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Today and Tomorrow

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The RUH Foundation
creates excellence in and impacts health care by raising funds to anticipate and respond to needs for research, education and patient care.

Royal University Hospital Foundation
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We are proud to report on RUH Foundation’s 30th year. The dedicated leadership of many has brought us to this milestone anniversary, from our founding Board to the current generation of volunteers and donors. The inaugural Board’s vision was long-term support for delivery of health care in the Hospital through philanthropy and volunteerism. Today’s Foundation Board and staff bring that vision to life day-to-day, today and tomorrow.

Our donors need to feel confident that their donations are working as intended. With this in mind, we applied in November 2013 to Imagine Canada’s new Standards Program designed to strengthen public confidence in the charitable and non-profit sectors. Consequently, RUH Foundation was awarded the highest level of accreditation, the first charitable organization in Saskatchewan to achieve this distinction. We will now proudly use the Imagine Canada Standards Accreditation Trustmark on all our print materials and our website.

In 2013–2014 the Foundation raised $5.596 million, enabling us to support the development of the PotashCorp PET/CT Centre as well as various patient units and programs, purchase essential equipment, fund critical education for physicians and enable life-altering medical research at RUH. These dollars reflect donors’ strong support for our purpose of “Creating excellence in and impacting health care by raising funds to anticipate and respond to needs for research, education and patient care.” A summary of the audited financial statements on page 19 provides an overview of the continued financial health of your Foundation, and the full audited statements are available on our website.

As our 30th year draws to a close, the Board and staff deeply thank our donors, volunteers, partners, physicians, nurses and other staff who tirelessly support the Foundation. Equally, the Foundation appreciates the passion and commitment to healthcare philanthropy of our volunteer Board of Directors, committee members and event volunteers. Altogether, we form an amazing team making an amazing difference!

Bryan Leverick
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We often take for granted that health care is available to us when we need it; that technologically advanced diagnostic and treatment tools will be available for our care providers; that our surroundings in hospital will be comfortable. Thanks to you, the donors to Royal University Hospital Foundation, we can rest assured patients are in good hands. Your contributions to the Foundation have ensured the purchase and installation of the most up-to-date equipment such as the Positron Emission Tomography/Computed Tomography (PET/CT), a second telemetry bed for the investigation of epilepsy and a new, modern, fully-equipped pharmacy.

Your support has ensured not only that technology is state-of-the-art, but also that unique services are offered to our patients and families. One such is the First Nations and Métis Health Service, which strives to provide culture and language-based support for people who need help navigating our complex health system.

And you have provided this support consistently for more than three decades. On behalf of our senior leaders, the board of our health authority and every physician, employee and volunteer, I extend my gratitude to you the donor for your support and commitment to excellence in health care in our Region.

Congratulations to the Royal University Hospital Foundation and its Board and staff as they celebrate 30 years of dedication to patient care.

Maura Davies
President and CEO
Saskatoon Health Region
The Impact of 30 Years and a Vision for the Future

Since 1983, Royal University Hospital Foundation has raised and invested more than $95 million of donor funds into patient care, education and research for health care advancements at Royal University Hospital. Every dollar reflects the generous spirit of our donors, who understand the vital impact we make together on the health of everyone in our community.

Day-to-Day
For thirty years RUH Foundation has been a part of day-to-day life at Royal University Hospital, providing both smaller (but hugely comforting) items like new blanket warmers, as well as capital equipment and projects including the province’s first MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging), first dedicated Neonatal and Pediatric Intensive Care Units, and first full-time Cardiac Electrophysiology Lab and Program, as well as the first PET/CT (Positron Emission Tomography/Computed Tomography) and Molecular Imaging Centre.

Today
The legacy of Royal University Hospital is also our Foundation’s legacy. Today, RUH is a leader in providing acute-care services for Saskatchewan and serves as the main trauma centre for the entire province. On average, 50 percent of patients reside outside Saskatoon, listing 700 different communities as “home.” On any given day, there are 426 patient beds occupied, 79 surgeries performed and 159 adult visits to our Emergency Department. 500 newborns enter the world at RUH each month.

Tomorrow
Royal University Hospital is the main referral, teaching and research centre in the Saskatoon Health Region, providing specialized services in Emergency and Trauma, Cardiology, Neurology, Respirology, Pediatrics and Oncology.

