A Year to Celebrate

It has been a year to celebrate. What started as a gift of 80 acres of land and $200,000 from Henry B. Allen has grown into 90 years of serving the healthcare and healthcare education needs of Northeast Iowa. We think Mr. Allen would be pleased with the return on his investment.

In 2015, it wasn’t just the milestone of turning 90 that we celebrated. More than 1,300 donors gave to Allen, the largest number of donors since we began keeping track in 1999. Thanks to your generosity, over $1.3 million was returned from the foundation to the hospital, college and hospice—an increase from $1.1 million in 2014.

The purpose of the Allen Foundation is to strengthen the programs and services of Allen Hospital and Allen College through philanthropic support. Each year, we return your gifts to Allen to be used most effectively in providing the best of healthcare and healthcare education.

We hope you’ll enjoy reading the 2015 Annual Report, full of stories made possible by your investment in Allen—just like the ones Henry B. enabled 90 years ago.

Cheers,
Celebrating a Year in Review

Hospital Inpatients
Total Inpatients:
Black Hawk & Bremer County Hospitals
17,733
Allen Hospital Inpatients
8,989
Allen Share
50.7%

Hospital Emergency Room Patients
Total ED Visits:
Black Hawk & Bremer County Hospitals
76,317
Allen Hospital Emergency Room Visits
32,124
Allen Share
42.1%

Hospital Outpatients
Total Outpatients:
Black Hawk & Bremer County Hospitals
127,571
Allen Hospital Outpatient Visits
51,165
Allen Share
40.1%

Babies Delivered
Total Deliveries:
Black Hawk & Bremer County Hospitals
2,747
Allen Hospital Deliveries
1,056
Allen Share
38.4%

UnityPoint Health – Waterloo Employees
Employees in December
1,637
Excludes UnityPoint Clinic, UnityPoint at Home
Allen Hospital Makes an IMPACT on Giving Tuesday

On Tuesday, December 1, 2015, the Allen Foundation IMPACT Committee kept its “Prize Patrol” busy delivering balloons and checks adding up to $25,065 to help six Allen Hospital departments improve the patient experience.

In July of 2015, Allen Hospital department managers and affiliates were encouraged to apply to the new Allen Foundation grant program for projects that would make the patient and family experience even better. Each project submitted would have a chance to win up to $10,000 in funding.

Of the 13 department projects submitted, six were chosen for the first IMPACT Allen grants.

1. Digital Warming Closet
This project proposed by the Allen Women’s Health department funds the purchase of a digital warming unit for exam table sheets and patient gowns to increase patient comfort.

“We only have one thermostat for the Women’s Health nurse area and the exam rooms, so it can get cold in the exam rooms, especially for our patients who come in for their yearly exams,” said Brooke Olson, Allen Women’s Health. “To warm the patient gowns and exam table sheets is just another way we can exceed our patients’ expectations.”

2. Discharge EZ
The Allen Hospital Inpatient Unit plans to provide 20 e-Signature digital tablets to enhance patient privacy while creating a more patient-centered approach that speeds the patient discharge process.

Lisa Rider, Director of Clinical Services-Inpatient Nursing, shared, “It will be a patient- and staff-satisfying project because there will be less copy making, stickering and sending charts to medical records for staff, while it speeds up the discharge process for patients.”

3. Cookie Time
Dietary and Volunteer Services proposed this project to create a more welcoming and comforting atmosphere for patients, families and guests through twice-weekly delivery of baked goods and refreshments to those in waiting areas and in patient and associate areas.
Sally Sherwood, Allen Hospital Manager of Support Services, noted, “Through the Allen IMPACT grant, our volunteers will be able to make a delicious, unexpected and very special difference to our patients, visitors and staff. It’s the small touches that make a tough day a little brighter.”

4. Allen Hospital Electric Scooter Replacements
This project proposed by the Volunteer Services department allows Allen Hospital to begin retiring old, worn and outdated electric scooters that have become difficult to maintain or do not meet the needs of patients. The new scooters have enhanced capabilities and technology.

