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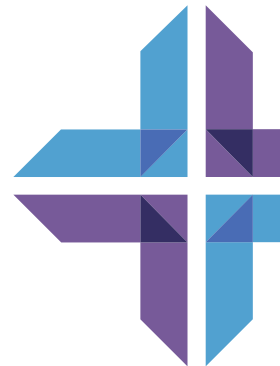
2018 ANNUAL REPORT

HOPE  
*Made Possible By You*









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– Kristy Caradori,  
Executive Director

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# Hope Made Possible By You



*At the close of 2018, the Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System family grew to include the Mary Black Health System, strengthening our commitment to provide exceptional healthcare for Upstate residents.*

## *The acquisition included the:*

- 207-bed Mary Black hospital in Spartanburg – now Spartanburg Medical Center – Mary Black Campus;
- 125-bed facility in Gaffney – now Cherokee Medical Center;
- Mary Black's physician offices and outpatient services.

Spanning four counties in the Upstate, the system now includes six hospital campuses and more than 700 physicians on medical staff.

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System again received national recognition for the exceptional quality work that our doctors, nurses, and associates perform each day to improve health outcomes in the Upstate.

- Pelham Medical Center was recognized by Healthgrades as one of America's 100 Best Hospitals for orthopedic surgery in 2018.
- Spartanburg Medical Center is again first in the state to receive the Chest Pain Center with Primary PCI with Resuscitation Accreditation from the American College of Cardiology in 2018.

Spartanburg Regional will continue to seek ways to improve access to care and to partner with the community to *make healthy happen, together*.

Thank you for your support of our volunteers, associates and physicians.

**Bruce Holstien**

Chief Executive Officer, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System



*Your generosity made hope possible in 2018!*

*It was a historic year for Spartanburg Regional Foundation. With your help, the Foundation gave back more than \$9.88 million to benefit health and wellness.*

## *2018 highlights include:*

- The Foundation committed \$16 million to the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute at Pelham.
- 4,319 donors made gifts totaling \$5.3 million to support health needs.
- Employees of the healthcare system donated \$1.2 million - the fourth consecutive year that employees gave more than \$1 million to Foundation funds.
- 100 percent of every dollar donated went directly to support projects and programs.

Thank you for your support.

With appreciation,

**Kristy Caradori**

Executive Director, Spartanburg Regional Foundation  
Senior Vice President, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System





# MEET OUR 2018 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The community members who make up the Spartanburg Regional Foundation Board of Trustees are committed to the strength of Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System and the overall health of our community.

These volunteers bring diverse talents, perspectives and experiences and generously give their time and energies. They provide strategic vision and ensure proper stewardship of contributions. We are grateful for their leadership and service.



## 2018 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Bill Burton, Chair  
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# Foundation HIGHLIGHTS



**4,319 donors contributed**  
*a total \$5,348,087 in 2018.*



**The Healing Arts program supported**  
*4,054 patients, family members and SRHS associates in 2018.*



**Employee giving in 2018**  
*totaled \$1.2 million.*



**210 meals were delivered**  
*to Spartanburg Regional Hospice patients and their families at Thanksgiving and Easter.*



**500 children in pediatric rehab**  
*received Christmas gifts that supported their therapy goals.*



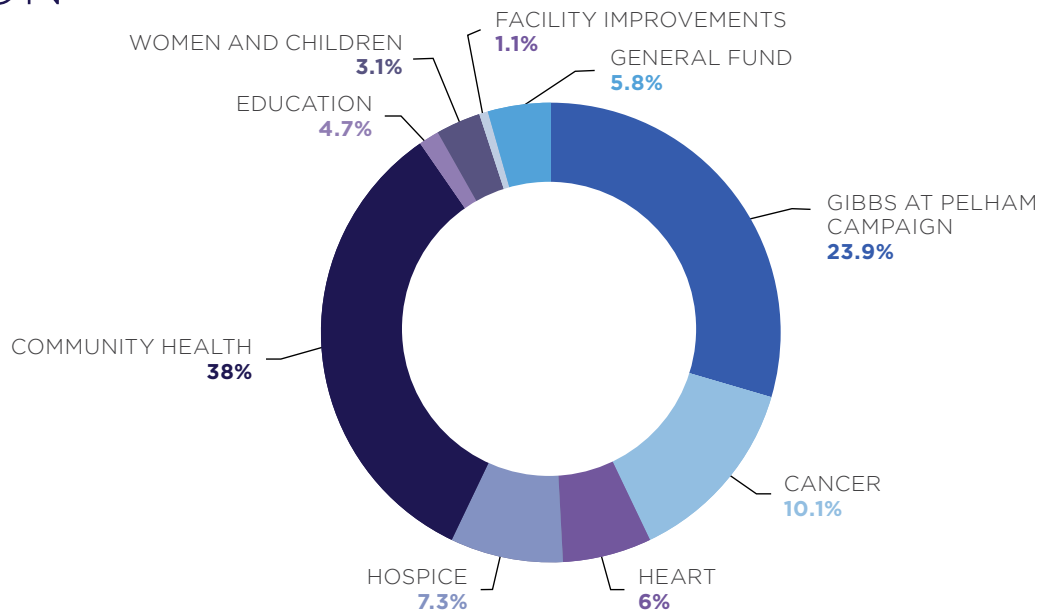
**3,847 screening mammograms took place**  
*on the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health mobile mammography unit.*



