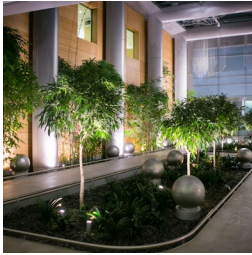


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Greetings Supporters,



We're doing something special with this edition of the Impact Report. I'm so excited to tell you about it!


It's been a very busy few months around here... SCVMC opened the John and Susan Sobrato Pavilion, the gorgeous new main hospital wing made possible by the generosity of Santa Clara County voters in 2008 and scores of private donors. In fact, this was the VMC Foundation's largest fundraising campaign to date.

We are so grateful to you... and therefore we're dedicating this entire Impact Report to stories of the Sobrato Pavilion and how your contributions have made a difference. We hope you find it informative and inspiring!

It goes without saying that none of this would be possible without our loyal supporters. To all of our donors, I give my deepest thanks.

You may have also noticed our new look! The VMC Foundation has a new logo and website. Check us out online and tell me what you think. As always, we're at vmcfoundation.org.

With my gratitude,

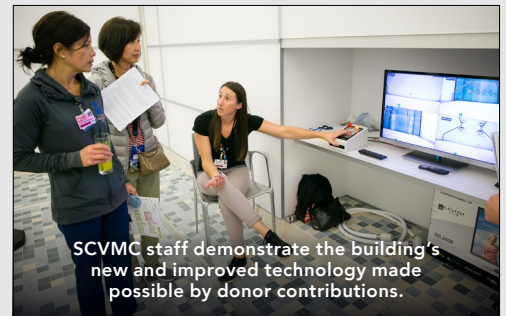

Chris Wilder, CEO



NOW OPEN! On December 2, 2017, the community cheered as SCVMC officially cut the ribbon and opened its doors to patients.



John and Susan Sobrato contributed the \$5M lead gift to outfit the Sobrato Pavilion with state-of-the-art technology and equipment.



SCVMC staff demonstrate the building's new and improved technology made possible by donor contributions.

Introducing the Sobrato Pavilion

Donors and County Officials Celebrate Landmark Achievement

SCVMC's John and Susan Sobrato Pavilion is one of the most advanced hospital buildings in the world, thanks in part to our generous donors.

Cutting-edge, environmentally friendly and aesthetically beautiful, the Sobrato Pavilion is a marvel. The new main hospital building will provide essential healthcare services to the entire region for generations to come. The 370,000 square foot building houses SCVMC's nationally recognized Rehabilitation Center for stroke, traumatic brain and spinal cord injury patients, as well as adult intensive care and other acute care units.

Funded by the taxpayers, the construction of the Sobrato Pavilion was supported by an unprecedented community fundraising campaign that raised millions of additional dollars to help outfit the facility with technology, artwork and other patient friendly amenities.



Why We Support SCVMC



"We really believe in the mission of SCVMC, providing care to all in our community, regardless of their ability to pay. As an employee, I am proud of the excellent care we provide to all of the patients and families served by SCVMC. I donate to the VMC Foundation because I want to leave my legacy here."

Linda Fenn, pictured with her husband Richard Fenn



"I was the first person to use this patient room in the new Sobrato Pavilion. I was so impressed by the teamwork and positivity of the staff who helped me become independent again after my injury. The staff are rock stars and I'm so thankful to them. My family made a donation to dedicate this room so the patients who come after me will continue to receive excellent care and have the support they need to succeed."

Dan Scrivner, pictured with his wife, Amy, and daughter Karen Greiner



"I give to the VMC Foundation because I am so grateful for the great service that was provided to my mother when she had lymphoma. Every single nurse in the Sobrato Cancer Center gave her the best attention, almost as if they knew her. But then I realized they treated everyone that way! I truly believe that my mother is cancer free today because of the great care provided by SCVMC's Oncology team."

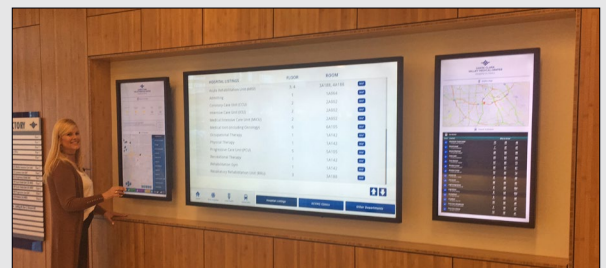
Terry Chavarria, pictured with her daughter Sam Rodriguez

Your Donations at Work



ZeroG Gets Patients Walking Again

Therapists in the SCVMC Rehabilitation Center can now offer patients an opportunity to get on their feet again thanks to its brand new ZeroG Gait and Balance System. This revolutionary tool helps patients rehabilitating from a range of injuries and illness, including stroke, traumatic brain, spinal cord and orthopedic injuries, and multiple sclerosis, just to name a few. Thanks to generous support from donors like you, SCVMC therapists can protect patients from falls while supporting them as they practice walking, balance tasks and stairs. Your gifts to the VMC Foundation have made this remarkable system a reality for our patients and we thank you!



Helping Patients Find Their Way

Thanks to your donations, the VMC Foundation was able to fund an interactive navigation system to better direct our patients and visitors when they arrive at the Sobrato Pavilion. The touch screen enables patients to select a unit or other location within the building and a route to the location appears on the screen. On behalf of SCVMC's non-lost visitors, thank you!

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