

FAQs about the JMH Foundation

Who do you serve?

Our campaigns and programs primarily serve health care initiatives of Johnson Memorial Hospital in Franklin, Indiana and related efforts that promote good health throughout Johnson County, Indiana.

What is your mission?

Our mission is to raise charitable funds to benefit Johnson Memorial Hospital in improving the health of our community.

Are you a non-profit organization?

Yes. The JMH Foundation is registered with the State of Indiana as a 501(c) 3 non-profit foundation, and contributions may qualify as a deduction on your federal income tax filing.

Where are you located?

The JMH Foundation staff has an office at Johnson Memorial Hospital, 1125 West Jefferson, Franklin, Indiana 46131.

How can we contact you?

Our telephone number is 317.346.3703. You can email us at foundationmail@johnsonmemorial.org.

Do you have a paid staff?

Yes.

What are your primary programs?

Our support for the hospital and community is diversified. We fund scholarships for people seeking careers in the health care field or JMH employees who are advancing their studies. We support community initiatives such as Partnership for a Healthier Johnson County. And assist with direct patient services such as the St. Thomas Clinic for uninsured patients and Pooh Bears for Molly that celebrate births and comfort the adolescent sick. We are setting up a grant program initiative for future support of the hospital and community.

How do you raise your funds for scholarships and healthcare initiatives?

We depend solely on the generous support of our donors and Johnson Memorial Hospital's Board of Trustees. We are blessed to receive gifts from community members, former patients, families of patients, JMH staff and board members. We also host three key fundraising activities -- the JMH Foundation Golf Tournament, the Memorial Brick Program through the Reflection Garden and an Annual Foundation Gala. Other fundraising efforts are being planned.

How many serve on your board of directors and what are their backgrounds?

We have a committed board consisting of leaders in the healthcare, law, business and financial industries. The board includes physicians and administrators from JMH and representatives from the Johnson County, Indiana community. Our board members also have extensive non-profit board experience.

How does the board of directors function?

The Board of Directors operate with a set of bylaws and host an annual meeting, as well as regular meetings throughout the year. Doug Stewart serves as Foundation President, with Dr. David Dunkle serving as vice president and Tom Thompson as secretary/treasurer.

What are the long-range goals of the JMH Foundation?

Our board began a long-range strategic plan initiative in 2009 and continues to develop goals that include expanding fundraising efforts, marketing the Foundation, securing more community partnerships and working with Johnson Memorial Hospital's leadership team on their future growth.