# Foundation FINANCIALS

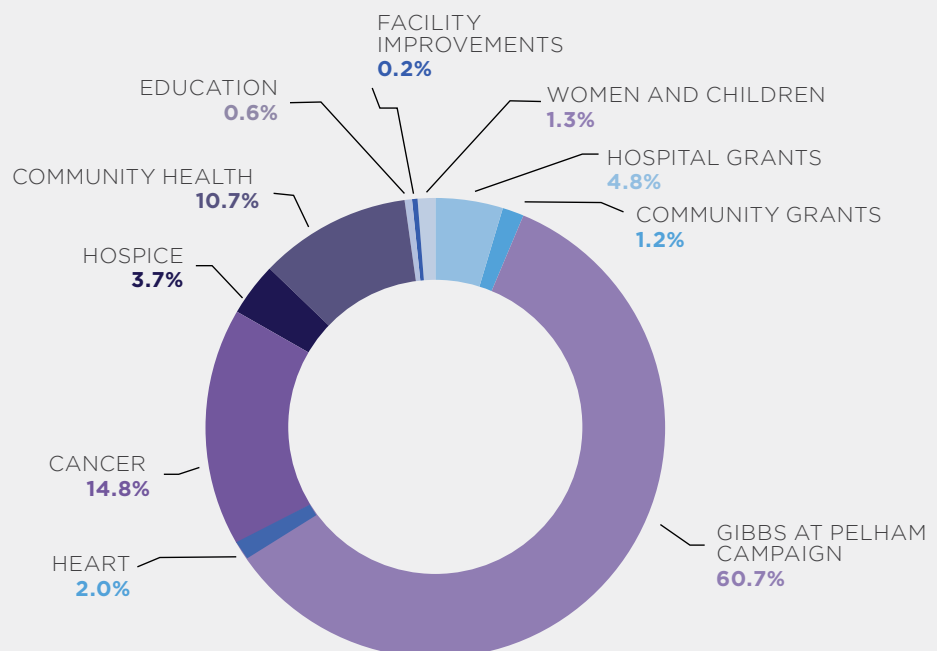
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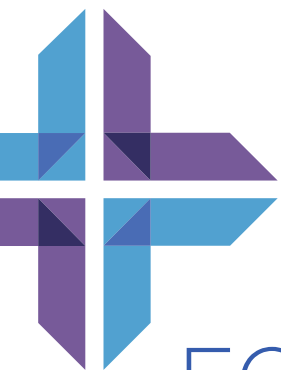
\$5.3 MILLION



## 2018 FOUNDATION INVESTMENTS IN HEALTH

\$9.9 MILLION





# FOCUS ON CULTURE

*Bill Burton*

*“Our community is in a renaissance, and if we continue to do the right things, the ceiling is unlimited. Investing in health care is an important part of our ongoing success.”*

*– Bill Burton*

*Values. Culture. Teamwork.*

*Whether reflecting on his storied career in the restaurant industry or his leadership as chair of the Foundation’s Board of Trustees, Bill Burton comes back time and again to those themes.*

“I enjoy focusing on culture,” Burton said. “Having a team of people who care about each other and want to work together to achieve a goal is important for success. I have been fortunate to be part of that, and I see it in the people involved with the Foundation, from donors and volunteers to staff and administration.”

After graduating from Clemson, Burton began his successful career. He started with Quincy’s Family Steakhouse chain, which was purchased by Spartan Foods. He quickly impressed the company with his work ethic and leadership.

“He was concerned about people,” said Sam Maw, who was a Spartan Foods executive. “Others respected him and looked up to him as a leader.”

Maw encouraged Burton to get involved with the Spartanburg Regional Foundation. Burton was eager to serve.

“As our area grows, health care is an essential part of building for the future,” he said.

