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2022 DONOR JOURNAL



UnityPoint Health Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation

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The purpose of UnityPoint Health® - Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation is to enhance philanthropic activities to ensure the UnityPoint Health - Grinnell Regional Medical Center (GRMC) mission of improving the health of the people and communities it serves.

vision

The UnityPoint Health - Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation will inform and educate donors and the local communities regarding the work of GRMC while providing encouragement and opportunities to support the medical center's mission.

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belief motivated his work on the GRMC Foundation Board and inspired his personal philanthropy. The GRMC Foundation Board of Directors and staff are grateful for his friendship and celebrate the legacy he leaves behind.

welcome

Dear Friends,

We do amazing things here at GRMC.

This is what GRMC's manager of Nursing Services and Intensive Care Unit, Sheenna Bachman, proclaimed during one of our recent daily RESPECT Huddles and we wholeheartedly agree with her. From life-changing surgery to emergency care to delivering babies, our team does amazing things every day.

You are one of the reasons it is possible for GRMC to do amazing things.

Your generosity and support and the way you give from your heart is amazing. You make it possible to purchase critical equipment to help our patients. You make it possible for our team members to enhance their skills with specialized training. You make it possible for GRMC to be here every day, ready to meet the health care needs of everyone who lives in Poweshiek County and the surrounding area.

As you read through this Donor Journal, we invite you to reflect on the impact you made through your gifts to the GRMC Foundation in 2022. Your support helped GRMC team members do amazing things, and we appreciate each one of you - our thoughtful donors, dedicated board members and committed providers and team members.

Thank you for sharing our vision and supporting our mission with your generosity and compassion.

People are amazing. Especially you.



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2022 DISBURSEMENTS OF GIFTS

The GRMC Foundation is honored to help you make a meaningful impact on the programs and services GRMC provides. With your donation, you partner with GRMC in fulfilling our mission to improve the health of the people and communities we serve.

In 2022, donations to the GRMC Foundation provided more than \$350,000 in philanthropic support to GRMC. Listed below are some of the many areas impacted by the generosity of our donors.

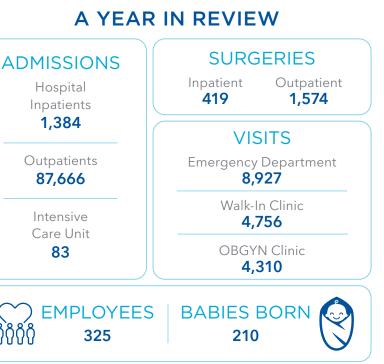
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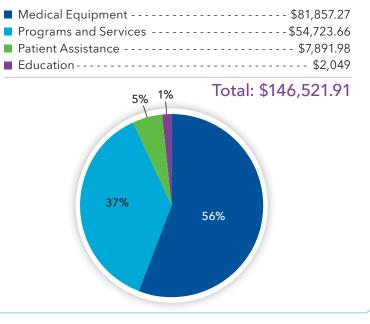
of your gift stays local to benefit the health care programs and needs in all the communities we serve.

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2022 DISBURSEMENTS OF GIFTS



Delivering Our Future growing obstetrics

Pregnant women living in rural America face unprecedented barriers to maternity care. More than 100 rural hospitals throughout the country have closed since 2010. Of those that remain, 20% are at risk of closing and many are choosing to shut down their OB units due to the growing shortages of physicians, nurses and anesthesia staff.

In Iowa there were 79 hospitals with OB units in 2013; there are only 56 today, a decrease of nearly 30%.

Hospital and/or OB unit closures mean laboring women in rural areas face longer journeys, which lead to an increase in births outside of the hospital, births in hospitals without OB care or births in an emergency department. These situations put the mother and the baby at risk.

GRMC is currently the only hospital with an obstetrics unit in Poweshiek, Marshall, Iowa and Tama counties.

Our commitment to stabilize and grow our maternal health service line for our region remains steadfast because we believe it is fundamental to our communities and to our mission.

The Delivering Our Future campaign will focus on optimizing the existing space of our OB unit, including adding a labor, delivery, recovery and postpartum (LDRP) room for a total of four in the unit.