RUH Foundation is grateful to every donor for sharing in the vision and support of a first-class teaching hospital equipped with state-of-the-art technology and built-in supports for clinical and applied research. These are essential for attracting and retaining physicians who excel in their fields, enabling us to be ready for any emergency whether day-to-day, today or tomorrow.

For 2013–2014, the RUH Foundation Board of Directors approved the $4.3 million Campaign for Royal University Hospital in support of the Saskatoon Health Region’s most pressing priorities.

Thanks to the generosity of donors who value the day-to-day compassionate and highly competent care at RUH, funds from the Campaign are being invested in patient care, education and research as described on the following pages.
Patient Care

The largest portion of donated funds are invested in equipment, programs and capital projects that enhance our hospital’s capacity for quick diagnosis and effective treatment, and in the everyday comforts that improve the patient experience and that of their loved ones during their stay at RUH. These items range from multi-million-dollar machines such as the PET/CT scanner to the “softer” side of patient care provided through, for example, HUG (Helping, Understanding and Giving) grants.

A Gift of Equipment Can Mean a Gift of Life

Logan Austin was born in August 2012 with a condition called atresia and stenosis of the small intestine. Two days after his birth his bowel ruptured, leading to systemic failure throughout his body. He needed a ventilator to breathe. Also medication tubes. Feeding lines. Kidney dialysis. Heart monitors. “He was on head-to-toe life support,” recalls his mom, Andrea. “Those machines saved his life.”

She is grateful to Logan’s primary physicians at RUH and to the nurses who provided round-the-clock care. However, despite all their knowledge and dedication, Logan’s life would not have been saved without the advanced equipment and technologies at their fingertips. Through The Campaign for RUH, $1,540,800 was committed in support of equipment priorities.

“When you consider that almost every patient admitted to RUH requires lab tests and medications, it is easy to see how valuable and critical advanced equipment is.”
– Arla Gustafson, CEO, Royal University Hospital Foundation

Microbiology Lab

For patients with serious infections, diagnosis often starts in the Microbiology Laboratory at RUH. It’s the largest lab of its kind in Saskatchewan and serves the entire Saskatoon Health Region.

Unfortunately, a key piece of essential lab equipment called an autoplater recently had reached the end of its lifespan. Faced with this scenario, RUH Foundation stepped forward and committed to raise the $350,000 required for a new state-of-the-art autoplater and related technology for the Microbiology Laboratory at RUH.
A Hospital Pharmacy must operate at a fast pace, and the work is complicated and complex. Through generous donor support combined with a $1 million Zaretzki Family Legacy Gift through the RUH Foundation and Saskatchewan Ministry of Health funding, the new $4.45 million Hospital Pharmacy opened November 13, 2013.

Senior Pharmacy staff say that both safety and efficiency have increased now that all department personnel and the required inventory are together in one place. Thanks to donor support, a newest-generation FastPak EXP machine was purchased to provide more accurate, efficient and economical disbursement of medications to individual patients.

Second Telemetry Bed

Electroencephalogram (EEG) Telemetry records brain activity (specifically seizures), which helps to localize an affected area for surgery. In spring 2011, Faye and Finlay MacKenzie recognized the urgent need for another EEG Telemetry System and an associated dedicated bed at RUH, so they donated the $65,000 to support its purchase. The result was substantially decreased waiting times for patients who, at that point, were waiting up to three years for diagnosis and treatment.

Three-year-old Brock Kolibab, who was having 100 seizures a day, spent three days in what, at that point, was the only dedicated telemetry (epilepsy-testing) bed at RUH. Diagnosis led to treatment, and today Brock is seizure-free. When his grateful parents Shantel and Curtis learned that the Royal University Hospital Foundation was raising $100,000 to purchase a second new telemetry bed and related equipment, along with family, friends and business partners they raised and contributed $66,865. With funding support from many other donors, the second new dedicated bed and equipment were purchased, and the Grand Opening was held March 26. The wait time for patients with epilepsy seeking telemetry monitoring has been reduced in half again.

