



- The NEW Hope Lives Here Program
- Our 40th Anniversary Kickoff
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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.

WELCOME FROM OUR NEW PRESIDENT AND CEO

In my 40 years in health care leadership, I have witnessed a shift in patient care toward the type of integrated, comprehensive patient care that Chase Brexton Health Care has offered for years. Chase Brexton truly fulfills critical needs in our communities by ensuring access to care for everyone. The mission of providing compassionate high quality care that honors diversity, inspires wellness and improves our communities is the foundation of all we do. You, our donors, are also an essential part of this effort. Your dedication has allowed Chase Brexton to serve our community for nearly four decades. I am sincerely grateful for your generosity and your belief and participation in our work.

In the fulfillment of the mission of Chase Brexton, our valuable clinicians provide patient care to both adults and children in what we consider centers of excellence in primary care, behavioral, dental, pharmacy services, and HIV and LGBT care. This vital mission and range of services motivated me to join this historic institution. On February 1, 2017, I was honored to begin my service as president and CEO of this incredible organization. Since that start, I have been so impressed with the commitment, compassion, and expertise of our more than 400 staff, leadership and Board.

As we head into warmer months and brighter days, I encourage you to stay engaged and I look forward to meeting you at one of our many events.

Sincerely,
Patrick F. Mutch
President and Chief Executive Officer



**THANK
YOU**

CHASE BREXTON BOARD OF DIRECTORS

We are very grateful to our Board of Directors for their commitment to Chase Brexton:

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RUTH SINGER DISCRETIONARY FUND AND SYLVIA LYNN FUND CLOSE

“Dr. Ruth” Singer was known for going above and beyond the call of duty. As Chase Brexton’s resident STD expert, she constantly went out of her way to provide direct assistance to her patients, often paying for their eyeglasses. In the early 1990s, Chase Brexton established The Ruth Singer Eyeglass Fund, later renamed The Dr. Ruth Singer Discretionary Fund, in recognition of her hard work. Dr. Ruth retired in 2000 and passed away on May 27, 2013.

This fund was complemented by the Sylvia Lynn Fund, also established in the 1990s, that provided assistance to HIV-positive mothers, set up by Carla Alexander, Chase Brexton’s director of clinical affairs in the 1990s.

Since both funds are no longer active, Chase Brexton has decided to close them funds. However, just as Dr. Ruth did, we welcome you to directly help our patients by joining the Hope Lives Here program where, for as little as \$10/month, you can commit to helping your neighbors. See page 3 for more information on Hope Lives Here. 📍

INTRODUCING THE HOPE LIVES HERE PROGRAM

Mark Sam comes from a long line of health care professionals. His uncle, a pharmacist, worked three jobs to put four kids through school. His mother was one of the first nurses in the state of California to treat patients with HIV. When other nurses refused to have any physical contact with these patients, Mark’s mother took it upon herself to make sure they received the care they needed, even when that meant making house calls in her spare time.

It was this belief in caring for those who need it most that inspired Mark to become the first person to enroll in Chase Brexton’s newest fundraising initiative, Hope Lives Here. This program allows donors to make recurring annual donations to help Chase Brexton continue to serve Maryland’s most vulnerable populations.

Hope Lives Here is open to all in the community, including individuals, families, small businesses, and corporate partners. Your participation in this program will ensure thousands of children receive their vaccinations; patients in need are seen by doctors; and more. See page 4 for how and where your contribution was used.

To learn how you can become a part of this new, life-saving program, visit HopeLivesHereMaryland.org. 📍



Mark Sam, the first member of Hope Lives Here, helps his neighbors in Anne Arundel County by selecting to support the Glen Burnie Center.



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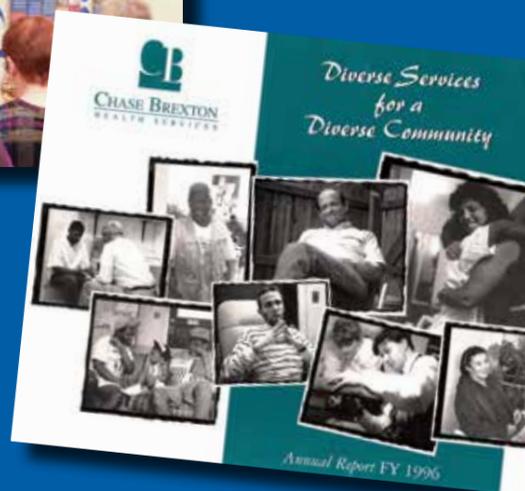
Supporting Patients of Chase Brexton Health Care in Our Community

SHARE YOUR STORIES IN CELEBRATION OF OUR 40TH ANNIVERSARY!