Teri Ettelson, Executive Director Support Services, explained, “We’ve already replaced a couple of scooters that were being held together by duct tape. It’s a great way to improve our patients’ experiences, and the new scooters will look better, run better and be less expensive to maintain.”

5. Allen Hospital Transport/Staxis
The Transport/Patient Access department will use its grant to begin retiring old and worn wheelchairs. The upgraded, newer equipment will enhance the patient experience while making patient transportation easier for hospital staff.

“Upgraded wheelchairs are much needed for the comfort and safety of our patients,” said Mary Dvorak, Allen Hospital Manager of Customer Service Center.

6. Allen Pulmonary Support Group
Proposed by the Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation department, this project will fund monthly educational and social support groups for pulmonary patients and their families. This grant will fund the first year of supplies, speaker fees and advertisement needed for sustainable growth of the support group.

Aleshia Bloker, RN, BSN, Pulmonary Rehabilitation Coordinator, shared, “Over 26 million people in the U.S. have a chronic pulmonary condition, like COPD, and in 2012 we had more than 6,000 COPD patients and 8,000 adult asthmatic patients in Black Hawk County alone. With this support group, patients across different pulmonary diagnoses and stages can overcome feelings of isolation, connect with each other and learn from one another.”

For more information on how to donate to the IMPACT Allen Hospital Fund, call Allison Jensen at 319-226-2016 or email allison.jensen@unitypoint.org.
Donating

The Willis and Patricia Hansen Charitable Foundation Hospice Suite

When the time came for Willis Hansen’s wife, Patricia, to receive hospice care, the couple chose to spend their final days together in a hospital room at UnityPoint Health – Allen Hospital instead of transferring to an offsite hospice center. During their last long weekend together, the Hansens were surrounded by family and loved ones who gathered around Patricia’s bed and in a nearby waiting room.

Fast forward to one year later, Willis and his family were attending the dedication ceremony of the Willis and Patricia Hansen Charitable Foundation Hospice Suite. Hansen did not make much fuss about his charitable giving, referring to his generosity as “50 cents here, 50 cents there;” instead, he directed attention to his gratitude to the hospice staff and other Allen Hospital associates for the work they do.

“This is our way of repaying Allen Hospital for the services they rendered us,” Hansen said, regarding his generous donation.

“Learning that you or your loved one needs hospice care is tough. Willis Hansen’s donation was really a gift to the families in our community – the gift of time spent enjoying memories instead of worrying about hospice care.”

– Joyce Coil, UnityPoint Hospice Development Director
Thanks to Hansen’s gratitude for the care his wife received, hundreds of families who choose Allen Hospital will now have the opportunity to stay close to their loved ones receiving hospice care through Allen Hospital.

“It’s all about comfort at that stage,” said Hansen, recalling that last weekend with Patricia. “I said ‘Why can’t the hospice have something like this for other people?’”

Why not, indeed. A six-week renovation turned two hospital rooms into one suite with a portion of the adjacent hallway enclosed within. The two rooms are now divided only by a sliding glass door that creates a living space for visitors without completely separating hospice patients from their loved ones.

“It’s designed for a person who is going to be there three or four days, or maybe two days,” said Hansen. “It’s an end-of-life deal. If the family has a place to go and a place to sit, that’s what it’s for.”

At the dedication ceremony, family members took comfort in the thought that Patricia would have approved of the project.

“It’s all about donor choice,” said Dee Vandeventer, Chief Development Officer of the Allen Foundation. “We’re not the ones who are going to direct where donors are going to give their money – they have to choose what is meaningful for them. This is absolutely helping enhance the patient experience, and that is the No. 1 thing.”

