

# The Power of ONE Gift

**\$6.3M**  
in funds  
released

**200%**  
increase  
over 2022

**\$327K**  
for upcoming  
projects

In a year marked by unprecedented challenges and dynamic changes within the healthcare landscape, generous donors in this community invested \$6.3 million at Novato Community Hospital, Sutter Santa Rosa Community Hospital, Lakeside Hospital and Sutter Pacific Medical Foundation, in support of our mission to be the most comprehensive, integrated and connected health system for getting and staying well. Across Sutter Health, donors like you gave more than \$100 million to improve healthcare access, outcomes and equity within our communities.

Thank you for believing in us and the transformative force that enables philanthropy to address the most pressing health challenges facing society. Throughout this report, you will discover the impactful initiatives, partnerships and investments that have enabled us to extend our reach, enhance patient care, position ourselves for future growth, and foster a healthier future for all.

Through the power of your generous gift, we remain steadfast in our commitment to delivering exceptional care, driving innovation and creating sustainable value for all our donors and patients.



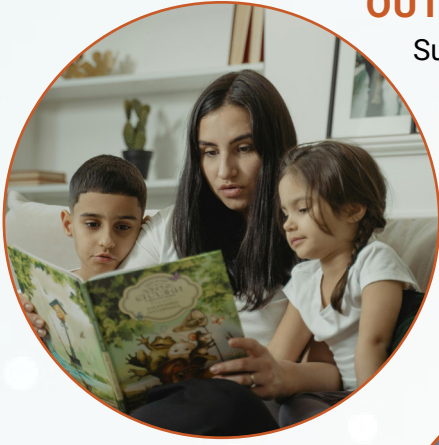


# YOUR GIFTS IN ACTION

**MORE THAN 1,300 GENEROUS DONORS** made a tangible impact on our work in advancing the health and well-being of our community in 2023.

ENHANCED ACCESS • ONCOLOGY • RESEARCH/INNOVATION • BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

**WOMEN AND CHILDREN • ONCOLOGY • ENHANCED ACCESS • BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**



Childhood literacy is the focus of the **REACH OUT AND READ** program sponsored by Sutter Pacific Medical Foundation. The team distributed **2,440 books** in 2023, a **30% increase** over 2022, helping thousands of families read aloud to children and reach their full education, social and life potential.



**KALMANOVITZ CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER (KCDC)** provides world-class comprehensive care for children in need of specialized mental, behavioral and developmental therapies. Donors in Marin County have helped to provide greater access to children and families in need of services, cutting wait times to see child development specialists.



**NOVATO COMMUNITY HOSPITAL IS WORKING TOWARD EMERGENCY PEDIATRIC CERTIFICATION.** With **more than 1,400 pediatric cases** in just the first 6 months of 2023, the Emergency Department has seen a **20.5% increase in patients** over 2022. They acquired a state-of-the-art Sim Doll “Luna” to simulate pediatric and neonate codes and medical scenarios with cross functional teams while encouraging advanced training for pediatric certification for nurses.

**GENETIC RISK EVALUATION AND TESTING (GREAT)** program launched to provide **no-cost genetic testing and counseling** for patients ages 25-45 who have no personal history of cancer. 682 genetic testing kits were sent to eligible participants with 210 completing testing. Consultation with genetic counselors provided recommendation for surveillance or management for 12 participants found with mutations so cancer risks can be reduced or eliminated.



 *Genetic testing is like playing offense with health instead of defense and personalizes cancer screening for anyone who may have increased risks.”*

– Sharon Chan, MPH, Program Manager



**GROVE BY SUTTER HEALTH** is a geriatric primary care program that integrates care from the hospital to the home, along with community resources. Grove patients had easier access to primary care and the wraparound services transform care for elder adults.

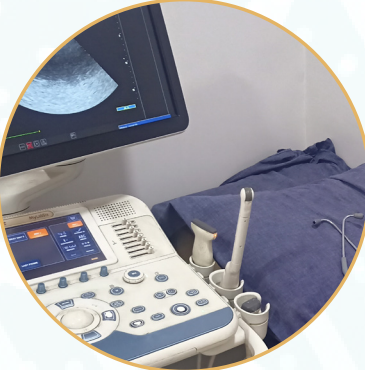


**40% fewer Emergency Department visits**



**50% fewer hospitalizations**

**THE MOST SOPHISTICATED ECHOCARDIOGRAM TECHNOLOGY** has been deployed in Santa Rosa to help diagnose and treat heart conditions faster, with greater accuracy.



**THE CAMPUS BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT AT NOVATO COMMUNITY HOSPITAL** is underway, making the award-winning hospital more serene and welcoming for patients.

**SCOUT™ BY SUTTER HEALTH, A MENTAL HEALTH TOOL** offering personalized, non-clinical support to manage anxiety and depression has been downloaded more than 11,500 times in all 50 states, with nearly 4,000 accounts created by adolescents and their adult champions.



