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# Caring for our community



*2012 Report to Donors*

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# Dear friends:



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Pat Hackman, board chairwoman  
Karla Heeter, executive director

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Buffalo Hospital plays a vital role in the health of our community. Today, our hospital is stronger than ever thanks to generous individuals, organizations, corporations and foundations. These partnerships support the exceptional and innovative care our community has grown to expect at Buffalo Hospital.

In 2012, generous donors and supporters came together to enhance care for our community through the Buffalo Hospital Foundation's Spiritual Care Campaign. These donors recognize that health care is more than physical well-being. It also includes a spiritual dimension—a focus on meaning, healing and hope.

In this year's report to donors, you will learn more about our Spiritual Center—a place where patients, family members, visitors, employees, volunteers and physicians of all backgrounds and faiths will find comfort and solace.

In 2013, our Foundation will focus on a new Cancer Care campaign. This campaign will allow us to expand the innovative, compassionate and evidence-based cancer care we provide, close to home. We all know someone affected by cancer, whether you have been personally diagnosed or you are supporting a loved one with cancer. We invite you to join us on this critical campaign.

As a not-for-profit hospital, Buffalo Hospital reinvests excess revenues back into the community. In these challenging times for many of our friends and neighbors, Buffalo Hospital provided more than \$5.9 million in uncompensated care to people in our community.

We invite you to stop by to see the new Spiritual Center and see how your gifts make a difference at Buffalo Hospital. Thank you for supporting Buffalo Hospital, so that we may continue to provide exceptional care for our community, close to home.

Pat Hackman, board chairwoman

Karla Heeter, executive director

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## Our mission

The Buffalo Hospital Foundation's mission is to serve as a catalyst for innovative services and facilities to improve community health.

# Caring for our community

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## BUFFALO HOSPITAL'S CANCER CARE CAMPAIGN — ENHANCING INNOVATIVE AND COMPASSIONATE CANCER CARE, CLOSE TO HOME

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At Buffalo Hospital, cancer care is much more than treating a disease. The Buffalo Hospital Foundation's board of directors has identified Cancer Care as its top fundraising priority for 2013. The campaign will focus on raising \$100,000 to create a dedicated space for oncology care—including clinic rooms, infusion therapy suites, a cancer resource area, and consultation space for clinicians, patients and family members. The campaign will also provide funds for patient and family care enhancements to create a healing, comfortable environment.

"Whether we have been personally diagnosed or know a loved one diagnosed, we are all affected by cancer," said Pat Hackman, board chairwoman for the Buffalo Hospital Foundation. "This campaign will ensure that we continue to provide compassionate cancer care and that we have dedicated space to meet the needs for each patient's unique experience."

### Hometown touch, the role of the nurse coordinator

The Cancer Care campaign builds on Allina Health's goal to have a cancer care coordinator available for each patient diagnosed with cancer. Buffalo Hospital's cancer care coordinator is Jody Mattson,

RN. When patients receive a diagnosis, Mattson is there for them, every step of the way.

"I work with the whole patient, to address their individual needs," said Mattson. "When patients are diagnosed with cancer, life goes on around them. They may wonder how they will balance their care with work, family, and other commitments. I try to make that journey as smooth as possible."

Mattson personally calls each patient after a cancer diagnosis to ensure that their questions are answered, and to help address their worries and concerns. "I serve as a bridge between the doctor and the patient," she explained. "I help them find the resources they need and ensure that they have someone to reach out to for help as they decide on the next steps in their treatment plan."

Mattson works closely with oncology nurse Linda Sainsbury, a 15-year-employee. "If the patient is in the hospital or scheduled for a treatment, I often visit them and make sure that their questions are answered and they have the support they need," said Mattson.

## Evidence-based cancer care to address a growing need

Oncologist Nicole Hartung, MD, has traveled to Buffalo Hospital to care for patients one day each week since June 2012. An oncologist with Minnesota Oncology, Hartung understands the benefits of specialized oncology care in the community.

As an oncologist, Hartung works with each patient to customize a course of treatment to meet each patient's needs and condition.

"I grew up in New Prague when it was considered a small town, so I very much appreciate going out to Buffalo—a nice, warm and growing community," said Hartung. "There is a great value in having the majority of a patient's treatments close to home."

