

2024-2025

PEACE ARCH HOSPITAL

Annual Donor Wish List

The donations you provide ensure that excellent healthcare remains close-to-home in our community.

This booklet contains some of the current equipment needs at Peace Arch Hospital.

With the help of donors, we need to purchase...

♥ VITAL SIGNS MONITORS — MATERNITY DEPARTMENT, \$9,100

This monitor is vital for continuous monitoring of the newborn's health, allowing early detection of any abnormalities or distress. By providing real-time data on heart rate, breathing, and oxygen levels, it enables prompt medical intervention if necessary, ensuring the well-being and safety of the newborns in the critical postnatal period.



♥ PANDA INFANT WARMERS — MATERNITY DEPARTMENT, \$46,000

An infant warmer in the maternity department is essential for maintaining the newborn's body temperature, which is critical for their well-being, especially in the delicate early hours after birth. It helps prevent hypothermia and supports the baby's thermoregulatory system, promoting stable physiological functions and reducing the risk of complications, ensuring a smooth transition into the world outside the womb.



MEDICAL BEDS — LONG TERM CARE & REHAB, \$16,500

These complex adjustable beds are fundamental in providing care to our elderly patients, especially those individuals in long term care with mobility issues. Getting in and out of bed can be a challenge for many reasons, and the adjustability and special features of these beds ensure that the residents can start and end their days safely, with special care for their physical limitations.



SURGICAL BEDS — SURGICAL DEPARTMENT, \$17,000

Provides a stable and adjustable surface for patients to lay on before and after their surgical procedures, ensuring optimal positioning for patients and their medical teams. Comfort after surgery is crucial for promoting healing and recovery, as it reduces stress, supports pain management, enhances circulation, and improves overall well-being, thereby facilitating the body's natural healing processes.

CEREBRAL OXIMETER — SURGICAL DEPARTMENT, \$10,800

This monitor is a specialized device used to measure the oxygen saturation level in the blood of the brain. This non-invasive monitoring tool is particularly useful in situations where continuous monitoring of cerebral oxygenation is essential, such as during surgeries involving the brain or cardiovascular procedures where there is a risk of compromised blood flow to the brain. It allows for prompt interventions if oxygen levels become insufficient, helping to prevent potential brain damage and improve patient outcomes.



Your kind generosity could help support one or more of the following items...

COMPUTER ON WHEELS — PRIMARY CARE ACCESS CLINIC, \$7,500

These allow healthcare teams to access electronic health records, input patient data, and review medical information directly at the point of care in the clinic.



RAPID INFUSER PUMP— PACU, \$55,000

A rapid infuser pump is a medical device used to deliver large volumes of fluids, such as blood products, intravenous (IV) fluids, or medications, to a patient quickly and efficiently. These pumps are designed to administer fluids at a high flow rate, allowing for rapid resuscitation or fluid replacement in emergency situations, trauma cases, or during major surgeries where rapid fluid administration is critical.



VEIN VIEWER— PATHOLOGY, \$10,000

Help see veins beneath the skin, aiding in the identification of suitable venipuncture sites and improving the success rate of blood draws, which is crucial for pathology to obtain accurate samples for diagnostic testing.



BLOOD ANALYZERS — LABORATORY, \$7,100-\$13,000 each

Enhances diagnostic efficiency and accuracy, leading to faster turnaround times for test results and ultimately improving patient care outcomes.



2 Needed!

MOBILE PATIENT LIFT — HOGG PAVILLION, \$14,000

Mobile patient lifts are essential for safe transfers, preventing injuries to both patients and caregivers while preserving patient dignity. They streamline the transfer process, enhancing efficiency and accessibility in various healthcare settings.



PLATELET INCUBATOR— LABORATORY, \$10,000

Incubators like this are critical for Peace Arch Hospital's laboratory to maintain the viability and functionality of platelets used in transfusion therapy. By controlling temperature and humidity levels, it ensures optimal storage conditions, preserving platelet integrity and prolonging their shelf life.

The incubation process is essential for protecting platelets, meeting patient needs, reducing wastage, and ensuring the availability of high-quality blood products for critical medical interventions.

There are many ways to make an impact...



MEDICAL FREEZER, FULL-HEIGHT— PHARMACY DEPARTMENT, \$20,000

This full-height freezer is used in Peace Arch Hospital's pharmacy and plays a crucial role in preserving temperature-sensitive medications and biological samples, maintaining their efficacy and integrity for patient safety and treatment effectiveness.

It ensures compliance with storage requirements mandated by regulatory agencies, safeguarding the potency and stability of medications, vaccines, and other medical supplies, thereby facilitating optimal patient care and reducing the risk of adverse outcomes associated with compromised products.

The freezer currently in Peace Arch Hospital's pharmacy is too small to store everything that is required to be stored there. Replacement is needed as soon as possible.

