergency department, trauma program and operating rooms.



Your Gifts Have Great Impact

Since 1983, over \$15.5 million of donors' gifts have been invested to improve our region's health through life-saving medical equipment, technology, education and state-of-the-art facilities.



Vision 2020 Capital Expansion	\$2,500,000
Children's Services, Pediatrics, Nursery	\$1,011,653
Various Departments (E.D., O.R, etc.)	\$3,693,449
Health Resource Center	\$ 896,422
Critical Care/Intensive Care	\$ 562,614
Cancer Services (Coeur d'Alene & Post Falls)	\$2,709,676
Cancer Patient Support Program	\$ 365,958
Heart Center/Heart Services	\$2,051,699
Rehabilitation Services/McGrane	\$1,333,000
Scholarships	\$ 71,255
Walden House (outpatient lodging)	\$ 326,822

2016 Gifts to Support Kootenai Health

In 2016, over \$315,000 directly benefitted patients and staff in **four key areas**:

\$131,000 Patient and Community Benefit Programs:

- Cancer Patient Support Program
- Patient Lodging at the Walden House

