

# Newsletter

*Thank  
you*

Let's celebrate our  
BCH Employees  
who have  
generously given  
for 5 years!

Deb Baumfalk - 5yrs  
Brandi Heard - 5 yrs  
Teresa Howell - 5 yrs  
Dr. Sandra Parks - 5 yrs  
Kelsey Rengstorf - 5 yrs  
Kalli Roelfs - 5 yrs  
Penny Schaffer - 5 yrs  
Denise Shepardson - 5 yrs  
Dr. Brett Studley - 5 yrs  
Dave Thomas - 5 yrs  
Shannon Vetrovsky - 5 yrs



## 1 Employee Benefits Fair

Come visit us at the Employee Benefits Fair!

- **Tuesday, October 21 | 11:00 am - 5:00 pm**
- **Wednesday, October 22 | 7:00 am - 12:00 pm**

Stop by to learn how you can make a difference through your 2026 benefit enrollment and get a sneak peek at next year's Employee Giving Campaign!

## 2 Q3 Employee Campaign Giving

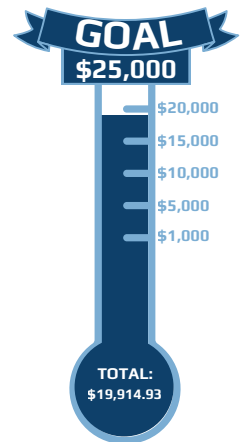
Greatest Need Donations: \$4,354.66

Employee Crisis Donations: \$934.25

Patient Hardship Donations: \$1,625.97

Total July- September Giving: \$6,914.88

**Total Year Giving: \$19,914.93**



## 3 Patient Hardship Fund

The Patient Hardship Fund provides vital support to BCH patients experiencing unexpected financial challenges after a medical emergency. Thanks to your generosity through the Employee Giving Campaign, we recently helped a local patient in need.

A Beatrice factory worker was injured on the job, resulting in the loss of both his employment and housing. While working to rebuild his life, he needed transportation assistance. Because of the Patient Hardship Fund, we were able to provide the support he needed to move toward stability.

Your donations make stories like this possible—thank you for helping us care for our patients when they need it most.

*TAKING CARE OF EACH OTHER.*

## 4 Greatest Need Fund

Did you know that donations to the Greatest Need Fund play a crucial role in supporting the grants we offer each Fall? In 2025, the BCH Foundation awarded **\$247,624** in grants to **14 BCH Departments and Clinics** and **\$58,500** to **Gage County Community Nonprofits**, for a total of **\$306,124** in funding!

These grants are already making an impact. At BCH, funding provided new life-saving equipment such as Zoll defibrillators, an infant CPAP device, a bladder scanner, a DaVinci surgical camera, and so much more. In the community, grants supported projects including a 15-passenger van for the YMCA's child care program, housing assistance through Hope Crisis Center, and AED's for local organizations. These are just a few of the ways donor generosity is reaching families across Gage County.

## 5 Thank You - Big Give Gage Coin War

A huge thank you to everyone who joined in the excitement of the Big Give Gage Department Coin Wars! Your energy and generosity helped support families of newborns at BCH, and the enthusiasm across departments was incredible! We are so proud to share with donors not only the support from our community, but also the overwhelming commitment from BCH staff. Every gift you make goes above and beyond your call of duty and has a far-reaching impact on our patients.

## 6 Quarterly Drawing Winner

Employees who donated during the previous quarter will be entered into a drawing for a \$100 Visa gift card. To participate, simply contribute to our Employee Campaign and you'll automatically be entered for a chance to win!

**QUARTER 3 WINNER: Angie Barber!**

## 7 BCH Employees are Making a Difference

If you are not currently contributing to the Employee Giving Campaign through payroll deductions, we encourage you to consider a donation of any amount, from \$1 to \$100 per paycheck. Every contribution has a meaningful impact right here in our community.

**Link to the [One Time Donation Form](#) & [PTO Donation Form](#)**

## 4 VIP Donor - Reserved Parking

Here's how it works: each month we'll draw one winner from those who have donated during the previous month. To be eligible, simply contribute to the Employee Giving Campaign - your generosity could land you a prime parking spot!

**July VIP Parking: Paula Schuster Davis**  
**Aug. VIP Parking : Patti Jacobson**  
**Sept. VIP Parking: Amanda Fossler**  
**Oct. VIP Parking: Connie Parker**



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