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Service Awards

Hackensack University Medical Center honored the more than 900 doctors and dentists on its staff with its Annual Physicians Recognition Evening at the Marriott at Glenpointe Hotel in Teaneck. ~~~~~ “On behalf of the Board of Governors, I congratulate and thank you for dedicated service,” said George T. Croonquist, chairman of the medical center’s Board of Governors. “Your commitment to the patients we serve sets our institution apart as the forerunner in the delivery of healthcare.” ~~~~~ John P. Ferguson, president and chief executive officer of the medical center, shared similar sentiments. “The caring dedication that you so generously give to our patients has given us our reputation as a healthcare team committed to quality,” said Mr. Ferguson. “On behalf of the entire medical center, thank you for your selfless contributions.”



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Special awards were presented to those who have given 50, 45, 40, 35, 30, and 25 years of service to the medical center, as well as those who have retired within the past year from the medical staff. ~~~~~ Newton H. Gresser, M.D., former chief of geriatric medicine and an honorary member of the medical staff, was honored for 50 years of service. C. Stuart Littwin, M.D., a member of the Department of Ophthalmology, was honored for his 45 years of service. Fernando Garip,

M.D., a senior attending physician in the Department of Internal Medicine and a member of the Cardiology Division, was honored for 40 years of service. ~~~~~ Receiving awards for 35 years of service were: William C. Black, M.D., vice president of Medical Administrative Affairs and chairman of the Department of Medical Education; Eugene J. Coyle, M.D., a member of the Department of Orthopedic Surgery; Jerold D. Geisenheimer, D.M.D., a retired and an honorary member of the medical and dental staff; Frank H. Heinemann, D.D.S., an attending in the Department of Dentistry; Arnold J. Leibowitz, M.D., a member of the Department of Internal Medicine, chief of the Endoscopy Lab, and chief emeritus of the Digestive Diseases and Nutrition Division; Jerald Siegel, M.D., chairman emeritus of the Department of Urology and director of the Urological Residency Program. ~~~~~ Receiving awards for 30 years of service were: Jane M. Hatheway, M.D., a member of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine; Howard H. Schlossman, M.D., a member of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine. ~~~~~ The following physicians received awards for 25 years of service: Robert L. Bergen, M.D., an attending physician in the Department of Ophthalmology; Judith C. Gellrick, M.D., a member of the Department of Internal Medicine; Daniel J. Goodman, M.D., an attending physician in the Division of Cardiology in the Department of Internal Medicine; Peter A. Gross, M.D., chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine; Francis S. Kim, M.D., a member of the Department of Anesthesiology; Ronald B. Low, M.D., chairman of the Department of Otolaryngology; Charles A. Riccobono, M.D., vice chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine

and chief of the Division of Digestive Diseases and Nutrition; Robert C. Rubin, M.D., a senior attending and vice chairman emeritus of the Department of Neurosurgery; Virender Sethi, M.D., chief of the Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory; Mrudual S. Shukula, M.D., a member of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; Harvey Lee White, M.D., a consultant in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine. ~~~~~ Other physicians who received recognition on their retirements: Jerrold A. Amos, M.D., an honorary member of the Department of Otolaryngology; Theodore H. Bodner, M.D., an honorary member of the medical staff and former chairman of the Department of Orthopedic Surgery; Paul T. Bookstaver, M.D., an honorary member of the medical staff and a former associate director of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; William A. Layman, M.D., an honorary member of the medical center’s staff and a former member of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine; Edward L. Liva, M.D., a former senior attending in the Department of Ophthalmology, and an honorary member of the medical staff; Raul Mujica, M.D., a former attending physician in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine, and an honorary member of the medical staff; Louis S. Polsky, M.D., an honorary member of the medical staff and a former attending in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. LeRoy M. Kotzen, M.D., a former chairman in the Department of Radiology, was also honored.

~~~~~ Memorial recognition awards were made in honor of Aurelio Buonanno, M.D., a former physician in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine; Lawrence J. Denson, M.D., a former vice chairman emeritus, and a senior attending physician in the Department of Internal Medicine; Herbert H. Eccleston, M.D., a former director of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; Morton M. Fier, M.D., a former associate director of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine and the first director of In-Patient Psychiatric Services; Arthur B. Lacher, M.D., a former vice chairman of the Department of Otolaryngology and an attending physician in the Department of Surgery; Ira L. Mintz, M.D., a former member of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine; Edo J. Salva, M.D., a former member of the Department of Family Practice, Department of Pediatrics, and Department of Emergency Room Services. ~~~~~ Alexandre Ackad, M.D., a senior attending in the Department of Internal Medicine was selected as the “Outstanding Physician” for 1999.

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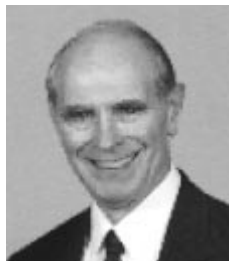
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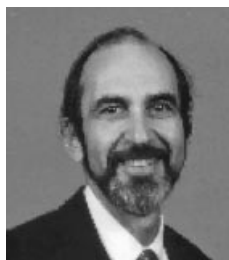
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# Service Awards

More than 1,200 full- and part-time employees turned out to celebrate the annual Employee Service Awards Dinner Dance on May 7 at the Westmount Country Club in West Paterson. The evening was a wonderful mix of dance, song, and dining for the guests, all of who have served the medical center for 10 or more years. Special recognition was given to those celebrating their 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, or 35th year of service. ~~~~~ Giovanna Placenia was named Most Valuable Team Player of the Year. “Giovanna’s hard work and dedication best exemplifies the secret behind the medical center’s success,” said John P. Ferguson, president and chief executive officer of the medical center. “We are extremely grateful for her contributions and are proud that Giovanna is part of the medical center family.” George T. Croonquist, chairman of the medical center’s Board of Governors, said all of the employees were to be congratulated. “An organization is only as good as the people who work for it,” Mr. Croonquist said. At Hackensack University Medical Center our successes can be attributed to each and every one of you here who work so hard day in and day out.” After the awards ceremony, employees and their guests were treated to a sumptuous dinner complemented by lively entertainment provided by Chez-zam who performed spectacular song and dance numbers. ~~~~~ In between Chez-zam’s sets, guests danced to the pulsating sounds of a disc jockey, whose eclectic selection of old and contemporary music seemed to satisfy everyone’s tastes.

