



HILO MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION®

Mission

"To support the Hilo Medical Center with projects that benefit the greater community."

2014-2015 ANNUAL REPORT | Celebrating 20 Years of Improving Healthcare in East Hawaii

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Mahalo for Supporting the Family Medicine Residency



First row, l-r: Dr. Natalie Kehau Kong, faculty, Dr. Karen Ann Rayos, in-coming resident, Sen. Lorraine Inouye, Dr. Kaohimanu Dang Akiona, 2nd year resident, Dr. Kristine McCoy, residency director, and Carol Galper, residency administrator. Back row, l-r: Lisa Rantz, Executive Director of the Hilo Medical Center Foundation, Dr. Will Chapple, in-coming resident, and Dr. Gaku Yamaguchi, in-coming resident. Missing: Dr. Tuy-Ngoc "Unity" Nguyen, in-coming resident.

The 2014-15 legislative session brought good news for the Hawaii Health System Corporation Primary Care Training Program (HHSC PCTP). Support and testimony from concerned citizens resulted in

the HHSC PCTP becoming a recurring line-item in the Governor's budget.

Thank you to our community members,

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Be A Lifesaver Hawai'i

The Foundation, with the EMS Bureau of the Hawai'i County Fire Department, has launched a new program: *Be a Lifesaver Hawai'i*. *Be a Lifesaver* will raise awareness surrounding sudden cardiac arrest, stress the importance of learning chest-compression-only CPR, and place Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) in high-risk public locations island wide.

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Shane Howell, spectator and lifesaver, with Jerome Kanuha, paddler and sudden cardiac arrest survivor during reunion in March 2015



Meet Lisa Rantz New Executive Director

I want to take this opportunity to thank the Hilo Medical Center Foundation Board,

East Hawaii Regional Board, Hilo Medical Center Staff, and the local community for the warm welcome I have received since taking on the position of Executive Director. I come to the Foundation after many years of working with

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20 Years of Supporting East Hawai'i's Medical Needs

Hilo Medical Center Foundation Celebrates 20 Years of Service!

Your gifts to the Hilo Medical Center Foundation have continued to provide the resources that made an immediate impact on services at Hilo Medical Center over the past 20 years. A few highlights are:

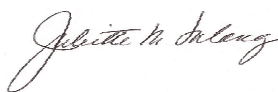
- An upgraded Emergency Department
- The Yukio Okutsu State Veterans Home
- Two transport vans; one for Long Term Care and one for Acute Care
- Repair of River Cottage for rotating medical students
- Adopt-A-Room project for the Medical Unit
- The Primary Care Training Program

Mahalo, to the many devoted volunteers who dreamt the idea of a foundation and made it happen for the good of the hospital and our community. Your contributions of time and treasury have helped Hilo Medical Center to be that "safety net" hospital for East Hawaii. Thanks to you, the team of caregivers at Hilo Medical Center have touched the lives of thousands – whether they faced an urgent need, a devastating disease or sought to improve their quality of life.

As we head into uncertain economic times, the Hilo Medical Center Foundation will count on your support – now more than ever in our effort to support more projects at the hospital that benefit the patients and caregivers. Your commitment to "buy local" health care services has and will continue to be the mainstay of the hospital. Hilo Medical Center is your community hospital and exists to serve you and your loved ones – to provide hope, healing and recovery.

Your gift is extremely important to Hilo Medical Center Foundation because it provides resources – that will help us through these interesting – and tough – times.

Warmest Aloha,



Julie Tulang
President



ABOUT US

Founded in 1995, the Hilo Medical Center Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. The Foundation provides an avenue for the donation of money, stocks, equipment, personal property, time, services, and other assets for the support of the Hilo Medical Center. Donations to the Foundation help to enhance the healthcare services in our community and are tax-deductible.

Hilo Medical Center has a need for charitable funds to support special projects and activities that are specific to the residents of East Hawaii. Such projects and activities are generally outside the scope of the hospital's normal operating and capital budgets. The Hilo Medical Center Foundation supports the hospital and community by:

- ◆ Encouraging community philanthropy, to purchase equipment, construct, and renovate facilities.
- ◆ Improving our community hospital in ways that benefit both the hospital and our community.
- ◆ Assisting and partnering with the community outreach programs focused on wellness for our hospital.

