



**Mary Rutan  
HOSPITAL**

**Mission to Serve**

**National Recognition  
Continues**

**Rise in Partnerships**

**Growing Number of  
Physicians**

**Expansion in Physician Clinics**

**Growth**

**2013 Community Report**

## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT



Amanda C. Goble  
President & CEO

Dear Friends,

In 2014 we celebrate a significant milestone: Mary Rutan Hospital's 95th anniversary.

More to the point, we celebrate Mary Rutan Hospital's constant commitment since 1919 to improving and expanding the care we provide our community.

This past year, 2013, was an excellent example, filled with remarkable accomplishments in the midst of challenges, mostly related to regulatory, reimbursement and funding changes associated with the Affordable Care Act.

In this report, I'm proud to share these achievements with you. Among them:

- **An "A" Hospital Safety Score.** The "A" rating goes to only a select few U.S. hospitals that excel in patient safety. At the time we earned this award, we were the only hospital in our six-county region to do so.
- **The Outstanding Patient Experience Award from Healthgrades.** This distinction ranks MRH among the top 10 percent of hospitals nationwide based on an analysis of patient satisfaction data by Healthgrades, the leading provider of information to help consumers make informed decisions about doctors and hospitals.
- **Top ratings in Medicare's new Pay for Performance System.** MRH is in the top 10 percent of Ohio hospitals for quality and patient satisfaction – and is ranked #3 in performance among all Ohio hospitals for quality, patient satisfaction and appropriate patient admissions.
- **New specialized services and facilities for our community,** including the Ambulatory Care Center in Bellefontaine and the medical office at Russells Point. We recruited physicians to our community and expanded the provider base at Mary Rutan Hospital Internal Medicine, Mary Rutan Hospital Pediatrics, and Mary Rutan Hospital OBGYN.
- **A strengthened affiliation with The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center.** This includes enhancing our onsite cardiology services. And in early 2014 we opened our hip preservation clinic with renowned hip preservation specialists, Thomas Ellis, MD and John Ryan, MD.
- **Solidified partnership with Nationwide Children's Hospital** to provide access to advanced pediatric specialists and care in our community.
- **\$5.4 million in health care for those in need** – a 20 percent increase in our charity care and financial assistance programs.
- **Community education and health and wellness services,** including free or discounted screenings for more than 23,000 individuals. In addition, MRH provided nearly \$50,000 in medical scholarships and loans to Logan County residents pursuing a degree in the medical field.

All of this is possible only because of our steadfast focus on the patient – supported by our board of directors, physicians, staff, donors and advocates. We continue to benefit from their visionary leadership, guided by sound financial responsibility and a drive to provide nationally recognized service.

Our success, year after year, is directly attributed to our engaged, caring staff – at bedside and behind the scenes. They know that the work they do matters for the well-being of our patients.

No matter what challenges come our way in the ever-changing health care landscape, our commitment to provide great care to every patient, every time, will never waver.

As we continue to identify and implement new ways to improve, collaborate and grow, we will never lose sight of the valuable and humbling role we hold for those who depend on Mary Rutan Hospital for their care. It is a privilege we do not take for granted.

Amanda C. Goble  
President & CEO

# MISSION

Mary Rutan Hospital's board of trustees, administration, management, staff, physicians and volunteers are committed to providing progressive quality health care with a personal touch within the communities we serve. Using this mission as our foundation, we strive to:

- Continually seek opportunities to expand the continuum of health care services available within our community and to promote patient education and safety.
- Enhance the quality of health care through the pursuit of service excellence.
- Create a workplace environment that recognizes and rewards the positive efforts of each employee in the delivery of patient care and fosters opportunities for career development, communication, teamwork and respect for each individual.
- Anticipate, respect and respond to the needs and expectations of the community, physicians, providers and staff.
- Maintain a position of financial strength and efficiency utilizing sound management practices.

Mary Rutan Hospital has an outstanding team of staff, physicians and volunteers who dedicate themselves to our mission and values each and every day. These individuals represent the heart of our hospital, and it is through their efforts that we continue to achieve great progress.

# OF SERVICE

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Mary Rutan Hospital is the sixth largest employer in Logan County with 706 employees contributing to the local economy.