One of the earliest causes Burton and his wife, Lynne, supported was construction of the Spartanburg Regional Hospice Home. He was inspired by the late Katie Hodge, who championed the project. In the years since, the Burtons have helped with other efforts, including the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute at Pelham. And, in 2018, Burton became the presenting sponsor of Hangar B through two of his current restaurant partnerships, Willy Taco and FR8yard.

“It has been a pleasure to work with Bill to grow and improve the Foundation,” said Foundation Executive Director Kristy Caradori. “His focus on culture and his appreciation of each member of our team helped set the stage for exceptional performance.”

Burton is proud of the impact of the Foundation and healthcare system.

“Our community is in a renaissance, and if we continue to do the right things, the ceiling is unlimited,” he said. “Investing in health care is an important part of our ongoing success.”





**BILL BURTON**





**MARSHA AND JIMMY  
GIBBS**





# LEADERSHIP & PHILANTHROPY

*Marsha and Jimmy Gibbs*

*“I believe one day we will be able to prevent cancer – and Gibbs Cancer Center will be part of that.”*

*– Jimmy Gibbs*

*Marsha and Jimmy Gibbs feel blessed. They have built a successful international business while giving back to help those in need. The fruits of their generosity can be seen throughout the Upstate – and especially in the area of health care.*

When leaders came together in the mid-1990s to fund the Rose and Walter Montgomery Patient Tower at Spartanburg Medical Center, the Gibbsses were there. It was Spartanburg Regional Foundation’s first major campaign.

And, of course, there’s Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute, which opened in 1999. The couple’s lead gift to the project was inspired by the vision of Julian Josey, MD, and Jay Bearden, MD, who proposed the concept of a comprehensive cancer center.

“Jay and Julian had a dream of being able to provide complete cancer care here, under one roof. Jimmy and I decided that we wanted to be part of that dream,” Marsha said.

When healthcare system leaders looked to expand the cancer center by building a new facility on the Pelham Medical Center campus, the Gibbsses again stepped up to make a lead contribution.

Jimmy expressed excitement that the expansion

will make way for state-of-the-art technology and opportunities for more patients to take part in clinical trials.

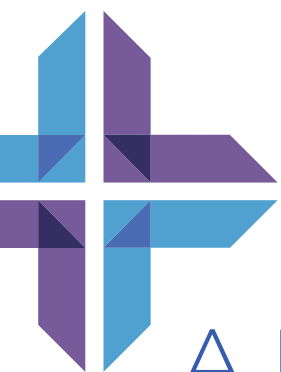
“We’ll be able to do things here that people might assume are only available in larger, nationally known cancer centers.”

Beyond financial gifts, the Gibbsses have supported the healthcare system with their time, energy and expertise. Marsha is a member of the Foundation’s Board of Trustees and serves on the grants and allocations committee. Jimmy is a lifetime member of the Foundation’s Cancer Division Board, and has served for more than 12 years on the Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Board of Trustees.

“Jimmy’s extensive business expertise has been critical as our healthcare system has navigated challenges and opportunities,” said Bruce Holstien, SRHS CEO. “We are fortunate to have his leadership on our board.”

Both Marsha and Jimmy are proud of their work with the healthcare system, the Foundation, and the cancer program.

“Cancer is a scary word,” said Jimmy. “I believe one day we will be able to prevent cancer – and Gibbs Cancer Center will be part of that.”



# A LEGACY CONTINUES

*Betty and Walter Montgomery*

*“Cancer is a prevalent disease in this region, and the idea of helping people in the Upstate not have to leave home if they need extended treatment was important to us.”*

*– Betty Montgomery*

*In many ways, Betty and Walter Montgomery have impacted life in our region for the better.*

Often their efforts have been made quietly – but have had a profound impact. That remains true with their most recent investment – a leadership gift to the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute at Pelham.

“Cancer is a prevalent disease in this region, and the idea of helping people in the Upstate not have to leave home if they need extended treatment was important to us,” Betty said.

Walter said the decision to support Gibbs grew out of his family’s longstanding commitment to community health. As leader of Spartan Mills, he understood – as had his father and grandfather before him – that a strong healthcare system is vital for both the local economy and residents in need.

“We were concerned about the health of our associates, and supporting the medical community was an important part of our thinking,” he said.

The Montgomery family was recognized in 1994 with the opening of the Rose and Walter Montgomery Patient Tower on the campus of

Spartanburg Medical Center, located at East Wood Street. That was three years after the inception of the Spartanburg Regional Foundation, which the family has actively supported.

