



BREAST CARE CENTER NEW GENIUS 3D MAMMOGRAPHY

The standard of care is ever-changing in health care, and that is why Logansport Memorial Hospital always is working to expand our services to ensure our patients receive the best care in north-central Indiana. LMH is proud to be now offering 3D Mammography as the new standard test for all women who schedule an appointment for a mammogram.

In addition to 3D mammography, Logansport Memorial is also pleased to offer stereotactic 3D-guided breast biopsy using the Hologic Affirm Prone Breast Biopsy System. A 3D-guided breast biopsy is a minimally invasive procedure using 3D mammography and x-ray imaging to gather tissue samples from a breast abnormality.

Thanks to generous gifts from Foundation donors at the 2019 "Up on the Roof" Gala, this state-of-the-art technology was possible. Vicki Byrd said, "The decision to assist with purchasing 3D mammography in our community was easy. This is a piece of equipment that will bless our entire community with more birthdays, anniversaries, and family milestones. Whenever we approach our community and our donor base with an opportunity for giving, we want to demonstrate the impact their gift has the potential to make. This will truly make a life-changing impact on the health of our mothers, daughters, sisters, aunts, and all the women in our lives that we care about."

Thank you to all of those who donated to this cause, and for your continued support of the Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation.

WHY 3D MAMMOGRAPHY

"3D mammograms give us a layer-by-layer view of the breast tissue," explained Dr. Todd Weinstein, General Surgeon and Medical Director for Logansport Memorial's Breast Care Center. "In conventional 2D mammography, overlapping tissue is a leading reason why small breast cancers may be missed and normal tissue may appear abnormal. With this three-dimensional method of imaging that we now have with the Genius 3D, small tumors can't hide behind blood vessels or dense tissue like they have previously on a 2D mammogram."



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Ways to Give

Your generosity is greatly appreciated, and every gift makes a meaningful impact on the lives of family, friends, and neighbors. There are three ways to give to the Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation:

- **Mail**
Complete the form and send to:
Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation
1101 Michigan Ave.
Logansport, IN 46947
- **Online**
logansportmemorial.org/donate
- **Phone** (574) 753-1595



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35TH ANNUAL TOURNAMENT

The annual Logansport Memorial Hospital Golf Tournament is an event we look forward to every year, and this year was no exception. With perfect weather and a record 47 teams, the 35th Annual Golf Tournament was a great success. The Engineering Aggregates Corp. team took home first place for the first time, with a score 56. Creative Promotions came in second with a score of 57, and the Dr. Dallis Bowditch team followed in third by shooting a 58.

Thanks to our sponsors and golfers, over \$25,000 was raised to fund student scholarships, purchase hospital equipment, and fund other worthwhile community-based healthcare initiatives. We greatly appreciate the generosity and support that we continually receive from various individuals, businesses, and organizations.

We hope to see you again next year on June 15, 2022 for our 36th Annual Golf Tournament.



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FUNDING FOCUS

Equipment and Technology

The Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation is often called upon to purchase pieces of equipment and/or technology to assist our patients, staff and volunteers. Every year LMHF allocates money to help with these purchases, and in 2021 we are already making great use of those funds. To date we have purchased one of three new wheelchairs, to replace older models beyond repair. We also purchased a FlexiPump™ Independent Flushing System for our surgery department. The new system will allow for a more effective and efficient sterilization process for the staff.

Rena' Coons the Director of Surgery commented, "Having support from the Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation with funding for equipment is a huge blessing for our department and many others. Over the past year and a half, the Foundation has assisted our department with two very important pieces of technology, last year with the GlideScope® and now the FlexiPump™. Both of these items have assisted our staff both in timeliness and effectiveness."

If you would like to help with the purchasing of equipment please consider making a donation at <https://www.logansportmemorial.org/Donate/> and select Equipment and Technology Fund as your designation.

AND THE WINNER'S ARE...

The Foundation awarded three Community Education Scholarship winners this year.

- **Olivia Freels - Pioneer Jr. Sr. High School**
Olivia is pursuing a degree in Nursing while attending Indiana University Kokomo this fall. Olivia said, "Being a nurse to me is about being the smiling face patients know they can trust; I want to be someone people turn to in their time of need."
- **Cambree Lebrija - Logansport High School**
Cambree will be pursuing a career as a physician when she attends Indiana University in the fall. Cambree said, "I am so passionate about this career field and have never been so determined to make my dream come true."
- **Carter Harris - Logansport High School**
Carter plans to become a Registered Nurse as he begins college at Indiana University Kokomo this fall. Carter said, "To make such an impact on families in need, like nurses did for my family, is the reason I am pursuing nursing."

Please join us in congratulating our winners, and thanking our donors who make these scholarships possible.



Top; Volunteer Bonnie Bowyer poses with the new I-Move Nesting Transport Chair. The wheelchair above is designed to hold all patients comfortably and helps staff and volunteers with pushing from surface to surface.

If you would like to help the Foundation continue Gifting For Health, please visit [www.logansportmemorial.org/Donate.](http://www.logansportmemorial.org/Donate/)



The Cole Bridge connects The River Bluff Trail to the Eel River Run Trailhead, allowing for easy access to both trail systems.



Trail users will see these metal trail markers along the River Bluff Trail. They were installed in 2019 to help first responders assist individuals quicker.

(L) The Hervey Preserve is a 1.1 mile crushed-stone trail that takes you deeper into the woods, and will connect you back to the River Bluff Trail.

(R) Community members can use the .33-mile paved Sims Family Connector Trail to get to the River Bluff Trail or Huston Park.



The Hervey Preserve



Sims Family Connector Trail

STAYING FIT THIS SUMMER

GIFTING AN ACTIVE LIFESTYLE TO OUR COMMUNITY.

The trail system in Cass County is important to our community for so many reasons, but the main one is the way it increases the quality of life for all. For the Logansport Memorial Hospital Foundation, living a healthy and active lifestyle is one of our core values. We all know that one of the keys to healthy aging is to live an active lifestyle, and our trail system encourages and promotes that.

LMHF Board Vice-President Chuck LaDow said, "As a resident, they are such an asset. I run on them daily, and I see families walking together, elderly community members walking, and kids playing. I love seeing all of the beauty that nature provides on our trails as well. Running and walking on our trail system has a very spiritual value to me. It gives me a chance to truly appreciate the unique beauty that we have in our community."

Outdoor exercise is not only good for the cardiovascular system, but it aids and improves your mental health. The Foundation is proud to continue investing in the health of our community, by collaborating with the

Logansport Parks and Recreation Department and LMH to provide the National Fitness Campaign's Outdoor Fitness Court at Riverside Park.

LMHF Board President Scott Kraud said, "The addition of this NFC Fitness Court to our existing parks system will provide an innovative new resource for physical activity and recreation in our community. When we decided to pledge the Hospital Foundation's financial support to this project, we believed that this Fitness Court may also attract individuals and families from other neighboring communities, because of its unique offering and strategically placed location at Riverside Park. Hopefully, some of our other exceptional amenities like the Dentzel Carousel and River Bluff Trail can also be used and enjoyed by those from outside our community, as they explore what we are fortunate to have right here at home."

To learn more about the Foundation's trail system please visit www.logansportmemorial.org/Trail-Preserve/.