Last renovated in 2000 with the support of John and Jewel Kintzinger, there are currently only three labor and delivery rooms. With increasing frequency, those rooms are consistently full. The year 2022 saw a 27% increase in babies born at GRMC compared to four years ago. A record 210 babies were born at GRMC last year, and there were more than 4,300 visits to our OBGYN Clinic in the same year, supporting the expected increase in babies to be born at GRMC in the near future.

Growing the OB unit is critical to meeting the needs of parents and babies in our rural region of central lowa.

The State of Iowa is equally concerned about the maternal health needs in our state's rural areas. GRMC was awarded the Center of Excellence Grant by the Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH) for the 2022-2023 calendar year. This is a continuation of the Centers of Excellence Grant GRMC received in 2021.

In a state and nation where necessary OB services are becoming scarce in our rural areas, GRMC is committed to being fully equipped and accessible to deliver future generations for years to come.

To learn more about the Delivering Our Future campaign, contact Donna Fischer, Director of Development, at (641) 236-2079 or by emailing donna.fischer@unitypoint.org.

OUR FUTURE **GROWING OBSTETRICS**

Iowa Center of Excellence Award

GRMC was awarded the Center of **Excellence Grant by the Iowa Department** of Public Health (IDPH) for the 2022-2023 calendar year. The \$212,500 grant will continue to establish lowa's framework to sustain access to high-quality OB services for rural populations. Focus areas of the Center of Excellence grant include rural maternal health needs in Iowa, Marshall, Poweshiek and Tama counties and maternity care services at GRMC. For the current grant period, grant dollars are focused on maternal health outreach in Marshall and Poweshiek Counties to bring OB care offerings closer to more parentsto-be in those counties.

OB Team Receives **Hepatitis B Birth Dose Honor Roll Recognition**

GRMC was named to the Hepatitis B Birth Dose Honor Roll by the Immunization Action Coalition for achieving a vaccination rate of 97 percent of all newborns born from July 2021 through June 2022. Thank you, OB team, for ensuring our littlest patients are protected from Hepatitis B.



Left to right: Michelle Moore, RN; Morgan Bech, RN; Cariin Schuver, RN; Mindy Johnston, RN; Kami Walters, RN



Left to right: Adam Gregg, Lieutenant Governor of Iowa; Maddie Callaway, Clinic Administrator - Physician Services-Grinnell; Alex Smolik, Business Development Strategist-Finance-Grinnell, Kim Reynolds, Governor of Iowa; Jennifer Havens, CEO, Grinnell Regional Medical Center; Shauna Callaway, Director of Public Health and Wellness-Grinnell.

OB Awarded Silver Safe **Sleep Designation**

Congratulations to our OB department for achieving the five-year designation of a Silver Safe Sleep Hospital by Cribs for Kids[®]. Our OB team has demonstrated a commitment to best practices, team member and patient education and community outreach in supporting safe infant sleep. GRMC gifts every infant with a wearable blanket before discharge. Thank you, OB team, for all you do for our smallest patients!



Left to right: Cherish Hansen, RN; Dee Brown, RN; Sheryl Baarda, RNC - OB Nurse Manager, Chemotherapy/Infusion Center; Cariin Schuver, RN; Kami Walters, RN

GROWING OBSTETRICS

hospital news

Newly Renovated Patient Registration

We are pleased to show off GRMC's new Registration area. Completed in the summer of 2022, this new space provides a higher degree of comfort and privacy for our patients during the check in process. Below are some of the comments we've received following the renovations:

"The new facilities for registration facilitate checking in greatly! Much more privacy with comfortable surroundings."

"The waiting area is beautiful! Grinnell is SO lucky to have such a facility!!"

"Thank you relocating the admitting department. The new space is beautiful, properly located in the hospital with private spaces to discuss matters that should not be shared with others. Long overdue and well done."



National Rural Health Day **Roundtable Held at GRMC**

GRMC hosted regional community leaders, representatives, advocates and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development State Director in Iowa Theresa Greenfield on November 17, 2022, for National Rural Health Day. Attendees shared in a roundtable discussion of the struggles facing rural health care and toured GRMC's updated patient registration space and relocated **OBGYN** Clinic.

"It's an honor to showcase the amazing things our teams do every day for our patients and communities," says Kyle Wilcox, Vice President, Finance and Operations, GRMC. "Our rural hospital and clinics are made stronger by the individuals and groups in our region, and the significance of the grant dollars from USDA and Poweshiek County ARPA to improve our care infrastructure is more than the dollars awarded - every time a patient has a great care experience close to home, the value of the work we do increases."