For more information on how to volunteer or donate to UnityPoint Hospice, call Joyce Coil at 319-274-6714, or email joyce.coil@unitypoint.org.
Allen College Scholarships

Empowering Future Nurses

The rising cost of tuition for higher education across the nation no longer comes as a surprise. Students are increasingly dependent on student loans and scholarships to pay for their degrees. Luckily, Allen College students have generous community members on their side.

Carissa Kelm, a BSN student at Allen College, is this year’s recipient of the Fogdall scholarship. In order to receive this scholarship, Kelm needed to meet Jim and Judy Fogdall’s requirements of displaying good character and leadership skills, in addition to being a BSN student with financial need.

“The being chosen for the Fogdall scholarship has been a huge honor,” said Kelm. “Without this scholarship, I would not be able to obtain such a high-quality education as I am now.”

Kelm’s interest in nursing was inspired when her father began having heart problems, and she witnessed how much each of his nurses cared for him as an individual.
“It made me want to be that for other families,” said Kelm.

Her passion for providing compassionate care did not go unnoticed, and it was a similar passion that inspired the development of the Fogdall scholarship.

“Judy and I took a definite interest in nursing education after recent hospital stays. We were particularly impressed with a young graduate of Allen College,” said Jim Fogdall, scholarship donor. “She had only been on the job for one week. Her attitude, good nature and level of professional competence generated our compliments and encouragement. Her example inspired us to create a scholarship to assist future nursing students.”

Kelm is eager to show her appreciation of receiving the Fogdall scholarship by using it to improve her learning and life through the education it is helping to fund. She has not determined which area of nursing she will pursue after graduation, but Kelm plans to gain experience and eventually return to school to obtain her MSN.

For more information on how to establish your own endowed scholarship or contribute to scholarships at Allen College, call Allison Jensen at 319-226-2016, or email allison.jensen@unitypoint.org.

“I’m proud that our passionate nursing graduates are supported by an equally passionate community. These scholarships are the first steps toward a healthier Iowa.”

– Dr. Jerry Durham, Allen College Chancellor
“Today’s fast-paced culture demands convenience and efficient service in all things, especially healthcare. Prairie Parkway will provide that convenience, efficiency and so much more.”

– Dr. Daniel Glascock, MD, UnityPoint Clinic
Vice President/Regional Medical Director
Prairie Parkway will offer a full range of services focused on primary care for patients of all ages, such as:

- OB-GYN
- Pediatrics
- Family medicine
- Internal medicine
- Urgent care
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- Radiology imaging services, including x-ray, mammography and ultrasound
- Occupational, physical and speech therapy
- Behavioral health services
- Retail and drive-through pharmacy
- Rotating specialty clinics

Since the September 24, 2015, beam signing, more than $3 million of the $4 million coming through private support has already been secured. UnityPoint Health will cover the remaining $26 million of the $30 million project.

For more information on how you can contribute to Prairie Parkway, call Dee Vandeventer at 319-274-6712, or email dee.vandeventer@unitypoint.org.

$3 Million of the $4 Million has already been secured!
Taking Care of Baby Boy, Darren
And His Family

Initially, Heather Kelsey, a prospective mother, was induced into labor at a nearby hospital. But, due to her baby’s unstable heart rate which indicated problems with the birth, she underwent an emergency C-section before her new son, Darren, was rushed to the Allen Hospital Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU), where he became the patient.

Heather’s mother, Lynn, followed her newborn grandson to UnityPoint Health – Allen Hospital where she felt just as welcomed and cared for as her grandson. While Darren’s mother, Heather, recovered from the emergency C-section, Lynn was given a room to stay in and kept updated on Darren’s condition by regular visits from Dr. Pankaj Nagaraj, NICU physician, and his staff.

“I am the type of person who asks a lot of questions,” said Lynn. “Dr. Nagaraj and the team of NICU nurses always had an answer and could often tell me what we might expect before it even happened. He shared, ‘We can now take care of babies as young as 30 weeks. Four years ago we could only take babies 34 weeks and older.’”