“The most amazing gift anyone can receive is to be given their life back.”
– Desiree Nieckar, who waited for two years for the EEG Telemetry procedure.
On February 13, 2012, she had epilepsy brain surgery and is now seizure-free.
Neuromodulation Equipment
Jack and Shirley Brodsky and family donated $100,000 in publically traded shares to The Campaign for Royal University Hospital in support of the purchase of the latest in neuromodulation equipment and technology that enables surgeons to operate on patients with Parkinson’s disease and other movement disorders at RUH.

“If my father, Trevor Shepstone, could have continued to do what he loved just a little longer without tremors, it would have been a happier time for him. Having this equipment for brain stimulation surgery will help others in a similar situation,” says Shirley Brodsky.

First Nations and Métis Health Services
RUH Foundation has eagerly accepted and agreed to a request from the Saskatoon Health Region to raise $604,000 over the next three years to support the First Nations and Métis Health Service Unit, an exciting new initiative that will be delivered at both Royal University Hospital and St. Paul’s Hospital.

The focus of the First Nations and Métis Health Service (FNMHS) Unit is on improving the hospital experience and reducing health disparities for people such as Vital Aubichon, who received Cardiac EP treatment last July at RUH. Because his first language was Dene, Mr. Aubichon found it difficult to understand what the unit nurse and doctors were telling him regarding surgery and operating room procedures. Fortunately, FNMHS staff was there to provide translation from English into Dene, so tension and stress were eased.

When the program is fully operational, hospitalized indigenous patients and their families will receive cultural and spiritual supports and see significant changes across many areas of the Saskatoon Health Region, including language translation, improvements in delivery of food and nutrition programs, and travel assistance. The goal is to ensure a voice for this currently under-supported segment of our health care population.

“Wish you heal a person, you will heal a family. A family will help heal a community. A whole healthy community can be a proud nation.” – Ovide Mercredi
Education

At RUH Foundation, we strive to build on the groundwork established by the visionaries who built our hospital from the ground up and fostered an intellectual environment in which patient care and wellbeing are strengthened daily through our physicians’ and other staff’s pursuit of knowledge and innovation. Just as in 1955 when our hospital opened its doors and perhaps even more so today, equipping our teaching hospital with first-class state-of-the-art technologies and providing supports for clinical and applied research are essential for attracting and retaining physicians who excel in their fields.

Fellowship funding, scholarships and grants are awarded to physicians and other hospital staff like nurses and technicians to support their professional development by advancing their skills in order to better serve the patients of the Saskatoon Health Region and the province at large. In 2006 The Royal Care Campaign raised $500,000 for fellowships that have funded, to date, 15 physicians for a combined total of 22 years of sub-specialty training, thereby providing essential clinical services and ensuring specialists for our community.

Fellowship funding enables physicians to leave the province for a period of time to work and study with specialists in their fields, and then return bringing their advanced skills back to RUH. As a result, many patients who at one time needed to leave the province to see specialists can be treated here at home, thereby reducing the extra time, stress and cost arising from seeking specialist care elsewhere.

The RUH Foundation committed another $100,000 for physician fellowships this past year.

Thirteen-year-old Amanda Wuchner’s aneurysm was a large blood-filled bubble deep in her brain. If it ruptured, it could have caused permanent damage or worse. Arrangements were made for Amanda and her parents to travel to Cleveland to be treated by an RUH physician taking sub-specialty training there. The procedure was a success and subsequent brain scans showed the aneurysm to have disappeared. Donor support for sub-specialty training of her surgeon through the RUH Foundation’s Fellowship Training Program saved Amanda and since has saved hundreds of other patients like her since his return back to Saskatoon in 2008.

“It’s because of my doctor, the people working in the hospital and people donating; they are the backbone behind everything. That’s why there are people like me still around.”
– Amanda Wuchner, now 19
Professional Development Grants
Through donor support, each year RUH Foundation in partnership with our two sister hospital foundations contribute $80,000 each for a total of $240,000 for Professional Development Grants for the Region. In 2013–2014, 803 Saskatoon Health Region staff attended conferences, professional development workshops and group training sessions.

Research
With a focus on saving lives and improving health outcomes, donations are invested in research initiatives that advance our understanding of disease and debilitating medical conditions affecting our population in Saskatchewan. In 2013–2014, RUH Foundation invested $149,000 toward six important research projects.