\$1.4 Million Awarded to GRMC •

GRMC was awarded a combined \$1.4 million to support multiple projects for the hospital and clinics, The funds originated from the Emergency Rural Health Care Grants Programs, part of the 2021 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), and will finance four projects: relocation and improvement of the GRMC patient registration area (completed in 2022), relocation and improvement of the UnityPoint Health - Grinnell OBGYN clinic (completed in 2022), remodel of the shared emergency department and radiology waiting room (slated for 2023), and expansion and renovation of the laboratory (completion projected for early 2024).



Medical Staff Fund Emergency Medical Services Scholarship

In 2022, GRMC's medical staff voted unanimously to designate their medical staff dues to fund a new scholarship program, available to any emergency medical service (EMS) student or service in Poweshiek County and surrounding areas. The GRMC medical staff recognize the critically important role local EMS holds for the overall health and wellbeing of our local communities and the struggle these vital services are facing.



Dr. Coster surrounded by members of GRMC's surgical team.

Dr. David Coster Retires

In June of 2022, GRMC hosted a reception celebrating Dr. David Coster on his retirement after more than three decades of rural, surgical expertise and innovation. He was the first doctor in lowa to perform several different types of complex laparoscopic minimally invasive surgeries, changing patient care from an in-patient stay to an outpatient surgery. He led the way for GRMC to be the first hospital to practice anti-reflux surgery, splenectomy and biliary procedures laparoscopically. He performed his 1,000th robotic procedure in 2020.

"There is no moment more gratifying than knowing your work has saved lives," says Dr. Coster. "This rural hospital in Grinnell, Iowa, became a powerhouse in health care and I'm leaving it in great hands to continue that legacy."



GRMC Receives **Leadership Award**

GRMC was recognized with a 2022 Performance Leadership Award for excellence in Quality. Compiled by The Chartis Center for Rural Health, the Performance Leadership Awards honor top quartile performance among rural hospitals in Quality, Outcomes and Patient Perspective. "We're proud to be recognized for the quality of care we provide," says Natalie Cline, BSN, RN, GRMC Quality Manager.

Left to right: Laura Juel, RN, MSN, NEA-BC, GRMC Vice President Nursing & Clinical Services; Natalie Cline, BSN, RN, GRMC Quality Manager; Michael Line, MD, MMM, GRMC Chief Medical Officer.



Congratulations!

The DAISY Award® recognizes the extraordinary, compassionate nursing care that nurses provide patients and families every day. Abby Williams-Cleary, a member of GRMC's medical/surgical team, received the award during Nurses' Week in May 2022. The nominating patient wrote, "Abby is the BEST nurse I've ever had the privilege to take care of me. She's an absolute ROCK STAR!"



Abby Williams-Cleary, RN, BSN Daisy Award Recipient



HONORING NURSES INTERNATIONALLY IN MEMEORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES

Standing for Recognizing Outstanding Service Excellence, the ROSE Award honors patient care technicians (PCT) who consistently demonstrate excellence through clinical expertise, extraordinary service and compassionate care. Tiffany Arens, a PCT in GRMC's in-patient medical/surgical department was nominated for providing compassionate care with a kind and caring smile. "She MORE than deserves this award," the patient wrote in the nomination.



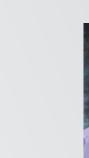
Tiffany Arens, PCT **ROSE** Award Recipient



New Providers Join UnityPoint Health – Grinnell



Angelique Deright, ARNP, FNP-BD Manatt Walk-In Clinic



Josie Rutherford, CNM **OBGYN** Clinic





UnityPoint Health One of Top 150 Places to Work in Healthcare

In 2022, UnityPoint Health was selected as one of the **Top** 150 Places to Work in Healthcare by Becker's Hospital Review. This national healthcare trade publication selected organizations that promote diversity, employee engagement, professional growth and work/life balance. UnityPoint Health is the only health system in Iowa to be named on the list for 2022.