Hartung is enthusiastic about the Foundation's Cancer Care campaign and the impact it will have for patients and families. "Having a dedicated space for cancer patients is important," said Hartung. "Today, when people come to the clinic, they see me and a nurse in one area, and if they need chemotherapy, they go to a different area in the hospital."

In addition to oncology care provided locally, cancer patients at Buffalo Hospital also benefit from the services of a genetic counselor, Denise Marty, and a breast surgeon, Corinne Jordan, MD.

"It's comforting to know that oncology care is right here for the people of Buffalo," said Hartung. "These services, along with the help from a cancer care coordinator, provide an extra benefit for patients to help them on their individual path."



Nicole Hartung, MD  
oncologist



Denise Marty  
genetic counselor



Linda Sainsbury  
oncology nurse



Jody Mattson  
cancer care coordinator



# Spiritual Center campaign a success

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## A PLACE FOR REFLECTION, RENEWAL AND HOPE

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In 2012, Buffalo Hospital Foundation launched its Spiritual Center campaign, which successfully raised more than \$100,000 from grateful patients, employees and physicians, individual donors, local organizations and churches.

The Spiritual Center, a welcoming space for patients, families, employees, volunteers, physicians and visitors of all faiths, has been designed to help people find solace in the midst of injury, illness or life-changing events.

“The Spiritual Center is a place for silence, reflection and meditation for all who visit or work in our hospital,” said Karla Heeter, executive director of the Buffalo Hospital Foundation. “It is a space that comforts and envelops you. People in our hospital and community saw the need for this healing space and generously gave to make it a reality.”

Michelle Brandes, LSW, manager of Care Management and Social Services, describes the Spiritual Center as a welcoming space to celebrate, to grieve, to meditate, to pray or to reflect. “It will meet the needs of most anyone who enters the space,” Brandes said. “We wouldn’t have this space without our donors. We knew this was an important project for our hospital, but I think that it will make an even larger impact than we had imagined.”

The space was designed to comfort visitors by bringing nature inside. The elements of water, fire, earth, metal and wood are represented in its design and features. To further provide a healing environment, internal medicine/pediatrics physician Ann Sidwell, MD, from Allina Medical Clinic – Buffalo gave a gift to provide soundproofing and a personalized music and sound system in the space. Visitors are able to select from different genres for soothing music—from nature sounds

to worship music and piano to symphony and more. In addition, John and Mary Ellen Lundsten gifted the copper water feature.

Jody Mattson, RN, cancer care coordinator, sees benefits to the new space for patients and employees alike. “The Spiritual Center offers a

calming space to care for one’s spiritual needs and it’s conveniently located,” she explained.

Pat Hackman, Foundation board chairwoman agreed. “We thank all donors to the campaign for their support and recognition that spirituality plays an important role in healing,” said Hackman.

## Cancer Care campaign vision

Buffalo Hospital’s vision is to provide an exceptional experience for those diagnosed with cancer. Funds raised will be used to renovate space for:

- clinic rooms
- consultation suite
- infusion suites
- integrative therapies
- cancer resource area.

Medical equipment and enhancement needs include: comfortable heated infusion chairs for chemotherapy including built-in massage capability, reclining guest chair for infusion suites, flat screen televisions with DVD players, iPod docking stations, blanket warmers, Keurig coffee system, microwave and refrigerator, iPad for patient use, consultation suite furnishings and a cancer resource area.

## Buffalo Hospital offers help to women battling breast cancer

Buffalo Hospital Foundation, in partnership with Cambridge Medical Center Foundation and through a grant from Susan G. Komen for the Cure, has established the Hope Fund—a special fund dedicated to helping people who are actively receiving care for breast cancer in Wright, Meeker, Sherburne and McCloud counties.

The Hope Fund was established to help people diagnosed with breast cancer with basic living expenses such as mortgage or rent, car payments,

heat, electricity, other utilities, out-of-pocket medical expenses, food and gas.

“The Hope Fund is a wonderful service to our community,” said Karla Heeter, executive director. “It is difficult enough to cope with the diagnosis of breast cancer without the added financial stress that can occur as a result.”

