# MERCY HEALTH FOUNDATION

ANNUAL REPORT JULY 1, 2021 TO JUNE 30, 2022



### THANK YOU!

Last Fiscal Year, you helped us invest \$736,415 into Ascension Mercy Hospital. With your generous support, we made it possible for every patient to receive compassionate, personalized care close to home.

RECOVERY COACH PROGRAM SAVES LIVES As part of Ascension Wisconsin's efforts to address substance use disorders, we have expanded our recovery coach program to Ascension Wisconsin emergency departments serving the Oshkosh and Fox Valley communities due to grant funding. Recovery coaches provide emotional support, help individuals overcome barriers to recovery and make connections to community resources to support their recovery.

To ensure all patients have access to these services, Mercy Health Foundation is proud to be a partner in this program, covering referral costs for those patients who do not qualify under the grant terms, such as people struggling with alcohol use disorder. Apricity is our local program partner, providing a full spectrum of substance use disorder care and recovery coach referrals at Ascension Mercy Hospital.

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Robin Kobilic, Manager of Emergency Services at Ascension Mercy Hospital, shared that the staff really appreciates having the program as a resource for this high risk population.

"The addition of the ED2 recovery coach program has been a huge help for our community," Robin said. "The ER nurses are grateful to have another resource to offer our patients. It has been very well received by patients and having someone present to speak with them within an hour of the call has really opened opportunities for these patients."

Percentage of patients who did not experience another overdose after being connected with a recovery coach.

90%

"They now have contact information for the recovery coach that they can reach out to at any time which helps prevent readmission and gives the patient more control to get the help and resources they need. Thank you to the Foundation for helping to make this possible."

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#### **ROBIN KOBILIC**

Manager of Emergency Services at Ascension Mercy Hospital



### MISSION STATEMENT

Mercy Health Foundation is the philanthropic arm of Ascension Mercy Hospital and Ascension Medical Group clinics in Oshkosh. Our mission is to live out the healing ministry of Christ with a special emphasis on those in need. By generating, stewarding and distributing funds, we enhance the quality of our health system services, programs and other community health initiatives.

#### Fiscal Year - 2022 July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022

In Fiscal Year 2022, we invested more than \$736,415 into Ascension Mercy Hospital thanks to donors like you. Your support enhances the quality of Ascension health care services and programs in the Oshkosh community. You help make it possible for every patient to receive compassionate, personalized care close to home.

A Patient Experience	\$ 103,558
B Behavioral Health	\$ 900
Cancer Care	\$ 68,261
D Community Services/Clinics	\$ 2,000
Education	\$ 17,152
Patient Assistance	\$ 1,974
Technology and Innovation	\$ 458,657
Women and Families	\$ 46,158
Other	\$ 37,755