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Mary Aprile\*  
Michael Diffley\*  
Robert English\*  
Kathleen Kennedy  
Diane Munczinski\*  
Rosemarie Orgioli\*  
Carlos Toledo\*  
Dawn Trusio\*  
Elizabeth Vaccarino\*  
Gillian Velardi\*

#### Environmental Services

Rosa Brasileiro  
Percival Burrell  
Enrique Contreras  
Cecelia Cuartas  
Ramiro Santos

#### Fund Development

Robin Culvert

#### HARP

Janine Leeman\*

#### Hasbrouck Heights Facility Clinic

Helga Duyssen  
Michele Makely\*  
Sharon Ramsaier

#### Health Information Management

Tawn Parham\*

#### Human Genetics

Sivya Twersky\*

#### Infectious Disease

Maryann Collins

#### Information Technology

Josephine Andrews

#### Institute for Behavioral

Health Services  
Robin Kates  
Cordella O'Connor\*

#### Internal Audit

Kevin Weaver  
John Wood

#### Laundry

Maria Barroqueiro  
Carmelo Reyna

#### Materials Management

Yvonne Carlton  
Thomas Swiontek

#### Medical DAR

Vera Brown  
Tonya McDonald

#### Medical Waste/Trash Disposal

Francisco Urena

#### Mobile Intensive Care Unit

Herman Morchel\*

#### Non-Invasive Vascular Lab

Lynda Chagachbanian

#### Nursing

Edwin Alcantara\*  
Gwen Algozzini\*  
Ann Allarey\*  
Mavis Brown  
Daren Buzzerio\*  
Elizabeth Crum  
Ann Dany  
Paulette Davy  
Geri Descafano\*  
Monica Du Bois  
Novlette Edwards

#### Dianne Effertz\*

Lisa Failace\*  
Steven Feinman  
Alicia Haebler\*  
Aimee Hertig\*  
Shaffina Hosein  
Mary Hughes\*  
Sarah Jenerette  
Nanette Jones  
Maureen Kuhl\*  
Patricia Lapola\*  
Kelly Leitch\*  
Barbara Lucas\*  
Steven Lukin  
Charlene Luppino\*  
Arlean Mabry  
Toni Manzo\*  
Juanita Marsh  
Donna McGourry\*  
Anne McGeough\*  
Barbara Moore\*  
Gisella Nicastro  
Gerriann Oxley\*  
Janet Paisley  
Inez Parks\*  
Arnel Perez\*  
Pamela Pittman  
Donna Puleo  
Janet Regan-Livingston\*  
Carmen Rivera  
Kim Roberson  
Misty Rose\*  
Linda Russo\*  
Sherry Saccomanno\*  
Francis Skinner\*  
Theresa Sperruzzio\*  
Deborah Spinelli  
Edith Spinelli\*  
Diane Stanley\*  
Stephanie Stith\*  
Mary Troyano  
Paula Turso  
Helen Vicente  
Rose Welyczko\*  
Marie Wong  
Vicky Wyche\*  
Carol Wynne\*

#### Nutrition & Food Management

Vincent Focarino\*  
Bernarda Gallardo\*  
Belinda Garcia\*  
David Gustafson  
Aurora Marcano\*  
Robin Mc Connell\*  
Lula Pearson\*  
Karen Proctor\*  
Luis Rico\*  
Elwood Tuck

#### Oncology

Judith Howes  
Suzanne Ingwersen\*  
Denise Menonna-Quinn\*  
Laura Murphy\*  
Patricia Price  
Dawn Ruiz

#### Operating Room

Christine Alvarez  
Joan Banovic  
Susan Boguszewski\*  
Antero Camacho\*  
Lorna Cando\*  
Annette Felix  
Helene Henkel\*  
Maureen Hogdahl\*  
Gwen Mahoney\*  
Maureen Morgan\*  
Angela Reaves\*  
Christina Riffard  
Tara Schilling  
Oral Thomas\*  
Millicent Whilby\*

Pathology  
Soosamma Chacko  
Nancy Cospito  
Theresa Fox\*  
Sylvia Goucher  
William Grolly  
Eric Kurta  
Kavita Patel\*  
Mariett Trentacoste  
Ersilia Zarro-Schmitt

Patient Transportation  
Rebecca Hanna  
Felicia Perry  
Ana Santos-Deleon  
Johnny Sledge

Perfusion  
Robert Collada

Pharmacy  
Donald Banton\*  
Deborah Goodman  
Ana Hernandez  
Ana Mercado  
Janet Van Glahn

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Bedelia Pierantoni  
Mark Sparta

Plant Operations  
Richard Nutter  
Johnny Tablada

Radiology  
Josephine Acevedo\*  
Jose Alvarez  
Anthony Arcuri  
Diane Castronuovo  
Victoria Davis  
Sandy Dixon\*  
Michelle Falzarano\*  
Arleen Gutschmidt  
Mania Harmitt  
Orlando Harrison  
Frank Maggiore  
Caroline Nieves  
Kathleen Rodriguez  
Gordon Tellefen

Recovery Room  
Anthonia Kardell  
Cathryn Monaghan\*  
Donna Palmieri\*

Renal Dialysis  
Bernadette Lambe\*  
Sharon Mancini  
Nancy Weland

Respiratory Therapy  
Marilyn Pouch  
Christopher Salmon

Sarkis & Siran Gabrellian  
Child Care & Learning Center  
Bessie Latos\*  
Judith Silon\*  
Catherine Wissell\*

Security  
Kirssy Arroyo  
Kenneth Balle  
Herbert Hamlin  
John Johnson  
Jay Simon

Social Service  
Carol Kulkens  
Zachary Tsentas

Telecommunications  
Martha Meza

Utilization Review  
Veronica Betts\*  
Louise DiGiovanni\*

Volunteer Services  
Rosemary Tyrrell

## 12 YEARS

Accounting  
Michele Reilly\*

Adult Hearing Aids  
Andrea Lopez

Biomedical Engineering  
Antonio Goncalves

Bone Marrow  
Jeanette Haugh\*

Business Office  
Maritza Alvarez  
Lorna Brown  
Glenda Carrero  
Anne Daniele  
Rosemary Destefano  
Phyllis Hammond  
Lisa Lambiase  
Anna Pucciarelli

Cardiology  
Augustine Graziano

Central Supply  
Alma Deare

DAR Surgical  
Marybeth Megna-Rufo\*  
Maryellen Riordan\*

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Christine Buonpastore\*  
Diane Richard\*  
Karla Schwartz\*

Department of Pediatrics  
Jeffrey Boscamp, M.D.  