Abby Flannagan, DO **OBGYN** Clinic



Heidi Klingelhofer, DO, MPH Family Practice Clinic



Kirk Smith, MD, PhD, FACP Internal Medicine Clinic



Lisa Smith, FNP Manatt Walk-In Clinic

Mamoud Tayash, MD General Surgery and Weight Loss Surgery Clinic



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philanthropic impact

Employee Giving Campaign Partners with Local Donor for Success

In 2022, The Claude W. Ahrens Charitable Trust agreed to a challenge grant for the GRMC Foundation's annual Employee Giving Campaign (EGC). If the EGC met its goal of 30% of participation by all GRMC team members then The Claude W. Ahrens Charitable Trust would donate \$10,000, maximizing each team member's gift. GRMC's team members embraced this challenge and surpassed the goal, ending the campaign with a 36% participation rate (including 100% participation of GRMC's leadership team). The GRMC Foundation thanks The Claude W. Ahrens Charitable Trust and its trustee, Susan Witt, for their motivational Challenge Grant.



Several team member donors posed with our goal thermometer poster to celebrate and thank The Claude W. Ahrens Charitable Trust for their inspiring support.

Grinnell Mutual donates cookies to staff

Grinnell Mutual generously donated 19 cases (228 boxes) of Girl Scout Cookies to the team members at GRMC. The cookies were delivered to each department and clinic during National Hospital Week, May 9 through 13.

Everyone at GRMC thanks Grinnell Mutual for continuing its unwavering support of our team members! This sweet treat certainly lifted team members' spirits.

Grant Received for Second Set of Patient Transport Chairs

Poweshiek County Alliance (PCA) awarded a grant of \$9,092.96 through the **Greater Poweshiek Community Foundation** (GPCF) for the purchase of four patient transport chairs. This follows a 2021 grant for three patient transport chairs proven to be immensely popular with the hospital staff for various safety features and ease of cleaning.

Thank you, PCA and GPCF!





Pledge for Pink Campaign at South Tama High School

Fans of the South Tama Trojans and Hampton-Dumont Bulldogs joined together during a 2022 football game to support South Tama's Pledge for Pink Campaign. Together, they raised almost \$420 to support cancer care at GRMC. Thank you to both teams for the amazing support!

New Infant Warmer

When the hospital unexpectedly needed to replace an infant warmer in our OB unit, your philanthropic dollars made it possible to purchase a replacement. An infant warmer provides uniform thermoregulation across the baby's mattress and easily adapts to developmental care requirements. This equipment also provides progressive respiratory support capabilities to help stabilize breathing while safeguarding the baby's delicate airways. Because of you, GRMC provides the best possible care to our tiniest patients. Thank you!



Pictured left to right with the new infant warmer: Kami Walters, RN; Dee Brown, RN; and Sheryl Baarda, RNC - OB Nurse Manager, Chemotherapy/Infusion Center.

Bike Helmets for Third Graders

Recently, third graders in our region received bike helmets, courtesy of GRMC thanks to gifts from our donors. In appreciation for the free bike helmets, each student at the South Tama County Elementary School created unique thank you notes, featuring special representations of themselves with their new helmets. One student wrote, "You are going to save my life because now I have a helmet and I will not get hurt. Thank you!"



New Infant Monitor Purchased with Donations

Thanks to you, our donors, the GRMC Foundation provided funds to purchase a new monitor to use in the operating room (OR), specifically to monitor a baby's vital statistics. Because it is small and lightweight with a long battery life it ensures that providers can access current, critical patient information while in the OR and during transport, providing gold standard care of our patients. Your support makes the purchase of vital equipment, like this monitor, possible and helps GRMC to provide the best outcome for every patient every time.



The new infant monitor is shown here with members of GRMC's surgery team: (front, left to right) Jessica Gannaway, RN; Lori Glasgow, Clinical Team Lead - Surgery; (back, left to right) Edie Hatcher, Certified Surgical Technician; Mikaylah Avis, RN; Emily Renberger, Certified Surgical Technician.

Grant Received for 11 Aspirators

Grinnell Mutual Group Foundation awarded a grant of \$12,553.75 for the purchase of eleven aspirators for use with the crash carts throughout the hospital and clinics. These AC/battery-powered suction units provide instant, powerful suction in critical situations, such as when a patient is unable to remove respiratory secretions while experiencing acute illness. Thank you, Grinnell Mutual!



