

# Health Care Philanthropy Innovation Showcase

A celebration of peer innovations in staff and donor engagement from the last 12 months

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# COVID-19 Response Fund

Boulder Community Health Foundation exists to enhance the quality and availability of health care services in Boulder and Broomfield Counties by generating and administering all charitable gifts to our nonprofit community-owned hospital system.



### Challenge

- Faced insurmountable COVID-19 challenges: 24/7
  planning mode to fortify PPE, expand testing capacity,
  cross-train teams, space planning, recruiting clinicians,
  secure equipment and more
- Pivoted fundraising efforts by creating the COVID-19
  Response Fund. Focused on two priorities: support our
  most critical asset, our people, and removing any
  barriers to providing the best COVID-19 treatment



### **Innovation**

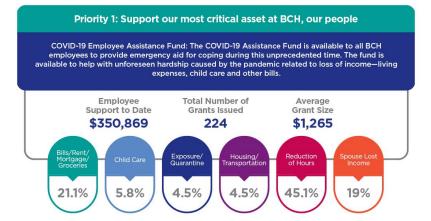
- Quickly mobilized to raise and administer new funds
- Developed innovative funding priorities: COVID-19 Employee Assistance Fund, telehealth expansion funding, and negative pressure rooms investments
- Utilized campaign as a communication tool to raise understanding, transparency and confidence within community
- Launched priority #3 to raise funds to help fill the gap in expenses that are not reimbursed by the federal government or insurance payers to administer the vaccine



- Raised \$1.73M for the COVID-19 Response Fund from 965 donors. 607 were first-time donors
- Supported BCH's investments in testing capabilities, telehealth access, supply management, space capacity, and flex training for staff and physicians
- Individuals and organizations sewed almost 5,000 masks and donated more than 31,000 packages of PPE
- Over 35,000 meals were delivered to frontline clinicians and responders through the Feed the Frontlines Boulder initiative



# Suite of marketing materials







#### Internal newsletter



Thank you, all of you, for everything you are doing to keep us safe and get us well. Many thanks to those who work tirelessly to support the health of our community!

#### **Spring newsletter**









Donate to the COVID-19 Response Fund

#### **Community Town Hall**

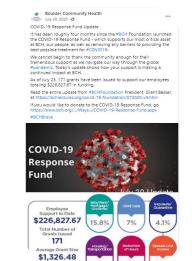


https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cRv3Ta0bAGs

#### Community e-blast



#### Social media post



#### Song written by BCH staff in honor of our donors

#### "You Give"

Original song written and produced by Dr. Alan Zacharias.

Accompanied by BCH colleagues: Karen Fremont, Sharna III, Christi Goettsche, and Michele Sternitzky.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IFyTClb1Lgk



acts of kindness

asymptomatic

individuals

### Staff Hub

Dartmouth-Hitchcock Health & Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth; Academic Health System and Medical School



### Challenge

- Entire staff working offsite
- Citrix and shared drive connectivity issues
- One Note not accessible
- Inboxes inundated with requests
- Provide new staff with onboarding materials



### **Innovation**

- Built Staff Hub with workforce management software
- Cloud based solution
- Effectively manage processes and requests



### **Impact**

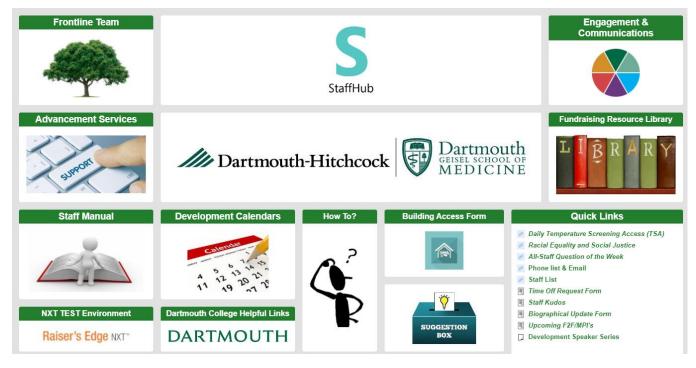
- Centralized location for all shared documents
- Streamlined processes and workflow

