

PORTFOLIO REPORT 2020-21

General Medicine

Victoria Hospitals Foundation and Island Health

Each year, the Victoria Hospitals Foundation (VHF) and Island Health partner to determine priority equipment needs in our hospitals. Capital Finance receives equipment requests from the departments and creates a list of approved equipment. With the help of this list, VHF develops campaign themes. In addition, we aim to align donors' wishes with the needs of the department. In fiscal 2020/21, we committed \$8,231,047 to equipment, special projects, education, and research supporting Royal Jubilee and Victoria General hospitals and Island Health as a whole. Annually, the Foundation funds more than 100 pieces of equipment to support all 11 areas of care, or 40% of new equipment in our hospitals. Find out more at victoriahf.ca

Donor-Funded Equipment

In 2020/21, VHF disbursed over \$450,000 to fund equipment for General Medicine.

Capital #	Equipment/Project	Department
18RJ033	Electric dialysis chairs	RJH Renal Unit
18RJ055	Pulmonary Function Machine	RJH Respiratory Therapy
19RJ028	Blood pressure machine	RJH Home Dialysis Clinic
19RJ030	Blood pressure machine	RJH Kidney Care Clinic
19RJ070	Ultrasound	RJH IV Therapy
19VG069	Ultrasound	VGH IV Therapy
20RJ133	Dialysis chairs	RJH Renal Unit
20RJ164	Deionizer system	RJH Renal Services
20SH043	CADD pumps	RJH 8S Gen Med & Oncology
20-0224	Wireless Blood Pressure Monitor	RJH Kidney Care Clinic
	Burn Fund	

Caring Spirits

The *Caring Spirit* program gives people the chance to recognize a special caregiver, employee, or entire team by making a donation in their name towards priority medical equipment. The honouree(s) receive recognition from their supervisors and peers, a special *Caring Spirit* pin, and a letter of congratulations. VHF also recognizes them on our social media channels.

General Medicine was recognized with several *Caring Spirits* in 2020/21:

- Kim Hoffman, RN
- Katrina Wilson, RN
- Angela Montenegro, LPN
- Yuri Goshima
- Sheila Walker, MOA
- Brett Taylor, Porter
- Shelley, Food Services
- RJH Medical Day Care
- RJH PCC 8 North
- VGH 4B
- Dr. Chris Galanos
- Dr. Christine Jones
- Dr. Steve MacKenzie
- Dr. Robin Norris
- Dr. Anne Ridler
- Dr. Bill Shoichet



Stories Shared

Seaspan Employee Stories

Seaspan Victoria Shipyards and the Dennis and Phyllis Washington Foundation made an incredible \$2.65 million commitment to VHF's *It's Critical* campaign, which will expand critical care capacity at Royal Jubilee Hospital by 73%. This generosity has inspired the giving spirit of the Vancouver Island community, but it also motivated Seaspan's dedicated staff to share their healthcare experiences, and an appreciation for Seaspan's commitment to transforming healthcare.

[Read these stories](#)



Campaigns in Support

Hospital Heroes of Victoria

March 2020 saw a change in the way we do things, in everyday life and in healthcare, around the world and here in Greater Victoria. To support our local healthcare heroes, we launched the Hospital Heroes of Victoria campaign to support our 7,900 care providers and staff at Royal Jubilee, Victoria General, and Gorge Road hospitals. We want to ensure they have what they need to provide world-class care—to protect and maintain it through our current challenges and into the future.

The Big Picture

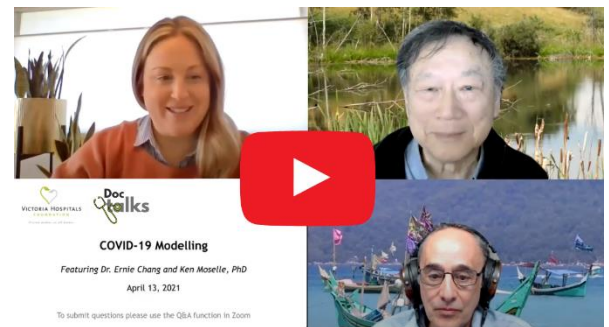
In November 2020, we completed \$4 million campaign entitled The Big Picture to fund priority, leading-edge imaging equipment for multiple areas within RJH and VGH. The campaign funded 42 pieces of equipment thanks to 3,500 donors.

Events

Doc Talk

COVID-19 Modelling — Dr. Ernie Chang and Ken Moselle

[Watch the Doc Talk](#)



We see you. We thank you.
Our community stands with you.



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