



## Our Community Gives Back For 40 Years and Beyond

LHAAMC's national reputation for excellence is a result of the skill and dedication of our clinicians and employees, in concert with the philanthropic support. We provide a snapshot of current corporate and community partners who represent the myriad organizations that are connected to our mission and will continue to play a pivotal role in the future success and sustainability of LHAAMC.

- **Bo's Effort and Nico's Golf for Hope** host annual golf tournament in support of mental health nurses and substance use disorder care programs in our community.
- **Bosom Buddies Charities** raises funds for the Rebecca Fortney Breast Center through its community outreach efforts and its Bosom Buddies Ball.
- **Building Traditions Society** is a dynamic group of philanthropic individuals and families that host countless events and drives to support vital areas of care at LHAAMC.
- **For Ellie Foundation** provides ongoing support of LHAAMC's pediatric unit by donating Ellie's Cart for Hope, which is filled with toys, games, and therapy aides for our youngest patients, and Hope Totes, which are designed to provide essentials items to parents during their hospital stays with their children.
- **Hospice Cup** remains dedicated to raising awareness of hospice care in our region. The Luminis Health Gilchrist Lifecare Institute is a beneficiary of the funds raised through Hospice Cup's annual sailing regatta.
- **The Katski Family** delivers hand-crafted trees for our smallest patients in Teddy's Place, LHAAMC's Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.
- **Pink & Blue Memorial Golf Tournament and the Old South Charitable Trust** organizes an annual golf tournament to support the Integrative Medicine Program at LHAAMC's Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Cancer Institute.
- **Team Ella** hosts drives to collect toys and games for LHAAMC's pediatric patients.

## Pavilions and Centers of Care

The names of pavilions and centers of care across our campus reflect the loyalty and generosity of some of our most philanthropic local leaders, such as:

- **Carl A. Brunetto Medical Park** – Named in honor of the hospital's longtime administrator, who retired in 1994 after 35 years with the health system.
- **The Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Cancer Institute and the Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Family Foundation Pediatric Emergency Department and Inpatient Unit** – These two nationally recognized centers of care commemorate the generosity of the DeCesaris family who remain committed to expanding oncology services and pediatric care in our region.
- **The John and Cathy Belcher Pavilion and Lesly and Pat Sajak Pavilion** are both named for visionaries in our community who made transformational gifts to our hospital.
- **The James and Sylvia Earl Simulation to Advance Innovation and Learning (SAIL) Center** is a unique facility dedicated to the advancement and practice of medicine through research, training, and innovation.
- **The Martin L. Doordan Health Sciences Institute** – Our conference center is named in honor of Chip Doordan for his 40 years of service as administrator, president, and CEO of Anne Arundel Health System.
- **Morgan B. and Martha O. Wayson Pavilion** – Home to the blood donor center and several health sciences offices, the Wayson Pavilion celebrates a family with roots in the community that go back 300 years.
- **Richard I. Edwards Pavilion** – The surgical pavilion honors Richard I. Edwards, a long-time county resident and business owner.
- **Rebecca M. Clatanoff Pavilion** – The women's and children's center celebrates former LHAAMC board member, Auxiliary president from 1965-1967, and avid supporter.
- **Rose and Joseph Donner Pavilion** – Named in honor of the Donner Family, is home to the Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Cancer Institute.
- **Teddy's Place** – A Level III neonatal intensive care unit that provides 24/7 advanced care to babies in need. Teddy's Place is named in honor of Florence E. Cornelison, or "Aunt Ted" to donors Suzanne and Al Lord, who chose to honor Ted's dignity, optimism, humor, charity, and family values.
- **Thomas J. Frank Family Birth Center** – Where thousands of families in our community celebrate the most meaningful moments in their lives. Our dedicated staff inspired the Frank Family to make a landmark donation to the hospital in 2015.



# SAVE THE DATE!

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2023

### REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Fish For A Cure (F4AC) is a fishing and fundraising competition that benefits cancer patients and their families in our community. Over the last 16 years, F4AC has raised more than \$4.5 million to support the Cancer Survivorship program at Luminis Health Anne Arundel Medical Center's Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Cancer Institute. The 17th Annual Fish For A Cure Tournament, Paul C. Dettor Captain's Challenge, and Shore Party will be taking place on Saturday, November 4, 2023 at the South Annapolis Yacht Centre.

**For more information, visit us at [www.FishForACure.org](http://www.FishForACure.org).**

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## If you are interested in supporting Luminis Health Anne Arundel Medical Center with a charitable gift:

**Make a donation online by visiting:** [www.luminishealth.org/en/lhaamc-giving](http://www.luminishealth.org/en/lhaamc-giving)  
**Mail a check to:** LHAAMC Foundation, 2000 Medical Parkway, Belcher Pavilion, Suite 604, Annapolis, MD 21401  
**Contact us at:** [foundation@luminishealth.org](mailto:foundation@luminishealth.org) or 443-481-4747 for more information.