- Examination of Proxy Reliance and Problem-Solving Relative to Exercise Self-Management among Cardiac Rehabilitation Initiates
- The Relationship between Attachment, Treatment Compliance and Treatment Outcomes in Patients with Obstructive Sleep Apnea
- Does Fall Arrest Strategy Training (FAST) Added to a Fall Prevention Program Improve Balance, Strength and Agility in Older Women? - A Pilot Study
- Plasma Metalloprotein Biomarkers of Multiple Sclerosis
- Flaxseed Lignan-enriched Complex (FLC) for the Treatment of Patients with Mild to Moderately Severe Ulcerative Colitis (UC): A Pilot Assessment
- Intervention for Forensic Psychiatric Outpatients in Royal University Hospital with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD) (BEH# 07-208)

“There are two parts to clinical care – that which we provide today and that which we will provide tomorrow. The difference between the two is research.” – Dr. Paul Babyn, who moved from Toronto’s Sick Children’s Hospital to RUH in 2010 to assume the inaugural PotashCorp Chair in Clinical Research
The Sky is the Limit

PotashCorp PET/CT Centre Officially Opens

In the past year, more than 1000 patients did not have to leave the province for earlier diagnosis of cancer, coronary disease and neurology disorders thanks to the resounding success of the RUH Foundation’s Picture This! Campaign in support of the PotashCorp PET/CT (Positron Emission Tomography/Computed Tomography) Centre in the PotashCorp Centre of Molecular Imaging at Royal University Hospital.

On June 20, 2013, the doors officially opened for Saskatchewan’s first PET/CT Centre. “The people of this province recognized how important it is to have the most advanced medical imaging technology in the province and we are so pleased to have it located at Royal University Hospital,” stated Bryan Leverick, RUH Foundation Board Chair.

PET/CT scanning technology enables early diagnosis and detection of medical issues by providing physicians with 3D images that are even more detailed than those produced through MRI. The Centre was the focus for Royal University Hospital Foundation’s Picture This! Campaign. PotashCorp matched $1 million in community donations and the Province of Saskatchewan provided $4 million. PET/CT’s state-of-the-art molecular imaging technology provides medical teams with information vital to earlier diagnosis and faster treatment, giving patients and their families real hope for recovery. It also gives medical teams and students new tools for learning and innovation, opening new frontiers in health education and research.

Our sincere thanks go to PotashCorp; The Orange Benevolent Society; Royal University Hospital Auxiliary; Great-West Life, London Life and Canada Life; and the many other generous donors who supported this major capital project. Thanks to the new PotashCorp Molecular Imaging Centre and PET/CT, in terms of advanced medical imaging at RUH, the sky now really is the limit!

“Having a PET/CT in Saskatoon at RUH means we can stay on the cutting edge of research and education – which ultimately helps attract the best people in the industry. More importantly, it means we can provide the best care possible to cancer, cardiac and neurology patients,” states Dr. Paul Babyn, Joint Department Head of Medical Imaging for the Saskatoon Health Region and University of Saskatchewan as well as PotashCorp Chair in Clinical Research.

Celebration of the Picture This! Campaign at the grand opening of the PotashCorp PET/CT Centre with (L-R) Bryan Leverick, Chair, RUH Foundation Board of Directors; Dr. Paul Babyn; Jim Rhode, Chair, Saskatoon Regional Health Authority; Cindy Komodowski, Patient Ambassador; Bill Doyle, President and CEO PotashCorp; The Honorable Randy Weekes, Minister of Rural and Remote Heath
It’s been an exciting 30 Years

1983
Creation of the University Hospital Foundation, which has since raised $95 million through donor support.

1984
RUH Foundation presents the first Greek Gourmet Feast; after 30 years, more than $790,000 has been raised.

1986
The first Hospital Home Lottery is announced; in partnership with Saskatoon City Hospital and St. Paul’s Hospital Foundations, more than $22 million has been raised.

1990
RUH Foundation raised $3 million for Saskatchewan’s first Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) scanner. Thanks to PotashCorp, which pledged to match all donations up to $1.5 million, the MRI Campaign goal was reached quickly.

