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Donor Journal 2024



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The purpose of UnityPoint Health® – Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation is to enhance philanthropic activities to ensure the UnityPoint Health – Grinnell Regional Medical Center (GRMC) mission of improving the health of the people and communities it serves.

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The UnityPoint Health – Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation will inform and educate donors and the local communities regarding the work of GRMC while providing encouragement and opportunities to support the medical center’s mission.

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Welcome

DEAR FRIENDS,

Thank you seems like such a small thing to say when the impact of your generosity is so very, very large. No matter how we say it or how often we say it, thank you is the best way we have to express our gratitude - along with a glimpse in the following pages at how your support makes a difference at GRMC for our patients, their families and our providers and team members.

Whether you have supported GRMC for decades, are a first-time donor, or land somewhere in between, the impact of your contribution is deeply felt throughout our organization. Your gift makes so much possible at GRMC - from purchasing critical pieces of equipment like a fracture table to providing a sleep sack for each of the 246 babies who were born here in 2024! Turn through the pages and see what great things your philanthropy accomplished last year. We hope you'll be amazed and proud.

Your thoughtful, compassionate generosity is inspiring. Thank you for sharing our vision and supporting our mission. You have our heartfelt gratitude.

Believe what you do makes a difference because it does.



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2024 Disbursement of Gifts

The GRMC Foundation is honored to help you make a meaningful impact on the programs and services GRMC provides. With your donation, you partner with GRMC in fulfilling our mission to improve the health of the people and communities we serve.

In 2024, donations to the GRMC Foundation provided more than \$550,000 in philanthropic support to GRMC. Listed below are some of the many areas impacted by the generosity of you, our donors.

- Emergency Department
- Hospice
- Medical/Surgical Unit
- Obstetrics (OB) Unit
- Operating Room
- Physical Therapy
- Sleep Lab
- Wellness Center

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TO BENEFIT THE HEALTH
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A YEAR IN REVIEW

ADMISSIONS

Hospital
Inpatients
1,601

Outpatients
81,861

Intensive
Care Unit
136

SURGERIES

Inpatient **444** Outpatient **1,531**

VISITS

Emergency Department
8,143

Walk-In Clinic
3,094

OB/GYN Clinic
5,347



EMPLOYEES
369

BABIES BORN
246

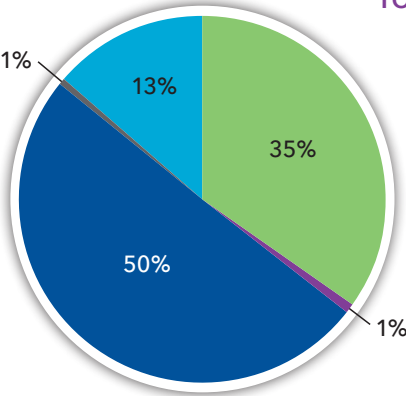


MEDICAL PROVIDERS
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2024 DISBURSEMENTS OF GIFTS

■ Capital	-----	\$140,612.50
■ Employee Assistance & Education	-----	\$3,230.54
■ Equipment	-----	\$201,155.96
■ Patient Assistance	-----	\$2,983.38
■ Programs and Services	-----	\$53,816.90

Total: \$401,799.28



delivering OUR FUTURE

Your support of the *Delivering Our Future* campaign is making the renovation and expansion of GRMC's obstetrics unit possible. In early 2025, bids were being submitted for this project and construction will begin soon (or may already have begun). **The GRMC Foundation is very grateful for our donors who are partnering with us to make this improvement a reality.**

Funds for this project are coming from a variety of sources. More than \$866,000 has been donated by individuals and businesses in communities served by GRMC. Those generous donors, as of February 28, 2025, are listed at right. Additionally, the hospital was awarded a \$600,000 Community Facilities Block Grant in December 2023, and a portion of the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 Centers of Excellence Grants for Maternal Health will be used for this project. The GRMC Foundation Board has also designated more than \$600,000 to the project from the GRMC Endowment's 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2024 spendable distribution. Altogether, nearly \$2.3 million has been committed to the expansion and renovation of our obstetrics unit as of February 28, 2025, bringing us to more than **half** of the projected \$4.09 million cost to bring this multi-phase project to completion.