To date, more than a dozen individuals with breast cancer have received a total of \$20,829 in assistance from the Hope Fund.

# Spiritual Center donor recognition

We are incredibly grateful to the many donors whose dedicated efforts, loyal service and generous gifts created the Spiritual Center.

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Brad and Lisa Hiltz  
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# Spring Tonic 2013

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## BUFFALO HOSPITAL FOUNDATION PRESENTS ITS THIRD ANNUAL SPRING TONIC — A CELEBRATION OF GIVING!

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All proceeds from this event will support Cancer Care at Buffalo Hospital.

Please join us Saturday, April 27, 2013

5:30 | Social Hour  
7:00 | Dinner... Featuring the Flavors of Spring  
8:00 | Music by Dueling Pianos  
8:45 | Your Gifts in Action  
9:15 | Music by Dueling Pianos  
10:00 | Grand Prize Drawings

Classic Hall, 220 Poplar Lane, Annandale, MN

Chaired by Foundation board member, Denise Froehlich, this year's Spring Tonic will feature lively music by Crazy Keys Dueling Pianos.

Festive Spring Attire  
\$75 per person  
Complimentary Valet Parking

### Amazing grand prizes

Along with a number of refreshing prizes, this year's Spring Tonic will offer the chance to win one of our grand prizes, including:

- ladies three stone diamond ring featuring a center marquise cut diamond
- a week in Sedona, Arizona (includes lodging and airfare)
- hot air balloon ride for four
- CoolSculpting, non-surgical body contouring treatment
- kayak and paddle.

### Spring Tonic sponsorship opportunities

Invigorating sponsor \$1,000  
Rejuvenating sponsor \$2,500  
Revitalizing sponsor \$5,000  
Restorative sponsor \$10,000

For more information about sponsorship opportunities, please call Karla Heeter at 763-684-6808.

Tickets are available online at [buffalohospital.org](http://buffalohospital.org) or by calling 763-684-6800.







# Legacy Circle

Members of Buffalo Hospital Foundation's newly established Legacy Circle have an opportunity to invest in the hospital's future through thoughtful gifts of bequests, charitable trusts, gifts of property and other methods.

No matter how large or small, planned gifts allow those who care deeply about Buffalo Hospital to leave a legacy in our community.

There are many ways to make a planned gift, including:

- bequests through wills
- charitable trusts
- annuities
- securities
- life insurance
- real estate
- retirement plans and IRAs
- and more.

For more information on planned giving and the Legacy Circle, call Karla Heeter, executive director of the Buffalo Hospital Foundation at 763-684-6808.

*"The greatest use of a life is to spend it for something that will outlast it."*  
— Anonymous

# 2012 Foundation approved requests

The Foundation disbursed more than \$79,000 to programs at Buffalo Hospital and to the community in 2012. The following are the requests approved by the board of directors.

- new healing mammography waiting area
- ten \$500 health care scholarships for students in the community
- concussion testing for youth sports
- automated external defibrillator (AED) for Allina Health Security squad car
- Emergency Department artwork
- care packages for Total Joint Program
- integrative therapy training for 20 nurses through Allina's Penny George™ Institute for Health and Healing Transformative Nurse Training Program
- Same Day Surgery artwork
- four \$200 scholarships for Connect Retreat
- blu-ray DVD players for Cancer Care chemotherapy rooms
- neck pillows for patients receiving chemo therapy
- Compassionate Friends donation
- Transforming Care at the Bedside patient supplies.



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Suzanne Demeules, Buffalo, MN



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Julia Barkley, Annandale, MN



# Pink Street Party

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## SUPPORTING CANCER CARE AT BUFFALO HOSPITAL

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**Save the date:** Thursday, October 3, 2013  
from 4 – 9 p.m. in downtown Buffalo

The Pink Street Party is a community celebration of hope, remembrance and commitment to excellence in cancer care at Buffalo Hospital.

The event is designed to honor and remember those who have endured all types of cancer in our community. “We all know someone who is a cancer survivor,” said Karla Heeter. “With today’s advancements in treatment, care and a focus on early detection, a cancer diagnosis is different than in years past.”

The fourth annual 2012 Pink Street Party was once again a remarkable success with nearly 80 vendors and more than 3,000 people in attendance. During the lighting ceremony, we read the names of all those who were honored, celebrated, supported and remembered with a gift to the Cancer Care Fund.

A total of \$43,340 was raised in 2012 for the Buffalo Hospital Foundation in support of cancer care. “We are so grateful to the businesses and individuals who have come together to make this a community tradition,” added Heeter.

### A special thank you

- Buffalo Clinic for the fireworks sponsorship
- City of Buffalo Electric Utilities, Street & Parks Department
- event volunteers

- Myron for DJ Services
- Pinkest on the Block Judges: Larry & Diane Huston
- Pinkest on the Street Judges: Rachel Mendel, Michelle Sawatzke and Rachel Smith
- Window Contest Judges: Laurie Anseth, Aggie Bethke, and Sandie Matrella
- the volunteer bag stuffers
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### The planning committee

- Buffalo Hospital Foundation - Karla Heeter, Paula Slocum
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## Patient profile: Jody Sherwood



Jody Sherwood  
and her family

In 2009, Jody Sherwood and her husband were delighted to learn that they would be welcoming a new baby into the family. The proud mother of one daughter, they were thrilled and excited to expand their family.

In December, they were devastated when Jody suffered a miscarriage. What came next was more than they could imagine: Jody had stage IV non-Hodgkin lymphoma. “As it turns out, my unborn child saved my life.” said Sherwood. “As a result of an ultrasound related to the miscarriage, my ob-gyn at Allina Medical Clinic in Buffalo found a mass. I didn’t have any other symptoms at the time that would indicate cancer, and even though there was only a small chance that it was cancerous, she was persistent that we have everything checked out. A followup ultrasound, surgery to remove the mass, and finally the pathology results did show that I had cancer.”

As it often does, cancer left her feeling exposed and vulnerable. Sherwood chose to have all of her chemotherapy and treatments at Buffalo Hospital. “There is something to be said for care close to home,” said Sherwood. “The care experience at Buffalo Hospital is so personalized. You really get to know your nurses, and whenever I had a question, they were always available. I would choose Buffalo Hospital for my care all over again.”

Today, Sherwood is feeling strong and busy caring for her four-year-old daughter. She continues to receive follow-up care at Buffalo Hospital and has established what she calls a new normal. “It was a lot to handle, losing the baby and discovering that I had cancer, but I feel strongly that everything happens for a reason,” she said. “I can’t say enough about Buffalo Hospital and the people who provide care there—from my ob-gyn to my oncologist, to the nurses and everyone else I met along the way, they all went out of their way to give me the best care possible. My experience at Buffalo Hospital has been nothing but fantastic.”



# Report to donors

The following pages pay tribute to all those who supported Buffalo Hospital through donations to the Foundation in 2012. We offer our deepest gratitude to these donors who make a difference in the lives of patients and families we serve.

We are truly grateful to our donors and make every effort to list them as they prefer. Please call 763-684-6800 to correct any discrepancies that may appear in the Report to donors.

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\$50,000+

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## Pink Street Party in Celebration of

All Cancer Survivors given by Jim and Diane Whittier  
Hunter Anderson given by Jan Olson  
Marie Butler given by Mindy Loge  
Kelly Buvarp given by Carla Sundblad  
Karen Campbell given by Danielle Campbell  
Debbie Drommerhausen given by Kevin and Mary Dahl  
Marie Ellingson given by Carla Sundblad  
Ron Enter given by Scott and Val Enter and Family  
Bonnie Erdahl given by Jeremiah, Chelsie and Chloe  
Bonnie Erdahl given by Jackie Wurm  
Tamara Evans given by Lloyd and Yvonne Myster  
Sue Ferrell given by Carla Sundblad  
Mary Field given by Jean Carlson  
Karla Heeter given by Buffalo Hospital Senior Leadership Team  
Marge Hennen given by Scott and Val Enter and Family  
Debra Johnson given by James and Patricia Dearing  
Leo Jordan given by Sarah McCarthy

