

# Community OUTREACH

Improving the health of our at-risk and vulnerable community members.

Summer Report 2025



## The Spirit of Care: A Message of Thanks

There are big, visible aspects of the work of Holland Hospital in the community – awards won, office spaces expanded, and special events held. And there are many other behind-the-scenes times that don't make it in the headlines; welcoming hallway conversations between volunteers and visitors, a proud big brother beaming over his newborn baby sister, a nurse listening to the fears of a patient before surgery, and an environmental staff member engaging in some happy banter with an elderly patient while cleaning his room.

In a world that can feel uncertain, Holland Hospital can be counted on to improve the health of the communities we serve in the spirit of hope, respect, compassion and dignity.

We are grateful to you and for your continued financial partnership with Holland Hospital. This is a special place!

*Abby Reeg*

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Fund Development  
Executive Director

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## Caring for One and All for 30 Years



The Holland Community Health Center (HCHC) opened in 1995 with a mission to make quality health care accessible to all residents of the community regardless of language, financial, or cultural barriers.

In April 2022, Holland Hospital assumed full operational responsibility for HCHC, owning the property while also providing

annual financial support for the health center's programs, services, and staff.

Your support over the years helps us serve more patients and expand our services to include care management, mental health services, pediatric medicine, medication prescriptions/ refills and more.

We couldn't do this important work without you! Thank you for making a difference.



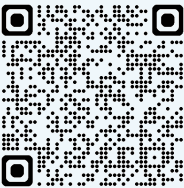
## Reflecting on the Beginning

Lupita Reyes, a celebrated Holland visionary, grew up in Holland. She overcame discrimination and made it her personal mission to improve the lives of others through her career and her volunteer leadership. Reyes helped start several area organizations, including the Holland Community Health Center where she served as the first executive director.

Hear Reyes' story, in her own words, at [hollandcommunityhealthcenter.org](http://hollandcommunityhealthcenter.org).



# Save the Date



Thu, Sep 11  
Holland  
High School

[hollandhospital.org/schoolnurserrun](http://hollandhospital.org/schoolnurserrun)

The School Nurse Fun Run benefits the hospital's School Nurse Program, which has raised over \$383,000 since 2013. This non-competitive event with a 5K run route and 1.5-mile walk/run route is a perfect way for students and families to enjoy an evening of activity together. The best part—**students can enter the Fun Run for FREE by making a health goal!** It can be a physical challenge, change in their eating habits or starting a wellness activity. **Use code: funrun25 for FREE entry.** Register by Aug 13 to guarantee a shirt.



# Thanks to our Community Partners!



Thank you to Holland Junior Welfare League (HJWL) for their **\$775 grant** to purchase a second Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Trainer for the School Nurse Program. The AED Trainer provides a realistic training experience for school staff to learn how to use the AED in the event of a cardiac arrest. The HJWL has donated **over \$15,250 to our Community Outreach Programs since 2010!**



School Nurse Amy trains Holland Public School staff members with the AED Trainer. Photograph courtesy of Holland Public Schools.



Big checks, big smiles. HJWL presented the grant to our School Nurse Program on July 7.

# Hooked on Helping: Fishing Event will benefit the Breast Care Fund for the Fifth year

The Women's Ta-Ta Tournament is the ladies' division of the Big Red Classic Sport Fishing Tournament, dedicated to raising money in support of the fight against breast cancer. Holland Hospital's Breast Care Fund helps ensure women along the lakeshore access important and potentially lifesaving breast health screening and diagnostic services by removing financial barriers. The Big Red Classic has donated **\$73,000 since 2021!**



**Fri, Aug 1, 2025 | Yacht Basin Marina**  
Tournament begins at 6 AM at Holland Pier head



Register: [bigredclassic.com](http://bigredclassic.com)  
Scan the QR code to order a Big Red Classic shirt and support the Breast Care Fund.





# Culinary Cabaret

Celebrating **30** Years of Holland Community Health Center



**Special thank you to all the restaurants, partners, guests, volunteers and vendors who contributed to a successful 2025 event. Over \$245,000 was raised to support the Holland Community Health Center!**

Television personality Jordan Carson hosted the Culinary Cabaret for the seventh year. This year's event marked the 30th anniversary of the Holland Community Health Center providing quality care regardless of language, financial, or cultural barriers.