# A TYPICAL DAY AT MARY RUTAN HOSPITAL IS A BUSY DAY WITH



**2**

Newborn babies bringing a smile to our faces

**63**

People being seen in the Emergency Department

**20**

Patients receiving overnight inpatient and observation care

**22**

CAT scans and MRI studies being conducted

**10**

Surgeries being performed

**252**

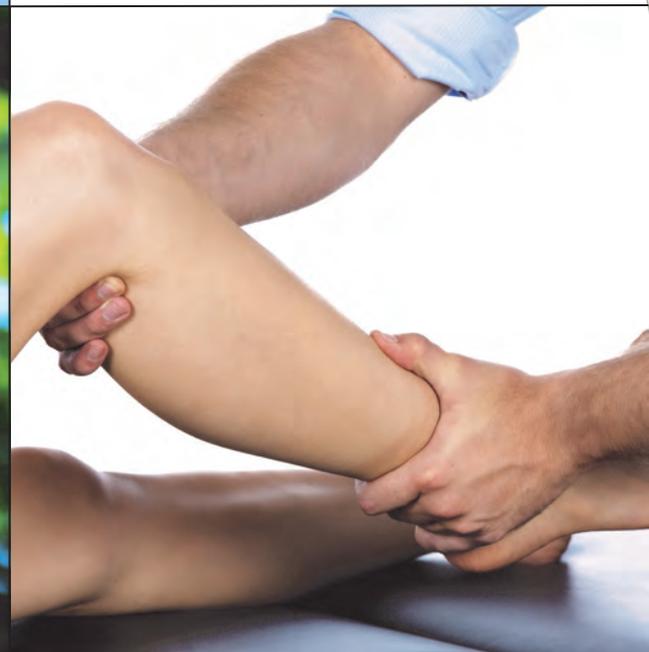
Individuals receiving care in our outpatient departments

**74**

X-Rays being taken

**135**

Patient visits at the MRH Physical Rehabilitation Center





## Welcoming the **NEWEST MEMBER** of Our Medical Family

Mary Rutan Hospital OBGYN is pleased to welcome the newest member of our medical family, Dr. Funmi Kasali, board certified obstetrician-gynecologist.

Dr. Kasali completed her residency at Albany Medical Center in New York and earned her medical degree at Michigan State University, College of Human Medicine. She comes to us after practicing for the past several years at a well-established practice in Latham, New York.

Dr. Kasali is the first of several new Ob-Gyn physicians who will be joining Mary Rutan Hospital OBGYN over the next few months. Current providers she will be joining include Dr. Jay Meyer, Dr. Janet Zurovchak, Dr. Heather Graham and Kelley Dyer, CNM.

Appointments can be made by calling Mary Rutan Hospital OBGYN at 937-599-3538.

# EXPANDING PATIENT CARE



## Dr. Hood Joins Mary Rutan Hospital **EAR, NOSE & THROAT**

Dr. Clifton Hood, an otolaryngologist, has opened practice at the Mary Rutan Hospital Ambulatory Care Center, 2160 Ewing Crawfis Circle, Bellefontaine.

Dr. Hood is specially trained in the medical and surgical treatment of the ear, nose and throat (ENT), as well as related structures of the head and neck. Hearing loss, ear infections, sinus problems, thyroid disorders, ringing in the ears, balance problems and vocal disorders are only a few of his concentrated areas of treatment.

In practice for 28 years, Dr. Hood is board certified through the American Osteopathic Board of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery. He performs all types of head and neck surgery, including the diagnosis and treatment of head and neck cancers, salivary gland tumors, neck masses and thyroglossal duct excision.

Dr. Hood has a special interest in thyroid surgery, having performed more than 2,000 procedures. He also specializes in ear surgery, including stapedectomy, tympanoplasty, ear tube placement, mastoidectomy and treatment of sudden hearing loss. His expertise in nasal surgery includes all types of nose and sinus surgery, such as revision surgery for deviated septums and nasal fracture repair.

A graduate of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, Dr. Hood completed his residency in Otorhinolaryngology and Oro-Facial Plastic Surgery at Doctors Hospital in Columbus.

Appointments can be made by calling the Bellefontaine office at 937-592-9799.

## NEW PARTNERSHIP Brings Renowned Hip Treatment to Logan County

Mary Rutan Hospital's new orthopedic partnership with The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center brings Ohio State's hip preservation specialists, Thomas Ellis, MD and John Ryan, MD, to Bellefontaine.

This partnership offers residents of Logan and neighboring counties convenient access to one of the most innovative and effective hip preservation treatment programs in the nation – at the Mary Rutan Hospital Orthopedics office, 2221 Timber Trail.

Dr. Ellis and Dr. Ryan bring extensive experience in hip arthroscopy – small-incision surgical procedures – for hip replacement, labral tears or femoroacetabular impingement, the Ganz periacetabular osteotomy for hip dysplasia, femoral osteotomies, and treatment of chronic trochanteric bursitis and lateral snapping hip.

Dr. Ellis, a board certified orthopedic surgeon, is an associate professor in the Department of Orthopedics at Ohio State's College of Medicine. He came to Ohio State from Oregon Health Sciences University, where he was a faculty member from 1999 to 2007. Dr. Ellis's practice is limited to treating hip pain in the young adult.



Dr. Thomas Ellis

Dr. Ryan received his medical degree from Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine and completed fellowships in Sports Medicine and Hip Preservation at The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center. Dr. Ryan works with OSU Sports Medicine as a team physician for Columbus City Schools.

To schedule an appointment in the Bellefontaine office, call 614-293-3541.



## Collaborating for EXPANDED PEDIATRIC CARE

Mary Rutan Hospital is proud to be partnering with Nationwide Children's Hospital to bring additional resources and care to pediatric and neonatal patients.

The collaboration offers increased access for area residents to Nationwide Children's Hospital pediatric specialists and extends state-of-the-art pediatric research and clinical trials. In addition, Mary Rutan Hospital physicians receive advanced education and training as well as direct consultation with specialists at Nationwide Children's Hospital in Columbus.

"We consider it our responsibility to make sure our community has access to the best care possible, and this new affiliation will help us do just that," Mandy Goble, President

and CEO, said. "By combining the resources and expertise of Nationwide Children's Hospital with that of our current physicians and staff, we can bring our patients an expanded level of pediatric care and service."

Mary Rutan Hospital's physician and nursing teams will collaborate on protocol development, education initiatives, neonatal nursery telemedicine support and clinic development. As part of the affiliation, MRH will be able to directly consult with specialists at Nationwide Children's Hospital in Columbus. Mary Rutan Hospital's medical staff will also benefit from training and mentoring programs as well as state-of-the-art pediatric research and clinical trials.

"Together, we will build upon the tremendous care already provided by our current staff," Goble said. "We will be able to provide even greater care by taking advantage of Nationwide Children's telemedicine services and pediatric and neonatology expertise, optimizing care for the children and families in our community."



## ENHANCING Onsite Cardiology Services



Ohio State's Heart and Vascular Center will be providing cardiovascular diagnostic testing services within Mary Rutan Hospital as a result of our cardiovascular partnership that was enhanced earlier this year.

This partnership is intended to provide centralized and streamlined access to cardiovascular testing for the residents of Logan County. The cardiology partnership creates a model of health care that builds on the many years of collaboration with The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center and continues the focus on quality, patient satisfaction, efficiency and cost-effective cardiology care for the community.

"By centralizing our cardiovascular testing services within our hospital, we are able to offer more efficient scheduling, improve our access to care and ultimately provide a higher quality experience to our patients, backed by the expertise of Ohio State's Heart and Vascular Center," says Mandy Goble, President and CEO, Mary Rutan Hospital.

Mary Rutan Hospital's enhanced cardiology capabilities include: accredited Chest Pain Center, cardiopulmonary rehabilitation, device clinic, diagnostic testing, EKG, Holter/event recording, treadmill and nuclear imaging, echocardiography, vascular ultrasound and most recently as a result of the new partnership, enhanced external counter pulsation (EECP), which is a non-invasive outpatient procedure to relieve angina by improving blood flow.

"We are pleased to build on our long-standing relationship with Ohio State's Heart and Vascular Center. This is the next step toward strengthening our collaboration on clinical care and services to extend the best quality cardiovascular care to the people of Logan County," says William Houser, MD, Medical Director of Mary Rutan Hospital Cardiovascular Services.

In conjunction with the new partnership, new ultrasound equipment has been purchased to provide state-of-the-art cardiac and vascular imaging. In addition, a major technology investment to the web-based platform is being implemented, allowing the cardiologists to decrease report turn-around time by interpreting studies remotely.

Mary Rutan Hospital has come to enjoy an outstanding reputation in cardiovascular services and has been at the forefront since becoming the first cardiology department in the state of Ohio to become accredited in nuclear, echo and peripheral vascular diagnostic testing. In addition, the designation as an accredited Chest Pain Center confirms that Mary Rutan Hospital exceeds the stringent standards established by the Society of Cardiovascular Patient Care.

## Caring at a HIGHER LEVEL

At Mary Rutan Hospital, we're known for providing high-quality care. Here are just a few of the ways the care we provide has been recognized:

- Healthgrades ranked us among the top 10% in the nation
- Recognized as Top Hospital for Safety
- Our Imaging Center was named a Center of Excellence
- Ohio Hospital Association put us on their Best Practices List
- We're one of the region's only accredited chest pain centers
- We earned nearly perfect patient satisfaction scores
- Ohio Hospital Association awarded us their Safety Award

Learn more about how our care is being recognized for **QUALITY, SAFETY and CONSISTENCY** at [www.maryrutanhospital.org](http://www.maryrutanhospital.org)





## Mary Rutan Hospital Internal Medicine Designated Patient-Center Medical Home (PCMH)

In early 2014, Mary Rutan Hospital Internal Medicine earned a three-year recognition from the Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) 2011™ program for meeting PCMH standards, which ensure delivery of highly coordinated, quality primary health care that respects each patient's unique needs, culture, values and health care preferences.

The PCMH model – established by the American College of Physicians, the American Academy of Family Physicians, the American Academy of Pediatrics and the American Osteopathic Association – helps patients learn to manage and organize their own care at the level they prefer.

Research shows that medical homes lead to higher quality care, lower costs, and improve patients' and providers' reported experiences of care. The PCMH identifies practices that promote partnerships between individual patients and their personal clinicians, instead of treating episodic office visits.

Through the PCMH model, each patient's care is delivered by a clinician-led care team that coordinates treatments across the health care system. Medical home clinicians demonstrate the benchmarks of patient-centered care, including open scheduling, expanded hours and appropriate use of proven health information systems.

"Great primary care is demonstrated by keeping its focus on each individual patient," MRH President and CEO Mandy Goble said. "We are very proud of the Internal Medicine Team and this accomplishment. This certification demonstrates the commitment of our staff and organization to provide the best, most comprehensive care possible for our patients."

Mary Rutan Internal Medicine providers include Winfred Stoltzfus, MD, Indrani Chutkay, MD, Sarah Fay, CNP and Angela Rutan, CNP. The practice, at 2231 Timber Trail, Bellefontaine, is accepting new patients, age 18 and up.

For more information, call 937-599-3115.



## Newly Remodeled Facility Addresses **GROWING** Practices

In 2013, Mary Rutan Hospital brought together some of the best specialists in our community by renovating more than 8,000 square feet of the former High Point Regional Cancer Center and turning it into the new Mary Rutan Hospital Ambulatory Care Center.

The newly remodeled facility, using formerly unoccupied space, is home to general surgeons Dr. Larry Morris and Dr. Anthony Beisler, urologist Dr. Robert Lewis and ear, nose and throat specialist Dr. Clifton Hood.

In addition, the Crawfis Oncology Clinic continues to operate out of the facility, offering oncology/hematology treatments, cancer education and followup care. A phlebotomist is available on-site for full laboratory testing services.

"The improved and expanded treatment space for these specialty practices is especially noteworthy because it comes at a time when many other hospitals and small communities are having difficulty recruiting and keeping specialists," Mary Rutan Hospital President & CEO Mandy Goble said. She added that the facility investment validates MRH's long-term commitment to recruit and keep specialists here well into the future.

The Ambulatory Care Center located in Bellefontaine at 2160 Ewing Crawfis Circle, features 12 spacious exam rooms, two state-of-the-art treatment rooms, convenient parking and large, dedicated waiting areas for children, adults and oncology patients.

For more information, or to schedule an appointment with one of the specialty physicians, call 937-599-0045.

# NATIONAL MRH RECEIVES RECOGNITION



## Recognized Among the Top 10% in the Nation

In 2013, Mary Rutan Hospital was presented the Outstanding Patient Experience Award – a distinction earned by only the top 10 percent of U.S. hospitals that score highest in providing patients a positive experience during their hospital stay.

This distinction was measured by Healthgrades, the leading resource consumers use to search, evaluate, compare and connect with physicians and hospitals.

Mary Rutan Hospital is one of only 18 Ohio hospitals to make the top 10 percent ranking. The award was based on an analysis of patient surveys from 3,828 qualifying hospitals across the country. In addition, Mary Rutan Hospital met or surpassed all clinical quality thresholds set by Healthgrades.

“As hospitals continue to struggle with the delivery of high-quality, safe care in the face of mounting financial and regulatory pressures, the hospitals who have achieved Healthgrades 2013 Outstanding Patient Experience Award stand above the rest in terms of providing the most positive experience for patients during their hospital stay,” said Evan Marks, Healthgrades Executive Vice President for Informatics and Strategy. “This exceptional performance reflects a commitment to superior quality of clinical care.”

Mandy Goble, President and CEO of Mary Rutan Hospital, said, “Our goal at MRH is to provide the best care to every patient, every day. The recent recognition from Healthgrades and The Leapfrog Group recognizes the hard work our staff has put into achieving this goal. This is an incredible tribute to our team of experts who work tirelessly to exceed the expectations of our patients and their families with unparalleled service in every interaction.”

## Recognized Again in 2014 with an 'A' Safety Score Rating

Mary Rutan Hospital kicked off 2014 with an “A” Hospital Safety Score by The Leapfrog Group – the second year in a row. Only a select few U.S. hospitals earn an “A” rating, a national distinction for excellence in patient safety.

“We are very proud to be recognized for the second straight year with an ‘A’ rating,” said Mandy Goble, president and CEO of Mary Rutan Hospital. “This is a true testament that bigger does not always mean better. Our hospital went head to head with many larger hospitals in our region to be recognized with an ‘A’ rating.”

Hospital Safety Score grades of “A” through “F” are assigned to U.S. hospitals under guidance of The Leapfrog Group’s Blue Ribbon Expert Panel, nine of the nation’s leading patient safety experts. They base the scores on 28 measures of public hospital safety data, including preventable medical errors, injuries, accidents and infections. The grades represent a hospital’s overall capacity to keep patients safe from infections, injuries, and medical and medication errors – and help the public make informed decisions to protect themselves and their families.

“This award is a direct result of the many initiatives we have established and the commitment of our physicians, nurses and staff to make our hospital a leader in quality care,” Goble said.

“As patients begin to take a more active role in selecting where to receive health care, it has never been more important to focus on hospital safety and transparency. The ‘A’ hospitals, including Mary Rutan Hospital, are helping us raise the standards of health care,” said Leah Binder, president and CEO of The Leapfrog Group.

“We offer our congratulations and hope the hospital will continue to strive for an ever-increasing level of excellence in patient safety.”

To see Mary Rutan Hospital’s scores as they compare nationally and locally, visit the Hospital Safety Score website, [www.hospitalsafetyscore.org](http://www.hospitalsafetyscore.org).



# *Integrity, QUALITY, Caring and Excellence* Living Our Values in the Community



## What Are Community Benefits?

Community benefits are programs or activities that provide treatment or promote health and healing as a response to identified community needs in such a way as to improve residents' access to health care services, enhance the health of the community, advance medical or health knowledge, or reduce the burden on other community efforts. Mary Rutan Hospital's community benefits include education, charity care, subsidized health services, and community health improvement.

In our daily lives, each of us reveals who we are by what we do. Our actions, even more than our words, show those around us what we believe in, what we value and who we are at our very core. The same is true of organizations, and it's certainly true of Mary Rutan Hospital. Everything we do, whether it's in a patient's hospital room or in an outreach center, schools, farmers' market, church or while collaborating with community partners, reflects this hospital's core values: Integrity, Quality, Caring and Excellence.

Just as our values are woven into our work in the community, our involvement in the community is woven into our identity as a hospital. Contributing to the health and well-being of our community isn't just something we do; it's who we are. Mary Rutan Hospital and its efforts to benefit the community are as integrally linked today as they have been since the community created this hospital 95 years ago.

This year, Mary Rutan Hospital invested over \$16.5 million in community benefit programs and services. We are proud of that figure, but more than that, we are proud to have had the opportunity to make positive differences in the lives of thousands in our community.

## RESPONDING TO IDENTIFIED COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS

Health needs in our community have been identified through the 2012 Logan County Community Health Risk and Needs Assessment. We are addressing those identified needs in a variety of ways and have focused on a set of identified priorities that address access to care, obesity, mental health and drug and alcohol abuse. Through collaborative efforts with community partners and community outreach programs we work tirelessly to help ensure adequate availability of needed services and efforts to improve at-risk findings.