Sheenna Bachman, RN, Manager Nursing Services-Intensive Care Unit and Tisha Miller, Respiratory Therapist Registered Lead, pose with one of the new aspirators.

Donations Provide Patient Safety Equipment

Thanks to your donations, our team members have access to equipment that increases patient safety, like the Sara Plus. The Sara Plus is a powered standing and raising aid designed for active transfers, balance, stepping and gait training. It is designed for single caregiver use, decreasing the number of team members needed for safe transfers.

"This equipment provides exceptional support and comfort for our patients in an easy-tomaneuver machine to reduce strain on our team members," says Sheenna Bachman, RN, Manager of Nursing Services and ICU. "We are grateful to the donors whose gifts made the purchase of the Sara Plus possible."



Pictured with the Sara Plus are members of GRMC's Med/Surg and ICU team (left to right): Tiffany Arens; Kim McNurlen, RN; Marie Puls; Abby Williams-Cleary, RN; Sheenna Bachman, RN; Rosa Yanez-Gonzalez, RN; Kelsey Terpstra; Taylor Alter.

Endowment Distribution Donated to Support Mental Health Services

In 2022, the GRMC Foundation Board of Directors voted to donate more than \$13,000 to Capstone Behavioral Healthcare. This donation is the combined 2021 and 2022 annual spendable distributions from the Grinnell Regional Mental Health Endowment - a portion of the interest earned on the endowment's invested principle. Capstone is a trusted and valued partner in meeting the mental health needs in our communities and the GRMC Foundation is pleased to support them in their efforts to ensure timely access to compassionate mental healthcare.

The impact of your gifts to our endowments is significant and GRMC's gratitude for these gifts is immeasurable. Our thanks go out to the donors who have invested in the future of healthcare in our region by giving to any of GRMC's three endowments.

Pictured at the Capstone check presentation are Donna Fischer, Director of Development, GRMC Foundation; Julie Smith, Center Director, Capstone Behavioral Healthcare; Nicole Vermeer, Office Manager, Capstone Behavioral Healthcare; Jennifer Havens, CEO, GRMC.



Cystoscope Purchased with Annual Fund **Drive Donations**

The GRMC Foundation thanks everyone who responded to our Spring Annual Fund Drive Appeal. Seventy-seven donations were received for a total of \$16,535 raised. Your support made the purchase of the cystoscope possible! A cystoscope helps our surgeons view the urinary tract to identify early signs of cancer, infection, narrowing, blockages or bleeding. Thank you for helping GRMC improve the health of the people and communities we serve.



GRMC's surgery team joins together to say "thank you!"

our grateful patients

Nothing Stops Jennifer, Thanks to UnityPoint Health - Grinnell

When Jennifer needed care to get back to the activities she loves, UnityPoint Health - Grinnell was there to support her. Jennifer has lived in Grinnell for over 30 years and originally moved to Grinnell to serve as Grinnell College's Associate Dean of Student Affairs and then later served as Dean of Students. After retiring in 2017, Jennifer filled her schedule with international travel, competing in cross country ski races and training her Bernese Mountain dog for obedience and drafting competitions.

In December 2020, Jennifer planned to go skiing around Ahrens Park after shoveling freshly fallen snow. Unfortunately, while shoveling snow Jennifer slipped on ice and broke her right arm. She drove herself to GRMC's Emergency Department (ED) where the doctor confirmed it was broken and applied a cast.

"The doctor was amazing - so good, so calm," said Jennifer.

She was then referred to Dr. Anthony Tedesco at the UnityPoint Health - Grinnell Orthopedic Clinic for further care. Dr. Tedesco informed Jennifer at the appointment she would need surgery.

"I'm skiing a Birkie in February," Jennifer replied. A Birkie is a cross-country ski race where participants ski over 30 miles

Dr. Tedesco scheduled the surgery and placed a new cast on her arm. Three weeks later, Jennifer travelled to northern Minnesota to ski - using only one pole in her left hand! After skiing, the cast was removed, and she started several months of occupational therapy.

Fast forward to January of 2022 and Jennifer was back in the ED for a broken left arm. Dr. Becker then referred her to Dr. Tedesco again where she received a cast.

The clinic care team worked with Jennifer so she could compete in another cross-country ski competition. She conquered the race using only one pole in her right hand!