1991
Foundation name changes to “Royal” University Hospital Foundation.

1992
The annual Tony Dagnone Spirit of Royal University Hospital Award is established by the Foundation Board honouring the former hospital president’s 25 years of service to RUH.

1999
RUH Foundation introduces the first annual Royal Ball, an evening of fun, food, music, theme and costume; more than $1.4 million has been raised to date.

2000
RUH Foundation Celebrity Golf Classic is created. In partnership with Jarret Stoll, his friends and fellow NHL stars, $1 million was raised by 2011 for the Jarret Stoll Patient Comfort Fund Endowment for Children at RUH.

2006
With generous community support and volunteer leadership, RUH Foundation achieved its most ambitious campaign to date, the visionary Royal Care Campaign which raised $15 million.
Thank You!

2008
RUH Foundation, in partnership with Saskatoon City Hospital Foundation, completed The Future in Mind Campaign that raised $10.8 million to construct and equip the Irene and Leslie Dubé Centre for Mental Health, which opened February 2010, and to establish the Community Mental Health Endowment.

2008
A generous $1 million gift from an anonymous Saskatchewan donor created the Dr. Ali Rajput Endowment for Parkinson’s Disease and Movement Disorders Research at RUH.

2011
Royal Vital Care Campaign raised $2.5 million for 96 vital sign monitors and centralized computer monitoring equipment for the Critical Care Units at RUH.

2011
Every Heart Matters Campaign raised $5.5 million for Saskatchewan’s first full-time Cardiac Electrophysiology laboratory and program dedicated to the treatment, research and education of heart rhythm disorders.

2012
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2013
Picture This! Campaign raised $2.5 million to bring Saskatchewan’s first PET/CT to Royal University Hospital.

2013
The Campaign for Royal University Hospital to date has raised $4.3 million for state-of-the-art equipment, research, education and patient care.

2014
A new donor wall in the main mall of Royal University Hospital was unveiled with a multi-media panel including information, videos and automatic online giving.
We would like to acknowledge and thank these special individuals, organizations, corporations, businesses and anonymous friends who donated to the Royal University Hospital Foundation during the fiscal year of April 1, 2013, to March 31, 2014:

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Dr. Rashpal Basran
Dr. Joseph Blondeau
Adelaide Campbell-Thompson
Cordelia Campbell-Thompson
Elliette Campbell-Thompson
CCU Staff
Doug Cooney
Chantelle Dallyn
Maclain Dallyn
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Curtis Forsberg
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Helen O’Connor
Dr. Erik PausJenssen
Dr. Lissa Peeling
Dr. Sophie Robichaud
Dr. Stephen Sanche
Karen A. Thompson
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Hillarie Wilson

In Memory of those who have left us...

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Kelan Allen
Carmen M. Anderson
Irene Anderson
Kayden I. Ardell
Lucy G. Barker
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Hilda Bernard
Verna Bernhardson
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Royal University Hospital Auxiliary

A Legacy to Provide Care and Comfort to Those Who Need it Most

Since its inception in 1955, through gifts of both time and fundraising, the Royal University Hospital Auxiliary has been helping patients and their families at RUH. Since 1974, via the Auxiliary Gift Shop and other fundraising initiatives, members have raised and invested over $3 million in support of Royal University Hospital. Equipment, training, and the Chapel are just some of the important legacies of their efforts.

As a result of their hard work, past and present members of the RUH Auxiliary also were able to create a legacy fund of $1.125 million with the RUH Foundation. Earnings from the RUH Auxiliary Endowment Fund will support the priority purchase of medical equipment and furnishings at RUH, as well as fund annual Auxiliary scholarships and education initiatives.

Arla Gustafson, CEO of the RUH Foundation, points out that each and every year the Auxiliary Endowment will benefit patients, their families and staff at RUH. “This endowment will remind future generations of the great impact the Auxiliary has had on health care at RUH,” says Gustafson. “We know that others will want to make donations and planned gifts through their estates to the Endowment, and that it will continue to grow. We’re truly grateful for how hard the Auxiliary has worked to preserve the efforts of past and present members.”
Audit and Finance Committee Report

The Foundation Board of Directors and staff are dedicated to matching the goals and objectives of our donors to the most pressing healthcare needs of our hospital. The success of the Foundation’s ability to build accountability and trust with our donors is illustrated by the significant increase in donations over the past three decades, including this past fiscal year. A huge thank you to our donors for their continued support – without them, none of our work would be possible.