Luminis Health Anne Arundel Medical Center Foundation

# LOOKING BACK, LOOKING AHEAD: CELEBRATING 40 YEARS OF PHILANTHROPY

**SAVE THE DATE**  
DENIM & DINNER  
APRIL 29  
2017  
ANNE ARUNDEL MEDICAL CENTER

**PROUD SUPPORTER**

**LEGACY OF CARING  
A NEW CENTURY BEGINS**

**A CENTURY OF CARING**

**VOLUNTEER**  
improve the quality of care to all.

**THE ANNE ARUNDEL GENERAL HOSPITAL**

**with gratitude  
Spring 2023**







The Board of Directors establishes the Anne Arundel General Hospital Foundation.

1983



The community contributes \$6 million to help finance the construction of the oncology and ambulatory surgery centers.

Anne Arundel General Hospital purchases 104 acres of land off Jennifer Road.

1984

The first hospital-based MRI machine in Maryland opens on Jennifer Road.

1986

Our name changes from Anne Arundel General Hospital to Anne Arundel Medical Center (AAMC).

1988

Pathways opens in September 1992. Pathways provides life-changing care to adolescents and adults with substance use disorder on both an inpatient and outpatient basis.



The Auxiliary celebrates its 50th birthday. It was founded by a charter group of 20 members in 1954. By 1994, the Auxiliary has 909 members. In its first 50 years, the Auxiliary raises \$6.5 million. Members donate nearly 75,000 hours of service annually.

1992

The "Celebrate the Future" capital campaign launches to fund construction of the Women's Pavilion and the Medical Office Pavilion on Jennifer Road. The intent is to move high-volume, short-stay maternity services from the downtown hospital and provide space for physicians' offices.

1993

AAMC launches "A New Century of Caring," a capital campaign and community-wide effort to raise funds for new health care facilities located on Jennifer Road.

1994

Approaching its 100th birthday, AAMC completes construction of the new Acute Care Pavilion. The hospital emerges as a major regional medical center and earns national recognition for excellence.

1997

2000

2002

2006



AAMC launches the "Care Like No Other Campaign," the largest campaign in its history. With a goal of \$44 million, AAMC raises funds to expand campus facilities, advance state-of-the-art medical technology, and recruit physicians and medical personnel from around the country.

Since its incorporation in 1983, the Luminis Health Anne Arundel Medical (LHAAMC) Foundation has the distinct honor of partnering with our community to raise vital funds for our hospital. Every dollar donated enables LHAAMC to continue providing nationally recognized care close to home. As we celebrate our 40th anniversary, we look back in awe of the milestones we have accomplished, together.

2007

2010

2011

2012

2016

2019

2020

2022

2023



Local community members launch Fish For A Cure (F4AC), a fishing tournament and fundraising challenge. Thanks to the continued support of F4AC's invaluable leadership, captains, anglers, sponsors, and community partners, F4AC has raised more than \$4.5 million over the last 16 years to support the Cancer Survivorship Program at the Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Cancer Institute.

The AAMC Blood Mobile takes to the road to ensure that these life-saving resources stay in the community.



The "Care Like No Other" capital campaign concludes and achieves its \$44 million goal. More than 5,100 community members, including staff, clinicians, and the Auxiliary, contribute to the campaign.

The South Tower opens to include the Geaton and JoAnn DeCesaris Family Foundation Pediatric Emergency Department and Inpatient Unit, an expanded emergency department, new patient beds, and additional operating rooms.

AAMC establishes a Community Health Clinic, located on Forest Drive in Annapolis. The clinic offers primary, acute, chronic, and preventative care for uninsured and underinsured patients. Today, Luminis Health Anne Arundel Medical Center (LHAAMC) offers primary and women's health care for un/underinsured patients at three locations, including inside the Morris Blum apartments in Annapolis.

In honor of their transformational gift to name the Belcher Pavilion, the John and Cathy Belcher Society is established to celebrate donors who include AAMC in their estate plans.

AAMC renames its Breast Center in memory of the late Rebecca Fortney, a true community champion and board member. Funds from her estate expand programs and services, advocacy, research, and patient education in the Fortney Breast Center.



A new multimillion-dollar mental health facility, The J. Kent McNew Family Medical Center, opens its doors in Anne Arundel County, adjacent to Pathways. The facility provides inpatient, partial hospital, and outpatient treatment.



In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the LHAAMC Foundation establishes the Community Response Fund to address the needs of the health system during unprecedented times. In less than six months, more than 700 community members raise nearly \$1.3 million to purchase personal protective equipment and fund urgent needs for our front-line staff.

"The Heart of Our Community: A New Era in Cardiac Care" campaign raises critical funds for capital improvements, staff training, patient support programs, and equipment upgrades to our growing cardiac surgery program.

The Luminis Health Gilchrist Lifecare Institute provides comprehensive hospice care, elder medical care, and supportive care services across multiple settings.

Anne Arundel Medical Center and Doctors Community Medical Center come together to form Luminis Health, a new, integrated health system dedication to the communities we serve.