The rest of the year consisted of another fall and carpal tunnel surgery; she received both therapy and surgery at GRMC.





Jennifer kayaking in Iceland.

Through these hills and valleys, Jennifer has appreciated the encouragement and care she received at GRMC so she could get back to doing the activities she loves.

"Everything worked like clockwork and was seamless all folks were really good. I like being able to go to a hospital right here in town. We have to do what we can to have our doctors here in our community."

Jennifer is proof that, with a positive attitude, determination and great care, individuals can accomplish amazing things.

For more Grateful **Patient Stories, see** pages 20 and 22.



Jennifer in a cross country ski race with broken right arm.



Jennifer in a cross country ski race with broken left arm.

IMPACTING FUTURE GENERATIONS THROUGH legacy gifts

The GRMC Foundation Legacy Partners is a recognition program for donors, patients, team members and providers who have included the GRMC Foundation in their estate plan or other type of future gift in support of the mission of GRMC.

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planned giving

Gift Planning for the Future

Choosing to add a philanthropic component to your estate plan or any other type of future gift is a process that requires purposeful reflection of the impact you want your gift to have on the organization(s) you desire to support, among many other factors.

If you decide to include a gift to the GRMC Foundation in your will, trust or by beneficiary designation, please let us know. Notifying us is the best way to ensure we receive the gift you intend for us and that your wishes for the use of your gift are honored when we receive it in the future. Your gift can be designated to general funds or for any project or program at UnityPoint Health - Grinnell. Please seek the advice of your financial and/or legal advisor while planning a legacy gift.

Donors who make a planned gift to the Foundation become one of our Legacy Partners. As a member, you will:

- Make a personal investment in GRMC's future and support local, guality healthcare for generations to come.
- Be recognized in print and on our donor wall. Donors can remain anonymous, if preferred.
- Be invited to special Foundation events.
- Help advance healing, caring and teaching at GRMC.

If you desire to make a gift by will or trust to Grinnell Regional Medical Center Foundation, we recommend that you use the following language:

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To request more information or let us know you have made a gift by will or other type of future gift, please email donna.fischer@unitypoint.org. Because the GRMC Foundation is a nonprofit organization your donation will qualify as a tax deduction to the fullest extent of the law. One hundred percent of your gift remains local to support the mission of GRMC.

Planned Giving Webpage

Visit the GRMC Foundation's planned giving website, **grmcfoundationlegacy.org**, to access resources to help with your gift planning, such as our FREE will planner and other valuable tools plus information about gifts of stock, IRA Qualified Charitable Deductions, bequests and more.

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Janis S. Peak

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Brenda Chooses GRMC for Her Surgery

Brenda's journey at GRMC began in March of 2021. She chose to seek help at GRMC due to various stomach issues and gaining weight. After some tests Brenda learned she had a hernia and some issues resulting from a bariatric surgery performed at another facility ten years ago. She was referred to Philip Bilderback, MD, who performed surgery to correct her issues.

Thanks to the team at GRMC, Brenda is back on the road to good health. *"The staff treats me as an individual,*

which I greatly appreciate. I have the University of Iowa at my back door, but I have chosen Grinnell for my bariatric surgery and care. The doctors and follow-up care are exceptional," Brenda said when asked about her experience at GRMC."

Currently, Brenda is now just a few pounds from her goal weight and is confident GRMC's providers and team members are always going to be there when she needs them.

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GRMC Foundation's Compassion Fund Helps Joshua Walk

Joshua, a physical therapy patient, had difficulty standing for extended periods of time and walking for more than a few steps. Joshua's physical therapist, Debbie Muckler, PT, recommended he use a special walker to help him move more independently. Debbie reached out to the GRMC Foundation to support Joshua in purchasing the expensive walker. Thanks to your donations to the Compassion Fund, the GRMC Foundation was able to purchase the walker Joshua needed.

When Joshua received the walker his first response was, "I love the walker!"

"For the first time in a year, he is able to ambulate within his home instead of only performing sit-to stand transfers from his wheelchair. He would not have been successful without the walker," said Muckler.

Since receiving the walker, Joshua has gained more confidence and has gone from walking a few feet in his home to going outside and walking around his driveway. This walker has allowed him to continue therapy on his own. "I believe that with more practice, I may be able to walk on my own soon," shares Joshua.

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