The GRMC Foundation thanks the donors listed for their support of the *Delivering Our Future* campaign for the OB unit's expansion and renovation.

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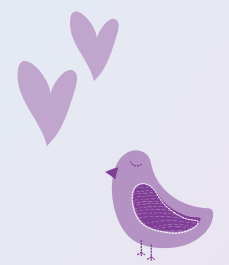
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DONOR FEATURE

PHILANTHROPY A Family Tradition



The GRMC Foundation gratefully shines a light on the generosity of the Estate of F. Addison Jones, the F. Austin and Kim Jones family, and Grinnell State Bank. Their support of the *Delivering Our Future* capital campaign to expand and renovate GRMC's obstetrics (OB) unit will impact families in this region for years to come. Thank you!

Grinnell is home to **F. Austin and Kim Jones**, high school sweethearts who recently celebrated their 38th anniversary. They returned to Grinnell after graduating from college to work and ultimately raise their family. Austin and Kim enjoy being grandparents and spending time with their family: daughters Alyson Jones, Kelsey (Nick) McCulley, and Miranda (Kyle) Bradberry, and grandchildren Jaxon McCulley, Emilia McCulley, and Koen Bradberry.

Austin is the President, Chief Financial Officer, and Chief Trust Officer of Grinnell State Bank. In addition to his position at the bank, Austin serves on a variety of nonprofit boards and is a triple-threat athlete who competes in triathlons around the country.

Kim is a nurse at Grinnell Regional Medical Center, where she has worked for 38 years – 34 of those in the obstetrics unit where she has enjoyed bringing new life into the world as well as sharing her knowledge with staff and expectant parents.

Kim's work as an obstetrics nurse at GRMC provides unique insight into the needs of the unit. "As a member of the OB staff, having an additional labor and delivery room and updated postpartum rooms will be hugely beneficial," states Kim. "Having more space to provide care also gives us the ability to be more efficient when accessing supplies that will be more readily available in the new rooms."



The family of F. Addison and Marion Jones in 2014. Addison and Austin are the first two people from the left in the front row. Kim is in the middle of the second row. The plaque behind Addison and Austin is from The Marion A. Jones Patient Care Wing dedication.

Austin and Kim care deeply about Grinnell and the surrounding region. They put that caring into action in their work and in their philanthropy, adding to the Jones family's long history of supporting the hospital.

Generations of Giving

Austin's grandfather, F.A. Jones, was a member of the Community Hospital Board of Directors, serving as Treasurer from 1966 to 1968, during the time of its merger with St. Francis Hospital. He had the financial knowledge to keep Community Hospital from going under and ensure that Grinnell General Hospital was able to survive fiscally during its early years.

Marion Jones, Austin's mother, (at right with her husband, F. Addison Jones, in 2005) was a member of the Grinnell General Hospital Board of Directors. She was proud to be the board's first female Chairman, serving in that role from 1986 to 1988. During her tenure, she led the hospital through the transition of adding outpatient care services and dedicated the Mammography Unit in 1987 with First Lady Barbara Bush by her side. Initially her involvement was through the Community Hospital Auxiliary's various fund-raising efforts including membership drives, charity balls, and the gift shop.

"My mother, father, and grandfather all instilled in me the importance of a strong Hospital in our community," shares Austin.

Grinnell State Bank

The Grinnell State Bank was organized in 1925 by Grinnell businessmen to be an independent community bank and is still fulfilling that role today. The Jones Family has owned and operated the bank since 1954, and that legacy continues with a fifth generation of family members on staff. Grinnell State Bank has been a long-time supporter of GRMC, contributing to numerous capital campaigns (Moving at the Speed of Life, Blueprint for Health, Building on Excellence, 1983 Capital Fund Drive) and programs such as Anesthesia Medicine and Bike Helmets for Third Graders.