Data collection via forms - reduced emails



### Staff Hub collateral

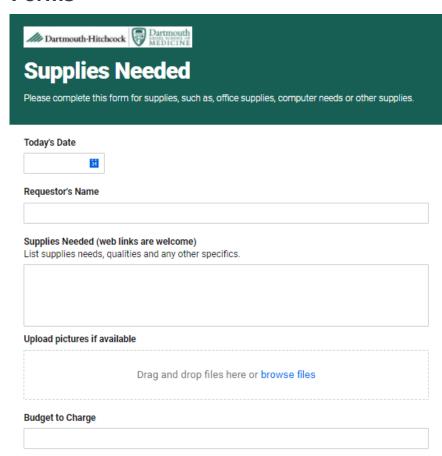
### **Hubs/Workspaces**



#### **Workflow Queues**

Status	Completed?	Project	Assigned Date	Deadline Date
Not Started		Reconcile GSM donations with Advance	02/09/21	
Not Started		GSM Alumni review with Advance	02/09/21	
Not Started		BBNC invalid email list	02/23/21	

#### **Forms**





# "Thanks to You" Virtual Stewardship Series

Geisinger Health Foundation; 9-hospital health system in central and northeast Pennsylvania, with its own health plan, two research centers and the Geisinger Commonwealth School of Medicine



### Challenge

- Engage with influx of brand-new donors who gave during the early stages of the COVID crisis
- Recognize major donors
- Set the stage for future solicitation & stewardship communications
- Keep costs low



### Innovation

- Used video conferencing to connect with donors virtually;
   registration sent with calendar invite
- Participants view speakers alongside content
- Opportunity for direct Q&A with participants, and personal follow-up after event
- Connect donors directly with clinical care providers and leadership/frontlines in the age of social distancing
- Record event and could be sent to donors later

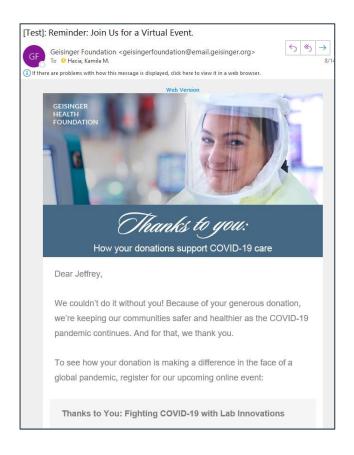


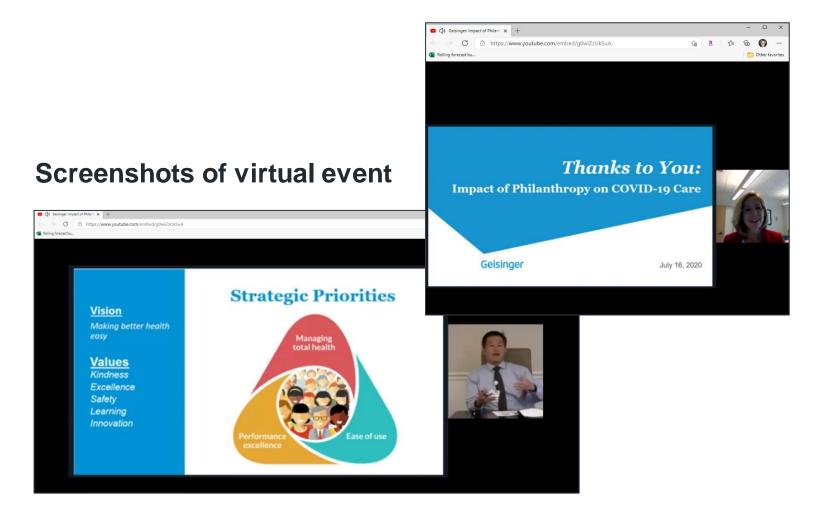
- 2,087 new donors, many made additional gifts in CY2020
- Placed Geisinger as source of truth for local Covid-19 facts
- Created ongoing series of virtual stewardship events called "Thanks to You," where we connected with donors in a brandnew way



# "Thanks to You" Virtual Donor Stewardship Collateral

### **Event Invitation**







# Employee Earned Time Pool Donations

Hebrew SeniorLife; New England's largest non-profit provider of senior health care and living communities.



### Challenge

- Help maintain organizational financial stability in the face of COVID-related challenges
- Ensure a healthy and safe working environment that encourages retention and shows appreciation for frontline workers



### **Innovation**

- Created an earned time pool that allowed nonessential and essential employees to donate up to 40 hours each
- Donated hours credited as an in-kind gift to HSL's Age of Opportunity Campaign, with donor names listed in annual report



- 2,394 donated hours collected over 12 months; hours used primarily by frontline staff who were sick, quarantined, or caring for a family member
- \$180,585 generated in in-kind support for HSL's Age of Opportunity campaign
- Effort also supported by City of Boston funding agency (\$100,000)
- Encouraged an organizational culture of caring and philanthropy that engaged more than 75 employees



### 3:1 Covid-19 Relief Match

Hebrew SeniorLife; New England's largest non-profit provider of senior health care and living communities.