Faye Jordheim given by Elizabeth Faust

Skylar Kosek given by Jennifer Larson

Derek Lawrence given by Dr. Dale Lawrence

Janet Lindeman given by David and Michelle Robinson

Connie Martin given by Nate and Tonya Allen and Family

Connie Martin given to our hero, we love you, Jerry and kids

RaVae Megaw given by Hanni Lommel

Jan Menk given by Nate and Tonya Allen and Family

Lynn Morris given by Olive Elton

Lori Ostlie given by Dale and lone Olson

Joyce Paumen given by Gerald Paumen and Family

Michael Pelzek given by David and Michelle Robinson

Becky Petersen given by Ann Shoberg

Muriel Rassat given by Heather Rassat

David and Judie Rose given by David and Judie Rose

Gregg Sainsbury given by Linda Sainsbury

Candy Siemers given by Ron and Gloria Siemers, Becki and Mark Griffin

Candy Siemers given by Ron, Sam and Tim

Cheryl Stemper given by Don and Lauren Bodin

Dawn Stubbs given by Dale and lone Olson

Mary Ann Teubert given by Carissa Barth

Sharon Weyer given by Ann Dirks

Joy Wiemiller given by Danielle Campbell

Lynn Wilke given by Karla Heeter

## Pink Street Party in Support of

Lisa Baldwin given by Joann Beilke

Rosie Bullock given by Traci Hanson

Toni Diem given by Sarah Krolak

Toni Diem given by Steve and Kathy Peterson

The Goerke Family given by Brenda Goerke

Evie Hegeholz given by Joann Beilke

The Hoeschen Family given by Brenda Goerke

Ron and Darlene Hoyne given by Terry and Delores Herberg

Kurt Lommel given by Gary and RaVae Megaw

Jan Menk given by your children

Dina Mountcastle given by Jan Brown

Tim O'Brien given by Dennis O'Brien

Kathy Ramthun given by Survivor Kathy Ramthun

Cris Rendant given by Slocum Family

Cheryl Thomas given by Cathy and Alfred Wurm

## Pink Street Party Gifts in Recognition of all Those Touched by Cancer

Anonymous Donors

Judy Bjorklund

Ellen Bjornlie

Buffalo Lions Club

Jody Kantor

Laura L. Lundeen

Debra A. McCormick

Ron and Kathy Nitz

Perra Family of Waverly

Mark and Patti Pokorney

Rick and Jodi - River Inn

Rotary Club of St. Michael

Sandra Tool

## Pink Street Party Business Participants

### PREMIER SPONSORS

Buffalo Clinic, PA

Crow River Harley-Davidson

Phodot Photography

### POWERFUL PINK – \$500

Prairie River Home Care, Inc.

### NEON PINK – \$250

BJ's Deli

Buffalo Eye Clinic

Coldwell Banker Burnet

DeZiel Heating & Air, Inc.

Dojo Karate

Gentz Financial Services

IntegriPrint, Inc.

Little Rejuvenation Station

Ryan Auto Mall

### HOT PINK – \$100

BankWest

Buffalo Chamber of Commerce & Tourism

Buffalo Storage, LLC

Edward Jones

Guardian Angels Elim Home Care and Hospice

Kid's Haven Childcare & Preschool

Insurance Center of Buffalo

Kimbra Ness

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Lillian's Shoppe of Buffalo

Matt Legal Services, LLC

Meshed Designs

Now & Again

Personal Touche Hair Design

Professional Window Fashions

Simply Soleil

Something Savvy

Wright County Collision

### TICKLED PINK – \$50

A Plus Performance

Adjust to Health Chiropractic

BeautiControl

Buffalo Books & Coffee, Inc.

