Group Health Foundation
Designating Your Support

Group Health Foundation (GHF) has been fostering better health outcomes since 1983 as part of Group Health Cooperative. With the Kaiser Permanente transaction, it is now a subsidiary of Group Health Community Foundation. Donations to GHF are tax-deductible and support programs that improve the health of our families, neighbors and friends throughout Washington state.

**Critical and Emergent Needs Fund** supports the Foundation’s primary initiatives: to protect children from vaccine-preventable diseases and to find new, innovative ways to practice health care.

**Funds supporting the Foundation’s programs:**
- Elwin F. Anderson Endowed Fund (improving the health of seniors in Snohomish County)
- Jerome F. Beekman, MD Memorial Endowed Fund (innovations in health care)
- Hilde & Bill Birnbaum Endowed Fund (dissemination of health research)
- Cancer Care Current Use and Endowed Fund
- Children’s Health Care Initiatives Endowed Fund (children’s health issues)
- Aubrey and Henrietta Davis Endowed Fund for Excellence in Governance and Leadership
- General Endowment (areas of greatest need)
- GHF Immunization Initiative (primarily focused on improving children and teen immunization rates)
- GHF Innovation Initiative (projects that explore new ways to improve health)
- Robin E. Johnson Endowed Fund (innovations in health care)
- Calder Miles Endowed Fund (areas of greatest need)
- Donald G. Miller, MD Endowed Fund (innovations in health care)
- Ruth Sinton Endowed Fund in memory of Kenneth and Bodil Campbell (areas of greatest need)
- Senior Programs Current Use and Endowed Funds (improving the health of seniors)

**Funds enhancing patient care for Kaiser Permanente Washington members:**
- Behavioral Health Services (BHS)
- Diabetes Programs
- Eye Care Services
- Family Practice Residency
- Fedash Family Endowed Fund for Behavioral Health & Developmental or Physical Disabilities
- Dave Fox Memorial Endowed Fund supports programs for Hospice/Oncology staff
- Kaiser Permanente Washington Health Research Institute General Fund
- Kaiser Permanente Washington Health Research Institute Endowment Fund
- Hospice Endowed Fund
- Hospice & Home Health Program
- Joel F. Katz Memorial Endowed Fund (pediatrics and oncology)
- Northgate Medical Center Reach Out and Read Program
- Nursing Endowed Fund (research projects in health care delivery and professional development for nurses)
- Pediatric Services
- Rainier Medical Center Reach Out and Read Program
- Senior Caucus
- Senior Caucus Endowed Fund
- Gerald & Virginia Sparling Endowed Fund for Radiology
- Tacoma South Reach Out and Read Program
- Teen Pregnancy Clinic
- Ed Wagner Endowment for Healthcare Transformation
- Ken & June Yamamoto Family Practice Residency Endowed Fund in honor of Dr. Carol McCandless
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Funds supporting Kaiser Permanente Washington employees, health care workers and students:
  Carla A. Bush Endowed Fund (scholarships for health care leaders)
  William C. Butts, PhD Memorial Endowed Fund (scholarships for laboratory health profession students)
  Bernice Cohen Sachs, MD Endowed Fund (scholarships for women medical students)
  Crisis Outreach and Relief for Employees (CORE) or CORE Endowed Fund (KPWA/WPMG staff)
  Katie Donahue Memorial Scholarship (career-ladder education for nurses)
  Global Health Fund (international volunteer efforts of Washington Permanente Medical Group clinicians)
  Mary Matsuda Gruenewald Endowed Fund (professional development for nurse managers and supervisors)
  Vera K. Miller Endowed Fund for Career Development (scholarships for front-line patient-facing staff)
  Kenneth F. & Phyllis W. Norden Endowed Fund (scholarships for health care professionals)
  Phil & Sandra Nudelman Endowed Fund for Diversity in Health Care Careers (scholarships)
  Physician Assistant Scholarship Endowed Fund (scholarships for physician assistant students)
  Ethel Taylor Endowed Scholarship (scholarships)
  Tomorrow’s Medical Leaders Endowed Fund (scholarships to develop medical leaders)
  Marc West ALS “Remarcable” Life Endowment (scholarships for children who have lost a parent)

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