

# YES, I WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Department \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Employee Number \_\_\_\_\_

## I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE BY:

(Choose one)

\_\_\_\_ Contributing \$\_\_\_\_\_ per pay period (26 pay periods per year)  
Minimum of \$4 per pay period qualifies donor for denim or t-shirt.

\_\_\_\_ Continuing my pledge amount from last year

\_\_\_\_ Contributing a one-time gift of \$\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Cash enclosed    \_\_\_\_ Check enclosed    \_\_\_\_ Payroll deduction  
(Payroll deduction beginning with the pay period ending May 2)

\_\_\_\_ Contributing a one-time gift of \_\_\_\_\_ hours of PTO

## I WOULD LIKE FOR MY GIFT TO SUPPORT:

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| ____ Employee Crisis Fund       | ____ Baxter Regional Center on Aging                |
| ____ Friends Fund               | ____ Peitz Cancer Support House                     |
| ____ Mtn. Home Christian Clinic | ____ Reppell Diabetes Learning Center               |
| ____ Scholarship Fund           | ____ Schliemann Center for Women's Health Education |

## FOR MY GIFT OF \$100 OR MORE, I CHOOSE:

(Choose one)

\_\_\_\_ denim \*                      \_\_\_\_ BRMC t-shirt  
Size: S M L XL 2X 3X 4X 5X

\_\_\_\_ In addition, I would like to purchase a BRMC t-shirt for \$10.

*Please indicate size above.*

\_\_\_\_ Cash enclosed    \_\_\_\_ Check enclosed    \_\_\_\_ Payroll deduction

\*For questions regarding denim, please refer to the Baxter Regional Medical Center Dress Code Policy, as adopted in 2007: Denim will only be recognized on Fridays or special events, for eligible staff. Attire may include denim scrubs, slacks, jeans, dresses or skirts. No overalls. Denim must be clean, wrinkle free and without holes, rips, patches or tears.

I authorize Baxter Regional Medical Center to deduct this amount from my paycheck as indicated above. I understand this authorization will continue until my pledge is paid unless otherwise specified by me in writing. I understand that all personal information is kept confidential.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

According to IRS regulations, your gift to the Employee Fund Drive is tax-deductible. For further information, please contact the Baxter Regional Hospital Foundation at (870) 508-1770.

# Baxter Regional Medical Center Employee Fund Drive 2009

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*"Raising money to keep our community healthy."*

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# EACH PUZZLE PIECE MAKES A DIFFERENCE

Each and every day the employees of Baxter Regional Medical Center give of their time, energy and love through the great work of our hospital. Being a part of this mission means more than just a paycheck to most. With the annual Employee Fund Drive, our employees have helped make a difference in the lives of so many individuals and their families.

**In 2008, the employees of Baxter Regional Medical Center helped raise more than \$110,000 to support the Employee Crisis Fund, Friends Funds, Hospital Support, Scholarship Fund and the Mountain Home Christian Clinic.** Many of these projects are funded solely by our employees. The miracles that happen, true miracles, would not be possible without your support.

It is our goal each year for 90% of our employees to participate, and the past few years you have come through in amazing numbers. We hope to continue that incredible mark again this year, and we are counting on you to help make a difference as we continue to support the Employee Crisis Fund, Friends Fund, Scholarship Fund and the Mountain Home Christian Clinic. It is when we work together we can truly make a difference for so many!

Employees who help make a difference will receive a sticker to proudly wear on their name badge. Those giving \$100 or more may wear denim on Friday, or may choose to receive a BRMC t-shirt. T-shirts may also be purchased for \$10.

Departments with 100% participation will receive a free pizza party! Prizes will be drawn throughout the Employee Fund Drive Kick-off, and all participating employees are eligible.



## COMMUNITY HOUSES

New to the Employee Fund Drive this year will be the opportunity of supporting one (or all) of the BRMC Community Houses. The majority of services provided by these houses are offered free of charge.

The Baxter Regional Center on Aging hosts various programs of interest for the area's senior citizens. The center includes classrooms for educational topics such as Alzheimer's, arthritis, caregiving assistance and much more.

The Peitz Cancer Support House is the first line of support for cancer patients, their families and friends. Numerous support groups, a resource library, wig & turban bank and smoking cessation classes are just a few of the services provided.

The Reppell Diabetes Learning Center provides the necessary tools to cope with this terrible disease, including self-care skills, social support, nutritional classes, medical & exercise information and prevention of complications.

The Schliemann Center for Women's Health Education is impacting the lives of hundreds of women of all ages through support and education. Programs offered include Girls Night Out, Lunch & Learn and Health Forums. Also included are Lamaze classes, safe sitter classes and numerous support groups.

## EMPLOYEE CRISIS FUND

More than \$160,000 has been given to the Employee Crisis Fund since our Fund Drive started in 2001, assisting more than 300 of our employees. The Employee Crisis Fund helps employees financially when the unexpected happens. Emergency assistance is defined as "one-time aid to an employee due to an unexpected crisis such as an illness of employee or immediate family member, death, loss of job or home, natural disaster or fire." The importance of our Employee Crisis Fund has never been more evident than immediately following the tornado that hit Gassville in February of 2008 and more recent, the ice storm that devastated Baxter and surrounding counties in January.

## FRIENDS FUND

The Friends Fund, almost entirely funded by the Fund Drive, provided medication assistance to 179 patients last year. As prescription costs increase, so does the need. Patients apply for medication assistance and are screened for need by our social workers. Assisting patients with medications frequently avoids hospitalization, prevents readmission or shortens their length of stay.

## MOUNTAIN HOME CHRISTIAN CLINIC

The Mountain Home Christian Clinic is a group of volunteers who have joined together to provide charitable health care to members of our community who are most in need. Baxter Regional Medical Center supports the efforts of the clinic by providing free medical equipment, medications, and financial assistance. The Christian Clinic is open the first and third Thursday of each month. Volunteer doctors, dentists, nurses, therapists, pharmacists, and social workers see more than 300 patients each night with health problems ranging from infected gums to kidney stones. More than 500 other volunteers help with everything from preparing meals to greeting patients. The Mountain Home Christian Clinic received \$25,000 in support last year from the EFD.

## SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Scholarships were given to 20 students last year through our BRMC Children and Grandchildren Scholarship Fund. We have students at ASU – Mountain Home, University of Central Arkansas, University of Arkansas, Missouri State University and more. Twenty \$1,000 scholarships (\$500 per semester) will be awarded in May for the 2009-2010 school year. Scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors who are the children or grandchildren of BRMC employees. The parent or grandparent must have been employed with BRMC for at least one year and have worked 500 hours in the last twelve months. Scholarships will go to residents of Arkansas and Missouri and are awarded based on academic achievement and financial need.