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HOPE LIVES HERE

The Donor Newsletter of Chase Brexton Health Care

OUR MISSION IS TO PROVIDE COMPASSIONATE, QUALITY HEALTH CARE THAT HONORS DIVERSITY, INSPIRES WELLNESS, & IMPROVES OUR COMMUNITIES.

WHAT DID YOU SAY? \$3,100,000?!

Yes, that's right. Chase Brexton Health Care provided **\$3.1M** worth of uncompensated care to patients in our 2016 fiscal year. Our mission is to provide health care for ALL because we believe that the healthier everyone is in our communities, the better we can do our work, learn in school, and care for our children, parents, guardians, or neighbors.

And that improves the future for us all.

From necessities as simple as **bus tokens** to those as dire as urgently-needed **medication**, your support provides care and wellness essentials to patients who would otherwise go without.

With your help and donations, you will lift some of the burdens our patients experience and, ultimately, bring hope, help, and healing to our communities.📍



HOW DO YOUR DONATIONS HELP? MEET ANDY

Everyday Andy Zipay comes to work with a broad, joyful smile on his face, even though, for the last 12 years as a case manager with Chase Brexton, he has seen thousands of patients going through some of the most painful and scary times of their lives. Andy loves his job

because, thanks to your support of the Hardship Fund, he is able to **assist patients daily in need of help.**

"I provided a patient assistance with his utility bill in the amount of \$250. The patient was working full time but fell and injured himself, and had to go on leave from work for three months. Because his employer didn't pay him during this time, he desperately needed to pay his utility bill. He came to us to see if we could help. We approved him within three days! He was so thankful for how quickly we were able to help. He said he had never received help so quickly before."

Your support helped more than **1,000 patients** in need last year. This year, you can help Andy and the rest of the Chase Brexton team to provide more for patients who need emergency assistance. Join us by filling out the pledge form and mailing it in the enclosed envelope today.📍

IN 2015, YOUR DONATIONS HELPED SUPPORT...



CHARM BALL RAISES \$160K

Our second annual Charm Ball, presented by Allied Universal, succeeded in raising approximately **\$160,000**, proceeds of which are designated for critical support to Chase Brexton patients facing barriers to care.

The funds raised have assisted patients with the purchase of everything from **eyeglasses** to **groceries** to **dental** and **medical co-pays**.

Planning for our 2017 Charm Ball is already underway! For information on sponsorship opportunities, contact Alexa Milanytch in Chase Brexton's development department at 410-837-2050 x1144.

TESTING VANS ON THE ROAD - THANKS TO YOU

Our Mobile HIV Testing vans are driving care and awareness into the communities that need them most, thanks to the proceeds from the first two successful years of the **AIDS Walk & Run Baltimore**.

The vans were purchased with proceeds from the event, which is held each May at The Maryland Zoo in Baltimore. Offering on-the-spot **HIV testing services**, as well as information on pre-exposure prophylaxis (**PrEP**) and post-exposure prophylaxis (**PEP**), medications which can help curb the spread of HIV in Baltimore, the mobile units allow us to reach at-risk individuals who may not otherwise get this care.

We're taking the vans on the road in the coming months, and we'd love to bring them to your community event or company health fair! Contact Christine Endler in our Case Management office at 410-837-2050 x1413 to schedule a visit.



GIVE THE GIFT OF HEALTH CARE TODAY!

We focus on care, not cost. Last year, in part through your support, we were able to provide assistance for transportation, rent, copays, and even dentures to help our patients who were in a time of need. We have several ways to give, including:



OVER 70 YEARS YOUNG?

Make a tax-free contribution directly from your IRA. The IRA Charitable Rollover allows individuals age 70½ and older to make direct transfers totaling up to \$100,000 per year to 501(c)(3) charities, like Chase Brexton Health Care, without having to count the transfer as income for federal income tax purposes. So, help your neighbor and avoid paying taxes on your IRA by making a donation to Chase Brexton directly from your IRA account. It's that simple!