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non-profits in the field of education where I developed and implemented successful after school and intervention programs for underserved youth and their families. I look forward to the new challenges that working in the healthcare field provides.

I look forward to working closely with the community and staff of Hilo Medical Center as we continue to address the local health care needs of East Hawai'i.

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local and neighbor-island legislators, and Governor Ige for supporting this important program.

The Primary Care Training Program uses a Patient-Centered Medical Home Delivery Model. This means the program not only develops family physicians, but also health psychologists, clinical pharmacists, and nurse practitioners who will work together as a primary care team to treat the patient and provide the best preventative care possible.

The HHSC PCTP is off to a great start. The inaugural group of four residents completed the first year of the three-year program, while four more residents began the program on June 29, 2015.



Pictured above are the first class of resident doctors in the PCTP from left to right: Dr. Svetlana Shchedrina, Dr. Seren Tokumura, Dr. Hamed Ahmadinia and Dr. Kaohimanu Dang Akiona.

Lifesaver (cont. front page)



Pictured at left is the first donation of an AED device by Hawai'i County Fire and Hilo Medical Center Foundation. (left to right): Lance Uchida, Battalion Chief and Chris Honda, Emergency Medical Services Captain for Hawai'i County Fire Department, Troy Tamiya, General Manager at Hilo Municipal Golf Course, Lisa Rantz, Executive Director HMCF and Darren Rosario, Fire Chief for Hawai'i County Fire Department.

Other community partners for *Be a Lifesaver* include the East Hawai'i Independent Physicians Association, Hawai'i Island Chamber of Commerce, and KTA Super Stores. Visit our website for more information.



Hilo Medical Center Foundation Statement of Financial Position

Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2014

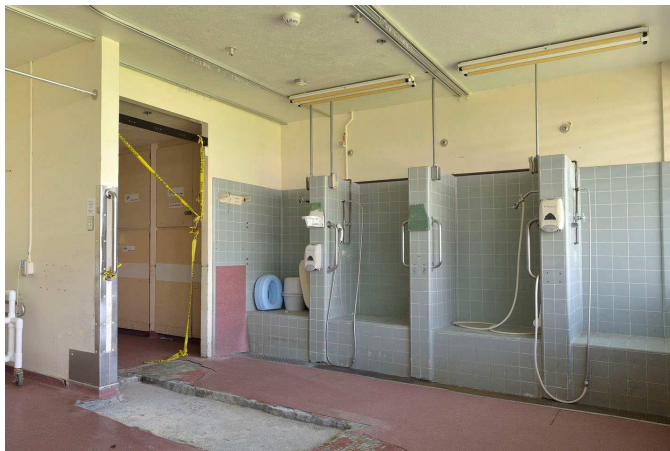
		<u>Assets</u>
Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 654,243
Property and equipment net of accumulated depreciation of \$3,922		\$ 364
Total assets		<u>\$ 654,607</u>
		<u>Liabilities and Net Assets</u>
Liabilities:		
Accounts Payable		\$ 5,623
Payroll liabilities		\$ 2,400
Accrued paid time off		\$ 4,239
Accrued general excise taxes		\$ 66
Total liabilities		<u>\$ 12,328</u>
Net assets:		
Unrestricted		\$ 297,355
Temporary restricted		\$ 344,924
Total net assets		<u>\$ 642,279</u>
Total liabilities and net assets		<u>\$ 654,607</u>

Improving Quality of Life for our Long-Term Care Residents

The Hilo Medical Center Foundation would like to thank the Herbert C. Shipman Foundation and the Max and Yetta Karasik Family Foundation for their support of our latest endeavor. Together we have started renovations on the second shower room in Hilo Medical Center’s Extended Care Facility. The Foundation also assisted Phillip Palmore, whose Eagle Scout project will provide outdoor space for long-term patients and an interactive garden where they may enjoy the company of friends and family.



Photo of Eagle Scout Project figure-eight walkway outside of long-term care



Existing shower room in Hilo Medical Center’s Extended Care Facility prior to renovation.