Thanks to a gift from the Henry B. Allen Foundation, the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit was able to purchase a Giraffe® Incubator.

The incubator offers enhanced interaction between healthcare providers and patients. Integrated features, including an in-bed scale, oxygen delivery, and trending capabilities, emphasize development care principles and allow for exceptional patient/caregiver interaction.
Because childbirth is one the most common causes of hospitalization in the United States and 11.5 percent of births are preterm, evidence-based care practices, high-quality maternity care programs and advanced NICU technology are very important at Allen Hospital.

Thanks to the hospital’s dedication to providing the best care for even the tiniest of patients, UnityPoint Health – Allen Hospital is a designated Blue Distinction® Center+ for Maternity Care. Paired with Allen Hospital’s new Giraffe® Incubators, donated by the H.B. Allen Foundation, patients like Darren and his family can be assured that they will receive the state-of-the-art, innovative care they need, plus the compassionate next-level care patients and their families deserve.

When Heather was able to join her son at Allen Hospital, she took comfort in the assistance she received from Allen nurses who ensured she was comfortable and healing properly from her C-section, despite not being a patient.

“They treated us like family,” said Lynn. “Not like patients, but like family.”

Darren is now a thriving young boy, and his mother and grandmother credit Allen Hospital’s high-quality NICU, obstetrical and family-centered care.

For more information on how you can impact the OB and NICU like the H.B. Allen Foundation has done, call Mike Lind at 319-274-6710 or email michael.lind@unitypoint.org.

“The Giraffe® Incubator mimics the uterus. When a baby is born early, it is the closest thing to the womb, which positively impacts the baby’s growth and development significantly.”

– Dr. Pankaj Nagaraj, NICU Medical Director
The Future of Occupational and Physical Therapy Programs at Allen College

The fruit of two years of planning and even more years of dreaming have come to bear at Allen College: August 2015 marked the beginning of Allen College’s Master of Science in Occupational Therapy (MS in OT) program.

There were 14 students admitted for the program’s first year, making Allen College one of only two Iowa occupational therapy (OT) programs currently enrolling students.

“We plan to admit up to 24 additional students to the OT program in August 2016, and every August thereafter,” said Cindy Hahn, Occupational Therapy Program Director at Allen College. “We have received candidacy status from the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education and we are in the process of seeking full accreditation for the program.”

There are big plans for the new OT program, including relocation to a Rehabilitation Sciences building on the campus and an expanded OT laboratory. Current OT students Stephanie Mercil and Michala Lensing expressed their excitement for these plans, particularly the expanded laboratory.

“Without a doubt, I am most looking forward to a more conducive space for learning lecture material,” said Mercil. “The current setup is great for simulating therapeutic interventions and functional tasks, but it is less than ideal for concentrating on class lectures.”

“I think I can speak for all of my classmates when I say that we were all inspired to study occupational therapy because we share a desire to help others.”

– Stephanie Mercil, MS in Occupational Therapy student
The OT laboratory is temporarily located in Alumni Hall, but the relocation to a Rehabilitation Sciences building will allow Allen College to expand the laboratory’s footprint to accommodate additional students and faculty.

“Right now, I think it is hard because we are a class of 14 students being taught by three professors, and the lab quarters are tight,” said Lensing. “Many of our labs have academic components, so we spend hour after hour in the lab, trying to learn the information being presented while we are sitting at fold-out chairs and tables.”

Allen College’s MS in OT program emphasizes application of learned skills through a variety of fieldwork experiences. In the first five semesters, students complete academic coursework and then apply what they learn in their assigned Level I fieldwork placements. In the last two semesters, during the Level II fieldwork experiences, the students work full time in clinical environments and focus on building the final skills necessary for entry-level practice.

“Although we cover a variety of coursework in the program, from neuroscience to culture, everything ultimately connects back to practicing holistically and providing clients with purposeful and meaningful occupational therapy interventions,” said Mercil.