Erika Leeuwenburgh  
Alissa Sandler\*

Department of Surgery  
Joseph Bitsack\*

Diabetes Center  
Mona Lefkowitz\*

EKG  
Stephanie Carter  
Lisa Collins  
Mary Hero\*

Emergency Trauma Department  
Eric Graham  
Virginia Klochan  
Sharon Thorne  
Kathleen Ward\*

Environmental Services

Maria Cordiero  
Helena Cortez  
Gary Gooding\*  
Cesar Mercado  
Gustavo Meza  
Rosa Murias  
Jaime Orozco  
Raul Orozco  
Guillermo Perez  
Rosa Riberio-Fernandes  
Maria C. Silva

Health Information Management  
Karlene Hall\*  
Kimberley Spruill

Hospice  
Jane Duncan

Infectious Disease  
Allison Stiroh\*

Information Technology  
Patricia Farese

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
Bettie Dozier  
Evelyn Wilson

Laundry  
Veronica Ashford  
Alfred Todd

Maternal Fetal Medicine  
Mary Miller\*

Medical Staff Office  
Jeanne Aversa

Medical Waste/Trash Disposal  
Steven Curkin

Mobile Intensive Care Unit  
Michael Beliveau\*  
Joseph Russoniello\*  
David Stitz\*

Nursing  
Suzanne Bock\*  
Luanne Brogna\*  
Josefina Dasco  
Sharon Egan\*  
Dorothy Kardell\*  
Anna Klobus\*  
Denise Koch  
Suja Kurian  
Grace Lacuesta  
Susan Laraia-Pappas\*

Patricia Lisbe\*  
Teresa Marroquin  
Lisa McClenny  
Patricia Orlak  
Eileen Parapar  
Gail Pereira\*  
Jean Rapisardi  
Kathryn Reap\*  
Mary Seely  
Barbara Wyka\*  
Linda Wymbs

Nutrition & Food Management

Joan Creamer  
Rochelle Gill  
David Gonzalez\*  
Ervit Headley  
Mamie Inserra\*  
Tammy McDaniel  
Deborah Mullin\*  
Theodore Nevins\*  
Georgia Rebelo  
June Spence  
Diane Timpanaro-Manahan  
Linda Williams

Oncology  
Linda Ader  
Hope Castoria\*  
Carlene Cord\*  
Joanne Esposito  
Sheron Keeling  
Andrea Mathew\*  
Sherriann Mayans\*  
Mary Morgan  
Judith Solomon

Operating Room  
Monica Cisneros\*  
Maricon Damian  
Fiona Egan\*  
Carol Frangipane  
David Gafner  
Sheryl Katzenstein\*  
Jung Kim  
Alinder Londono\*  
Bibi Maudarbocus  
Patricia Paternoster\*  
Denise Putzer\*  
Barbara Zanetto\*

Pathology  
Kathleen Abel  
Patricia Coughlan  
Mary Davenport  
Karen Erickson\*  
Nancy Espinoza  
Deborah Green  
Magola Meza\*  
Mary Taylor  
Carole Yorkin\*

Pharmacy  
Alfonzo Bautista

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Susan DiMeglio\*

Plant Operations  
Richard Kenny  
Mark Maiorano  
Francisco Orozco  
Richard Simeone

Public Relations  
Dennis McGorry

Purchasing  
Sandy Manansala

Radiology  
Joy Chabora\*  
Antoinette Quashie  
Lynn Wagner

Receiving/Storage  
Stephen Howes

Recovery Room  
Geraldyn Mastrangelo\*

Renal Dialysis  
Marion Casella\*  
Robin Foley\*  
Anne Larkin\*  
Donna Portscher\*

Risk Management  
Patricia Santaniello\*

Sarkis & Siran Gabrellian  
Child Care & Learning Center  
Janina Olechowski  
Lynn Spreen

Virology  
Mary Vassallo\*

## 13 YEARS

Accounting  
Bridgette Bey  
Maria Pepe

Adult Hearing Aids  
Carol Dolshun  
Linda Liebowitz\*  
Barbara Tartaglia\*

Biomedical Engineering  
Thomas Shahbazian

Breast Center  
Kathleen Hemmerly

Business Office  
Vicki Calacione\*  
Brenda Gibbons  
Diane Piccolino

Cardiology  
Arlene Fretz\*  
Clara Morris  
Joyce Wardlaw

Center for Reproductive Medicine  
Luis Reyes

DAR Surgical  
Phyllis Marshall\*

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Patricia Aquilano  
Sharon Bready\*  
Mohammad Ghodsi\*  
Ann Hanna\*  
Peggy Henken  
Regina Mazur\*  
Patrice Pulford\*  
Debra Roditski\*  
Sheila Scollo\*

EKG  
Diedre Carbroll

Emergency Trauma Department  
Patricia Arakelian\*  
Carrie Bianchi\*  
Janice Kenny  
Juanita Wilson

Enterostomal Therapy  
Jane Kilroy\*

Environmental Services  
Pureza Ribeiro  
Manuel Rosado  
Arcadio Rosario  
James Taylor

General Services/Administration  
Robert Garrett

Health Information Management  
Laurie Napolitano  
Roseann Whitney

Human Resources  
Joan Orseck

Information Technology  
Glenda Eaton

Laundry  
Luis Bardellini

Mail & Courier Services  
Reginald Whitaker

Medical DAR  
Venus Maxwell

Medical Education  
Susan Hutter

Mobile Intensive Care Unit  
John Mayo  
Jacqueline McNany\*  
Pamela Murphy  
Howard Seiden\*  
Anthony Verley\*

Nursing  
Theresa Albano\*  
Nieva Alcazaren  
Josette Alquitrán  
Joyce Burnette  
Angela Casella\*  
Maureen Daniello\*  
Evangeline Epper  
Laurie Gaydos\*  
Kathleen Gravino\*  
Maryann Hansen\*  
Diane Healy  
Maureen Hickey  
Jacqueline Holczer  
Margaret Jengo\*  
Jacqueline LaValle\*  
Catherine Lawrence\*  
Edith Lazzaro\*  
Bernice Ledeatte  
Mary Linder\*  
Stephanie Lynes\*  
Lois Marek  
Denise McCue

Virginia Minnich-Mileski\*  
Veronica Nelson  
Susan Pantano\*  
Mary Ray  
Joan Rittgers  
Annette Sabellba\*  
Celia Smith  
Kathleen Telfer  
Catherine Toomey  
Aileen Twomey\*  
Karen Vander-Werf  
Sharon Welner

Nutrition & Food Management  
Fitzroy Anderson  
Daphne Ballentine  
Earlie Gandy\*  
Mary Phillips\*  
David Savarese

Oncology  
Jamie Boman\*  
Candace Granlund\*  
Colleen Jenkins

Operating Room  
Susan Barbara\*  
Robyn Kretzchmar  
Joanne Militari-Samylenko\*  
Marybel Ribot  
Doreen Santora  
Mary Sharpe  
Christina Wenzel\*  
Gail Wojciechowski

Pathology  
Maria Brahim  
Madeline Cooke\*  
Ching Feng  
Rosalie Garrone\*  
Cynthia Kula  
Lynda Serio\*  
Ruth Shawler

Pediatric Ambulatory Services  
Joan Cornette\*  
Maureen Keating

Pharmacy  
Joanne Birardi  
Raída Karkenny  
Natalie Pedevillano  
Aida Teshome\*

Physician Billing  
Sybil Lee

Plant Operations  
Nino Esposito  
Joseph Redstone

Radiology  
Michael Blumenfeld  
Bertha Daniel\*  
Diana Marcoux\*  
Babu Mathew  
Corre Meyer

Receiving/Storage  
Sharon Thompson

Renal Dialysis  
Citas Dumatol  
Susan Hollinger\*  
Diane Lo Presti

Respiratory Therapy  
Lucille Damiano  
Lori Glass\*  
Rose Litterini  
Sharon Petricone\*  
Marie Sudol\*  
Lauren Vasquez

Sarkis & Siran Gabriellian  
Child Care & Learning Center  
Kerri-Lynn Tronolone

Security  
Mark Beckett  
Charles Brown  
Betty Grant  
Luis Nazario  
  
Social Service  
Joy Guarino  
Martha Watson

## 14 YEARS

Accounting  
Priscilla Baker

Business Office  
Janice Cioffi  
Phyllis Fatuova  
Doreen Forrester  
Keith McWilliams  
Nury Morales

Cardiology  
Bonnie Gaspar\*