The bank's support of the *Delivering Our Future* campaign continues their history of community involvement. "The Hospital is probably one of the most important economic engines for a rural area," says Austin. "It brings quality of Life, quality jobs, and quality people that will make for a great City, County, and region."

The GRMC Foundation is grateful to the estate of F. Addison Jones, F. Austin and Kim Jones, and the Grinnell State Bank for their generous support of the *Delivering Our Future* campaign.

The Jones family's ongoing commitment to the well-being of the hospital and the communities it serves shines through their generous support of this project.





Philanthropic Impact

NEW OVERBED TABLES THROUGHOUT THE HOSPITAL

Your donations made it possible to purchase 36 new overbed tables now in use throughout the hospital.

The sleek design of these tables easily slides under beds. The low-profile, U-shaped base provides maximum versatility and the tables can be adjusted to any height. These new tables are appreciated by patients and team members for their ease of use and adaptability.



MEETING PATIENT TRANSPORT NEEDS

When the operating room (OR) and emergency department (ED) needed new patient transport carts, the GRMC Foundation was able to help - *thanks to your generosity*. Both departments received 2 new stretchers with an innovative motorized drive system that makes them easier to maneuver, thereby increasing efficiency and reducing the risk of back injuries to our caregivers.

NEW ENDOFLIP FOR SURGERY DEPARTMENT

Thanks to your donations, the GRMC Foundation was able to help GRMC's Surgery Department purchase a new EndoFLIP, a minimally invasive type of technology that can be used during endoscopy to measure dimensions, movement and pressure inside the esophagus and other organs.

Pictured with the EndoFLIP, left to right, are members of GRMC's surgery team: Jaci VanNorden, Emily Larson, Nicky Williams, Lori Glasgow, Breanna Saunders.



BLADDER SCANNER FOR HOSPITAL

Because of your support, a new bladder scanner has been purchased for GRMC. Our nurses and patient care technicians recognized a need for a second scanner to expedite care for patients and, thanks to you, the GRMC Foundation was able to meet that need.

This new scanner harnesses real-world data to consistently detect and define bladder location, size and shape for all pediatric and adult patients. It measures the bladder volume within seconds and its simple charting tool easily transfers exam results to any electronic healthcare record system.

Pictured left to right: Jasmine Hines, PCT and Jamie Hatfield, RN



FRACTURE TABLE FOR ORTHOPEDIC SURGERIES

Thanks to the incredible support of our donors, GRMC has a brand-new, state-of-the-art orthopedic surgery table! "This new table is much more than just equipment. Its advanced features allow for precise positioning and improved access during surgery, leading to better outcomes and faster recovery for our patients," says Dr. Anthony Tedesco, a DMOS surgeon who lives and works in Grinnell full-time providing orthopedic care at UnityPoint Health - Grinnell Orthopedic Clinic.

Pictured left to right: Mary Duke, Dr. Tedesco, Mikaylah Avis, Lindsey Cole, Sam Manatt, Haley DeHoedt, Emily Larson, Blythe Woolen, Vicki Brown, Breanna Saunders and Lori Glasgow.





NEW MANOMETRY FOR SURGERY DEPARTMENT

Thanks to your support, the GRMC Foundation helped the Surgery Department purchase a high-resolution manometry system. This system is used to measure the muscles at the top and bottom of the esophagus, and also measures the pressure, speed, and wave pattern of muscle contractions along the esophagus while swallowing.

"This new equipment has made esophageal manometry easier for our technicians due to shorter procedure times which makes the procedure more tolerable for our patients," says Angie Oakie, RN, BSN, MHA, GRMC Surgery Department Manager.

Pictured with the manometry are two of GRMC's surgical nurses (left to right), Haley DeHoedt, RN, and Lori Glasgow, RN.



MONTEZUMA PIECEMAKERS QUILT GUILD DONATES QUILTS

The Montezuma Piecemakers Quilting Guild donated approximately **15 handcrafted quilts** to GRMC in 2024. These one-of-a-kind quilts are distributed to chemotherapy and obstetric patients in need of a little extra comfort.