Keitha McClocklin, CPA, CA
Treasurer and Chair, Audit and Finance Committee

May 23, 2014


To the Board of Directors of the
Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc.

The accompanying summary financial statements, which comprise the summary Statement of Financial Position as at March 31, 2014, and the summary Statement of revenue, expenses and change in fund balances for the year then ended, and related note, are derived from the audited financial statements of Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc. for the year ended March 31, 2014. We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those financial statements in our report dated May 23, 2014.

The summary financial statements do not contain all of the disclosures required by Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. Reading the summary financial statements, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial statements of Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc.

Management’s responsibility for the summary financial statements
Management is responsible for the preparation of a summary of the audited financial statements on the basis described in the note to the summary financial statements.

Auditor’s responsibility
Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the summary financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Canadian Auditing Standard (CAS) 810, Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements.

Opinion
In our opinion, the summary financial statements derived from the audited financial statements of Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc. for the year ended March 31, 2014 are consistent, in all material respects, with those financial statements, on the basis described in the note to the summary financial statements.

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“PwC” refers to PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, an Ontario limited liability partnership.
Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc.

Summary Statement of Financial Position

as at March 31, 2014

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| LIABILITIES |      |      |
| Current liabilities |      |      |
| Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities | $628,033 | $426,635 |
| Grants Payable | $1,008,077 | $2,031,430 |
|   | $1,636,110 | $2,458,065 |
| FUND BALANCES |      |      |
| Operating | $1,575,636 | $1,237,766 |
| Designated | $2,729,944 | $3,690,748 |
| Endowment | $12,625,444 | $12,084,664 |
|   | $16,931,024 | $17,013,178 |
| $18,567,134 | $19,471,243 |

Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc.

Summary Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balances

as at March 31, 2014

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Royal University Hospital Foundation Inc.

Note to Summary Financial Statements

as at March 31, 2014

The summary financial statements are derived from the complete audited financial statements, prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, as at March 31, 2014 and for the year ended March 31, 2014.

The preparation of these summary financial statements requires management to determine the information that needs to be reflected in the summary financial statements so that they are consistent, in all material respects, with or represent a fair summary of the audited financial statements.

These summary financial statements have been prepared by management using the following criteria:

a) whether information in the summary financial statements is in agreement with the related information in the complete audited financial statements; and

b) whether, in all material respects, the summary financial statements contain the information necessary to avoid distorting or obscuring matters disclosed in the related complete audited financial statements, including the notes thereto.

Management determined that the statement of cash flows does not provide additional useful information and as such has not included them as part of the summary financial statements.

The completed audited financial statement may be obtained by calling (306) 655-1984 or by emailing ruhfoundation@saskatoonhealthregion.ca. It is also available on The Foundation website at ruhf.org.
A Gift Today and into the Future

The Community Mental Health Endowment supports patient care, research and education. From the Endowment’s current balance of $2.79 million, $110,000 has been granted to programs such as the Schizophrenia Society’s “Strengthening Families Together” series. Other initiatives funded by the Endowment are Canadian Mental Health Association of Saskatchewan First Aid Training, Stabilization Unit Transportation Services Van for Lighthouse Supported Living, Crocus Co-operative’s Rebuilding Mental Health through Mind, Body and Soul program, and a contribution toward the development of a new computerized information system for Saskatoon Crisis Information Service.

Nahid Ahmad Endowment supports cardiology and kidney research at Royal University Hospital.

Areva Wish Fund Endowment funds the purchase of small items that improve patient care at Royal University Hospital, particularly items for which there is no alternate source of funding.

Cameco Chair in Aboriginal Health Endowment supports a physician specialist in Aboriginal health at the University of Saskatchewan College of Medicine and Saskatoon Health Region’s Royal University Hospital.

