# **Auxiliary of Bethesda Hospital 2021 Grant Recipients**

## **BETHESDA NORTH OB/GYN CLINIC**

Funding for 3 blood pressure cuffs each month for uninsured patients to check and keep a log of blood pressure at home and funding for Hispanic Gestational Diabetes support.

\$10,900

## **PERINATAL PROGRAMS**

A grant to cover the yearly partnership fee with New Life Furniture and to pay for the delivery of furniture - beds, sofas, tables, etc. for families in need.

\$10,000

## **BETHESDA NORTH PERINATAL PROGRAM**

In the sad case of infant loss, the Special Care Nursery uses Preshand Inserts to provide a respectful and dignified manner for transportation to mortuary care.

\$1,700

#### **SPECIAL CARE NURSERY**

The Special Care Nursery volunteers make quilts for babies who are in their care for more than 3 days. They also keep a small number of car seats for babies whose families cannot afford to purchase their own.

\$2,500

## **OPERATION SMART - Strategic Medical Asset Readiness Training**

Provides welcome meals and items for service members who come to Bethesda North for direct medical skills training. Grant will provide support for the program again this year.

\$1,600

## TRIHEALTH CANCER INSTITUTE

Presented us with information about Genetic Counseling for Pancreatic Cancer Patients. Grant to cover out of pocket costs associated with genetic testing. This testing can direct oncologists to newly approved targeted therapies and educate patients on inherited cancer risks.

\$5,000

## TRIHEALTH CANCER INSTITUTE

Funding for Psychosocial Oncology Indigent Patient Basic Needs. We are granting funds for Kroger gift cards that can be used for food, medication, and gas to/from appointments for oncology patients in financial need.

\$7,500

#### TRIHEALTH PAVILION

Thanks to information obtained during Administrative Review, the group was able to find Tablets that were no longer being used at TriHealth – a savings of \$3,000! We are happy to provide funding for a Tablet Charging Station and Sanitizing Box for Medical Exercise Education for the Tablets they were able to obtain in house.

\$354

#### BETHESDA NORTH CARDIAC REHABILITATION

Grant to purchase Sir Koff-A-Lot Bears which are given to all open-heart patients for use after surgery to protect incisions while coughing, moving, and riding in a car.

\$10,000

## TRIHEALTH WEIGHT MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Awarded funding for a Bariatric Wheelchair for TSI Butler and a Bariatric Wheelchair Scale for TriHealth Pavilion.

\$3,124

## BETHESDA BUTLER OUTPATIENT PHYSICAL THERAPY

Funding for 3 sets of needs:

- Replacement of 3 Documentation Carts
- Refurbishment of 12 Treatment Tables
- Sitting Bench Outside the Physical Therapy Clinic

\$15,247

#### **BETHESDA BUTLER**

There is currently no place in the patient room bathrooms at Butler to put a toothbrush or other personal items. This grant will pay for the installation of Bathroom Shelving for Inpatient and ICU Rooms and provide a place for patient personal belongings.

\$3,610

#### **BETHESDA BUTLER REGISTRATION**

Submitted 2 grant applications and received funding for:

- The purchase of 8 Staxi Patient Wheelchairs that will be a benefit to patients and staff for comfort, safety, and maneuverability
- A Charging Station for Phones/I-Pads in Outpatient Area

\$12,850

2021 Total: \$84,385