As a class, students are completing their second Level I fieldwork at North Star Community Services, where they work in teams to develop and lead purposeful occupations for two consumer groups each week.

“What I like most about this program is the hands-on learning,” said Lensing. “I have always been an active learner, so for me, the lab and fieldwork components help me connect what we are learning during lectures to how it will be applied once I am a practitioner.”

Mercil and Lensing both plan to remain in Iowa after completing their master’s degrees in occupational therapy—Mercil hopes to work in a skilled nursing facility to follow her passion for geriatric care or to pursue her interest in hand therapy, while Lensing plans to use her skills to fill gaps in Iowa’s communities and make a difference in the care of individuals.

Despite all of the growth already happening, Allen College doesn’t plan to stop at the new MS in OT program. The new Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program has been approved by the College’s Board of Trustees and the Iowa Coordinating Council on Post-High School Education. Allen College’s next steps include selecting a program director and faculty and gaining approval by the Higher Education Learning Commission and the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education. Current plans project August 2018 as the potential start date for the first DPT class.

For more information about the new MS in OT and DPT programs or how to support these new programs at Allen College, call Allison Jensen at 319-226-2016, or email allison.jensen@unitypoint.org.
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- Two Giraffe® brand incubators
- A family-centered Hospice Suite
- A new electric scooter for patients and other visitors of the Hospital who have trouble walking
- A Special Care Room in the Emergency Department to serve victims of sexual abuse
- More than $450,000 in Allen College student scholarships
- Funding for Prairie Parkway, a new outpatient medical home in Cedar Falls
- Many end-of-life wishes from hospice patients and their families
- A summer nursing camp for high school students interested in a nursing career

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The Allen Foundation celebrated Allen Hospital’s 90th birthday at Allen College.

Several other 90-year-olds had plenty more to celebrate.

Bill Strouse was in attendance to honor his late wife, Shirley, who is the namesake of a suite in the Allen Birthing Center and a scholarship at Allen College.

Maxine Morrison was there to marvel at how far the campus has come since her husband came to practice medicine in Waterloo in 1950.

And Kathryn Walker could barely find time to enjoy a piece of birthday cake between conversations sharing her experience as a member of the first graduating class of nursing students after the Allen School of Nursing reopened in 1945.

All in all, it has been a fantastic 90 years, and nobody can relate better than the 17 nonagenarians who gathered to celebrate the milestone.

“It’s almost unreal; it’s wonderful,” said Morrison. “The college is offering more and more classes, degrees in different areas. In the book my husband put together, you realize how little the hospitals all were and how many changes we take for granted.”

Morrison, originally from Parkersburg, lived with her husband, Robert, in Chicago before he moved to work as an internist at Allen Hospital.

Walker graduated from Allen College and worked as a nurse for 40 years. She recalled her early years in the profession when she made house calls to perform surgery, which is yet another difference between now and the way things used to be.

“You wouldn’t believe what this place was like,” Walker said about the early years of Allen College.

“They had to clean out a place for us to be. It was a home for older people, they had to clean that all out so we had a place to live in.”

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Walker was accompanied by her stepdaughter, Sandy Goings, who said she was inspired by her stepmother and became a nurse herself. Margaret Stout was also a member of that 1945 graduating class of 26.

The family aspect that healthcare and Allen Hospital afford is present for Strouse, as well. His generous gifts are intertwined with his late daughter Nancy’s many years of work in the Allen Hospital birthing center.

And like most family birthday gatherings, the party of more than 30 people joined in to sing a hearty round of “Happy Birthday” and simply enjoy their time together.

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Allen Hospital volunteer Betty Wexter was recognized with the Lifetime Achievement Volunteer Award at the Mayors’ Volunteer Awards Luncheon on April 21, 2015. Betty was honored for her countless volunteer hours at Allen, especially with the Hospital Auxiliary, Allen Alumni Association and the Allen Auxiliary Gift Shop. “It was a privilege to congratulate her and have a picture taken with her,” said Allen Foundation board member Bette Wubbena.

