

## Your support matters

### Providence Community Health Foundation – Southern Oregon

The Providence Community Health Foundation connects generous donors with Providence Medford Medical Center to advance health and wellness in our community and care for the poor and vulnerable in southern Oregon. We are the bridge between you and compassionate Providence caregivers working every day to save and improve peoples' lives.

Our donors help bring high-quality care and up-to-date technology to southern Oregon residents. Donors advance programs that rely on philanthropy, programs that require only seed money, and programs that thrive because of the margin of excellence their gifts provide.



Our donors have provided substantial support for Oregon's first Center of Excellence in Robotic Surgery, bringing patients surgery that is less invasive and less painful, with fewer complications and faster recoveries. Donors to our breast center provide patients with services to help them through their cancer journey and purchased equipment making breast surgery faster and more comfortable and accurate. BirthPlace contributors purchased equipment ensuring that babies born at Providence Medford get a strong start in life. Most recently, donors provided support for temporary housing for Providence caregivers who lost their homes to wildfires.

### How you can help now

Today, the health care needs of southern Oregon continue to grow and change. More people have difficulty accessing care because they are homeless, experience behavioral health challenges or simply lack resources. **They need your support more than ever before.** Areas where your gift can make a difference include:

- **Project Turnkey:** Help unhoused patients discharged from Providence Medford recuperate quickly, safely and with dignity in a clean environment and provide a path toward a more stable future by renovating four dedicated rooms. Funds will also help support medical care for patients while staying in one of the rooms.

- **Providence Healthy Start:** Ensure that babies born at Providence Medford thrive by helping low-income mothers attend medical appointments and, if needed, connect them to transportation, addiction counseling, smoking cessation classes, housing and other resources.
- **Cancer support services:** Provide extra supports and resources to cancer patients to help them overcome the fear, emotions and confusion that come with a cancer diagnosis.
- **Swindells Resource Center:** Support parents and caregivers of children who have special health, behavioral or developmental needs with free workshops and classes, a resource library and help coordinating records of complex medical care. Help ensure children of all abilities develop their full potential.
- **Caregiver education:** Ensure that our patients continue to receive care from a dedicated team of compassionate and well-trained caregivers by partnering with Providence to provide scholarships for health care degree and certificate programs.
- **Mother Gamelin Fund:** Help low-income patients with shelter, medications, and transportation to and from medical appointments.

## Contact Us

For more information about how you can advance the health and wellness of our community, please contact Arlene Wedsted at 541-732-5193 or [Arlene.Wedsted@providence.org](mailto:Arlene.Wedsted@providence.org).

## Providence Oregon

Providence Medford Medical Center is part of Providence Oregon, a not-for-profit network of hospitals and centers, health plans, physicians, clinics, home health services, and affiliated services operating throughout Oregon. Our caregivers pledge to care for all people who come for services and seek out the unmet needs of those who lack essentials. In total, we serve more than one million people in Oregon and southwest Washington.

### OUR MISSION

As expressions of God's healing love, witnessed through the ministry of Jesus, we are steadfast in serving all, especially those who are poor and vulnerable.

### OUR VALUES

Compassion, Dignity, Justice, Excellence, Integrity

Inspiring Generosity ♥