2025 Culinary Cabaret Co-Chairs, Bruce Stewart, MD; Nicole Stewart, RN; Karen Foulds, MD and Mark Stid, MD along with host Jordan Carson, announce our record-breaking amount raised.

The Culinary Cabaret started in 2001 at Fenn Valley Vineyards and moved to the Pinnacle Center in 2002 where Butch's Dry Dock started their dedicated support for the last 22 years!

## PLATINUM PARTNERS



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## CUISINES DONATED AND SERVED BY:

1983 Restaurants  
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Borrowed Time  
Butch's Dry Dock  
Crane's Pie Pantry & Winery and Crane's In The City  
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Fenn Valley Vineyards & Wine Cellar  
Gilmore Catering  
Holland Cakery 'n' Sweets  
Hudsonville Ice Cream  
Mezkla Taqueria  
The Pinnacle Center  
Tulyp Hotel  
Uncommon Coffee Roasters

## Save the Date

### Build-A-Burger and Sundae Day



**Thu, Aug 21**  
**Holland Hospital Café**

\$6 Build A Burger

11 AM–1:30 PM & 5–7:30 PM

\$3 Sundae Bar | 11 AM–7 PM

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## Plan with a Purpose: Estate Plan Check-Up



**Thu, Sep 25 | 6–7 PM**  
**Holland Hospital – Conference Room B**

*Presented by Haans Mulder, Cunningham  
Dalman PC, Attorneys at Law*

**Register by Mon, Sep 22**  
Visit [hollandhospital.org/estate](https://hollandhospital.org/estate)  
or call (616) 355-3916

Cost is free | Space is limited  
Refreshments Served

Just as preventive care keeps your body healthy, maintaining a current estate plan is an essential part of financial wellness.

- Estate planning is essential for people of all ages and income levels.
- Updated documents protect from unnecessary stress and costs.
- It's also an impactful way to create a lasting charitable legacy.

## Hyperbaric Medicine Coming to Holland Hospital

### Thanks to a Generous Donation

Construction is underway on the third floor as Holland Hospital works to create a dedicated space for hyperbaric medicine and expand our wound care capabilities.

**By way of a generous donation from a grateful local, Holland Hospital will soon offer the distinct treatment that only a hyperbaric chamber can provide.**

In loving memory of her husband, Raymond, Priscilla Becker of Holland had a vision to improve the lives of others living along the lakeshore.

Ten years ago, Raymond received care at Holland Hospital for an injury from a fall, but when his wound showed no signs of healing, his doctor approved treatment in a hyperbaric chamber. As this specialized care was unavailable along the lakeshore, he was referred to Grand Rapids. The treatment required daily travel for several weeks and ultimately helped his wound heal. Sadly, Raymond passed away in 2021 due to unrelated health factors.

Following Raymond's death, Priscilla felt compelled to make a difference for other lakeshore families requiring wound care treatment in a hyperbaric chamber. "In loving memory of my husband, Raymond C. Becker, a new Hyperbaric Room will open at Holland Hospital," said Priscilla. At the end of 2024, she made a generous gift to Holland Hospital that will benefit area patients for years to come.

Holland Hospital is currently navigating the regulatory process to establish hyperbaric medicine services. The hospital and its leaders are deeply grateful for Priscilla's vision and generosity, and look forward to providing more convenient access to this specialized care beginning fall 2025.



Priscilla inspires us to make a positive difference by asking, "What can you do to improve the world?"



The Burd family has brought over 2,000 items to comfort children during medical visits, turning moments of anxiety into opportunities for a smile.

## Burd Family Brings Comfort to Kids

The Burd family honors their late son, Grant, every year by transforming his birthday into a heartwarming act of generosity. This year, Holland Community Health Center is the grateful recipient of a donation of toys, books, and games for the children we serve.

## Jen Yoder named Michigan School Nurse of the Year

The [Michigan Association of School Nurses](#) awarded Jen Yoder, RN, its distinguished **School Nurse of the Year Award** for 2025. This marks the second consecutive year a Holland Hospital school nurse has received the honor.