Clinical Informatics  
Teresa Moore

Dental Clinic  
Denise Green

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Thomas Caren  
Lucy Donoghue  
Kathleen Dvorovy-Enright\*  
Ann LoBasso\*  
Virginia Masters\*  
Patricia Walters

Emergency Trauma Department  
Ruth Cordoba\*  
Catherine Herrmann\*  
Kathleen Laico\*

Environmental Services  
Maria Ramos

Finance  
Thomas Anton  
Rebecca Zielinski

Home Care Institute  
Patricia St. James

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
David Schaub\*  
Maureen Schlichting\*

Medical DAR  
Marie Raguindin

Mobile Intensive Care Unit  
Pam Crawbuck  
Linda Dale\*  
Marjorie Fenston\*  
Donald Holmes\*  
Albert McNally\*  
Linda Woerner\*

Nursing  
Denyse Addison\*  
Elaine Barnes\*  
Joyce Benech\*  
Francine De Luise\*  
Dawn DeCoons  
Mary Eanelli\*  
Marianne Fierro\*  
Peggy Ford  
Karen Fritzman\*  
Leonora Hernandez  
Cindy Lauder\*  
Barbara Lehe

Maria Mark\*  
Darlyn Miller\*  
Sandra Monks\*  
Patricia O'Hora\*  
Lisa Oldham  
Charles Pawlowski  
Sandra Pizzuro  
Barbara Solesky  
Gertrude Spinelli\*  
Margaret West\*  
Lori Wilt\*

Oncology  
Pauline Devine  
Debra Grammer

Operating Room  
Leonor Armenio\*  
Jayne Armstrong  
Irene Talledo

Pathology  
Diane Fabian  
Rosemarie Ilge\*  
Jane Pascale  
Mary Spigarelli  
Christine Triguero  
Judith Wozniak

Pediatric Ambulatory Services  
Christa Orr

Perfusion  
Suzanne Mittiga

Pharmacy  
Donna Grosso-Virone  
Marina Hernandez  
Tina Malave  
Susan Rogers

Physician Billing  
Elizabeth Leonardo\*

Planning  
Robin Ratliff

Plant Operations  
James Cirillo  
Ronald Feder  
Charles Peterson

Public Relations  
Kathaleen Stumpf

Radiology  
Lorraine Armani\*  
Jill MacNiven  
Linda Work\*

Recovery Room  
Dorothy Cooke  
Daria Tuliebitz

Renal Dialysis  
Donna Dericks\*  
Janice Dorman\*  
Donna Ledingham\*  
Laureen Vespoli\*  
Marianne Watson\*

Respiratory Therapy  
Donna Barca  
Cheryl Simpson

Sarkis & Siran Gabriellian Child  
Care & Learning Center  
Susan Guerrera

Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us  
Institute for Child Development  
Myrta Perez

## 15 YEARS

Accounting  
Christopher Clarke  
Johann Rockaway\*

Business Office  
James Hausmann

Cardiology  
Maryann Barto  
Susan Collins\*  
Mary Mormino\*

Corporate Compliance  
Thomas Flynn

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Rebecca Montalvo

Department of Pediatrics  
Susan Salvatore

Diabetes Center  
Linda E. Cohen\*

Emergency Trauma Department  
Joan De Maio\*  
Joan Everson\*  
Wilson Toledo

Environmental Services  
Winston Banton  
Isaura Carvalho  
Bernard Johnson  
Lestine Robinson  
Teresa Salgado

Genetics Counseling  
Robin Wolf\*

Health Information Management  
Virginia Atherton  
Martha Bernechea

Hospice  
Margaret Looby\*

Infection Control  
Tami Crupi\*

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
Sean Conlon  
Virginia Wasserman

Mail & Courier Services  
LeRoy Hutchinson

Medical DAR  
Linda Darsee\*

Mobile Intensive Care Unit  
Samuel Canzano\*  
Thomas Rose\*

Nursing  
Zeinab Abdulla  
Donna Belfield  
Kristine Best\*  
Phyllis Cassella\*  
Dianne Conklyn\*  
Mary Del Guidice  
Patricia Donegan-Uchitel\*  
Patricia Donohue\*  
Ellen Forstrom\*  
Linda Genberg  
Marianne Halleran  
Kathleen Hogan-Perez\*  
Carolinda Jones\*  
Barbara Juchnewich  
Aileen Kapocsi\*  
Diane McClure\*  
Pearl McKenzie  
Carol Nutry\*  
Susan Scaria

Carolyn Schell\*  
Gladys Seshie  
Cheryl Swenson\*  
Heidi Teitelbaum\*  
Lillian White  
Michelle Wilder\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Daniel Eckert  
Janice Gardner

Oncology  
Maureen Matullo

Operating Room  
Kathleen Gaydos  
Fe Kintanar\*

Operations  
Barbara Hopkins

Pathology  
Patricia L. Carter\*

Patient Transportation  
Samuel Thomas

Pediatric Ambulatory Services  
Deborah Kennelly  
Lorraine Krivak\*

Pharmacy  
Carol Hertel\*  
Donna Mastropietro

Plant Operations  
Douglas Martin

Radiology  
Patricia Lane\*

Recovery Room  
Karen Barlow

Sarkis & Siran Gabriellian  
Child Care & Learning Center  
Joyce Jackson

Security  
Inez Moore  
Isaiah Parker

Social Service  
Sumitra Bendre\*

Telecommunications  
Antoinette Bartolomeo

Utilization Review  
Nancy Melore  
Vera Romano

## 16 YEARS

Bergen Home Health Services/  
Home Infusion  
Deborah Spillane

Business Office  
Roslyn Field

Cardiology  
Lois Atkinson  
Joanne Zahn

DAR Surgical  
Kathleen Budny  
Barbara Ann Farrell

Discharge Planning  
Maria Santonastaso

**EKG**

Deborah Schoenborn

**Environmental Services**

Alvin Lindsay

**Health Information Management**

Piedade Barbosa

**Information Technology**

John Dubac

**Medical DAR**

Amalia Moya

**Mobile Intensive Care Unit**

Zachary Weisman\*

**Nursing**

Mary Ann Donohue

Elizabeth Andriulli\*

Elena Asencio

Cheryl Avola\*

Helen Boncore

Donna Bruder\*

Kathleen M. Cohen

Valerie Drury

Kathleen Ellard\*

Nancy Eskin\*

Cora Hoch\*

Anne Kudlacik\*

Donna Locascio\*

Maryann Monaco

Eileen Quartuccio\*

Rosemary Ryan

Mary Sommers\*

Susan Tantow\*

Jacqueline Thaw

**Nutrition & Food Management**

Laura Carollo

Benjamin Williams

**Operating Room**

Debra Lione\*

Carolyn O'Brien\*

**Pathology**

Michelle Bannon

Lorraine Castro\*

Helen Feldman

Linda Tobias

**Pharmacy**

Dorothy Shelley

**Plant Operations**

Guillermo Barrera

**Radiology**

Diane Cutrone\*

Camille Kutreyan

**Recovery Room**

Pamela Finch\*

**Renal Dialysis**

Laurie Sandoval\*

**Respiratory Therapy**

Gregory Bocchicchio

**Sarkis & Siran Gabrellian**

Child Care &amp; Learning Center

Barbara Maresca

Paula O'Brien

**Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us**

Institute for Child Development

Norie Hubner\*

Teresa Montani\*

**17 YEARS****Biomedical Engineering**

Joseph Cerbone

**Business Office**

Joan Laborde

Marie Peiffer\*

Ann Pelligra

Loretta Squiers

Milagros Yabut

**Cardiology**

Maryjane Lyons

**Consumer Affairs/****Admissions & Guest Services**

Nancy Corcoran

**Dental Clinic**

Kevin Heaney, D.D.S.\*

**Department of Cardiac Surgery**

Valerie J. Woodruff\*

**Department of Pediatrics**

Marvin I. Gottlieb, M.D., Ph.D.