Chase Brexton turns 40 next year! In honor of four decades of critical care, we want to hear from you! Please share your stories and reflection on Chase Brexton’s legacy by contacting Aaron Cahall, Chase Brexton Communications Manager, at acahall@chasebrexton.org.



Cover of the Annual Report FY1996.



Paying homage to our history, guests reviewed Chase Brexton’s recently installed timeline, during the Monumental Giving Reception on March 16, 2017.

Boogieing during the 1998 Retro Dance Party.



A Baltimore Scavenger Hunt to Benefit the Patients of Chase Brexton Health Care

A scavenger hunt in Baltimore with proceeds benefiting the patients of Chase Brexton Health Care.

Saturday, June 3, 2017, 11am | www.BaltimoreChaseRace.com

DR. PINE PUBLISHES GROUNDBREAKING ARTICLE

Chase Brexton’s transgender youth lead physician **Elyse Pine, MD** was recently published in the April 2017 issue of the flagship journal of the American Academy of Pediatrics. In the research article, Dr. Pine identifies patterns in metabolic parameters in transgender adolescents receiving cross-sex hormones. Dr. Pine’s research and clinical expertise allows her to be a fearless advocate for her patients.

You can support Dr. Pine and her colleagues by marking your online donation in honor of the LGBT Health Resource Center at:

www.ChaseBrexton.org/Give 📍

LEAVE A LASTING LEGACY: REMEMBERING DR. RONALD TAYLOR

Chase Brexton was saddened to hear of the passing of a long-time board member, **Dr. Ronald Taylor**. We were also grateful to receive a gift from his estate to honor Ron’s memory. We hope that the impact the gift makes on our patients brings further solace to the Taylor family.

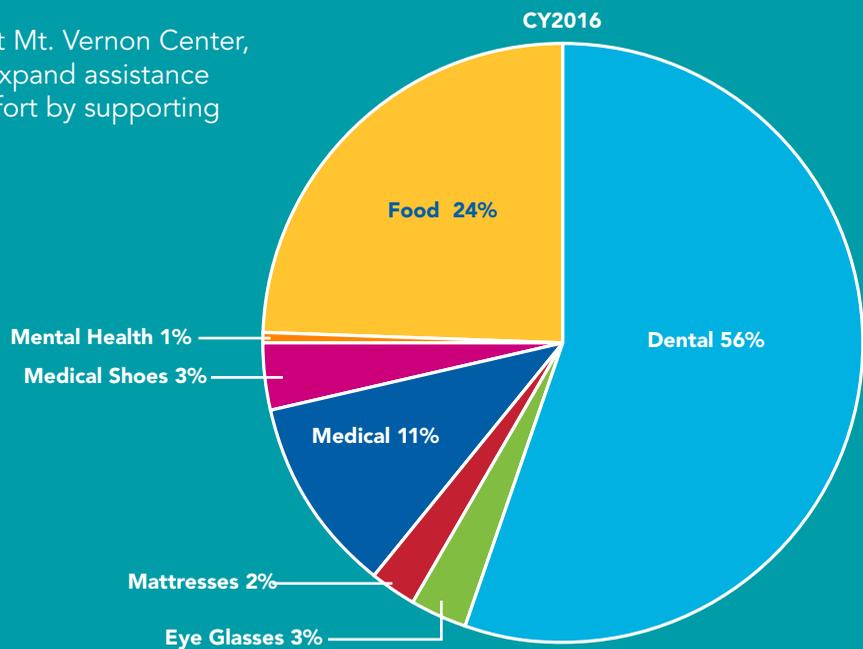
Friends, consider following Ron’s example and include Chase Brexton in your will. Most importantly, please let us know by contacting Alexa Milanytch at 410-837-2050 ext. 1144 so that, in turn, we can thank you for your generosity by including you in The Legacy Society.

Visit ChaseBrexton.PlannedGiving.org to learn more. 📍

HOW AND WHERE WAS YOUR DONATION USED?

Originally founded as the *Hardship Fund* at Mt. Vernon Center, the Hope Lives Here program's goal is to expand assistance to all Chase Brexton sites. Join us in our effort by supporting your community!

	CY2016	Q1 CY2017
Columbia	\$18	\$0
Easton	\$0	\$0
Glen Burnie	\$0	\$139
Mt. Vernon	\$5,578.72	\$5,554.45
Randallston	\$318	\$1,409



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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