



2016 Annual Report

Mission

The mission of Signature Healthcare Foundation is to utilize physician leadership to improve healthcare quality, efficiency and affordability.

Vision

Our vision is that we envision a world where patients are actively engaging in their health and healthcare, partnering with physicians who have the power and ability to direct it.

Core Values

Our core values include:

- Primacy of physician/patient relationship
- Transparency
- Physician and patient education
- Access through education and advocacy
- Investing in individuals and organizations

Letter from the Executive Director

2016 has been a great year for Signature Healthcare Foundation. I am inspired by the generosity of our partners. Our events raised over \$370,000 to help local non-profits and to help progress Signature Healthcare Foundation's mission.

We were proud to award financial assistance to Lutheran Senior Services, Brain Injury Association, The Center for Hearing & Speech, Asthma & Allergy Foundation, Nurses for Newborns, and Ranken Jordan. We also educated thousands of individuals through our Health Policy Forum and Phusion Magazine.

With the direction of the board of directors, we added a focus on the Kansas City Area. We held our inaugural Top Golf Classic in Kansas City. This fundraiser helped raise funds for the Foundation's Operation Family Help Initiative. Operation Family Help funds are available to help patients and their families with medically related expenses.

Thank you for your support of Signature Healthcare Foundation's mission to improve healthcare quality, efficiency and affordability. We look forward to continued support in 2017.

Beth Schlueter

Executive Director

Community Support

Dragon Boat Festival

The Dragon Boat Festival showcases wellness & the importance of this to families, workplaces & the community. It is also a great opportunity for teambuilding as well as a fun event for St. Louis with live entertainment, a KidsZone, food vendors & more. It also raises money for our Operation Family Help Program.



This year we celebrated the festival's Tenth Anniversary! This year's event featured 42 teams, 900 paddlers and thousands of spectators. The event promoted teambuilding by teaching the teams to work together for a common goal.

- 88% of the teams' last race times were faster than their first race
- 94% of respondents stated they had an above average experience with the Festival
- Successfully raised funds for Operation Family Help



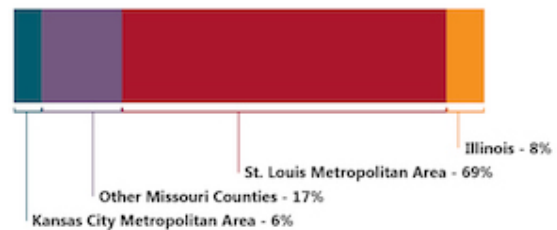
Operation Family Help

Operation Family Help provides assistance to families in crisis by providing financial assistance for needs not covered by health insurance or for those that cannot afford needed items due to high deductibles.

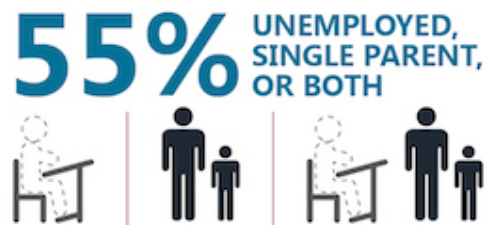
Patient Demographics



Geographic Area



Special Circumstances



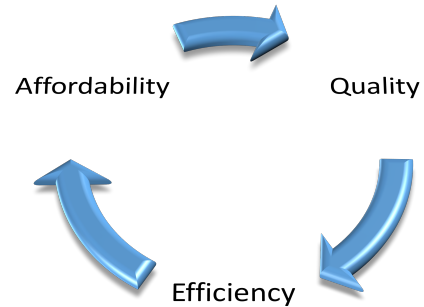
Community Dialogue

Signature Foundation provides several programs to the community designed to stimulate dialogue and change in healthcare.

Health Policy Forum

The goals of the Health Policy Forum are to:

- Educate the medical community, general public, governmental officials & employers about current major issues and trends in healthcare
- Raise awareness about the need for maximizing efficient business practices in healthcare & showcase effective practices
- Demonstrate and discuss the importance of physician leadership in all components of healthcare delivery



In 2016, the Forum was attended by more than 200 people and featured:

- Keynote speaker: Elliott Fisher, Director of the Dartmouth Institute for Health Policy and Clinical Practice
- Panel speakers: Tom Hastings of Esse Health; Pat Keran of Optum Technologies; Blake Marggraff of Epharmix; and Ed Strouth of Barry-Wehmiller.

Phusion magazine

Phusion is a magazine available to any interested persons, free of charge and shares information about healthcare issues, policies and trends in a user friendly format. In 2016, we printed and mailed over 7,000 magazines to individuals and featured articles about quality, efficiency and affordability of healthcare.

Paul Simon Award

The Paul Simon Award was instituted to honor Senator Simon's service to Signature Healthcare Foundation as a member of its board of directors. The program presents monetary awards to the individuals and institutions who have demonstrated, through a competitive review process, the most creative or effective method to save money and increase business efficiency in the healthcare system.



In 2016, Signature Healthcare Foundation awarded the 11th Senator Paul Simon Award to Lutheran Senior Services.

Support

In addition to programs offered or operated by Signature Healthcare Foundation, the organization holds fundraisers in order to progress the Foundation's mission to improve the quality, efficiency, and affordability of healthcare.

Golf Tournament Support

The golf tournament has grown in recent years to two 18 hole courses & includes celebrity players, a silent auction, games and prizes. It is always a fun way for participants to support the Foundation and each year's selected nonprofits.



In 2016, the foundation awarded grants to:

- Asthma & Allergy Foundation
- Nurses for Newborns
- Ranken Jordan

Health Policy Forum Support

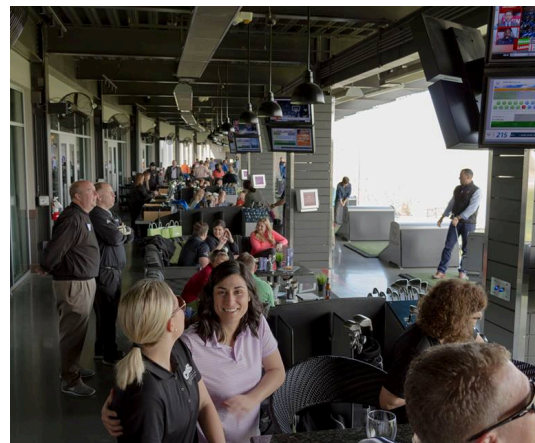
The health policy forum, through sponsorship support, donates grants to local organizations for their innovation on improving health quality, efficiency and affordability.

In 2016, the foundation awarded grants to:

- The Brain Injury Association
- The Center for Hearing and Speech

Top Golf Classic Support

In 2016 we held our first Top Golf Tournament in Kansas City. This unique event offers a fun filled point-scoring golf game. There is a 240 yard outfield with dartboard-like targets in the ground. The closer to the bullseye and the farther out you hit, the more points you receive. Participants had a great afternoon competing in this event and raising money for a great cause.



The proceeds of this event went to Signature Healthcare Foundation's Operation Family Help Program.

Thanks to our 2016 supporters

Signature Healthcare Foundation extends its wholehearted thanks to those who have made a corporate or individual gift in 2016; your support has made our work possible & helped to improve healthcare quality, efficiency & affordability

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