**Discharge Planning**

Joan Marro

Joann Pavia

**EKG**

Maria C. Dominguez

**Emergency Trauma Department**

Kathryn King Dyker\*

**Environmental Services**

Myrna Alava

Flor Arellano

Sylvester Fulmore

Burch McKenzie

Jose Raiado

Maria Raiado

Armando Reyes

Maria Ribeiro

Maria Sousa

Maria Torres

**HARP**

Joanne Wendolowski\*

**Health Information Management**

Joan Martorella

**Hospice**

Michele Brandenburg

Caridad Gallorini\*

**Human Resources**

Theresa Bordonaro

Susan Ebner

**Infectious Disease**

Jerome F. Levine, M.D.

**Institute for Behavioral****Health Services**

Charles Costa

Irene Panagiotis

**Medical DAR**

Kathleen M. DelCampo\*

Patricia Lawlor

**Nursing**

Leslie Jo Alonso\*

Debbie Azzalina\*

Susan Barrecchia\*

Therese Friedman

Jennifer Golding

Anne Goodman\*

Carol Holzli\*

Robin Hutton

Rosita Jaworski\*

Diane Lockwood

Rosanna Luongo

Loraine Mendolia

Susan O'Kane\*

Mercedes Ma Pungot

Constance Quinn\*

Cyrille Ma Sabo\*

Ann Stark\*

Laura Stiansen\*

Irene Szwczuk

Nellie Tomic\*

Nancy Vinciguerra\*

Irene Vivian\*

Doreen Watson\*

**Nutrition & Food Management**

Maria Santos

**Oncology**

Mary Mattalian\*

Veronica Webber

**Operating Room**

Carolyn Biedenkapp

Suzanne Pazoga

**Pathology**

Albert DeBoer

Myrna Del Vecchio

Gisela Rahbari\*

**Patient Transportation**

Jacqueline Frazier

**Plant Operations**

Jeffrey Elliott

**Radiology**

Jane Donohue\*

Richard Gentile

Janet Jackiewicz\*

Louis Longobardo

Ranjan Patel

Elizabeth Raucii

**Recovery Room**

Marilyn Adams\*

Tracy Baker\*

Laureen Goggin

**Respiratory Therapy**

Bruce Gelotte

**Sarkis & Siran Gabrellian**

Child Care &amp; Learning Center

Mary Cashin

Lillie McCord

**Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us**

Institute for Child Development

Mary Hall\*

Martha Mudry

**Utilization Review**

Theresa Frost

**18 YEARS****Administration**

John P. Ferguson

**Admission Services Center**

Andrea Van Blarcom

**Adult Hearing Aids**

Maryrose McInerney\*

**Cardiology**

Brian Henderson

**Clinical Informatics**

Michele Funt\*

**Complementary Medicine**

Cynthia Mulder

**DAR Surgical**

Helga Reilly

Debra Tufel\*

**Dental Clinic**

Karen Moonjian\*

**Emergency Trauma Department**

Mary Cameron\*

Joyce Rich\*

**Environmental Services**

Selecta Paredes

Perry Thomas

**Fund Development**

Bradford Marr

**Health Information Management**

Hermil Carter

**Human Resources**

Lenore Mooney

**Information Technology**

Galisher Drakeford

Romeo Herbolario

**Medical DAR**

Mary Kelly\*

**Nursing**

Barbara Brossok\*

Gloria Carter

Heidi Catalano\*

Diane Cheer

Dorothy Cockefair\*

Frances Correia\*

Ellen Dammers\*

Theresa De La Teja\*

Lori Di Piazza\*

Catherine Ericson\*

Theresa Gabay\*

Annakutty George

Irene Happe\*

Linda Healy\*

Marilyn Jordan

Ann Kaufman

Jean Kivlehan

Leslie Koons\*

Elizabeth Labay\*

Audrey Mammone\*

Thomas Meehan

Cila Merriam

Bernadette Minasian\*

Mary Monacchio\*

Elizabeth Myers

Pamela Pascarelli\*

Karen Pfcil\*

Mary Riggitano\*

Lenore Rogers\*

Laura Schwartz\*

Cynthia Sonzogni

Linda Tuozzo\*

Louise Zaros\*

**Nutrition & Food Management**

Plassie Clark

Ellen Engels

Jesteena Ocello\*

**Oncology**

Teresa Hall

**Operating Room**

Maureen Bennett

Diane Brigati\*

Elizabeth Jillson

**Operations**

Stephan Moran

**Pathology**

Cynthia Agnese

Francis Cappiello

Adrienne Casatelli-Gerken\*

Caryn Galderisi

Frank Hollis

Ruth Link

Hazel Minasian

Linda Sherman-Atkins\*

**Pediatric Ambulatory Services**

Cherie Lynch

**Pharmacy**

Elizabeth Conforti

Jean D'Avanzo\*

Anna Infante

Arpi Kuyumjian\*

Arnulfo Maldonado

Bruce McCloud

**Plant Operations**

Antonio Badim

Randolph Edmonds

Mario Javan

William Tedeschi

**Radiology**

Marguerite Aultman

Barbara Leape\*

Maureen McCarter

Jorge Nuviola

Diane Stickna

Irene Wright

**Recovery Room**

Karen Brown

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**Respiratory Therapy**

Leticia Baidoo

**Special Immunology**

Mary Ann Michelis, M.D.

