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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.

SAVE THE DATE!



AIDS Walk & Run Baltimore

Sunday, May 6
The Maryland Zoo in
Baltimore

Join us as we take steps to end HIV and AIDS in Baltimore. Register your team for our walk or 5K run by visiting www.baltimoreaidswalk.org.



40th Anniversary Charm Ball

Saturday, Sept. 22
Baltimore Renaissance
Harborplace Hotel

Join us for our 40th anniversary commemorative gala featuring a walk back through the decades filled with stories, photos and memories, as well as a glimpse at Chase Brexton's future. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/ChaseBrexton40>.

More on these events and dozens more at www.chasebrexton.org/about-us/news/events

CHASE BREXTON CELEBRATES 4 DECADES OF CARE

Forty years ago, a dedicated band of volunteer health care providers opened a small clinic in Baltimore, offering welcoming care to those who had nowhere else to turn. Today, Chase Brexton Health Care has grown far beyond anything those founders could have imagined, but our mission remains the same.

This year, Chase Brexton will celebrate our unique four-decade legacy of providing affirming care to some of Baltimore's most vulnerable populations with a series of exciting events.

- May 6 – AIDS Walk & Run Baltimore: As we take steps to end HIV and AIDS in Baltimore, we will reflect on our role as first responders during the height of the AIDS epidemic.
- June 5 – HIV Long-Term Survivors Day: Honor the achievements and stories of those who have been affected by HIV, including longtime Chase Brexton patients.
- June 16-17 – Baltimore Pride: Keep an eye out for our staff members during the Pride Parade, and the return of Elder Pride during the Pride Festival.
- August 12-18 – National Health Center Week: Celebrate the difference that community health centers such as Chase Brexton make on the neighborhoods we serve.
- September 22 – Charm Ball 2018: Our 40th anniversary commemorative gala features a walk back through the decades filled with stories, photos and memories, as well as a glimpse at Chase Brexton's future.

"Chase Brexton's proud history of making a difference in the communities we serve is unlike any other in central Maryland," said Chase Brexton CEO Patrick Mutch. "On this special occasion we will remember all of the triumphs, struggles, bravery and love that have made us who we are today."

Visit our anniversary website, chasebrexton40.org to take a tour through Chase Brexton's history, hear from those who contributed to our mission, and view pictures of years past.

Chase Brexton Health Care



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

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT AND CEO

In February 2017, I was privileged to begin working with the board, leadership, and the remarkably dedicated Chase Brexton staff. These past 12 months, we have experienced considerable change, established stronger and more effective staff communication and education programs, expanded our presence as experts within our field, and – with your support – reaffirmed our commitment to our mission and communities.

Ultimately, it was a year that proved to many the importance and substantial value of Chase Brexton as a health care institution in our communities.

Our accomplishments have been achieved thanks to a team effort. We developed and implemented operational improvements – from meeting patients' needs more quickly through our walk-in program to ensuring patient insurance concerns are addressed at their visit with our eligibility specialist program to updating our IT systems to support patient care, providers and staff. We have taken on incredible growth as we rebuilt our provider community, hiring 26 new providers and strengthening our provider and operational leadership. Every area in Chase Brexton has expanded its reach and efficiencies and examples include Behavioral Health's new community grants-funded drug and alcohol treatment program, our burgeoning GenderJOY program and our first pharmacy robot, Franklin. Our exceptional teamwork and commitment to our patients and mission are the foundation of our accomplishments and success.

Thank you for being part of the team, and thank you for your generosity this past quarter. From our inaugural #GivingTuesday fundraiser at El Bufalo to our record-breaking employee giving campaign, from our first time donors to our longtime benefactors, we far exceeded our End of Year goal of raising \$25,000: together, we raised \$45,781 for our patients in need. Thank you for positively shaping the future of our communities.

Sincerely,

Patrick F. Mutch
 President and CEO

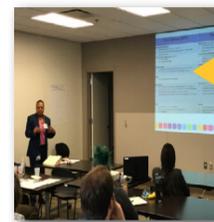


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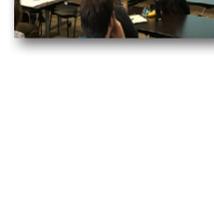
SUMMER/FALL 2017 HIGHLIGHTS



September 30: Glen Burnie's Dental Department screened 55 dental patients at the Hispanic Health Festival & Resources held at the Heritage Community Church.



October 1: Franklin, our new pharmacy robot, began dispensing, labeling, counting, sorting, and capping prescriptions, increasing the capacity of our pharmacy and giving our pharmacists more time to spend with the patients. The pharmacy robot is made possible thanks to the Middendorf Foundation and CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield.



October 28: 24 health professionals learned about "Transgender Care Across the Lifespan" and received CME credits at the LGBT Health Resource Center's first full day Continuing Medical Education program.