**NOVATO COMMUNITY HOSPITAL 5K WELLNESS WALK** supported six key initiatives including emergency pediatrics and employee wellness.



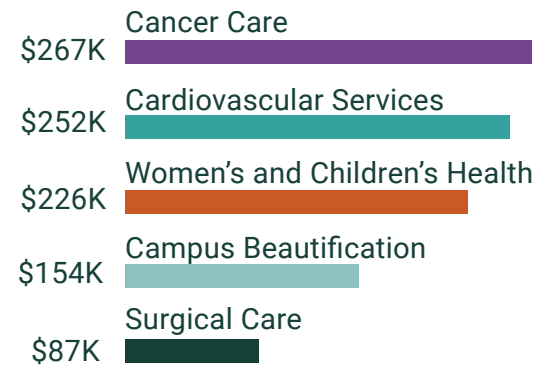


# Widespread Impact Through Donor Gifts

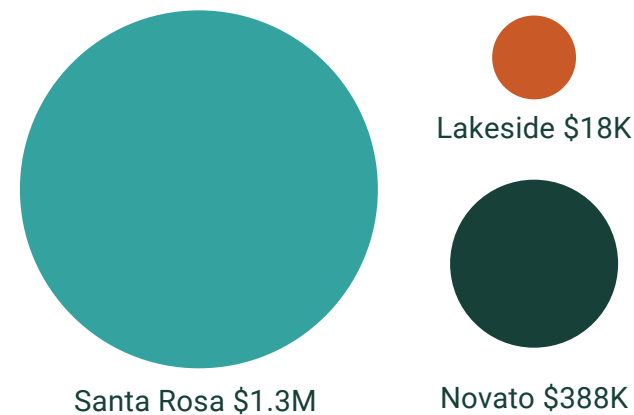
## Donor Gifts Invested by Type

**\$993K** Program      **\$736K** Capital

### Top Investments by Priority



### Investment by Area



*"Your generosity helps all patients. That might include yourself, your family, our friends and our neighbors, thank you for helping us reach our campaign goals."*

– Christina Oh, President, Sutter San Francisco Market

## Making an Impact with Planned Giving

Legacy gifts provide a long-term, stable source of funding that enable Lakeside Hospital, Novato Community Hospital, Sutter Santa Rosa Regional Hospital and Sutter Pacific Medical Foundation to provide world-class healthcare to our North Bay communities. In 2023, planned gifts provided an immediate impact on patient care supporting emergency pediatric care, children's services, cancer care and greatest need.

Thank you for your commitment to supporting local healthcare through a legacy gift. **Connect with our planned giving office today to learn more about the impact you can make through a planned gift.**

To see our honor roll of legacy donors visit [sutterhealth.org/northbay-legacy](https://sutterhealth.org/northbay-legacy)

# THE POWER OF ONE GIFT

AT A GLANCE



## BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

**11,500+ student-age patient downloads** of Scout™ by Sutter Health, in all 50 US states.

**Nearly 40% of users under the age of 22** building resilience through award-winning app.



## ONCOLOGY

**GREAT program** no-cost genetic testing for patients 25-45.

**682 genetic test kits** provided to eligible patients.

**2% positivity rate** receiving genetic counseling appropriate recommendations for follow-up.



## ENHANCED ACCESS

**Grove by Sutter Health** provides primary and wrap-around services for elder care.

- **400+ patients** served in first year.
- **50% decline** in emergency department visits among enrollees.

**KCDC** Kalmanovitz Child Development Center provided greater access to children and families in need of services, cutting wait times to see child development specialists.



## WOMEN AND CHILDREN

**1,400+ pediatric cases** benefit from Emergency Department Pediatric Certification.

**2,440 books** distributed to enhance childhood literacy.



## HEALTH EQUITY

• **Health Equity Spotlight**—Our nationally recognized team of health equity leaders contributes to ongoing research and programs to put "quality" in equality.

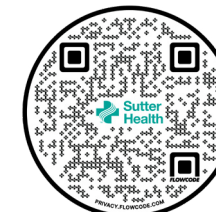
• **Asthma Program** to ensure consistent treatment with underrepresented populations leading to lower visits to emergency or urgent care.

• **Behavioral Health Screening** research to determine causes for lower screening rates in underrepresented populations and increase screening for all.

• **Comprehensive Gender Care Program** provides broader cultural competency education and specific EPIC health record modules to record patient preferences, plus gender care advocates and a consolidated web presence for the LGBTQ+ community.

• **Examination of Cardiovascular Admission Rates** to ensure access to the same medications for all populations.

• **Maternal and Birth Equity Research** identifies and quantifies disparities in maternal outcomes, to help to mitigate and prevent maternal and infant health disparities within our system. In 2023, we launched three pilot programs focused on improving perinatal mental health screening, breastfeeding and doula care services for at-risk patients.



### TO DONATE:

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- **Call North Bay Philanthropy at 707-236-0538**