Pictured with the quilts is Rae Schuman, a member of the guild.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES DONATED TO GRMC TEAM

Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance teamed up with local Girl Scout Troop 882 to donate several boxes of Girl Scout cookies to the team members at GRMC, one of several local business to receive a donation of cookies. Thanks, Camrynn Fisher, Troop 882 and Grinnell Mutual for the delicious cookies!

Pictured with the cookies is Girl Scout Camrynn Fisher.



YOGA MATS

Thanks to a generous donor, twenty new deluxe yoga mats were purchased for use at the Postels Wellness Center. Pictured here are the mats, displayed and decorated with lights for the Christmas holiday.



BIKE HELMETS

In 2024, free bike helmets were distributed to **464** third graders in 11 area schools for the **29th year** in a row. In a thank you note from a Lynnville-Sully third-grader, John wrote, "Thank you for the awesome bike helmet. I will use it all summer. I like it a lot. I will never forget, if there are wheels under you, you need a helmet." **This safety initiative is only possible because of your donations!** Thank you for helping to keep our children safe on wheels.

Pictured is the team who distributed helmets at Davis Elementary, left to right: Holly Pettlon, Wellness Supervisor; Craig Cooper, former owner of Bikes To You and owner of Iowa Built; Barb Arlint, Iowa Built; and Wellness Specialists Grace Diehm, Megan Jensen, Kayley McCain.



Thanks for your incredible support!



Hospital News

GRMC TEAM MEMBERS GIVE BACK

The GRMC Foundation is grateful to the **125 Grinnell team members** who participated in the 2025 Employee Giving Campaign (EGC)! Together, they raised more than \$25,000 in cash and pledges. Team members donated to the following funds: *Delivering Our Future*, Employee Crisis, Compassion, Area of Greatest Need, Laboratory Remodel, Wellness and Hospice. Special thanks go to the GRMC Leadership team who achieved 100% participation in the campaign. *Thanks to all of you for connecting Your Passion with Our Purpose.*



CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

The renovations to GRMC's laboratory are complete! Pictured here are the finished spaces of the check-in area, waiting room, and draw rooms. We are excited about this expanded space for our team to work in as we continue to provide excellent care to our patients.



Admitting Desk



Waiting Room

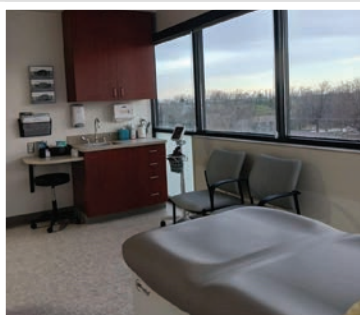


Lab Draw Room

In September 2024, UnityPoint Health - Grinnell began an expansion of the Clinic on the 3rd floor of the Ahrens Medical Arts Building. The north half of the Administration Suite was sectioned off to build five patient examination rooms, a nurses' station and three provider offices. This work was completed in April 2025 and our OBGYN Clinic team is now seeing patients in this new space.



Procedure Room



Examination Room



Examination Room

GRMC RECOGNIZED WITH PERFORMANCE LEADERSHIP AWARD

On November 21, 2024, as part of National Rural Health Day, UnityPoint Health - Grinnell was recognized with a **Performance Leadership Award for Excellence in Outcomes** by The Chartis Center for Rural Health. This recognition is held for the top quartile - 75th percentile or above - among rural hospitals. GRMC was one of four UnityPoint Health affiliated hospitals to be recognized.

National Rural Health Day is an annual observance to bring attention to, and honor the incredible efforts of, rural healthcare providers, communities, organizations, offices of rural health and other stakeholders dedicated to addressing the unique healthcare needs of rural America.



Pictured with the award certificate are, left to right, Laura Juel, Vice President of Nursing and Clinical Services, and David-Paul Cavazos, Rural President.

GRMC EARNS LGBTQ+ HEALTHCARE EQUALITY LEADER DESIGNATION

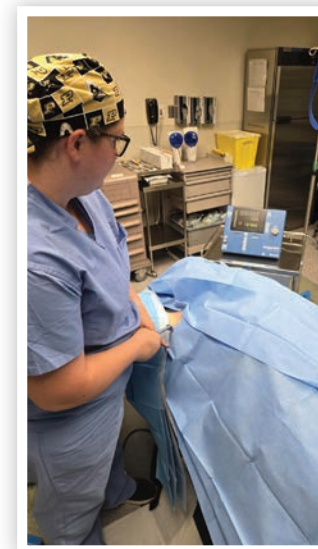
GRMC, Iowa Methodist Medical Center, Iowa Lutheran Hospital, Methodist West Hospital and Blank Children's Hospital were named five of the 384 healthcare facilities nationwide earning the **LGBTQ+ Healthcare Equality Leader** designation from the Human Rights Campaign Foundation (HRC). These designations were awarded in the 16th iteration of HRC's Healthcare Equality Index released on May 7, 2024. **This is the first time GRMC has been recognized by HRC at Leader status.**



BREAST CANCER CARE CLOSE TO HOME

In 2024, the hospital purchased a Neoprobe®. This imaging device is used by surgeons to pinpoint cancerous tissue during surgery to provide patients with a more precise and personalized approach to their breast cancer diagnosis and treatment. By offering this technology locally, patients can receive advanced care close to home, reducing stress and travel burdens.

"We are excited to be able to offer Neoprobe to our patients," says Dr. Anna Mensing, general and breast surgeon at UnityPoint Health - Grinnell General Surgery and Weight Loss Surgery Clinic (pictured at right). "This technology is a game-changer in breast cancer care, and we are committed to providing our community with the most advanced treatment options available."



NEW PROVIDERS



Margot Ducowny,
PMHNP, ARNP
Behavioral Health Clinic



Becca Driscoll, PA
Manatt Walk-In Clinic

GRMC LAUNCHES SELF-CHECK-IN KIOSKS

To make care easier and more efficient for patients, GRMC has rolled out a self-check-in kiosk. The new kiosk is located at the outpatient registration check-in area. The kiosks are intended to be the first stop for all patients who currently use outpatient registration for walk-in or scheduled appointments. Patients who have complex registration needs will be prompted to visit the registration desk and complete their check-in process.

Patients with appointments in departments that don't use outpatient registration, like Rehabilitation Services or Infusion and Chemotherapy, should continue following the same check-in process.



CENTER OF EXCELLENCE GRANT RENEWED

UnityPoint Health - Grinnell received a fourth round of grant funding in 2024 from the Iowa Department of Health and Human Services (previously Iowa Department of Public Health) as a **Center of Excellence in rural maternal health care**. We have been awarded \$215,500 to continue establishing Iowa's framework for access to high quality obstetric services for rural populations.

2024 GREAT IOWA NURSE

Kim Sears, RN, BSN, clinical education specialist and staff development coordinator was named to the prestigious list of 2024 Great Iowa Nurses. This award annually recognizes nurses at healthcare organizations across the state for their outstanding contributions to their patients, team members and the nursing profession. Kim began her career at GRMC in 2001 where she has been influential in the growth and changes that have taken place.



"Kim is a role model for excellences," says Laura Juel, vice president of nursing and clinical services at GRMC. "She goes to medical emergencies and models behaviors and stresses proper expectations. Then, she uses the real-life experiences as training examples. She meets one-on-one with providers and employees to educate and test competencies. Kim models being a team player. Even with her regular duties, she frequently jumps in to help in the Intensive Care Unit, Emergency Department or as House Supervisor."