Buffalo Chiropractic Clinic

Buffalo Country Inn

Buffalo Country Store, Centra Sota

Buffalo Floral

Culver's of Buffalo

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Doctor Massage

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Farmers Insurance Group

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Silver Creek Cabin

Skin Salvy

Sterling Drug

STMA Women of Today

The Costume Shoppe of Maple Lake

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Yesterday's Charm

Your Life Chiropractic

## Friends of Pink Street Party Planning Committee

Buffalo Hospital Foundation – Karla Heeter, Paula Slocum

Buffalo Hospital – Stacie Cashin

Buffalo Police Department – Sgt. Rachel Pearson

City of Buffalo – Lauren Bodin

Country Inn – Carrie Parchem

GIR Promotions – JoAnne Funch

IntegriPrint – Jackie Wurm

SM Website Solutions – Suzie Meier

State Farm Insurance Mark Olson – Julie Bruhn



Studio 299 – Stacy Peterson  
Judy Bjorklund  
Denise Blizil  
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Jan Heyerdahl  
Marge Zrust

## Special Thank You to

Buffalo Clinic for the fireworks sponsorship

City of Buffalo Utilities,  
Street & Parks Department

Event Volunteers

Myron for DJ Services

Pinkest on the Block Judges:  
Larry and Diane Huston

Pinkest on the Street Judges:  
Rachel Mendel  
Michelle Sawatzke  
Rachel Smith

Window Contest Judges:  
Laurie Anseth  
Aggie Bethke  
Sandie Matrella

The volunteer bag stuffers

Veolia

## Every Day Hero Gifts in Appreciation of

Dale Lawrence, DO, given by  
Cecelia Bufford

## Memorial Gifts in Memory of

Dennis Baert given by Sandra Baert

Betty Hedstrom given by Tom and  
Gretchen Frederick

Sue Perra given by the following:

Jill Bodin  
Buffalo Clinic, PA  
Mary Douglas  
Bonnie Ehlers  
Kathlyn Gagnon  
Marie Kotzer  
Violet Luhman  
Lucille Robideau  
Mary Salkowski  
Linda Schirmer  
Jayne Weiche

## Gifts in Kind

Albion Ridges  
Anchor Dock and Lift  
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Broadway Cycle  
Buffalo Dry Cleaners and  
Launderers, Inc.  
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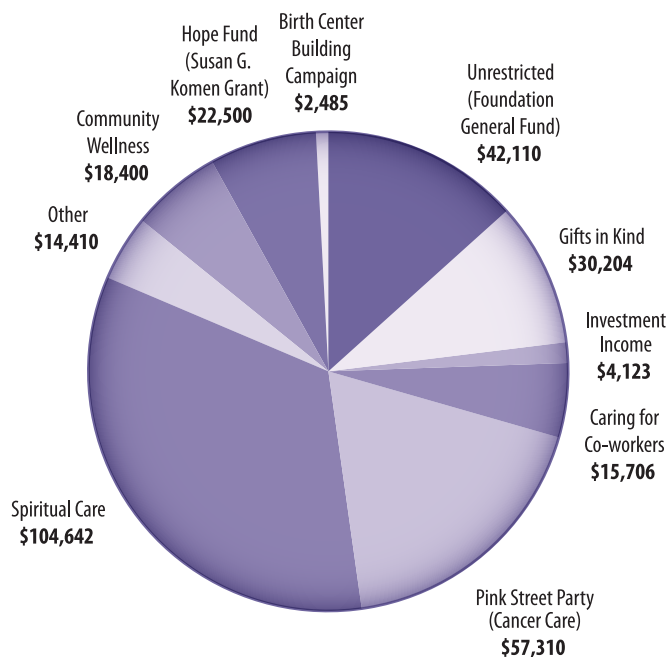
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# Financial summary

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO BUFFALO HOSPITAL FOUNDATION IN 2012

To learn more about giving opportunities, please call Karla Heeter in the Buffalo Hospital Foundation office at 763-684-6808 or contact her by email at [karla.heeter@allina.com](mailto:karla.heeter@allina.com).



## REVENUES, GAINS AND SUPPORT

Community contributions	\$229,557
Contributions by Allina employees	\$48,006
Gifts in Kind	\$30,204
Investment Income	\$4,123
<b>2012 Total</b>	<b>\$311,890</b>

Support from Allina Health, Buffalo Hospital	\$354,915
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## DISBURSEMENT SUMMARY

Community health improvement	\$216,657
<b>Net Assets of Dec. 31, 2012</b>	<b>\$515,208</b>

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## FOUNDATION BOARD 2012

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## EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS & BUFFALO HOSPITAL FOUNDATION STAFF

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Jennifer Myster, president, Buffalo Hospital

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