Betty will serve as chair of the Cancer Division Board in 2019. The couple’s daughter-in-law, Brelan, volunteers her time on the Heart Division Board. And their son Scott led the Foundation’s Board of Trustees as chair in 2017.

Scott credits his parents with instilling a commitment to giving back – and focusing locally.

“They always wanted to support causes in our community,” he said. “Their giving is intentional but quiet.”

In supporting the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute, Walter shifts the spotlight to others, explaining that the leadership of Julian Josey, MD, and Jay Bearden, MD, inspired them to make a gift.

“They have been involved in moving things forward in cancer treatment,” Walter said. “It’s impressive, and we are excited about what lies ahead.”





**BETTY AND WALTER  
MONTGOMERY**



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**SYLVIA JAMISON**





# GIVING BACK FOR OTHERS

*Sylvia Jamison*

*“Her donations are a reflection of the kind of colleague she is – engaged, supportive and always willing to go the extra mile. We are lucky to have her as part of the Foundation family.”*

*– Shelly Sinclair,  
Director of Philanthropy*

*In her 22 years of service on the pathology lab team, Sylvia Jamison has been known for her professionalism, collegiality and willingness to give back.*

Jamison has been a consistent donor to the hospital's employee campaign.

“I like helping people. There are people who are a lot less fortunate than I am, and it's great anytime you can help,” she said.

Jamison is a transcriptionist in the pathology lab. She records the observations of physicians and pathology assistants who examine tissue removed during surgery. This can include gallbladder or appendix tissue, or a biopsy test for cancer.

“It's a very interesting job, and I enjoy it,” said Jamison.

And she knows the work is essential.

“Patients and their caregivers count on what we provide them so they'll know what the best treatment options are,” she said.

Jamison gives from the heart. She often supports cancer screening funds because her

grandmother fought breast cancer. She also gives to other funds, including hospice.

“Sylvia exemplifies the very spirit of concern for others,” said Foundation Director of Philanthropy Shelly Sinclair, who heads up the annual employee campaign. “She is dedicated to her work and to making a difference in the lives of our patients and the community. She has donated to the Foundation for more than two decades. Her donations are a reflection of the kind of colleague she is – engaged, supportive and always willing to go the extra mile. We are lucky to have her as part of the Foundation family.”

In addition to making donations, Jamison has been a regular volunteer at events. She enjoys helping out at Hangar B for Heart – seeing friends from work, hearing live music, and supporting a good cause.

While the healthcare system has helped shape her life, she has helped impact the lives of others through her work and her generosity.

“There are a lot of people out there who are in need, and supporting the Foundation is a way to make a difference,” she said.



# PATIENT CHAMPION

*Nalin Srivastava, MD*

*“Health is the most important thing, and I wanted to be involved in helping people.”*

*– Nalin Srivastava, MD*

*Growing up, Nalin Srivastava, MD, wanted to follow in the footsteps of his father, a research scientist. But after his father had a heart attack, his perspective changed. He knew he wanted to work directly with patients.*

“It was a formative life experience,” he said. “Health is the most important thing, and I wanted to be involved in helping people.”

Srivastava went on to become a cardiologist and a physician leader. In addition to his work with patients, he has served as a hospital board member and is chair of the board of the Spartanburg Hospital for Restorative Care.

He also shares his time and talents on the board of Apella Health, the non-profit entity that manages Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System. He believes his perspective as a physician is important.

“Every issue we discuss, I ask, ‘How is this going to affect patients in need?’” said Dr. Srivastava.

At the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center, Dr. Srivastava serves as director of the catheter lab.

He has been instrumental in bringing cutting-edge treatments, such as transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR), to our community.

Dr. Srivastava recalled that his father had to travel for treatment.

“I have a motivation to help our system provide as many services as possible so that families don’t have to leave home for care,” he said.

He appreciates the part the Foundation plays in supporting care for community members in need, and he’s proud to be a donor.

“The Foundation is so important – it’s one of the reasons we are able to stay out front and offer a world-class experience here at home,” he said.

And for Srivastava, the mission is personal.

“It’s a privilege to do what we do – helping people,” he said. “You’re taking care of someone’s loved one. It’s humbling.”





**NALIN SRIVASTAVA, MD**





## CRITICAL CARE PAVILION







# A NEW RESOURCE FOR PATIENTS

## *Foundation Celebrates New Pavilion*

*“From the waiting area to the patient rooms, every detail was dedicated to the comfort and care of the patients and their families.”*

*– Phil Feisal,  
President, Spartanburg Medical Center*

*For more than 10 years, three floors of empty space waited above Spartanburg Medical Center’s busy emergency center. They were designed and built with the future in mind.*

That future is now. In April 2018, the new Critical Care Pavilion opened to serve patients. The 110,000-square-foot space houses 68 state-of-the-art intensive care and medical-surgical rooms that allow for an excellent patient and family experience, along with the best care delivery and technology available.