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Institute for Child Development

Irma Arndt

Karen Lee

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Angela Altschuler

**19 YEARS****Admission Services Center**

Eileen Gallagher

**Cardiology**

Linda Falco

**Child Advocacy Center**

Colleen Kearney\*

**Clinical Informatics**

Patricia Gorgone

**DAR Surgical**

Jill Krapels

**Dental Clinic**

Marcella Attanasio

**Department of Cardiac Surgery**

Patricia Belz

**EEG**

Marlene Fowler

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Loralyn Cuppi\*

Joan Smalinckas\*

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Robert Cavotto

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Wendy Hess

Information Technology  
Michele Elliott

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Gary Higgins\*  
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Julia Mulholland  
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Arleen Puzio\*  
Roma Reighard\*  
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Nancy Van Buitnen\*  
Leonie Wesley  
Susan Westervelt\*  
Stacie Whitford  
Silvana Zambrano-Suarez

Nutrition & Food Management  
David Jackson  
Jacqueline Nicholson

Oncology  
Maeve McKinley\*

Operating Room  
Donna Felter\*  
Terri Freguetti

Pathology  
Ingrid Brassel  
Susan Smith\*

Performance Improvement  
Catherine Calardo  
Helen Talley

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Rozalia Lyak

Plant Operations  
Zvi Lyak

Radiology  
Cora Harris

Receiving/Storage  
Erica Merrin

Renal Dialysis  
Kathleen Herron  
Deborah Byer\*

Respiratory Therapy  
Joseph Capone

Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us  
Institute for Child Development  
Linda Lee  
Deborah Sieger

Virology  
Blanca Gerard

## 20 YEARS

Business Office  
Elaine Parker

DAR Surgical  
Evelyn Gunther

Dental Clinic  
Jean Seymour

Emergency Trauma Department  
Joan Gehm\*  
Deborah Nunziato\*

Environmental Services  
Annunziata Gagliostro

Medical DAR  
Julianna Brickner

Nursing  
Thelma Bolden  
Lynn Bresnan  
Rose DeSantis  
Geraldine Di Lorenzo\*  
Maria Franck\*  
Donna Guy\*  
Elizabeth Higgins-Goetz\*  
Carmela LaSpina  
Joanne Laub  
Roshnee Maharajh  
Carmelita Matthias  
Nina Poleshuk  
Diane Polifrone\*  
Patricia Schlett\*  
Doreen Terrarosa\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Victor Matthews  
Judy Richardson  
Barbara Silver

Pathology  
Renee Harvey  
Elaine Schreier

Patient Transportation  
Livingston Douglas  
Susana Poleschuk

Pharmacy  
Alice Gnatiuk

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Karen Minnett  
Donna Stone

Plant Operations  
John Boccino  
John Imbrogno

Receiving/Storage  
Eunice Dufont

Renal Dialysis  
Linda Slier\*  
Paula Ruiz De Somocurcio

Telecommunications  
Janet Longo\*

## 21 YEARS

Breast Center  
Lillian Zadigian

Central Supply  
William Virgil

Environmental Services  
Victor Burrell\*  
Marie Franqueira  
Maria Lisboano  
Armanda Soares

Health Information Management  
Aserlee Miller-Wyche

Hospice  
Ragnhild Sunstrom

Nursing  
Judith Haystrand\*  
Cheryl Marchal  
Barbara Meehan  
Mary Mannion  
Karen Della Fave\*  
Jean Ehrenworth  
Kathleen Emr\*  
Karen Malleck\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Ruth Boeschen\*  
Marsha Eisen\*  
Roni Finkelstein  
Lucricia Romano

Oncology  
Linda Stanton

Operating Room  
Edward Malillo\*

Pediatric Ambulatory Services  
Susan Campeau\*  
Ellen Casapulla

Radiology  
Beth Nichols  
Nancy Rhein\*

Recovery Room  
Francelina Moura

Respiratory Therapy  
Carol Ann Pontes\*  
Catherine Sigmund

Security  
Peter Williams

Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us  
Institute for Child Development  
Sonya Stankovci-Finno

Virology  
Sandra Dran

## 22 YEARS

Administration  
Lauren Giani Hrablook

Cardiology  
Judith Francesco

Dental Clinic  
Kathleen Simonetti

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Laura Hynes\*

Emergency Trauma Department  
Patricia Bombolevicz\*

Environmental Services  
Maria A. Silva

Information Technology  
Sandra Rohrbacher

Institute for Behavioral Health  
Services  
Charlene Burn, M.D.\*

Laundry  
Gadson Favor, Jr.

Medical Waste/Trash Disposal  
Marvin Taylor

Nursing  
Kathleen Comoletti  
Debra Dziubinsky\*  
Judith Johnson  
Marian McCarthy\*  
Velona Napatina  
Janice North  
Teresa Santoro\*  
Arthur Sears  
Linda Sebetich  
Joanne Wells\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Diane Ruis

Operating Room  
Maureen Ciardella  
Sergio Luciano  
Evelyn Scaviner\*

Pathology  
Kathleen Lail  
Carmel Stefanelli\*  
Ann Weinrich

Radiology  
Beth Schnall

Receiving/Storage  
Desmond Clarke

Recovery Room  
Teresa Trotto

Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us  
Institute for Child Development  
Annamarie Russo

## 23 YEARS

Admission Services Center  
Ann Osborne

Emergency Trauma Department  
Frances Parisi

Health Information Management  
Vera Charlot

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
Nina Simon

Internal Medicine  
Mary Furnari\*

Laundry  
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Nursing  
Donna Christiano\*  
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Nutrition & Food Management  
Judy Hunt  
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Operating Room  
Therese Palazzo

Pathology  
Donna Steeg

Radiology  
Beverly Patrizze

Receiving/Storage  
Carlos Cordova  
Emma Jones

Recovery Room  
Roberta Doyle-Fritz  
Mary Mc Loughlin

## 24 YEARS

Business Office  
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Cardiology  
Virender Sethi, M.D.\*

DAR Surgical  
Carol Schultz\*

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Karen Harris

Department of Pediatrics  
Leigh Quintero

Environmental Services  
Giovanna Bracchitta

Health Information Management  
Mary Garra  
Karen Vienckowski\*

Infusion Center  
Mary Lamontagne

Laundry  
Eva Ruiz

Medical DAR  
Merl Pryce

Nursing  
Patricia Easton  
Catherine Lentini  
Lynn Lombarski\*  
Denise Occhiuzzo  
Barbara Salkind\*  
Maryellen Schwartz\*  
Ella Stewart\*

Pediatric Ambulatory Services  
Beulah Jones

Performance Improvement  
Carmen Polifronio

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Maria Cordileone

Pulmonary  
Carol Kozakiewicz

Radiology  
Emily Parslow  
Kevin Kenney

Toys "R" Us/Kids "R" Us  
Institute for Child Development  
Bernice Akar

Utilization Review  
Connie Brammer

**25 YEARS**

Admission Services Center  
Mary Thaxton

Auto Services  
Raymond Asta

Business Office  
Evon Horton

Department of Medicine  
Peter A. Gross, M.D.

