

YOUR IMPACT - SUMMER

Message from the Board Chair, Greg Scott

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we thank all Hospital Foundation donors for their generosity and commitment to improving healthcare in Central Vancouver Island. With your support, the Hospital Foundation continues to make a significant impact for our community.

We are excited about current and upcoming major projects that are providing more care and services close to home.

The Board of Directors would also like to thank the Hospital Foundation staff for their leadership.

Message from the CEO, Janice Perrino

The Nanaimo & District Hospital Foundation is proud to be a partner in helping to bring the best healthcare possible to our Central Island communities.

As our population continues to grow, the strain on the system increases with it. This past year, together with the support of our donors, the Hospital Foundation has provided funding for vital projects that increase capacity and help reduce wait times.

Thank you to all of our donors who are investing in the health of our community now and for generations to come.

\$3.8 Million for Healthcare in Our Community

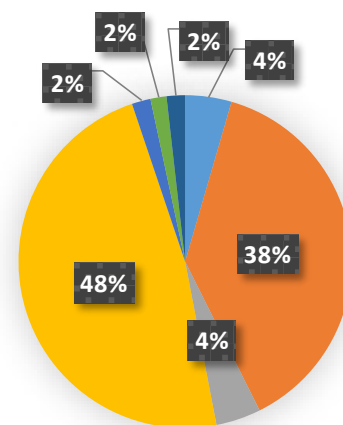


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Due to the generosity of our many donors, the Nanaimo & District Hospital Foundation was able to commit over \$3.8 million in funding to Nanaimo Regional General Hospital and the other care facilities it supports in the last fiscal year! The donations help fund medical equipment, patient comfort items, staff education and large projects such as the \$1.8 million expansion of cardiac care and services.

Thank you to all of our donors!

Funding by Donor Group



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- Foundations
- Individual Donors
- Service Organizations
- Community Fundraising
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By the Numbers: NRGH

Each year, Nanaimo Regional General Hospital sees an increasing number of patients. Your support impacted thousands of patients in 2018!



- **1,250 babies** were born - 50 more than 2017
- **69,000 Emergency patients** were helped - 4,000 more than 2017
- **17,000 patients** were admitted for care - 1,000 more than 2017
- **11,000 MRI's** and **26,000 CT Scans** 2,000 and 4,000 more respectively than 2017
- **4,800 in-patient surgeries** - 400 more than 2017
- **9,000 daycare surgeries** - 500 more than 2017
- **1,000 hip and knee replacements** - 200 more than 2017



Funding Highlights

Here are some of the projects, medical equipment, patient comfort items and education the Hospital Foundation supported over the past year:



Medical Equipment:

- \$1.8 million cardiac department expansion
- Echocardiograph Ultrasound Units
- ICU bedside patient monitors
- O.R. Teaching Mannequin
- Washer and Dryer for the NICU
- Bladder Scanner
- Rhinoscopes
- Breast Pumps
- Freezers for the Milk Bank
- Rehabilitation Sit to Stand Lift



Patient Comfort:

- Couches for care facility patients
- Mural for Medical Imaging
- Toys and Teddy Bears for children receiving medical care

Staff Education:

- Paediatric Emergency First Aid
- Psychosocial Care of the Dying and Bereaved
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support



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