

# Fund descriptions

**Community Health Programs and Education:** Through screenings and educational programs, people are inspired to adopt healthy behaviors to be well and stay well.

**Prescription Assistance Program:** This program is to provide a free service to adult residents of Ashtabula, Columbiana, Mahoning, and Trumbull counties and patients of Mercy Health Physicians who may reside outside of the counties noted, who are uninsured or under-insured for prescription drugs. The service helps reduce and/or eliminate barriers to access needed medication.

**Dental Clinic:** Provides comprehensive care and education to underserved children and adults in Ashtabula, Carroll, Mahoning and Trumbull counties. Staffed by a team of dentists and hygienists, our Kikel Mobile Dental Clinic travels to schools and adult community agencies and we have a comprehensive dental clinic at St. Elizabeth Youngstown Hospital. We strive to reach those who do not have, or have never seen, a dentist. We will see any patient regardless of ability to pay.

**Hispanic Health Programs:** Our Spanish-speaking staff helps members of the Hispanic Community to find medical and social services, participate in basic health classes, educational programs and screenings, make medical appointments and provide interpretation services during medical appointments.

**Youngstown Market Greatest Need:** Provides the flexibility to meet urgent needs as they arise.

**Hospice of the Valley:** Provides quality compassionate end of life care for the terminally ill as well as support for the family.

**Joanie's Promise:** Ensures that any woman in the Mahoning Valley has access to diagnostic breast services regardless of ability to pay.

**Opioid Initiative:** Provides peer recovery support workers in emergency departments, substance abuse prevention programs in local schools, ongoing education for physicians and SBIRT (Screening, Brief Intervention, and referral to Treatment) training for health care professionals.

**Healthy Babies:** Supports Resource Mothers and Centering Pregnancy, two programs that target the high rate of infant mortality in the Mahoning Valley.

**Man Up Mahoning Valley:** Through a variety of community events throughout Mahoning and Trumbull counties, Man Up raises awareness about the importance of routine prostate cancer screenings. Many free prostate cancer screenings take place during these events.

## Ministry-wide funds

**Caring for Our Own Fund:** Provides aid to associates facing financial hardships.

**Bon Secours Mercy Health Impact Fund:** Impact greatest needs ministry-wide. Your gift will be evenly shared among all Bon Secours Mercy Health Foundation markets.

# FAQs

## How does my gift impact my community?

Your donations empower the Foundation to support projects and initiatives for our communities, especially aiding our most vulnerable patients. Funds stay local to address pressing needs.

## How much should I give?

Please consider a gift at a level that is comfortable and meaningful to you.

## What if I donated earlier this year?

If you made a new gift(s) in 2024, your participation is counted toward the Give for Good Campaign, and you may receive Called to Shine points based on your giving. However, consider pledging your 2025 support during this year's campaign.

## What if I have an existing ongoing recurring gift?

If your gift from a previous campaign is recurring, there's no need to renew for the 2025 pay cycle. If you are interested in modifying your donation, any changes submitted will replace your current gift.

## When are payroll deductions taken?

- One time and PTO - November 2024
- Per Pay Period (Power Hour, Half Hour Hero, and Lead for Good included) - Starting January 2025, continuing each 2025 pay period.

## Can I donate the value of Personal Time Off (PTO)?

Non-exempt (hourly paid) associates may donate PTO.

Scan to make your gift today!



Thank you for giving for good!

BON SECOURS MERCY HEALTH Foundation

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If no envelope provided, mail completed form to:

**Mercy Health Foundation Mahoning Valley**  
6120-Youngstown, LBX 632660  
P.O. Box 5776  
Cincinnati, OH 45273-9942

### Questions?

Call 330-729-1180  
or email [giveforgood@bsmhealth.org](mailto:giveforgood@bsmhealth.org)

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**Dear Associate,**

The good work accomplished throughout the ministry for our patients and communities is because of your dedication. Together, let's ensure we continue delivering the highest standard of care and making an impact in the lives of those we serve.

Save the date for our day of giving, THE BIG GIVE, on **August 28th**, where we kick off this year's Give for Good campaign. Your support is crucial in helping us bridge health care gaps for those most in need.

You have the power to direct your gift to the causes that matter most to you. Whether you're renewing your previous gift or making a new one, your contribution can make a difference in the lives of others.