Fiscal Administration  
Cosmo Mongiello

Mobile Intensive Care Unit  
Donna Banta

Nursing  
Judith Cenicola\*  
Elaine Hoehl  
Karen Matuscak\*  
Regina Mische\*  
Sue Panek\*  
Kathy Pisciotta\*  
Kathleen Stehle

Nutrition & Food Management  
Deborah Adams  
Barbara Beaty  
Nancy Fiduccia

Pathology  
Kathleen Bailey\*  
Kathleen Ramage

Respiratory Therapy  
Carmeta Quashie

Utilization Review  
Barbara Kormanik

**26 YEARS**

Business Office  
Jacqueline Pavlick

DAR Surgical  
Kathleen Williams-Peele

Information Technology  
Wilhelmeania Gatling

Medical Library  
Anna (Duess) Pujat

Nursing  
Virginia Addon  
Patricia Ahearn  
Rita Cagas  
Sharyn Cerreta  
Andrea Corsano  
Barbara Rose\*  
Judith Urgo\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Carolyn Wilson

Oncology  
Diane Ohme

Pathology  
Roberta Osborn\*

Radiology  
Elizabeth McCloud

**27 YEARS**

Biomedical Engineering  
Thomas Haffy, III

Central Supply  
Fanny Mallia

Environmental Services  
Ilva Alvarez  
Victor Pena

Health Information Management  
Vicki Goodman

Infusion Center  
Marjorie Morrow\*

Medical DAR  
Diane Dunne Vanezis

Nursing  
Barbara Amato  
Rosemary Hunt  
Maureen Imbrogno  
Bernice Thomas  
Elizabeth Wright

Nutrition & Food Management  
Jean Callis  
Phyllis Williams

Operating Room  
James Haywood  
Marie Percarpio

Pathology  
Kathleen Reilly

Radiology  
Ruth Crichton  
Rosalie Osborne-Martin  
Theresa Richardson

Recovery Room  
Sandra Franck

Renal Dialysis  
Donna Price\*

Utilization Review  
Paula Hansen

**28 YEARS**

Environmental Services  
Climmie Davis  
David Medley

HARP  
Diana Costagliola

Health Information Management  
Dolores DeCelis

Nursing  
Mary Battle  
Judith Bonanno\*  
Christine Csider  
Lillie Thompson

Operating Room  
Cathalee McDougal

Pathology  
Virginia DiMauro

Respiratory Therapy  
Randall McCormack

**29 YEARS**

Admission Services Center  
Marvia Williams

Central Supply  
Marta Cordero  
Lina Fiorilla

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
Abraham Roth

Laundry  
Carmen Polo

Nursing  
Mable Allen  
Patricia Botte  
Arlene Engels  
Kathleen Gehm\*  
Geraldine Janesak  
Sarah Liptak\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Anne Dubose

Oncology  
Carmen Mason

Operating Room  
Dorothy Murray

Receiving/Storage  
Claudette Harrison

**30 YEARS**

Admission Services Center  
Clara Graham

Business Office  
Claire Spaulding

Central Supply  
Martha Garcia  
Jean Pinson

DAR Surgical  
Redessa Daniels

Department of Cardiac Surgery  
Jeanne Polley

Institute for Behavioral  
Health Services  
Harriet Copeland\*

Nursing  
Barbara Cilwik\*  
Helen Coleman  
Lydia Freeman  
Linda Lapinski  
Karen Setti

Nutrition & Food Management  
Sheila Banks  
Doris Callis

Operating Room  
Marie Fiorella\*  
Gladys Hopson

Pathology  
Barbara O'Hara

Recovery Room  
Jane Olsen\*

**31 YEARS**

DAR Surgical  
Ernestine Blackman

Environmental Services  
Leonard McCloud\*  
Mattie Powell

Nursing  
Loretta Edwards

Nutrition & Food Management  
Dorothy Smith  
Virginia Summers

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Dominic Vistocco

Radiology  
Barbara Cope

**32 YEARS**

Anesthesiology  
Carolyn Davis

Audio/Visual Services  
Walter Goddard

Discharge Planning  
Andrea La Corte

Medical Education  
William Black, M.D.

Nursing  
Geraldine Harris  
Lucille Maddi  
Eileen Regan\*

Nutrition & Food Management  
Bettie Powell

Pathology  
Barbara Lynch\*

Utilization Review  
Patricia Eason

**33 YEARS**

Nursing  
Antoinette Fiore  
Joann Jaeger  
Judith Pardo  
Linda Schroder

Pathology  
Joyce Brown\*

Recovery Room  
Sandra Gethings\*

**34 YEARS**

Nutrition & Food Management  
Claudian Latham

Oncology  
Luz Chin

**35 YEARS**

Operating Room  
Balda Saalfrank

Radiology  
Helen Chimel

Respiratory Therapy  
Jose Ruiz De Somocurcio

**36 YEARS**

Nutrition & Food Management  
Peggy Gaudiomonte  
Karen Grant

Operating Room  
Diane Klenk\*

Patient Transportation  
Patricia Yeager

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation  
Alexander Dubose

**37 YEARS**

Nursing Education  
Barbara Parigoris

Operating Room  
Dolores Miles

**38 YEARS**

Nutrition & Food Management  
Shirley Roberson

**39 YEARS**

Admissions & Guest Services Center  
Attichous Brinson

Dental Clinic  
Bernadine Johnson

Nursing  
Mable Medley

**40 YEARS**

Receiving/Storage  
Margit Talas

**43 YEARS**

Emergency Trauma Department  
Dorothy M. Johnson

**46 YEARS**

Environmental Services  
Edith Eickhorst

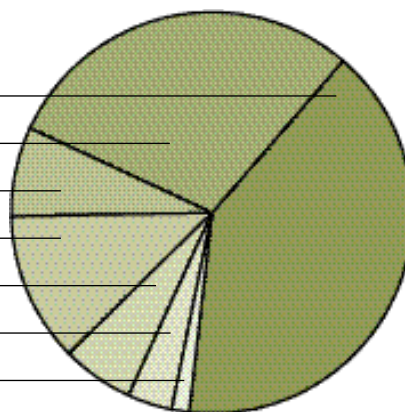
STATISTICS

|                                                             | 1994      | 1999      | 5-year % change* |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|
| Babies Born                                                 | 2,965     | 4,132     | 39%              |
| Bone Marrow Transplants                                     | 96        | 188       | 96%              |
| Cardiac Cath, Diagnostic                                    | 3,499     | 4,028     | 15%              |
| Cardiac Catheterization, Interventional                     | 1,619     | 4,564     | 182%             |
| Cardiac Surgery                                             | 1,072     | 1,288     | 20%              |
| Cardiology, Electrophysiology Studies                       | 313       | 570       | 82%              |
| Cardiology Procedures, Non-Invasive                         | 61,217    | 80,424    | 31%              |
| Clinic Visits (Adult)                                       | 33,087    | 30,705    | -7%              |
| Dialysis Treatments                                         | 15,353    | 36,370    | 137%             |
| Endoscopy Procedures                                        | 4,102     | 9,638     | 135%             |
| Emergency / Trauma Department Visits                        | 47,029    | 54,220    | 15%              |
| Genetics Counseling Visits                                  | 1,789     | 3,946     | 121%             |
| Home Health Visits                                          | 215,300   | 205,789   | -4%              |
| Hospice                                                     | 12,730    | 14,997    | 18%              |
| Inpatient Admissions                                        | 38,033    | 60,068    | 58%              |
| Institute for Behavioral Health Services                    | 24,753    | 98,428    | 298%             |