*Power of Produce at the Logan County Farmers' Market*

## ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE

For the past two years, Mary Rutan Hospital has worked in partnership with Community Health & Wellness Partners of Logan County to develop and assist in the successful launch of a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) in Logan County.

Mary Rutan Hospital's Mad River Family Practice has transitioned to one of the two FQHC locations. In December of 2013, Mary Rutan Hospital opened a new medical center in Russells Point assuring better access to health care in the Indian Lake area. The MRH Medical Center serves as a platform for the second FQHC. Throughout the process, Mary Rutan Hospital has offered support both financially and from a resource standpoint and has committed an additional \$300,000 in financial and in-kind contributions over the next two years to assist in the establishment of the FQHC.

## CHARITY CARE AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Mary Rutan Hospital provides comprehensive health care to all individuals, including those in financial need. Financial counselors are available in the hospital to assist our uninsured and under-insured patients. Our staff is dedicated to finding solutions, educating patients while preserving the dignity of each individual. Charity Care at Mary Rutan Hospital has been rising substantially in recent years totaling nearly \$5.5 million in 2013. This amount does not include unpaid costs in Medicare and Medicaid shortfalls, which are deficits created when Mary Rutan Hospital receives payments from the government that are less than the cost of care provided. In 2013, these deficits totaled more than \$10.1 million.





Medication Take Back Event



## DRUG ABUSE

Mary Rutan Hospital continues to work alongside area law enforcement and community partners to address the issue of drug and alcohol abuse in our community. With the abuse of opiates and heroin on the rise in Logan County, concerned community partners have come together to address and attack this issue through the Logan County Opiate Task Force. Mary Rutan Hospital is a proud, active member and takes this role seriously. We have implemented an internal policy change in our emergency department regarding dispensing of pain medications as well as awareness education of physicians and members of our clinical team.

In addition, Mary Rutan Foundation recently partnered with the Logan County Sheriff's Department to place a 24-hour medication drop box at the Sheriff's Department so that community members may dispose of their unwanted and unused medication, safely and securely. This is in addition to the continued partnership with the Bellefontaine City and Russells Point Police Departments in hosting the annual Medication Take Back Days.

## DOING GOOD IN OUR COMMUNITY

Our values are visible every day as we support the community to improve the health and quality of life of our neighbors. We regularly participate in health education, screenings and special events. We provide financial and in-kind contributions to area schools and nonprofit organizations that serve the community. This support occurs both within and outside of our hospital walls.

• **Health Professional Education:** Mary Rutan Hospital spent \$218,848 contributing to the long-term health of our community by educating and funding medical scholarships and loans to hundreds of physicians, nurses and other health care professionals. One of our goals is to help ensure that there will be enough qualified health professionals with the skill sets needed to meet the community's needs.

• **Community Outreach:** Mary Rutan Hospital touched more than 56,000 community members, providing outreach and educational services offered at little or no cost so that expense does not prevent individuals from participating in programs and services that could assist them in making healthier lifestyle choices. Mary Rutan Hospital's *Healthy Habits Healthy You* campaign was the focus of this year's community outreach encouraging healthier lifestyle choices, proper nutrition, exercise and preventative care.

• **Cash & In-Kind Contributions:** Mary Rutan Hospital and Mary Rutan Foundation annually offer grant dollars to a wide range of initiatives that impact community health. In addition, other donations are made to community organizations that improve the health and safety of the residents of Logan County. This year's investment totaled over \$201,000. Through Mary Rutan Hospital's commitment to community collaboration, the Mary Rutan Foundation Board of Directors allocated up to \$50,000 to be used in 2014 for Community Health and Wellness Grants. These grants may range from \$500 to \$25,000 and are to be targeted at the at-risk findings of the county's needs assessment while encouraging collaborative efforts of area not-for-profit organizations and schools to attain a healthier Logan County.