### Challenge

- Unexpected organizational financial challenges in the wake of unforeseen COVID-19 expenses
- Needed a "hook" to re-engage a high-capacity lapsed donor



### **Innovation**

- Created a \$2.5 million 3:1 match with an expansive definition of what qualifies: unrestricted dollars and pledges/cash for specific programs/projects financially hurt from pandemic
- Played to the donor's strong desire that a gift serve as a catalyst to community giving specific to COVID-19 relief dollars



### **Impact**

- Fully achieved matching gift target in 4 months
- Placed us back into donor's sights

 Strengthened relationship with donor and created path for a second campaign gift

### Well-Aware Webinar Series

Michigan Medicine; University of Michigan health system



### Challenge

- Communicate updates on Covid-19 response
- Build donor pipeline
- Increase donor engagement with Michigan Medicine advancement



### **Innovation**

- Monthly webinar series hosted on video conferencing software
- Features experts at the forefront of our pandemic response
- Personal follow-up from gift officers



- More than 1,000 unique prospects distributed to gift officers for qualification
- Conveyed critical, up to date information about the COVID-19 pandemic
- Increased familiarity with Michigan Medicine leadership



# Well-Aware Webinar Example

# COVID-19 Vaccines: An Inside Look at the Development and Rollout

January 14, 2021

Our experts discussed how the new COVID-19 vaccines were developed, how they are being rolled out, and the differences among the various vaccines.

Speakers:

Sandro Cinti, M.D.

Professor of Internal Medicine

Stanley Kent, R.Ph.

Chief Pharmacy Officer, Michigan Medicine Associate Dean for Clinical Affairs, College of Pharmacy

Anna Suk-Fong Lok, M.D.

Alice Lohrman Andrews Research Professor of Hepatology
Dame Sheila Sherlock Distinguished University Professor of Hepatology
and Internal Medicine
Assistant Dean for Clinical Research

Njira Lucia Lugogo, M.D.

Associate Professor of Internal Medicine



https://giving.medicine.umich.edu/webinar -series/well-aware-series



# Rose of Hope Virtual Event

Bridgeport Hospital's Norma Pfriem Breast Center founded in 1999 with a mission to achieve excellence in breast care through education, screening, diagnosis and state-of-the-art treatment. Our dedicated support teams ease the burden of life with cancer through compassion, hope, and strength.



### Challenge

- How to hold our year's largest fundraising event virtually and still maintain our sponsors and event day donations
- How to capture people's attention and appeal to their hearts while remaining apart



### **Innovation**

- We went above and beyond just having a virtual/streaming event
- We brought the event into everyone's homes by including floral arrangements, food, wine and gifts
- Our largest sponsors and donors had their event day accourrement delivered by staff and volunteers from the Center



- Sponsors/donors felt the event experience, even while remaining at home. Made the virtual event still feel connective
- Building excitement before/the day of an event is crucial to creating a lasting positive impression and relationship







# Virtual Reality Donor Engagement

UR Medicine, Advancement; NY academic medical center dedicated to medical education, research and patient care.



### Challenge

- Continue to offer high impact lab tours to engage & cultivate donors while educating on the work of URMC
- Pivot to creative, virtual engagement opportunities to highlight URMC programs



### **Innovation**

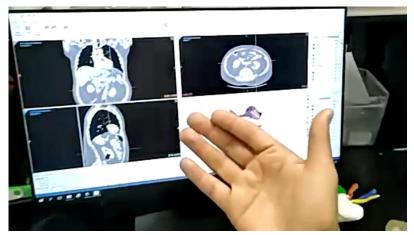
- Virtual lab tour through video conferencing
- Utilized virtual reality glasses to give a virtual lab tour

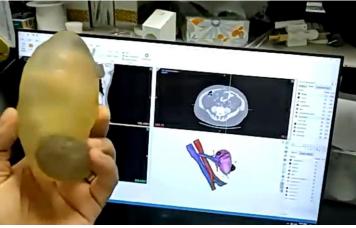


- Immediate high 5 figure gift
- Great traction for 5 other donors and prospects
- Able to offer interactive donor sessions to highlight URMC programs through virtual means

