

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

A newsletter for the Maine Medical Center family

## MMC Recognized For Promoting Organ Donation

Maine Medical Center was among a select group of hospitals nationwide recognized for promoting enrollment in state organ donor registries in a national campaign sponsored by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Health Resources and Services Ad-

ministration (HRSA). The campaign has added 400,000 donor enrollments to state registries nationwide since 2011.

The hospital conducted awareness and registry campaigns to educate staff, patients, visitors and commu-

nity members about the critical need for organ, eye and tissue donors, increasing the number of potential donors on the state's registry.

The hospital was awarded Platinum recognition through the HRSA Work-

place Partnership for Life Hospital Campaign.

Of the 995 hospitals and transplant centers participating in the campaign, 281 were awarded platinum recognition during this phase of the campaign.

## MMC Graduates 51st Class of CNA Program Students

On November 17, MMC's Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) program honored 31 graduates from its latest class. More than 1,100 students have taken part in the program since its inception in March of 2000.

CNAs are caregivers who provide patients assistance

with activities of daily living and basic needs. The course, offered in January, March and September, includes classroom work, skills labs and clinical experience. Many of the program's graduates accept CNA positions throughout the hospital.



## PEOPLE NEWS



**Rebecca Hutchinson, M.D., MPH**, has joined Maine Medical Center's Palliative Medicine group. Dr. Hutchinson received her medical degree from University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine. She completed her internship and residency at Brigham

and Women's Hospital.

Dr. Hutchinson received her master's from Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health. She completed her fellowship in Hospice and Palliative Care here at MMC. Her clinical interests include delivering high-

quality palliative and end-of-life care to all patients.

Outside of work, Dr. Hutchinson enjoys spending time with her three children, hiking, camping and skiing.

# NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES



*Claire Berg*  
40 Years

## 40 Years

Claire Berg,  
Cardiovascular Clinic  
Elizabeth Smith,  
Patient Services Rep

## 35 Years

Terri Babb, NICU  
Vickie Olfene, Radiology

## 30 Years

Donna Akerson Green,  
Oncology  
Serena Casey, SSC  
Janet Oliver,  
Family Birth Center

## 25 Years

Elizabeth Belanger,  
Psychiatry  
Alan Michaud,  
Nutrition Services

## 20 Years

Chad Bevins, Radiology  
Ronald Brown, IS  
Jennifer Burnham,  
Housestaff  
David Chase, IS



*Elizabeth Smith*  
40 Years

Jennifer Laflamme, R7  
Penny Mills, ASU

## 15 Years

Karen Andrei,  
Health Information  
Management  
Denise Boshea, PACU  
Donna Bouffard,  
Environmental Services  
Melissa Bowden, ED  
Shannon Cappen, BBCH  
Paula Desrosiers, Radiology  
April Fry, R5  
Robert Gredin, IS  
Kathleen Lalouche,  
Radiology  
Darcel Moulton, OR  
Barbara Owen, R9  
Caren Priest,  
Family Birth Center  
Tina Marie Schwarz, BBCH  
Katherine Skroski, R9  
Rachel Smith,  
Nutrition Services  
Sarah Snow, R4

## 10 Years

Edward Barnum, IS



*Barbara Owen*  
15 Years

Nellie Bergeron, Radiology  
Frances Caterina, R3  
Stephen DiGiovanni, Clinic  
Sabrina Donnelly,  
Family Birth Center  
Emily Dubord, NICU  
Wendy Elliott, REMIS  
Keith Friedrich, REMIS  
April Gerry, Westbrook  
Primary Care  
Terry Henderson, MMCRI  
Kathleen Nielsen,  
Nutrition Services  
Kevin Reynolds, Finance  
Arthur Shaw, Distribution  
Beverly Thorpe,  
Outpatient Care  
Loran Townsend,  
Radiology  
Jodi-Lynne Vaughn,  
Family Birth Center

## 5 Years

Alexandra Aitkenhead,  
Scarborough Primary  
Care  
Jane Allain, ED  
Robert Bolster, Cardiology

Benjamin Branch,  
Neuro & Spine  
Danielle Brown,  
Women's Health  
Maternal and Fetal  
Medicine  
Anna Cloutier, MMCRI  
Jackson Crawford, IS  
John DeStefano, IS  
William Farefield, IS  
Patrick Freeman, R6  
Susan Guerin,  
Employee Health  
Deborah Johnson,  
Center for Clinical and  
Professional Develop-  
ment  
Deborah Jordan,  
Care Management  
Tori Lynch, OR  
Pamela Main,  
Volunteer Services  
Faith McNeil, MMCRI  
James Moulton, IS  
Jena Oliver, BBCH  
Geoffrey Perkins, ED  
Karriane Potter-Maxwell,  
R1  
Ernesto Ramirez, Security  
Mallery Ross,  
Scarborough Primary  
Care  
Kristina Severance,  
Physical Therapy  
Kristin Shulman,  
Weight & Wellness  
Program  
Kathleen Walker,  
Windham Primary Care  
Aaron Weisslender,  
Security  
Susan Whittaker,  
Coding & Compliance



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