DOUBLE YOUR DONATION: MATCHING GIFT

Many companies match charitable contributions made by their employees, board members, and retirees. Your company may match half, all, double, or even triple your gift to Chase Brexton. Check with your Human Resources department and simply fill out the required matching gift form provided by your company and send it along with your gift in the enclosed envelope.



LEAVE A LEGACY

You can include a gift to Chase Brexton Health Care in your will or trust. You can choose to make your bequest unrestricted or direct it to a specific purpose by indicating a specific amount or a percentage of the balance remaining in your estate or trust.



GIVE THE GIFT OF SECURITY: ESTABLISH AN ENDOWMENT

Chase Brexton Health Care has an endowment fund held at Baltimore Community Foundation. If you would like to contribute to Chase Brexton Health Services Endowment Fund, please indicate it on your pledge form.

Visit chasebrexton.org/give/ways-donate for more information on planned giving, or call Alexa Milanytch, director of community engagement, at 410-837-2050 x1144.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL WITH CHASE BREXTON

Summer immunization initiative gives more than 600 backpacks to children in need.

More than **600** Baltimore-area children got off to a happy, healthy start to the school year thanks to our inaugural Back-to-School pediatrics campaign.

This summer, any child aged 3 through 17 visiting a Chase Brexton Center for a well child visit, an immunization, or a physical received a backpack stuffed with school supplies. In all, **626** backpacks were handed out to patients during the campaign, including **256** to patients new to Chase Brexton, **112** of whom were uninsured.

"Back to school planning can be a stressful time for many families, and this effort has served to relieve some of that stress and promote the health of children in our schools and communities," said Deborah Thomas,

program analyst in Chase Brexton's Population Health department.

Want to help us prepare next summer's Back-to-School program? We are seeking corporate

sponsors for this fantastic program. For more information, contact Alexa Milanytch in the development department at 410-837-2050 x1144. 📍



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SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT: ALLIED UNIVERSAL

Our patients are grateful for your gift

Since March 2012, **Allied Universal Security Services** has been keeping our Chase Brexton community safe and welcoming. In September, they took an even larger role – by becoming the Presenting Charm Ball Sponsor – to ensure that everyone in our communities receives affordable health care.

Thanks to Allied Universal's \$15,000 gift, Chase Brexton can cover approximately **150 medical visits, or 140 well-baby exams**, and other dire necessities for our neighbors in need. Every dollar counts when you're sick or in distress and we – and our patients – are grateful for Allied Universal's partnership.

In return for their commitment, Chase Brexton presented William Gilmer, Director of Operations at Allied Universal, with the Presenting Sponsor Award, one of four honorees

recognized at the 2016 Charm Ball on Sept. 17 at the B&O Railroad Museum.

Will you be next? We are looking for our Charm Ball 2017 Presenting Sponsor. If you are interested in partnering with us next year, contact Alexa Milanytch in our development department at 410-837-2050 x1144.📍



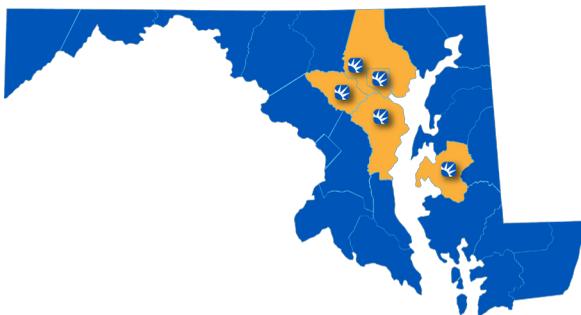
Our amazing security team from Allied Universal, including Willie Morris, have been keeping the Chase Brexton community safe and welcoming since March 2012.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR ANNUAL SPONSORS



ABOUT CHASE BREXTON HEALTH CARE

Chase Brexton Health Care is a primary care provider serving a diverse group of patients at our five centers in **Baltimore City, Randallstown, Columbia, Glen Burnie** and **Easton**, and as provider of student health services at the Maryland Institute College of Art. A Joint Commission-accredited Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC), Chase Brexton Health Care provides a range of clinical services from primary medical care to behavioral health services to pharmacy. Our 400 staff members work as a team to put patients at the center of their own care, empowering them to live their healthiest lives.



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