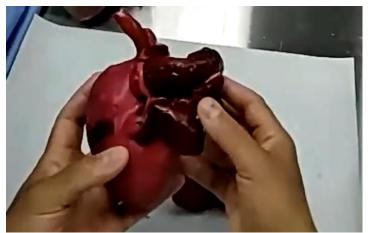


## Simulation and Innovation Lab Tour









# Medical Leadership Huddle Series

Virginia Hospital Center (VHC) is a 437-bed independent, teaching Hospital in Northern, VA and a proud member of the Mayo Clinic Care Network



### Challenge

- Sharing timely COVID-19 updates with VHC's stakeholders
- Ensuring the community felt heard by Hospital leadership during the first months of the pandemic



### **Innovation**

- Medical Leadership Huddle series a virtual presentation to share timely COVID-19 updates with our stakeholders
- Each Huddle featured a VHC medical expert sharing updates and best practices, focusing on Northern, VA
- Our stakeholders received direct answers from clinical experts in the moment



- Greater visibility for VHC and the Foundation: the Huddles promoted the brand narrative that VHC was the trusted source for local updates and clinical expertise
- Strengthened Relationships with Clinical Leaders, Donors, and Community Partners
- High ROI and Prospecting Potential: Net return of \$1.25M and 225 new donors



# Virginia Hospital Center's Medical Leadership Huddle

Hosted by the Virginia Hospital Center Foundation

### Promoted the Hospital's COVID-19 Response fund

HOSPITAL ABOUT US DONATE IMPACT NEWS & EVENTS CIVING SOCIETIES CAMPAIGN COVID-19



#### MEDICAL LEADERSHIP HUDDLE

COVID-19 status update with Virginia Hospital Center Leadership



January 26, 2021



December 8, 2020

October 26, 2020

Watch All

Sent a Recap email the next day linking to the Huddle Presentation

Medical Leadership Huddle

Virginia Hospital Center Foundation Supporters

We kicked off our first Medical Leadership Huddle of 2021 this Tuesday with a briefing from Dr. David Lee, our newly appointed Chief Medical Officer at Virginia Hospital Center. Dr. Lee began by sharing that the Hospital has provide almost 20,000 first and second doses of the vaccine to healthcare workers and community members over

the age of 75. He also expressed cautious optimism that the positivity trend in the

public. For those who have a scheduled second dose with Virginia Hospital Center, your appointment will remain scheduled. For more information on this update, please

Dr. Lee then touched on the new virus variants and that the vaccines are showing to

be effective against them. He emphasized that viruses tend to mutate so we need to

rollout of "100 million vaccines in 100 days" will help us reach that goal.

move quickly to achieve herd immunity by late summer. He is hopeful that the federal

Dr. Lee then provided an update on the vaccine dissemination process in the Northern Virginia community, specifically the recent change through the Virginia Department of Health that vaccines will now be disbursed directly to local health districts. Virginia Hospital Center is no longer providing initial dose vaccines to the

read VHC's Press Release or visit Arlington County's website.

Dear Virginia Hospital Center Partners,

region is beginning to trend downward.

Reposted the Huddles on our Foundation COVID-19 webpage for viewing after the live event



# Seacoast Superhero Challenge

Wentworth-Douglass Foundation; 178 bed community hospital located in New Hampshire's Seacoast Region



### Challenge

- Rally the Seacoast community around the Hospital, its staff and caregivers in a time of crisis and support our frontline heroes
- Accommodate a surge of COVID-19 patients
- Fundraising Goal = \$100,000



### **Innovation**

- Social Media Engagement: Created the Seacoast Superhero Challenge, a fun, interactive initiative
  - Sample Videos and Scripts
  - Facebook Profile Overlay
- Board and Hospital Leadership Engagement
  - Challenge Champions: 3 individuals/businesses
- Text SEACOASTHEROES to 41444



- \$95,892 achieved
- Donor Stewardship
- Purchase of necessary medical equipment to maximize our treatment capacity and employee support
- Expand existing facilities to accommodate COVID-19 patients, such as our Respiratory Illness Clinics
- Provide Counseling, Occupational Health and Emotional Health Hotlines, plus Rest & Resiliency Support for care team



# Seacoast Superhero Challenge – Emergency Response Fund



21% of total funds raised

challengers

individuals challenged

**TOP SUPERHEROES** REPRESENTED:

> Wonder Woman Captain America









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