Betty Wexter has been a lifelong resident of Waterloo. She went to East High School and then to Allen School of Nursing. Betty became an RN and then went on to the New York University Hospital for additional surgical nurse training.

Betty served many years on the Allen School of Nursing (Allen College) Alumni Board of Directors. She has also been involved with the Allen Hospital Auxiliary, serving on the board of directors for 10 years. Under her influence the Auxiliary has provided many valuable contributions to Allen Hospital.

Betty also served as a Girl Scout leader for many years. She was a Boys and Girls Club volunteer where her influence impacted many, specifically one girl who became a registered nurse. Betty has been involved with First Presbyterian Church where she has been a deacon, PWC moderator and secretary. She has also been a member of the board of directors with the Presbyterian Women of North Central Iowa.

Each week Betty can be found at the Allen Hospital Gift Shop. Whether you are a family member, neighbor, church member, old friend, new friend or stranger, Betty always shows her caring, unselfish kindness. Her lifelong dedication to service and care for others is amazing and an inspiration to all who have the privilege of knowing her. Please help us congratulate Betty for this fitting tribute to her lifetime of service.
A lot can happen in five years. The Allen Child Protection Center (CPC) opened in May 2010, and in its first five years received 1,608 referrals from law enforcement and DHS for children who were suspected of being abused or who witnessed violence. Staff conducted 1,578 forensic interviews and 965 medical examinations, producing critical evidence for investigations and prosecutions when warranted. In 2012 the Center earned full accreditation from the National Children’s Alliance. The CPC depends on grants and gifts to operate, and in its first five years, 304 individuals, foundations and government agencies contributed. The Allen CPC was created to fill a void in Northeast Iowa, and after just five years, it is difficult to imagine our region without it.

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UnityPoint Hospice continued to ensure the best possible care for its patients and families. One such example was a family in need of a wheelchair accessible ramp for their loved one receiving hospice.

Sue Porter, a UnityPoint Hospice social worker, was aware of the need and reached out to the Allen Foundation to see what could be done to assist Roy Pearce in his home care. After Sue shared with the Foundation Board, a plan was put in place to contact Gene Leonhart at Cardinal Construction (a previous Allen Hospital Board member).

“It was explained that a client in hospice care needed help,” said Leonhart. “Already being in the hospice program, it wasn’t something we could wait around for. We had a couple guys free that week.” Leonhart gave the OK to donate all the materials.

“I wasn’t sure how I was going to get in and out of the house before,” said Pearce.

“We had some capable guys get it done quickly,” Leonhart added.

“Just really grateful,” said Pearce. “It’s something I couldn’t have done myself — I was trying to come up with a way myself, but they came out and were a big help.”

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To the special lady who made the Ivory Prayer Shawl.

Thank you, thank you, thank you.

It radiates your many prayers as we cover Dad with it; it also gives Peace, comfort and love as we as a family go through this difficult time. Many thanks for your kindness.

This note came from a family member of a UnityPoint Hospice patient who received a prayer shawl. UnityPoint Prayer Shawl Ministry began in May 2015. To date, more than 75 knitted or crocheted prayer shawls have been presented to hospice patients by a nurse, social worker, chaplain and even Dr. Jaoude, our chief of staff.

We’re so grateful to our volunteers who put so much love into knitting these beautiful shawls.
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The Allen College Alumni Association hosted its 5th annual Donate to Educate scholarship benefit on Thursday, February 26, 2015, in Winter Hall on the Allen College campus. Thanks to the support of nearly 100 guests, more than $11,000 was raised for Allen College student scholarships. The Allen College Alumni Association’s mission is to promote and support Allen College and its heritage. We are extremely grateful for the gifts of donations and volunteered time to make this such a successful event.

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– Michala Lensing,
MS in Occupational Therapy student
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