Your Support Matters
Providence St. Vincent Medical Foundation

Providence St. Vincent Medical Foundation connects generous donors with Providence St. Vincent Medical Center to promote health and wellness in our community, care for the poor and vulnerable, and advance medical research with international impact. We are the bridge between you and Providence caregivers and researchers working every day to save and improve peoples’ lives.

Our donors advance outstanding care, ensure a great patient experience and help to attract top-of-class physicians to one of the nation’s 50 Best Hospitals. In recent years donors have propelled the emergence of the Providence Heart Institute as one of the nation’s Top 100 Cardiac Care programs. They have advanced neonatal, orthopedic, and brain and spine research. They have endowed one of the very few health care ethics programs in the country providing direct ethics consultation in clinical situations. They have purchased state-of-the-art equipment and helped to expand the hospital’s intensive care unit just in time to accommodate Covid-19 patients. They have paid the non-medical expenses of low-income cancer patients and provided meals to vulnerable seniors discharged from our hospital.

How you can help
Today, the health care needs of our community and world continue to grow and change. Your support is needed more than ever before. Here are some areas where your help is needed now.

- **Multiple Sclerosis/COVID-19 research**: Complete urgent research on the effectiveness and safety of Covid-19 vaccines for MS patients receiving medications that suppress or modulate the immune system.

- **EXAC-TRAC image-guided radiotherapy**: Purchase technology to improve the accuracy of radiation treatments for cancer patients, dramatically reducing the time and number of sessions needed for treatment.

- **Cardiac Prevention + Wellness**: Provide patients and community members innovative and no-cost heart disease prevention and wellness programs.
- **Children’s health research**: Boost children’s health through research on brain development, nourishment of premature infants and reducing maternity mortality.

- **Cardiovascular Analytics Research & Data Science**: Improve clinical treatments and advance equity in care for heart patients by supporting research using data gleaned from millions of procedures and clinic visits.

- **Mother Gamelin charity care**: Help low-income patients with shelter, medications, and transportation to and from medical appointments.

- **Caregiver education**: Ensure that Providence patients continue to receive care from compassionate and well-trained caregivers by providing professional development opportunities and scholarships for health care degree and certificate programs.

- **Swindells Resource Center**: Help special needs children develop their full potential by providing their families free workshops and classes, a resource library and help coordinating records of complex medical care.

- **Senior health**: Prevent falls and reduce social isolation among Spanish-speaking seniors by training volunteers to lead evidence-based exercise classes improving balance, strength and cardio.

For more information about how you can advance the health and wellness of our community, please contact Kevin Finn at 503-216-2226 or Kevin.Finn@providence.org.

**Providence Oregon**
Providence St. Vincent 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 throughout 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