November 20: 156 Chase Brexton employees donated \$22,736 to the Hope Lives Here fund during our Employee Giving Campaign. Knowing their struggle first-hand, we do what we can to help.

Thanksgiving: The Case Management and Outreach Department collected and donated Thanksgiving Day baskets to over 400 patients in need, nearly doubling the amount from last year. Thanks to all who contributed food, gift cards, and toiletries!



December 12: In honor of AIDS Awareness month, the Office of Management and Training set-up an informational table in Randallstown clinic's waiting room, an initiative funded by the Maryland Department of Health.

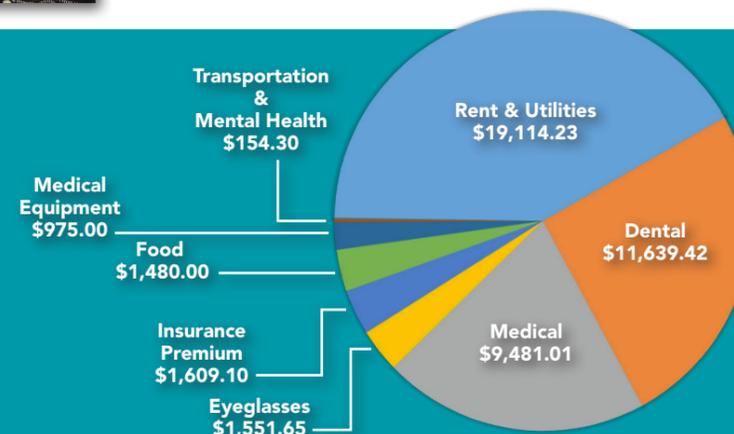
HOW AND WHERE YOUR DONATION WAS USED

The Hope Lives Here program goal is to expand assistance to all our Chase Brexton Centers. Year-to-date, you helped **289 patients** receive needed care. **Thank you! There are hundreds more in need of your generosity.** Please continue to support your community today at HopeLivesHereMaryland.org.

Hope Lives Here Report*

*Does not include uncompensated care.

	CY2016	CY2017
Columbia	\$18	\$7,473.10
Easton	\$0	\$0
Glen Burnie	\$0	\$4,117.00
Mt. Vernon	\$5,578.72	\$31,154.85
Randallstown	\$318	\$3,259.76
Total	\$5,914.72	\$46,004.71



WHY I GIVE: M&T BANK



M&T has been a long-time contributor of Chase Brexton Health Care and formalized their commitment by becoming the 1st Hope Lives Here corporate member.

As a member, M&T Bank has designated Chase Brexton's Glen Burnie Center as the recipient of its support.

In March 2017, M&T's John Goldthwaite, Vice President, Commercial Banking Group, toured Chase Brexton's Glen Burnie Center. "I was very impressed by the clinic and by all the staff I met."

Chase Brexton case managers will be able to access funds to provide patients at that center with hardship assistance for basic life essentials such as food and shelter.

"Glen Burnie Center is extremely grateful for the generosity of M&T Bank," said Katie Meara, the center's Director of Operations. "Their role in assisting us in promoting high quality medical, dental and behavioral health care for our community is greatly appreciated. We share M&T's vision in improving the health status of our community which benefits us all."

COMMUNITY FUNDRAISING AND FRIENDRAISING

In October, Black & White Inc./Bears, Bikers, & Mayhem, in conjunction with the Baltimore Eagle, made a generous donation to our LGBT Health Resource Center in support of outreach efforts to LGBT Elders facing isolation.

In November, El Buffalo, in partnership with Union Craft Brewery, hosted our first annual #GivingTuesday fundraiser for the patients of Chase Brexton.

Local community businesses play a critical role in our Hope Lives Here program. If you're interested in hosting an event, or enrolling in our Hope Lives Here program, please contact Alexa Milanytch, Chase Brexton Director of Community Engagement at amilanytch@chasebrexton.org.



Charles King of the Baltimore Eagle with Nate Sweeney of the LGBT Health Resource Center.



#GivingTuesday at El Buffalo

Welcome To Our First Hope Lives Here Corporate Member!

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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.



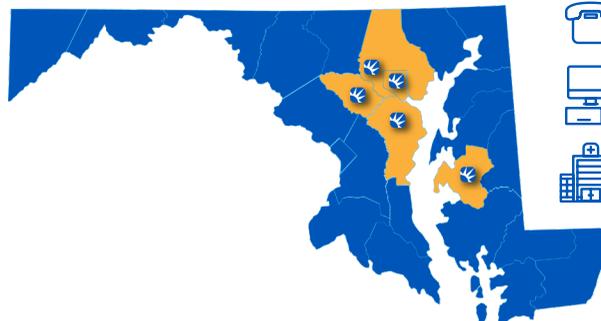
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