| Kidney Transplants                                          | –         | 20        | **               |
| Length of Stay – Case Mix Adjusted                          | 4.9       | 4.0       | -18%             |
| Mobile Intensive Care Unit Completed Calls                  | 3,560     | 4,005     | 12%              |
| Newborn Intensive Care Admissions                           | 284       | 531       | 87%              |
| Non-Invasive Vascular Laboratory                            | 4,301     | 10,521    | 145%             |
| Oncology Outpatient Adult Visits                            | 16,904    | 21,411    | 27%              |
| Pathology Procedures                                        | 2,445,964 | 2,999,721 | 23%              |
| Pediatric Ambulatory Services                               | 6,518     | 12,959    | 99%              |
| Physicians on Staff                                         | 617       | 986       | 60%              |
| Pulmonary Laboratory Patients                               | 2,002     | 4,188     | 109%             |
| Radiology, CT scans                                         | 14,119    | 26,784    | 90%              |
| Radiology, Diagnostic Procedures                            | 98,336    | 111,715   | 14%              |
| Radiology, Nuclear Medicine Procedures                      | 7,421     | 10,481    | 41%              |
| Radiology, Radiation Therapy Treatments                     | 18,605    | 21,383    | 15%              |
| Radiology, Special Procedures                               | 1,405     | 3,055     | 117%             |
| Radiology, Ultrasound Procedures                            | 7,911     | 11,579    | 46%              |
| Residents                                                   | 110       | 127       | 15%              |
| Respiratory Therapy Treatments                              | 369,564   | 495,397   | 34%              |
| Surgical Procedures (excluding cardiac surgery)             | 15,265    | 24,449    | 60%              |
| Tomorrows Children’s Institute Hematology / Oncology Visits | 5,405     | 6,946     | 29%              |
| Toys “R” Us/Kids “R” Us Institute for Child Development     | 58,074    | 67,229    | 16%              |
| Virology Procedures                                         | 15,673    | 25,945    | 66%              |
| Volunteers                                                  | 1,500     | 1,584     | 6%               |

\*Rounded to the nearest whole number. \*\*Program began in 1999.

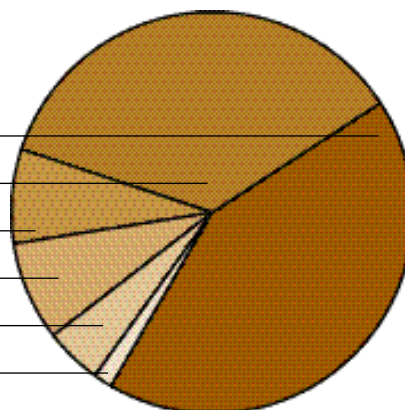
**SOURCES OF FUNDS**

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| Medicare            | 40.5 |
| HMO                 | 29.4 |
| Commercial          | 7.2  |
| Blue Cross          | 12.1 |
| Uncompensated Care* | 5.8  |
| Medicaid            | 3.6  |
| Self-Pay            | 1.4  |



**USES OF FUNDS**

|                   |      |
|-------------------|------|
| Salaries and Fees | 42.6 |
| Supplies/Other    | 35.7 |
| Employee Benefits | 7.6  |
| Bad Debt          | 8.0  |
| Depreciation      | 4.6  |
| Interest          | 1.5  |



\*Hackensack University Medical Center provided \$93,072,412 in uncompensated care in 1999. Uncompensated care includes charity and bad debt.

**COMMUNITY HEALTH BENEFITS**

Hackensack University Medical Center’s Health Awareness Regional Program (HARP) is a multi-faceted health promotion and illness prevention program designed to keep members of the communities we serve more informed. HARP provided many health benefits in 1999 including:

**BOARD OF HEALTH CONTRACTS**

HARP provided services to 28 Bergen County municipalities through Board of Health contracts. Towns served were Bergenfield, Bogota, Carlstadt, Cresskill, Demarest, Dumont, East Rutherford, Elmwood Park, Emerson, Englewood Cliffs, Fairview, Fort Lee, Garfield, Hackensack, Harrington Park, Leonia, Montvale, Moonachie, New Milford, Palisades Park, Ridgefield, Ridgefield Park, River Edge, River Vale, South Hackensack, Tenafly, Washington Township, and Wallington. Services include health education, public health nursing supervision, and public health nursing. Other services included child health conferences, adult health conferences, school immunization audits, community needs assessments, communicable disease reporting and follow-up, Tuberculin skin testing, and health education. HARP participated in numerous health fairs and town days throughout 1999. Flu immunization clinics were also provided as well as pneumovax immunization clinics. Health education and screenings in some towns included prostate, breast, skin cancer, AHA-stroke risk, and depression screenings.

**HEALTH EDUCATION**

HARP had contracts in 24 municipalities to provide health education. This year, 275 programs were presented to 14,601 participants. (These numbers don’t include HARP special education lectures at the Conference Center in Paramus, corporations, or as part of the medical center’s Speakers Bureau).

**CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCES**

546 children were seen for a total of 921 visits, 1,445 immunizations were given.

**ADULT HEALTH CONFERENCES**

604 clients were seen for a total of 1,982 visits.

**FLU IMMUNIZATIONS**

3,095 immunizations were given.

**HARP GRANTS**

In 1999, HARP received two grants. One was a Community Development grant for home visits. A total of 217 visits were made. HARP also received an Osteoporosis grant for an exercise class that meets once a week and has seventeen members.

**CORPORATE SERVICES**

HARP presents lectures, programs, and screenings for corporations, locally and nationally, in an effort to assist their employees to become more informed about their own health and adopt a healthier lifestyle. These services include, but are not limited to, health fairs, educational lectures, screenings, courses on nutrition, stress management, smoking cessation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and first aid; special programs such as flu immunizations, Bloodborne Pathogen Education, Hepatitis and Tetanus/Diphtheria, Tuberculosis health education and testing, corporate health contracts, and employee health contracts. HARP provides these services to corporations in Bergen, Hudson, and Morris counties in New Jersey, Rockland County and Manhattan in New York, and to a variety of other sites across the nation.



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