Pictured above are Mari Horike, Management Analyst at Hilo Medical Center and Lisa Rantz, Executive Director for Hilo Medical Center Foundation wrapping sweaters on Christmas Eve for long term care patient’s Christmas party with Santa Claus.

Mural Refurbishment in Behavioral Health



In 2014, Hilo Medical Center Foundation helped create a brighter environment for Hale Ho’Ola patients by bringing in local artist Margaret Stanton to refresh the mural she originally painted for the Behavioral Health Unit 13 years ago.

Improvements in Obstetrics and Pediatric Units!

Hilo Medical Center and the Hilo Medical Center Foundation are working together to refresh and renovate the Obstetrics and Surgical / Pediatric units. Improvements will include new equipment such as infant warmers, bassinets, cribs, a C-section table and décor to make patients feel “right at home”. The Nursing Stations will be remodeled to improve functionality and work flow.

These updates will create a child- and `ohana-friendly environment, increase patient comfort and help the healing process.

The Foundation’s Board of Trustees are currently submitting applications for grants to help with these large and much-needed projects. If you would like more information on this project or would like to donate please visit our website.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday,
November 1, 2015

Please join us at the

13th Annual Wine
Cheese, Chocolate
& MORE!
Annual Fundraiser

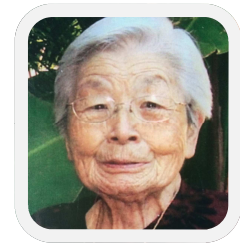


Donations from the Heart



Kathleen Inouye knitted ten beanies and donated them to patients receiving treatment at Hilo Medical Center’s Hawaii Pacific Oncology Center (HPOC) in memory of her mother Misao Noguchi, who passed away at the age of 93 on April 17, 2014.

Top picture from left to right: Jacky Santos, HPOC Clerical Supervisor, Julie Leach, HPOC Nurse Manager, Lisa Rantz, HMCF Executive Director and donor Kathleen Inouye.



Misao Noguchi

Mayday! Mayday!

Anytime someone ends up in the emergency room and needs to be flown to Oahu for treatment is a scary situation. So, when the Foundation was presented with the opportunity to partner on a high school senior project to provide a small zip-lock bag with personal hygiene

products to patients being flown out for care, the board was happy to assist.

Pictured from left to right: Jolene Hughes, Heart Attack and Stroke Coordinator, Kelly Egan, RN, Jie Wayne Brigoli, Kamehameha High graduate, Dr. Malia Haleakala, head Emergency Room physician





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Pictured: Dr. Lynda Dolan, 2014 Physician of the Year was honored at the annual Wine, Cheese, Chocolate and More! Signature fundraising event for Hilo Medical Center Foundation on November 9, 2014

How You Can Help

Every dollar counts, and we are honored to receive your charitable contributions. There are tax advantages to donating to the Hilo Medical Center Foundation (HMCF), since all donations are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

There are many ways for you to show your support for the Hilo Medical Center Foundation:

Write a Check or Use Your Credit Card

Participate in a Corporate Matching Gift Program

Employer matching gift programs are an excellent way to double your contribution to the Foundation

Leave a Will or Bequest

Bequests are the simplest and most common form of gift planning. Donors should consult with their legal advisor for assistance.

Stock Donation

The Foundation is now able to accept donations of stocks.

Establish a Charitable Endowment Fund

An Endowment Fund with HMCF is a fitting way to honor a loved one and create an enduring legacy that will be remembered for generations.

Give Real Estate

If you own a home or other property, you may consider donating the real estate to HMCF.

Donate a Life Insurance Policy, IRA or Pension Plan

An easy way to make a charitable contribution is to give a life insurance policy to the Foundation. You may also name HMCF as the beneficiary of a life insurance policy, individual retirement account or pension plan.

Donate a Memorial or Honorary Gift

Looking for a unique way to honor a family member, friend or colleague? A gift to HMCF can be a living tribute on a birthday, anniversary, or other special occasion. We can make your holiday giving easy and memorable, whether the gift is for business contacts or friends and family. Remembering a loved one with a memorial gift to HMCF is an enduring tribute. We will mail a notification letter to the person of your choice if you wish to supply us with their name and mailing address; the amount of your gift will be kept confidential.