“From the waiting area to the patient rooms, every detail was dedicated to the comfort and care of the patients and their families,” said Spartanburg Medical Center President Phil Feisal.

A month before the opening of the Pavilion, the Foundation celebrated by hosting a Society of 1921 donor appreciation event in the space, complete with staff-guided tours.

“We were proud to showcase this new resource,” said Kristy Caradori, executive

director of the Foundation. “Foundation donors are important to the success of the healthcare system, and they appreciated seeing the Pavilion up close before it opened.”

Stu Reynolds, MD, a medical intensivist, believes the Pavilion represents a major upgrade for patients and caregivers.

“Now, we have consolidated ICU patients into one area,” said Dr. Reynolds. “This allows us to improve work processes and, most importantly, support the delivery of the best critical care possible.”

The new intensive care rooms are larger and provide ample space for needed technology as well as family visitors. Charting stations are positioned outside of every room so nurses can stay close to the patients. The atrium space, with large windows and beautiful views, serves as an additional gathering place for family and friends.

“Nothing comes close to this,” Dr. Reynolds said. “This expansion is fantastic.”



## WHAT THEY ARE SAYING

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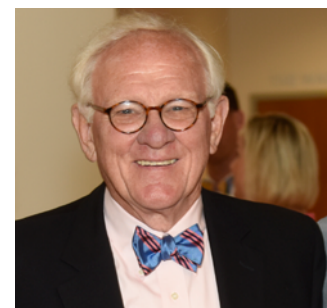
In more than 25 years of working with our healthcare system, I have seen the Foundation lend key support to many, many important causes – everything from helping patients afford medicines they need, to providing grants that support innovation and technology, to major capital projects. And, now, with its investment in the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute, the Foundation has solidified its impact on cancer care for many years to come.

*David Church, SRHS VP of Oncology & Support Services*



Employees have been such strong supporters of the Foundation, and that makes me proud. I believe that the late Zerno Martin, who was so beloved as a hospital administrator, was instrumental in helping staff members to see that if we all gave what we could, it would really benefit our whole system. And employees continue to be among the Foundation's most generous donors.

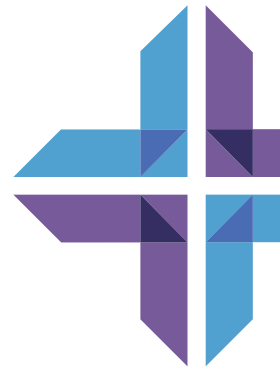
*Anita Butler, SRHS Post-Acute Division President*



Having previously served on the Foundation board in the 1990s, the growth that I have seen, thanks to the exceptional generosity of this community, has truly been phenomenal. The role the Foundation now plays in improving the health of all of us, with over \$9.8 million in investments in 2018, is beyond anything that I would have imagined. We should all be very proud of how far we have come, a great incentive to continue our efforts.

*Dr. John Harrill, Foundation Board Vice-Chair*

# MAKING AN IMPACT ON HEALTH



*Record-breaking \$9.9 million given back in 2018*

*\$9.9 million. That's how much Spartanburg Regional Foundation invested in our healthcare system and community during 2018. It was the Foundation's biggest year since its founding in 1991.*

A large portion of the 2018 disbursement supported the expansion of Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute. Other significant program areas receiving funds included patient support, breast health, hospice, heart and pediatrics.

"The fact that the Foundation was able to contribute nearly \$10 million to strengthen our health system and expand services is a testament to the generous spirit of our community," said Kristy Caradori, executive director. "It is also a credit to the many leaders who have shared their time, vision, and considerable talent to ensure our success."



At the outset, the Foundation's goal was to be a respected volunteer board creating programs to assist all in our hospital service area. We wanted funds to help service the families of our sick and indigent community members. Charitable giving has enabled the Foundation to grow through the years, and to have been able to give back \$9.8 million in 2018 is just tremendous.

*Ellen Gramling, Foundation Hospice Board Member*



When each of us becomes a patient, our six hospitals become precious treasures. The Spartanburg Regional Foundation is the system's most cherished ally. Why? Because the Foundation supports the heart, soul, balance sheet, and special projects of our most important mission – the reduction of misery.

*Dr. Bill James, SRHS Board Vice-Chair*



Since its inception, the Foundation has been a major contributor to the healthcare system and to community health. Over time, it has become better integrated into the overall strategy and direction of healthcare system and is now making truly major contributions. All this is very important, and we need the Foundation to continue to grow as we take on future needs.

