

HRRMC DELNAY GUEST HOUSE



Thanks to a generous donation from the Robert and Bernice Delnay Trust, the HRRMC Foundation and Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center have partnered to build a 10-unit housing project on the HRRMC campus. Four of the 10 units will be dedicated as a hospitality housing providing charitable overnight accommodations for HRRMC patients, family members, and caregivers who live

30+ miles away. The remaining six units will be affordable housing for HRRMC employees to rent. The Picie Hylton Charitable Fund is the operational fund for the Hospitality House, as Picie Hylton was the inspiration for the project. A groundbreaking is anticipated for January 2024.

2023 JEWEL BALL

The 2023 Jewel Ball held on October 5th at Mt. Princeton Hot Springs Resort was a fun and successful evening! The Mardi Gras-themed event created a festive and colorful setting. Together, we raised more than \$68,000 to go towards the planned HRRMC wound care center. The event attracted 19 sponsors, 8 underwriters, and 47 ticket purchases. The auction included tickets to sporting events and concerts, and a Telluride getaway.

Cena B. Troutman was inducted into the 2023 HRRMC Hall of Fame. Cena was a nurse and leader at HRRMC for over 40 years. Although she retired in 2002, her impact is still felt by employees who worked with her, and they have carried on her dedication to exceptional healthcare and culture of care she helped establish.

WOUND CARE CENTER & MARY ANN BANACH

HRRMC is planning to open a wound care center the fall of 2024. Wound care is a significant and growing need in our region. Treatments include dressing changes, debridement and surgical procedures. Non-healing wounds often require hyperbaric pressurized oxygen treatments. The planned wound care center will have one hyperbaric chamber. The HRRMC Foundation Board has dedicated funds from the Mary Ann Banach Trust for the wound care center, in addition to the \$68,000 in proceeds from the 2023 Jewel Ball.

Cena B Troutman -2023 Hall of Fame Honoree



Cena's nursing graduation portrait
& 1990 portrait

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WOMEN'S WELLNESS CONNECTION GRANT

HRRMC Foundation has been a recipient of the Colorado Department of Health and Environment/Cancer Prevention & Early Detection Women's Wellness Connection Grant since 2016. In June of 2023 we were awarded a second five-year contract. This grant provides education and scheduling for annual cervical and breast cancer screenings. The funding also covers preventive screenings, including mammograms and ultrasounds for uninsured women who qualify for free services at any HRRMC clinic in Buena Vista, Fairplay, Saguache, Salida, or Westcliffe. For more information on this program, please contact Melanie Critelli at 719-530-1065.

HEALTHCARE SCHOLARSHIPS & EMPLOYEE EDUCATION

HRRMC Foundation is committed to healthcare education. In 2023, we distributed over 12 scholarships and more than \$34,000 to individuals seeking a career in healthcare. Additionally, thanks to the Buena Vista Community Health Board, HRRMC employees have been able to apply for scholarships for career development. By the end of 2023, we will have supported over 10 individuals by giving \$24,000 in scholarships. Investing in education is important to ensure a thriving healthcare system in our region.

HRRMC FOUNDATION OFFICE MOVE

The HRRMC Foundation offices moved to the Antero Pavilion (previously First Street Family Health Clinic building) on the hospital campus in October. Karen Moore, has joined the HRRMC Foundation as the new Administrative Assistant and is at this location. The HRRMC Foundation Director, Lezlie Andrew Burkley can be reached at 719-530-2218. Karen Moore can be reached by calling 719-530-8221.

HRRMC AUXILIARY VOLUNTEERS

The HRRMC Auxiliary volunteers generously supported hospital departments with over \$10,000 of needed equipment for the Allergy Clinic, Imaging Department, Dermatology, Infection Prevention, Education Department, Wellness U, ICU, and Salida Health Center. Thank you ladies for all you do! If you are interested in joining this volunteer group to help in the HRRMC Gift Shop or to help with rehabilitation services, please call the Gift Shop, 719-530-2395. Volunteers must be 18 or older.

SOUTH PARK HEALTH CARE & DOLA GRANT

HRRMC took over operations of the South Park Health Care in March 2023. In partnership with South Park Health Service District Board, the HRRMC Foundation received a Department of Local Affairs (DOLA) Grant to secure a new x-ray machine, lab equipment and new phone and computer equipment to link the clinic with HRRMC. This has already proven to be a successful collaboration and a continued asset in South Park County.



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