Act now by visiting **BSMHgiveforgood.com** or referring to our brochure for more information on how to make your gift today.

For questions, please connect with **giveforgood@bsmhealth.org**.

**Together, let's make a lasting impact.**

Thank you,

Paul S. Homick, President  
Mercy Health Foundation Mahoning Valley

# GIVE FOR GOOD

## The Power of Us

### Ways to make good happen

- Payroll deductions
- One time gift: credit card, cash or check
- Pledge over 26 pay periods
- Recurring gift that continues as long as you desire
- Donate paid time off (non-exempt associates)

### Current recurring donors

- If your gift from a previous campaign is recurring, there's no need to renew for the 2025 pay cycle. If you are interested in modifying your donation, any changes submitted will replace your current gift.
- You will be eligible for your gift's corresponding 2024 Give for Good incentives.
- Curious if your previous gift was recurring? Email [giveforgood@bsmhealth.org](mailto:giveforgood@bsmhealth.org) to inquire.

Give online at [bsmhgiveforgood.com](https://bsmhgiveforgood.com)



### Giving options and rewards

#### Power Hour

- One hour of pay per pay period at base rate
- 1,200 Called to Shine points



#### Lead for Good

- \$1,001 per year; only \$38.50 per pay period
- 1,000 Called to Shine points

#### Half Hour Hero

- Half hour of pay per pay period at base rate
- 600 Called to Shine points

### THE BIG GIVE donors

- Donors who give on or before 8/28/2024 as **Power Hour, Lead for Good or Half Hour Hero** will be eligible for a free long sleeve shirt
- New donors who set up their gift as recurring on or before 8/28/2024 will receive 500 Called to Shine points

### All recurring donors

- A gift set to recurring with no end date
- 100 Called to Shine points

### All donors

- 75 Be Well Points will be awarded

### Yes! I want to Give for Good!

Complete an online giving form at [bsmhgiveforgood.com](https://bsmhgiveforgood.com) or return this form to the Foundation.

#### Choose a giving level or fill in another amount.\*

##### Payroll deduction

- Power Hour** (1 hour per pay starting in 2025\*)  
Please estimate your hourly pay rate: \$\_\_\_\_\_
- Half Hour Hero** (1/2 hour per pay starting in 2025\*)  
Please estimate your hourly pay rate: \$\_\_\_\_\_
- Lead for Good** = \$1,001 (\$38.50 per pay starting in 2025\*)
- \$\_\_\_\_\_ one-time payroll deduction (Taken **Nov. 2024**)
- \$\_\_\_\_\_ per pay period (starting in 2025\*)

\*Your pay period gift will be recurring, meaning it will continue each year, unless you decide to stop or change the amount of your gift. You may opt out of recurring giving below.

- I prefer to opt out of recurring giving; my per pay period gift will stop after 12/31/2025.**

##### One-time cash gift

- \$\_\_\_\_\_ cash/check enclosed  
(payable to Bon Secours Mercy Health Foundation)

##### Credit Card gift

- \$\_\_\_\_\_ one-time credit card gift
- VISA    MasterCard    AmEx    Discover
- Name on Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_
- Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_
- If you wish to make a monthly credit card gift, please visit [bsmhgiveforgood.com](https://bsmhgiveforgood.com).

##### PTO donation\*\* (for non-exempt, hourly, associates)

\_\_\_\_\_ # PTO hours (8 hours minimum donation)

\*\*PTO donations: I understand the final value of PTO I donate will be reduced by 10% per tax laws and Bon Secours Mercy Health policy, and the remainder will be reported as taxable compensation to which applicable taxes will be applied. The after-tax amount will be the value of my donation and can be reported on my personal tax return as a charitable contribution consistent with IRS guidelines. Deduction will take place in Nov. 2024

##### My information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Associate ID (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Work email (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile phone number \_\_\_\_\_

### Direct my gift to:

(total of all selections must equal 100%)

- Community Health Programs and Education** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Prescription Assistance Program** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Dental Clinic** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Hispanic Health Programs** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Youngstown Market Greatest Need** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Hospice of the Valley** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Joanie's Promise** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Opioid Initiative** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Healthy Babies** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Man Up Mahoning Valley** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Other (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_ %

### Ministry-wide funds:

- Caring for Our Own Fund** \_\_\_\_\_ %
- Bon Secours Mercy Health Impact Fund** \_\_\_\_\_ %