*Rob Gregory, Apella Health Management Chair*



We have a fabulous healthcare system, and it's wonderful to have a Foundation to support it and to help celebrate our successes in the hospital and the community. One of my roles is to collaborate with the Foundation to coordinate nursing scholarships, and I have seen their impact on hundreds of nurses' careers. It's just one of the many areas where the Foundation makes an important difference for caregivers and the patients they serve.

*Betty Warlick, SRHS Director of Corporate Ed, Diversity and Language; Foundation Board Member*





Beverly Lowery, cancer survivor.

## 2018 CANCER DIVISION

### *Board Members*



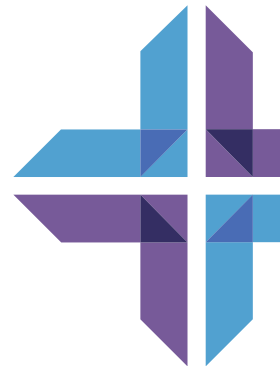
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# CANCER DIVISION



## *Survivorship Fund promotes long-term wellness*

With a focus on promoting nutrition, exercise and holistic health, the Survivorship Program at Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute provides key support for patients after they have completed treatment.

"It's a blessing," said Beverly Lowery, who had surgery in September following a diagnosis of breast cancer.

She meets with a weight loss support group each Monday evening. Participants learn ways to improve their diet and engage in light

exercise – and they provide one another with encouragement and a sense of togetherness.

"Everybody in the class has been through some of the same things, so having one another's support is important," Lowery said.

The Survivorship Program receives support from the Foundation, and Lowery is grateful. She feels healthier since joining the class.

"I wouldn't have done it without the support," she said.

## AN UPLIFTING EVENT

More than 600 community members gathered in October to support the fight against breast cancer. Attendees at An Uplifting Event heard stories of hope and courage, and learned how the Bearden-Josey Center for Breast Health's

mobile mammography program makes screening possible for women in need. Net proceeds from the luncheon topped more than \$132,000 and will support the purchase of a second mobile mammography unit.







# HEART DIVISION

## *Renovated Odyssey Classroom enhances training for cardiac nurses*

Education for caregivers is an ongoing priority throughout Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System. And with funding from the Harry M. Leyland Memorial Fund, the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center recently renovated the Odyssey Classroom, which is a space for newly hired nurses and other staff to receive up-to-date instruction in a state-of-the-art setting.

"We have always prided ourselves on being the best we can be and providing cutting-

edge care, so it's important to have a space where new employees can learn," said Meredith Fortner, director of inpatient cardiology.

Making investments in training is one of the reasons that the Heart Center has received numerous national honors in recent years.

"We invest in nurses so they'll feel that they can be invested in Spartanburg Regional," said Heart Center nurse educator Melany Boyd.

## Hangar B for Heart

A crowd of roughly 1,400 was on hand for the 2018 Hangar B for Heart. Held at the Spartanburg Downtown Memorial Airport, the event featured music by the acclaimed band Party on the Moon, as well as a buffet provided by presenting sponsors Willy Taco and FR8yard. Hangar B netted nearly \$140,000 to support the Spartanburg Regional Heart Center.







## 2018 HEART DIVISION *Board Members*

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## 2018 HOSPICE DIVISION *Board Members*

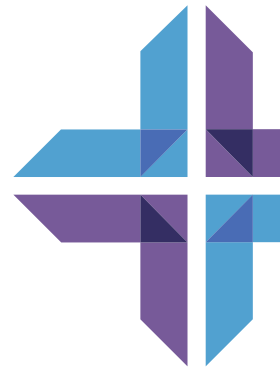
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# HOSPICE DIVISION



## *Memory Bears support grieving process*

Spartanburg Regional Hospice provides a robust program of bereavement services that includes counseling sessions, support groups, and events supported by the Hospice Special Needs Fund.

In May, hospice staff hosted a Memory Bears workshop – a hands-on program for families to create a one-of-a-kind keepsake. Participants brought an article of clothing that was a favorite of their loved one. Volunteers with the Piedmont Piecers Quilting Guild created

teddy bears or pillows from the fabric, and family members selected buttons, ribbons and other embellishments.

Volunteer quilter Eileen Andreassen understands how meaningful this program can be for families. After her husband Ed's passing, her niece took several items of his clothing to have teddy bears made for Eileen and her two grandchildren.

"I love it. Every time I see it, I think of him," Andreassen said.