Community Health Screening



**\$16.5**  
Million Invested  
in our community

**\$231,000** devoted to EMS supplies to serve Logan County residents.

**\$83,000** put in the Blue Jacket Park Walking & Bike Path Expansion and Simon Kenton Pathfinders Walking & Bike Path.

**\$50,000** invested in Bellefontaine & West Liberty-Salem Athletic Training Services.

**\$35,000** provided in Medication Assistance to 206 people in Logan County.

**\$27,000** invested in the Call-A-Nurse service.

Some of our other investments include:

- Logan County Farmers' Market
- Power of Produce
- Second Harvest Food Bank
- All area school districts
- Logan County Family & Children First Council
- Logan County Cancer Society
- American Cancer Society
- Hilliker YMCA
- Area Chamber of Commerce
- Bellefontaine Joint Recreation District
- Indian Lake Area Safety Town
- Universal Hospice Camp
- Braveheart



## Mary Rutan FOUNDATION

# Expressions of Sincere **GRATITUDE**

Our Hospital and Foundation work hand-in-hand to make our facility an extraordinary place of treatment, healing and wellness. We are committed to the health and wellness of the community in which we serve. This service happens in part through support of our generous donors.

The gifts we receive come in many forms and sizes, and all of them are important. Even a modest contribution, when pooled with other gifts, can be tremendously effective. It can help purchase a much needed piece of equipment or provide a service or educational program that will enhance someone's quality of life. Providing safe, high quality care services and programs to improve the health of the communities we serve is our mission. Our healthcare team is passionate about what they do, and we are committed to supporting you and your loved ones when illness or injury occurs and as you strive to live a healthier lifestyle. Thank you to our many contributors for their continued generous support.

### **Cardiovascular Services**

#### ***In Memory of Darrell Gratz***

Donna & Craig Burkholder  
Steven & Barbara Clark  
Deanna Cook  
Doris Jean Gratz  
Helen Joan Gratz  
Mackinac Partners, LLC  
Karl & Edee Marshall  
Clarence Newland  
Patti Nichols  
Larry & Charlotte Pratt;  
Jim, Jane & Girls  
Terry & Susy Pyles  
Craig &Carolynn Reis  
Ron & Patty Rentz  
Frances Sipple  
John & Karen Warrington

#### ***In Memory of Sue Hurley***

Sheryl Morris

#### ***In Memory of Doug MacGillivray***

Marilyn Elliott

### **Community Health Fund**

Anonymous  
Tom & Tammy Allison  
Christie Barns  
Ron Carmin  
Rob & Amanda Goble  
Tammy & David Gump  
Barbara Moore  
Pamela Taylor  
Smith, Smith, Montgomery &  
Chamberlain, LLC

#### ***In Memory of Thomas Elliott***

Sue Crawfis  
Tammy & David Gump

#### ***In Memory of Colleen Jennings***

Autumn Woods Neighbors

#### ***In Memory of Maxine Spiller***

Susan Holycross

### **Girls Night Out Event**

Citizens Federal Savings  
& Loan  
Liberty National Bank  
Money Concepts  
The Ohio State University  
Medical Center  
Walgreen's

### **Emergency Department**

Joy Class at Hillcrest Baptist  
Church

### **Employee Assistance Fund**

Tom & Tammy Allison  
Robert Anderson, MD  
Sharon Bayliss  
Chad Boberg  
Ron Carmin  
Lois Coons  
Gayle Dennis  
Rob & Amanda Goble  
Nancy Groves  
Tammy & David Gump  
Jim Hoffman  
Lisa Lay

Natalie McKenzie  
Tom & Laura Miller  
Barb Rees  
Bryan Ridings  
Anita Salyer  
Debra Schaffner  
Diane Stayrook  
Ellen Stevenson  
Pamela Taylor  
Dorothy Turner  
Kelli Zimmerly

### **Equipment**

Mary Rutan Hospital Guild I

### **Ewing H. Crawfis Employee Memorial Scholarship Fund**

Ron Carmin  
Lois Coons  
Vickie Crumley  
Rob & Amanda Goble  
Nancy Groves  
Tammy & David Gump  
Tom & Laura Miller  
James Schwind  
Linda Schwind  
Pamela Taylor

### **General Scholarship Fund**

Tom & Tammy Allison  
Lois Coons  
Vickie Crumley  
Kathleen Fullenkamp  
Rob & Amanda Goble  
Sharyl Martin  
Vicki Rapp  
Ellen Stevenson  
Pamela Taylor

