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Waynesburg University Receives Grant

While it may be very difficult to put a price tag on a new baby, Waynesburg University was able to do so quite easily. It turns out \$61,940 will buy one, brand new SimBaby. If you don't know what a SimBaby is, you're probably not alone.

Manufactured by Laerdal, SimBaby is a portable advanced infant patient simulator for pediatric training. It has realistic anatomy and clinical functionality that allows health care professionals to practice the emergency treatment of infant patients.

SimBaby, which was purchased and donated by GCMH Foundation, will be housed at the newly built, state-of-the-art simulation lab at the university. Dr. Nancy Mosser, chairperson of the Department of Nursing, promotes a team training approach and is very excited to be bringing this type of technology to the area. Nursing students, as well as licensed health care practitioners, will be able to enhance their abilities in the treatment of pediatric patients.

Dr. Jami Boris, Medical Staff President for Southwest Regional Medical Center (SRMC), states several local physicians will play an integral role in providing instruction and education to the medical staff at SRMC. Kim Stephens, a doctoral student in nursing at the university, is developing a pediatric program to educate registered nurses at Southwest.

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Also fully endorsing SimBaby, is Dr. Daniel Church, a pediatrician with a large pediatric practice in Waynesburg. "With a significant increase in the number of pediatric patients being treated locally, continuing education and advanced training are vital. This technology ensures that the care of pediatric patients will be enhanced."

GCMH Foundation is extremely proud to be a part of this collaborative project and looks forward to similar opportunities in the future that will benefit Greene County's residents.

Greene County Volunteer Fire Departments Get Support for Increased Technology

Technology is an ever increasing aspect of today's medicine and in many cases places a financial burden on providers that cannot be ignored. Last year, GCMH Foundation provided a grant in the amount of \$32,000 collectively to eight local volunteer fire departments to greatly enhance their ability to record patient data electronically and to better communicate with Southwest Regional Medical Center's Emergency Department.

However, each year these same fire companies are charged a fee in order to continue to be able to utilize the latest in technological record keeping. Receiving individual grants in the amount of \$1,640 were volunteer fire companies from Bobtown, Clarksville, Jefferson, Mt. Morris, Rices Landing, Richhill and Nemacolin.

This electronic patient care reporting system is required by Pennsylvania's Department of Health, Bureau of EMS. The report becomes part of the patient's medical record at SRMC and complies with all current state mandates regarding electronic patient record keeping.

Washington Greene Job Training Agency Scholarships

For the third consecutive year, GCMH Foundation has provided financial support to Washington Greene Job Training Agency (WGJTA) for the purpose of providing scholarships to students who intend to major in a variety of health care fields.

The students, who are 2009 graduates from a school district in Greene County, each received \$1,500. Below is the list of this year's recipients, along with their chosen field and choice of academic institution:

Erin Burns Biology University of Pittsburgh

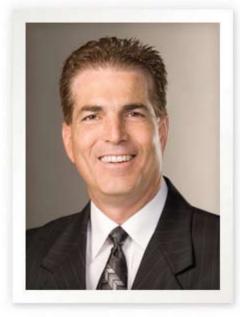
Jeffrey Hughes, II Nursing Westmoreland Community College

Brianna Wright Nursing Waynesburg University

The GCMH Foundation would like to congratulate these individuals and wishes them the best of luck in their academic endeavors as they pursue their dream.

Getting to know your GCMH Foundation Board Members

Don Headlee, Emeritus



Donald M. Headlee serves AG Financial Solutions (AGFS) in Springfield, MO as executive vice president of business development and investment solutions and chief business development officer. He oversees the asset gathering and investment activities of AGFS, which includes retirement planning and planned giving.

A graduate of Evangel University, Don previously served as vice president of First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Greene County (First Federal) headquartered in Waynesburg, Pennsylvania. He began at First Federal in 1984 as a loan officer and was ultimately responsible for marketing, human resources and product development and implementation.

Don was actively involved in the Waynesburg community as chairman of the Greene County Memorial Hospital board, president of the Greene County Memorial Hospital Foundation and deacon and worship leader of First Assembly of God in Waynesburg.

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