## HOPE BLOOMS FOR HOSPICE

More than 500 community members gathered in April for the annual Hope Blooms for Hospice luncheon at the Spartanburg Marriott. Attendees heard powerful stories about patients and families and gained new perspectives on the Spartanburg Regional Hospice caregivers. The event netted more than \$98,000 to support Spartanburg Regional Foundation's Hospice Special Needs Fund.







# NEW COURTYARD MADE POSSIBLE BY 2018 GRANT

*Visitors to Spartanburg Medical Center have enjoyed a new outdoor space made possible by a \$150,000 grant from Spartanburg Regional Foundation. The new courtyard is located in a high-traffic area with convenient access from the surgical waiting area, the chapel, Gibbs Cancer Center & Research Institute and the Heart Center.*

“The space is intended to provide a safe and relaxing outdoor environment for staff and visitors alike,” said Amy Baruch, MD, who helped conceive the project and authored the grant proposal.

Dr. Baruch is excited about the health advantages the space will support. She believes it will be a good place for patients who have the mobility to get outside, visitors and employees.

“The health benefits of spending time outside are numerous, including relieving stress, lowering heart rate and blood pressure,

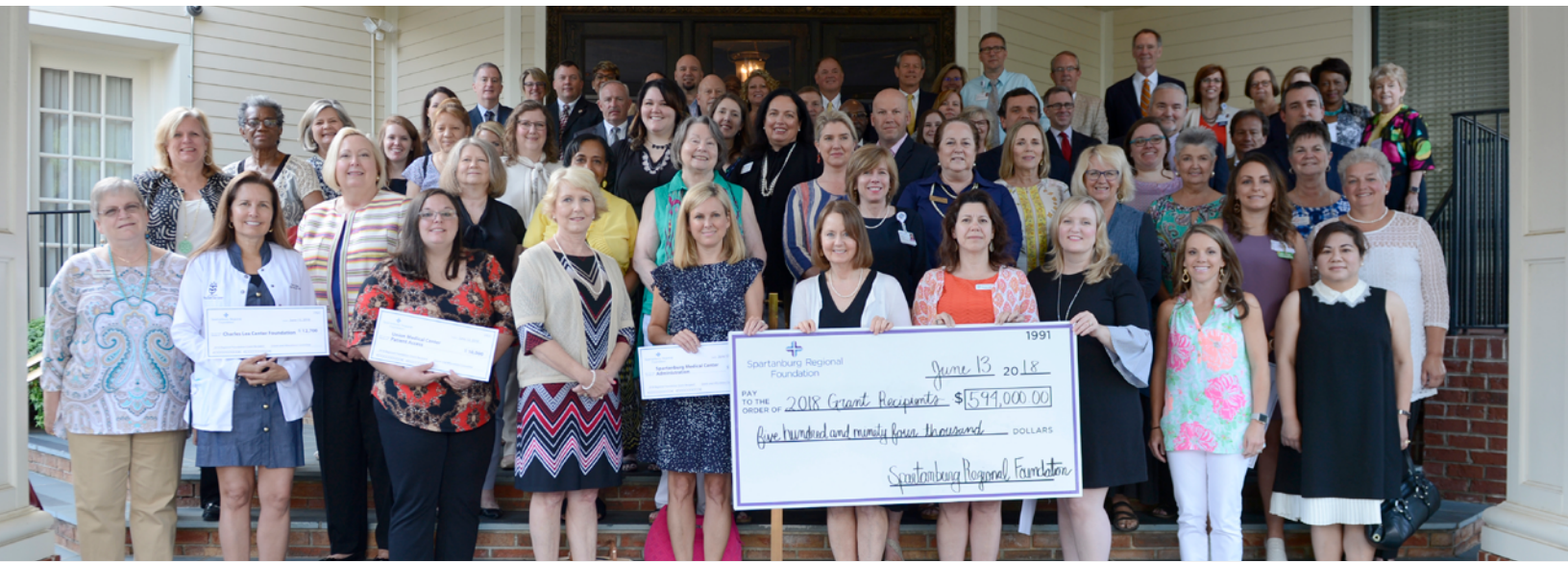
boosting mood, improving memory and concentration, and increasing vitamin D production,” she said.

The space can also improve the whole hospital experience for patients and visitors.

“Seeing a beautiful and clean space can significantly lessen the anxiety a patient or visitor feels about being in a hospital,” Dr. Baruch said.



# 2018 GRANTS



Spartanburg Regional Foundation supports community health and wellness in the Upstate by awarding grants to local non-profit organizations and departments within Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System. Following a rigorous review process, the Foundation Board of Trustees approved funding for 32 grants totaling \$594,000.