***In Memory of June Bahr***

Vicki Rapp  
Glen & Jennifer Thompson

***In Memory of Harold Cayton***

Vicki Rapp

***In Memory of Mary Jane Rapp***

Steve & Bonnie Allen  
Robert & Kathleen Blumenschine  
Nancy Brooks  
Byhalia Friends Church  
Lanetta Crockett  
Karen Croston & Family  
Ken & Reba Davis  
Rae Nita Elliott  
Pat & Deb Ellis  
Jesslyn Etgen  
Joan Haines  
Vicki Harvey  
Frederick & Debra Hoover  
Steve Kavanagh  
Don & Diane Lewis  
Pam McQuown  
Larry & Lisa Papenfuss  
Dave & Nannette Prinsen  
Dale & Dorcas Rapp Family  
Vicki Rapp  
Wellington & Ruth Rapp  
Scott & Deborah Ray  
Carolyn Scheiderer  
Beverly Shearer  
Carol Skeen  
Richard & Verla Skeen  
Todd & Monica Smith  
Ron & Leann Swonguer  
The Ever Ready Club  
Gary & Peggy Thompson  
Dorothy Vicario  
Dr. Thomas & Jean Weis  
Doug & Libby Zimmerman

***Mammography Fund***

Susan G. Komen Northwest Ohio

***Medication Assistance Fund***

Tom & Tammy Allison  
Sharon Bayliss  
Chad Boberg  
Ron Carmin  
Gary & Kathleen Davis  
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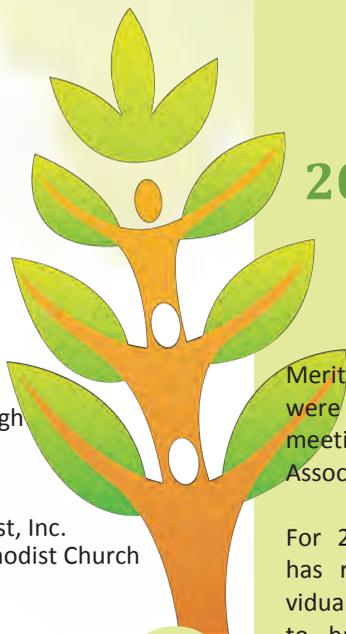
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Meritorious Service Award recipients were recently recognized at the annual meeting of the Mary Rutan Health Association.

For 23 years, Mary Rutan Foundation has recognized several deserving individuals or organizations that place service to humanity ahead of personal gain or recognition by making substantial contributions to the community, health care and Mary Rutan Hospital.

The 2014 Internal Meritorious Service Award was bestowed upon James W. Schwind.

Mr. Schwind, a licensed social worker, director of care coordination and 32-year veteran of Mary Rutan Hospital, was recognized for his compassionate, caring heart, vast knowledge and tireless commitment to the patients and families he serves at Mary Rutan Hospital.

During the time that Mr. Schwind has worked at Mary Rutan Hospital he has displayed a heart of gold when it comes to working with patients and families. Mr. Schwind is compassionate and empathetic to patient and family situations. He spends hours, days and sometimes weeks resolving financial and psychosocial issues that hinder a patient's ability to fully recover physically and mentally.

Known for his patient advocacy, Mr. Schwind has taught this same approach to his care coordination team to assure that each patient and family that needs assistance or services is served in the same patient-centered manner focusing on the best outcomes for the patient.

Melody Couchman is the 2014 External Meritorious Service Award recipient. She

is recognized for numerous contributions and selfless acts to raise funds for cancer care, research and awareness in Logan County.

Ms. Couchman is a quiet leader and hard worker doing whatever it takes to get the job done. Knowing the effect cancer has had on others and herself, Ms. Couchman has taken the steps to make a difference and fight against the dreadful disease.

An active member of the Logan County Relay for Life for many years, Ms. Couchman chaired the luminary committee for four years. She sold a record number of luminaries and was the leader of Logan County's first team to reach the \$20,000 level in contributions to the American Cancer Society (ACS). Through other fundraising events Ms. Couchman raised an additional \$26,000 for ACS.

Ms. Couchman's efforts do not stop there. For the past eight years she has spearheaded a blood drive for the Community Blood Center, the sole provider of blood products to Mary Rutan Hospital. Through these efforts, 420 individuals, many of them first-time donors, contributed enough blood to save nearly 1,200 lives.

For the past three years, Ms. Couchman has focused her passion towards assisting with fund-raising and awareness for the Logan County Cancer Society through the *Doors of ENCOURAGEment* event. Her endeavors to date have raised over \$70,000. Because of this additional funding in 2013, the Logan County Cancer Society was able to increase the monthly assistance available to individuals for needed medication, supplies, wigs, prostheses and travel for radiation treatments as well as implement a new emergency assistance fund.

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