Yoder serves students at [Hamilton Community Schools](#) as part of Holland Hospital's School Nurse Program and has over 12 years of experience in school nursing. She holds a BSN from Hope College, an MSN from Post University, American Sentinel College of Nursing and Health Services, and is a nationally certified school nurse.

Her exceptional ability to connect with children and commitment to health education have made a significant impact. She has developed innovative programs promoting healthy habits, injury prevention, and mental health awareness. Recognizing the connection between nutritional health and academic success, Yoder is also involved with Hand2Hand, a local non-profit that provides food for kids in West Michigan facing weekend hunger.



Yoder was nominated by Hamilton High School Principal Mitch Bosch. In his nomination, Mitch shared how Yoder goes above and beyond addressing the critical health needs of the school's 796 students.

"From administering insulin shots and managing students with seizures to supporting those with broken bones and other injuries, her expertise and compassion are incredible," he says. "She is often the first line of support for parents navigating student illnesses, offering them guidance and reassurance during challenging times."

Yoder's colleagues praise her compassionate heart and leadership. "Having school nurses from our program win the Michigan Association of School Nurses School Nurse of the Year award two years in a row is a reflection of the quality care this group of professionals delivers to the most vulnerable members of our community, our children," says Holland Hospital School Nurse Manager Hendrina Cupery, "As their leader, I could not be more proud of this amazing team."

Learn more about the School Nurse Program at [hollandhospital.com/snp](https://hollandhospital.com/snp).

**Congratulations, Jen!**

## Thank You to our Longevity Donors who have reached 25 Years of Giving!

Julie Arnold

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan

Joe and Julie Bonello

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Carol Keen

Melba Schrottenboer

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Rita Vander Vliet

Barbara VanderHaak

(Includes gifts received up to December 31, 2024, and does not include anonymous donors.)

## Build-A-Fajita and Sundae Day

held April 17, 2025 in the Café

**342**  
Fajitas Sold



**205**  
Sundaes Sold



**\$2,667**  
raised for the  
Holland Community  
Health Center



**\$30,663**  
raised since 2010



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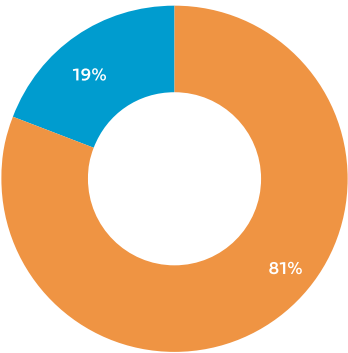
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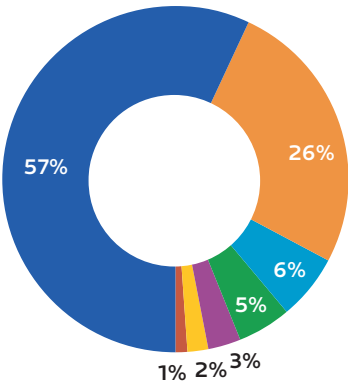
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# Fund Development Annual Report

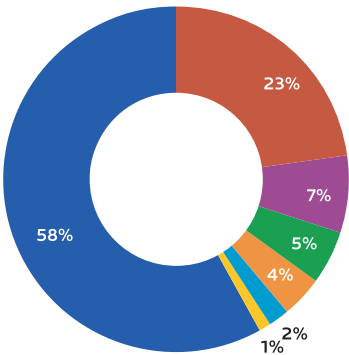
April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025



Donor Profile	
Individuals	\$983,315
Organizations	\$226,585
<b>TOTAL</b>	
<b>\$1,209,900</b>	



Programs Benefited	
Capital/Equipment	\$700,000
Holland Community Health Center	\$315,406
School Nurse Program	\$66,570
Greatest Needs Fund	\$56,755
Breast Care Fund	\$36,542
Patient Programs	\$18,291
School Mental Health Program	\$16,336
<b>TOTAL</b>	
<b>\$1,209,900</b>	



Funding Sources	
Trust & Memorial Gifts	\$701,364
Special Events	\$283,649
Summer & Winter Newsletter	\$83,478
HH Employee Campaigns	\$58,500
Community Partner	\$49,079
In-kind	\$22,685
Grants	\$11,145
<b>TOTAL</b>	
<b>\$1,209,900</b>	

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