2024 ROSE AWARD RECIPIENT

Asia Brown began her nursing career in 2012 as a Certified Aesthetic Nurse (CAN). She has worked in long-term care units while specializing in dementia care. She also spent time at a long-term pediatric facility where she helped children with their daily living activities. Asia joined the GRMC team in 2023. An excerpt from her patient nomination reads, "Asia is very attentive and is never short or grumpy. She made me feel special. She also helped my 85-year-old mother by getting her a wheelchair and bringing her to my room. She did this twice! I didn't worry about my mom as I knew Asia would provide excellent care for her just like she did for me. This young woman will go far in her career. Asia ALWAYS took her time and never rushed me. She could ease my mind and truly went above and beyond."



2024 DAISY AWARD RECIPIENTS

Amber Evans, who has been a nurse for the past 19 years, has worked in the Medical/Surgical unit since she began her career at GRMC seven years ago. An excerpt from her patient nomination reads, "Amber was an outstanding nurse! She always came into the room with a positive attitude and gave great care to my mother as her patient. She went above and beyond to provide compassionate care to my mother and all our family. I can't say enough about the great care at UnityPoint Health - Grinnell!"



Morgan Beck, who has been a nurse for the past 10 years, has worked in the Obstetrics department since she began her career at GRMC. An excerpt from her patient nomination reads, "As an OB nurse, you're present during one of the most important times in a patient's life. It can be stressful, uncertain and downright scary! From the moment Morgan stepped into our room, she calmly, yet assertively, led us through the birth of our first child in a way that made us feel like we were getting world-class service in our small-town hospital."



UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY

Early on a damp and chilly Saturday morning in November, the first **Unity in the Community Fun Run/Walk** kicked off. Led by a group of UnityPoint Health - Grinnell employees, the event featured food, music and prizes as participants gathered in Grinnell's Central Park for the start of the 5K run/3K walk. The event brought attention to the importance of movement and having fun for a healthy lifestyle.

"We were thrilled to see so many community members at our first Unity in the Community event," says David-Paul Cavazos, Unity Point Health -Grinnell President. "Our team worked hard to make sure every detail was perfect, and I'm proud of all the work they put into this community wellness event. It was heartwarming to see so many families and friends come together to enjoy an activity that promotes health and well-being. We look forward to continuing to build healthier, stronger communities together in the future".

GRMC thanks the local sponsors, listed here, who made this event possible with their generous support.

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A Groundbreaking Procedure at GRMC Impacts Many Lives

In the fall of 2024, a patient entered GRMC's emergency department with a life-threatening situation necessitating artificial life support. The GRMC care team, in partnership with the Iowa Donor Network and the patient's family, began the work of fulfilling the patient's wishes for organ donation. Usually in these situations, patients are transferred to Des Moines for the organ harvest, but the family wanted the patient to remain in Grinnell.

In a groundbreaking procedure, our team, working closely with the Iowa Donor Network (IDN), ultimately performed the organ harvest here at GRMC – the first time ever at a rural Iowa hospital. The patient's kidneys and liver were flown immediately to three different locations for transplant, resulting in saving three recipients' lives. The heart valves, musculoskeletal tissue and skin tissue were harvested as well, impacting 75 lives.

In a letter from the Iowa Donor Network, chief executive officer Suzanne Conrad, RN, MS, states, "We appreciate the opportunity to work collaboratively with your staff to make donation a reality for the patient and their family."

Staff involved in this process included the following:

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Constance Puckett, RT
Dawn Scanlon, RN, ICU
Kim Sears, RN
Sara Stansberry, RN, ICU
Cody Walker, RN, ICU
Nicky Williams, RN, OR

"Words cannot express how proud I am of our hospital's team members," extols Kim Sears, RN, Clinical Education – Staff Development at GRMC and lead liaison with the Iowa Donor Network. "We are the definition of outside the box thinking. Instead of 'We can't or don't do that here,' we asked, 'Why can't we?' The level of commitment, collaboration, professionalism, determination and support from each other, the IDN and the family was inspiring. Being part of a person's life ending is the hardest part of being in healthcare and this experience was no different. Our hearts ache for the family and friends who lost their loved one. However, we also have joy and a sense of accomplishment knowing that three people were gifted with life!"

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- Be invited to special Foundation events.
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