The following three endowment funds are in support of the Community Mental Health Endowment:

- Tom and Nicole MacNeill Family Fund supports clinical research and related patient treatment programs in Obsessive Compulsive Disorders and other spectrum-associated disorders including anxiety and phobias.
- Patricia and Lawrence Rychjohn Family Fund supports individuals and organizations undertaking innovative programs for the benefit of those affected by mental illness and addictions in our community and beyond.
- University of Saskatchewan Academic Psychiatrists Fund supports psychiatric research and post-graduate psychiatric training.

Donna and Tony Dagnone Endowment supports the Royal University Hospital Inspiration Award, recognizing a staff member, physician or volunteer whose leadership serves to inspire others.

Danae Dupuis Memorial Endowment provides funding for areas of greatest need at Royal University Hospital.

Adrienne Eidem Memorial Scholarship Endowment supports a nursing scholarship in recognition of academic achievement and enhanced health care proficiency.

Donald Francis Endowment supports programs and services that aid in the diagnosis and/or treatment of cancer patients at Royal University Hospital.

Bernice E. (Betty) Godfrey Children’s Endowment supports programs at Royal University Hospital dedicated to the diagnosis and treatment of children who have suffered accidental injuries.

John C. (Jack) and Bernice E. (Betty) Godfrey Endowment funds the purchase of equipment for the Burn Unit at Royal University Hospital.

Great-West Life, London Life and Canada Life Scholarship Endowment provides scholarships for the education and training of medical personnel, other than physicians, who work with patients at Royal University Hospital.

Helping Hands Endowment provides financial assistance for patients and families in need of essential items through social work required as a result of their stay at Royal University Hospital.

The Bryan Isinger Pediatric Care Endowment provides funds to support pediatric care and comfort including equipment and furnishings.

Sonja Jeffrey Memorial Fund supports medical school residents at Royal University Hospital pursuing specialized training in dissociative disorders as a result of psychological trauma.

Drs. Ivan Jen and Suzanne Yip Family Endowment established in loving memory of their parents, Jim Kow Jen & Sue Lin Jen and David SimYip & Jean Yat Yip, supports cancer research and patient care, as well as cardiac patient care at Royal University Hospital.

Marlo L. Kelly Memorial Endowment funds the purchase of equipment in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Royal University Hospital.

Bill Lemko Memorial Endowment funds the purchase of equipment that improves cancer care at Royal University Hospital.

W. Gordon MacDougall Memorial Endowment supports research, training and patient care at Royal University Hospital.

Mark Family Legacy Endowment provides funding for priorities of cardiac-related programs at Royal University Hospital.

Ostomy Endowment funds equipment and education for the Ostomy Clinic.

Pharmaceutical Services Endowment funds education, research and equipment in the Department of Pharmacy, Royal University Hospital.

Pothash Corp Chair in Clinical Health Research Endowment provides dedicated time for a researcher to undertake clinical research.

Princeton Endowment Scholarship provides educational funding for nurses, licensed practical nurses and other medical professionals.

Dr. Ali Rajput Endowment for Parkinson’s Disease and Movement Disorders Research supports research into Parkinson’s Disease and other movement disorders at Royal University Hospital.

Royal University Hospital Auxiliary Endowment Fund supports the priority purchase of medical equipment and furnishings at RUH as well as funds annual Auxiliary scholarships and education.

SaskEnergy Centennial Research Fund in Children’s Health Endowment supports research projects at Royal University Hospital for the betterment of children’s health.

Hartley Sommerfeld Memorial Endowment supports neurosciences at Royal University Hospital.

Jarret Stoll Patient Comfort Fund Endowment for Children at Royal University Hospital funds items and projects providing comfort, compassion and care to children and their families.

Peter and Anna Zbeetnoff Memorial Endowment supports the annual Peter and Anna Zbeetnoff Memorial Drug Therapy Decision-Making Conference for physicians, pharmacists and nurse practitioners in Saskatchewan.
Royal University Hospital Foundation is a member of the Association for Healthcare Philanthropy, the Canadian Association of Gift Planners, the Association of Fundraising Professionals and the Saskatoon Society of Fundraising Executives.

Royal University Hospital Foundation respects constituent privacy and we are committed to protecting the confidentiality of personal donor information. We value the relationship and trust we have with our donors and we acknowledge that, to keep this trust, we must be transparent and accountable in our treatment of the personal information that donors choose to share with us.

We do not trade, rent or sell any personal information to third parties.

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