WOUND DRESSING CART — ELLEN SINCLAIR KENNETT LODGE, \$2,700 each

A wound cart is essential in long-term care settings as it consolidates all necessary supplies and equipment for wound care management, ensuring efficiency and accessibility during patient treatment.

By providing convenient access to dressings, disinfectants, and specialized tools, the wound cart streamlines the wound care process, promoting effective treatment, preventing complications, and improving overall patient outcomes.

4 Carts Needed!



*17 Endoscopic
Cameras are needed!*

ENDOSCOPIC CAMERAS — SURGERY, \$9,800-\$18,300 each

These small-but-mighty cameras allow doctors to visualize the surgery or diagnostic procedure on a larger screen, such as a TV display or a computer monitor, and permit capturing photos and recording videos. These cameras are incredibly important for helping doctors and surgeons diagnose problems and create effective treatment plans during and post-surgery. Endoscopes currently needed include: [Colonoscope](#), [Laparoscope](#), [Resectoscope](#), [Ureteroscope](#), [Hysteroscope](#), and [Ureterorenoscope](#). Price per scope varies.

New equipment is critical to providing quality healthcare close-to-home.



SENSORY STIMULATION CEILING MOUNT PROJECTOR — ELLEN SINCLAIR KENNETT LODGE, \$19,000

Residents and families requested increased resources for recreational and therapeutic activities at Ellen Sinclair Kennett Lodge.

This projector can engage long-term care residents through sensory stimulation activities by projecting dynamic visual scenes, soothing imagery, or interactive games onto surfaces in common areas or individual rooms, providing residents with stimulating and immersive experiences that can enhance mood, cognition, and overall well-being, fostering a sense of engagement and connection within the care environment.

ARJO RHAPSODY TUB SYSTEM — VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS, \$47,400 each

These tub systems enhance patient bathing experiences by providing advanced features like automated temperature control, adjustable settings, and enhanced safety measures, thereby improving comfort and reducing the risk of injury during bathing procedures.



4 New Tubs Needed!



IMAGINE: A CAMPAIGN FOR MEDICAL IMAGING

We're currently in the final stages of fundraising for the replacement of the five medical imaging needs of our rapidly growing community:

- Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
- Digital X-Ray
- Fluoroscopy Machine
- Gamma Camera
- 3 NEW Ultrasound Machines

Ask how you can help us reach our \$10 million Campaign Goal!

Every gift, large or small, makes an impact.

Don't see something on this wish list that speaks to you?
Ask us about our additional projects and funding opportunities!
We'd love to hear from you.

Help to make our community the healthiest community possible by funding an initiative!

TRANQUILITY GARDEN & HORTICULTURE THERAPY PROGRAM — MELVILLE HOSPICE HOME, \$100,000

Therapeutic horticulture is a practice that uses plants, gardens, and nature to help people improve their physical and mental health.

Funding this grant stream will continue to allow the use of therapeutic horticulture in Melville Hospice Home's *Tranquility Garden* outside PAH Foundation Lodge. It's amazing to witness the meaningful and positive impact it has on so many patients' physical and mental health. Ensure our gardens are well maintained and patients continue to thrive with this therapy.



♥ **MOVE FOR LIFE PROJECT— A HEALTHY COMMUNITIES INITIATIVE - \$100,000+**

As part of the Foundation's commitment to ensuring our community is the healthiest possible, we have partnered with Sport for Life, a national not-for-profit organization that strives to improve the health and lives of all Canadians. The innovative project brings community leaders together to spearhead a five-year Physical Literacy for Communities initiative in the areas of education, recreation, sport, health and media.

We believe that to effect change upstream and keep people out of the hospital, a healthy lifestyle is key. Peace Arch Hospital will always be here if you need it, but with committing to a being as healthy as possible, hopefully you won't. Ask us about this innovative project and how you might be able to support it with your donation!



MUSIC FOR THE SOUL — OCEANSIDE & ARBUTUS PLACE, \$10,000

Music is often used to provide motivation for physical activation in the elderly. Playing instruments can increase range of motion, develop muscle strength and tolerance, and enhance both fine and gross motor functioning. Singing can improve oral-motor skills and enhance respiratory functioning.

This funding is requested to hold a music program for older adult patients in Peace Arch Hospital's Tertiary Older Adult Mental Health Unit. The program would be located in two units: Oceanside and Arbutus place. An entertainer will come in for a one hour session and come twice a month. Sessions will be booked for birthdays and holidays.



One way to make your gift...



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For several years now I've been donating shares, including common stocks and mutual funds, and it's a breeze. And best of all, there are no calculations required. All you have to do is visit your financial advisor, supply the right forms, and direct your gift towards Peace Arch Hospital Foundation!

It gives me great pleasure to donate to my hospital, with the knowledge that I am contributing to the care and welfare of others in a meaningful way.



- Dr. Barbara Olson, Donor

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