AccessHealth Spartanburg	\$20,496	Spartanburg Medical Center Language Services	\$12,500
Charles Lea Center Foundation	\$12,700	Spartanburg Medical Center Medical Education	\$10,800
Cherokee County Meals on Wheels	\$5,000	Spartanburg Medical Center NICU	\$17,592
Children's Cancer Partners of the Carolinas	\$5,000	Spartanburg Medical Center Project SEARCH	\$6,000
Divinity Care	\$5,000	Spartanburg Medical Center Rehabilitation Services	\$3,706
EMERGE Family Therapy	\$5,000	Spartanburg Medical Center Safe Kids	\$20,000
FAVOR Spartanburg	\$2,800	Spartanburg Regional Healthcare Services Administration	\$40,000
Healthy Smiles of Spartanburg, Inc.	\$10,000	Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Center for Family Medicine	\$58,800
Hope Remains Youth Ranch	\$3,000	Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Security	\$12,500
Middle Tyger Community Center	\$4,800	Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System Speech Language Pathology	\$42,100
Mobile Meal Service of Spartanburg County, Inc.	\$1,705	The Family Effect	\$4,000
Project HOPE Foundation	\$10,000	TOTAL Ministries	\$3,000
St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic	\$14,295	Union County Detention Center	\$15,000
SC School for the Deaf and the Blind Foundation	\$12,500	Union Medical Center Patient Access	\$10,000
Spartanburg EMS	\$15,800		
Spartanburg Lions Club	\$5,000		
Spartanburg Medical Center Administration	\$150,000		
Spartanburg Medical Center Emergency Center	\$54,906		





Welcome

# TO THE FAMILY

*For almost a century, two hospitals have operated in our community, bonded by a common mission – to provide the best health care for the people of Spartanburg.*

Today, that mission is the same, but the bond is stronger. In December, Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System acquired Mary Black Health System.

The histories of these two systems started long before they opened in the 1920s – Spartanburg General Hospital in 1921, Mary Black Memorial Hospital in 1925.

Spartanburg Hospital, Inc., opened in 1907 thanks in part to the efforts of Dr. Hugh Ratchford Black, known as an early pioneer surgeon in the area. Spartanburg Hospital was one of five hospitals that were sold in 1920-1921, with the proceeds given to open the city's first public hospital.

Dr. Black actively campaigned for and supported the new hospital. When Spartanburg General Hospital opened on Aug. 29, 1921, he performed the first surgery there – on his son, Paul Black. Dr. Black and sons, Drs. Samuel Orr Black and Hugh Snoddy Black, opened Mary Black hospital in 1925. They named the facility after their mother, Mary Black.

The original facility resided at 1925 East Main Street but moved to its present location in 1968.

Both hospitals have grown into healthcare providers that serve the Upstate of South Carolina.

Once the sale closed, efforts turned to the transition. Mary Black-Gaffney was renamed Cherokee Medical Center, while the Spartanburg property became the second location for Spartanburg Medical Center – Mary Black Campus.

“This acquisition brings two companies with a long history together,” Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System CEO Bruce Holstien said.

“We are looking to honor history. The Mary Black name will always have a place with us.”



# SRHS HIGHLIGHTS

## America's 100 Best Hospitals

*Pelham Medical Center was recognized by Healthgrades as one of America's 100 Best Hospitals for orthopaedic surgery in 2018.*



## Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Accreditation

*Spartanburg Medical Center was re-accredited as a Comprehensive Center by the Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery Accreditation and Quality Improvement Program in 2018.*



## Advisory Board Workplace of the Year

*Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System was recognized by the Advisory Board as the Workplace of the Year of 2018.*



## Chest Pain Center with Primary PCI with Resuscitation

*In 2018, Spartanburg Medical Center is again first in the state to receive the Chest Pain Center with Primary PCI with Resuscitation Accreditation from the American College of Cardiology.*



## U.S. News & World Report Best Nursing Homes

*Spartanburg Hospital for Restorative Care was named one of U.S. News & World Report's Best Nursing Homes in 2017-18 and 2018-19.*



## Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF)

*Spartanburg Medical Center — Mary Black Campus has been an accredited center for rehabilitation by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF) for the past 27 years.*



## Modern Healthcare Best Places to Work

*Pelham Medical Center was chosen by Modern Healthcare as one of the 100 companies and organizations named The Best Places to Work in Healthcare for 2016, 2017 and 2018.*





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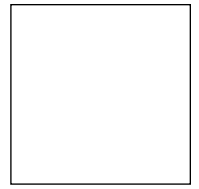
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