

Fondation



TOGETHER^{FOR} YOU

Impact Edition

HSN Foundation Celebrates \$1.041 Million Gift from FDC Foundation Supporting Surgical Safety and Capacity

Behind every safe surgery is a team you may never see. But your support makes their work possible.

With a \$1.041 million gift from the FDC Foundation, the Medical Device Reprocessing Department has new equipment that is transforming how they work, improving safety, increasing efficiency, and helping more patients get the care they need, sooner.

Each day, this team prepares nearly 1,000 surgical instrument sets, playing a critical role in every procedure at HSN, improving access to highly specialized surgical care for the people of Northeastern Ontario.

This is the power of philanthropy in action.



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the full story:



Honouring Community Through Philanthropy: The Cousineau Family and OCP Construction

Behind this gift is a story of gratitude, connection, and commitment to local care. For the Cousineau Family and OCP Construction, giving back is more than a gesture. It is a meaningful way to honour the community that has supported them throughout their journey.

Scan the QR code to hear from the Cousineau Family and learn more about the story behind their gift, and the impact it is helping create for patients and families in our region.





McDonald's Raises Over \$85K for Pediatric Care at HSN

Over the past six years, McDonald's locations across Sudbury and the surrounding area have shown a strong commitment to the health and well-being of our youngest community members. Through local fundraising efforts and the generosity of patrons, more than \$85,000 has been raised in support of pediatric care at HSN, helping ensure children and their families have access to the specialized care they need, close to home.

We are grateful to the franchise owners, staff, and community members who made this impact possible!

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learn more:



HSN Foundation Research Chair Dr. Shurrab Examines Rural Gaps in Cardiac Care

Canadians living in rural areas face poorer health outcomes, including higher rates of emergency department visits, mortality, and hospital readmissions, along with limited access to primary, specialist, and cardiac care. These barriers, combined with risk factors such as lower physical activity, increase the likelihood of cardiovascular events.

Atrial Fibrillation (AF), a type of arrhythmia, can cause blood clots in the heart and raise the risk of stroke, heart failure, and other complications. Research led by Dr. Mohammed Shurrab, HSN Foundation Research Chair in Cardiovascular Health, examines how these gaps affect patients with AF in rural Northern Ontario.

Health equity means ensuring everyone has the opportunity to reach their full health potential by addressing these gaps, so all individuals can access the best possible care, regardless of where they live.



Philanthropy in Action



John Carl MacIsaac Foundation Supports CAMHP Healing Space Revitalization

For more than 24 years, the John Carl MacIsaac Foundation has supported pediatric care at HSN, with \$283,000 in lifetime giving. Their recent \$15,000 gift is helping restore the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Program (CAMHP) unit's shared TV room into a more welcoming, sensory-friendly space that supports healing for children and youth.

We are grateful for their continued partnership and commitment to creating healing spaces for our youngest patients.



RBC Foundation Strengthens Nursing Education and Care

We are proud to recognize the RBC Foundation for supporting nursing education at HSN.

This cart and chest contain specialized simulation equipment that brings hands-on, real-world training directly to frontline nurses through the Nursing Education and Simulation Program (SIM-2-You). This mobile approach strengthens critical skills and enhances patient and staff safety across our organization and throughout Northeastern Ontario.

This investment supports both new and experienced nurses in delivering exceptional care. Thank you, RBC, for partnering with us to strengthen frontline teams and advance healthcare across our region.

Inspiring Stories



When Every Moment Matters

“When my mother was diagnosed, our family felt hopeless. But all of the staff at HSN was truly remarkable.”

In honour of his mother Vicki, Brad and his wife Anya made a generous gift on Giving Tuesday that was doubled through matching support. Their donation is helping fund critical priorities at HSN, including advanced imaging technology for faster cancer diagnosis and treatment.

Read Brad's Story:



A Rare Diagnosis and Care Close to Home

At just six years old, Lennox, a hockey-loving kid from the North, was admitted to HSN after a persistent fever and worsening symptoms. As his condition progressed, his care team identified the cause as blastomycosis, a rare fungal infection that required specialized treatment.

Receiving a clear diagnosis and care close to home allowed Lennox to begin the right treatment without delay, surrounded by his family throughout his recovery.

Read Lennox's Story:



**Rooted in the North.
Committed to its Future.**

Keep care close to home
for generations to come.

Learn more:

