

Impact Report

1869 SOCIETY

The 1869 Society is a group of Associates who have made a financial commitment to support CHRISTUS Santa Rosa and/or The Children's Hospital of San Antonio. This report shares the impact of YOUR GIFT to the 1869 Society during 2022.

More than 455 Associates came together to raise a total of \$129,236.

Your Dollars At Work

The **CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital – New Braunfels** Outpatient Rehabilitation Center has served New Braunfels patients since 1998.

Services at the Outpatient Rehabilitation Center include cardiac and pulmonary rehabilitation, in addition to physical, occupational, and speech therapy.



With the help of the Friends Foundation and the generosity of Associates via 1869 Society, funds will support renovation of the 24000-square-foot facility. The renovation will include: therapy treatment pool, three gym areas, private treatment rooms, the education conference room, locker rooms, patient check-in area and the patient/family waiting area.

This past year, **The Children's Hospital of San Antonio** was nationally recognized as a 2022 top workplace in health care. Keeping a top-notch workplace together in a competitive marketplace is no easy task. Thankfully, our leadership has developed a strategy to help our Associates remain motivated, thriving, and engaged.

The funds raised through the 1869 Society are used by the Children's Culture Crew throughout the year with the goal of recruiting, recognizing, and retaining our Associates.

"Each day, our team demonstrates what it means to be a CHRISTUS Associate by showing up and providing the best possible care for our patients and families. It's important we consistently take the time to celebrate every achievement and truly value the efforts each Associate puts in. Thank you to our Foundation for recognizing this and for each Associate who contributes to the 1869 Society," said Cris Daskevich, CEO at The Children's Hospital of San Antonio.



Your Dollars At Work

The Friends Foundation is dedicated in supporting the ongoing needs at **CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital – Westover Hills (CSRH-WH)**, one of San Antonio's fastest growing areas.

"With the COVID atmosphere, there has been an increased workload at CSRH-WH. We've endured major staffing challenges, and the Pharmacy MedKeeper is a solution that helps us to repurpose the short staffing; we have to be able to do more with less. We are very grateful to have this workflow solution. Even more grateful that it is coming from funds raised by our Associates here at CSRH-WH through the 1869 Society," said David Chan, director of pharmacy at CSRH-WH.



The Women's Center at **CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital – San Marcos (CSRH-SM)**

purchased two Giraffe warmers using 1869 Society designated funds to meet the needs of the babies and clinicians in the Level II Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. This revolutionary heater eliminates a large overhead heater making it easier to observe the patient and perform procedures such as X-rays and surgery. The Giraffe warmer is designed for simplicity. The ease of use helps ensure a developmental care friendly environment for the infant where unnecessary patient simulation is minimized. These two warmers add to our effort to elevate the care we provide for women and children in partnership and collaboration with The Children's Hospital of San Antonio.



"Our Associates can trust their gift is managed wisely and responsibly, and will make a difference in the lives of many patients we serve. I am blessed to work with such dedicated and amazing Associates each and every day," said Jennifer Drinan, Women's Center director at CSRH-SM.



CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital – Alamo Heights (CSRH-AH) continues to be dedicated to clinical and operational excellence. In support of their efforts, the team identified a need for two clinical chairs designed to improve the patient and caregiver experience during pre-testing and labs.

With funds designated to CSRH-AH via 1869 Society, two chairs were purchased.

They are in the pre-admission testing area. In addition to being comfortable, they will help reduce caregiver injury and strain.

The Friends Foundation has supported **CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital – Medical Center's (CSRH-MC)** continued efforts to provide the best and most compassionate care to patients and families.

Funds have assisted in vital areas including lab equipment to expand and expedite lab testing, renovation of the first floor oncology unit, and continued support of the radiology department including the Angio/IR suite.



A BIG THANK YOU!

Call for volunteers! If you're passionate about your work and want to improve our healing ministry, we need your help. Email Associate.Giving@christushealth.org for more information on becoming a champion. Yes, you!

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