

THE IMPACT OF GIVING

SAULT AREA HOSPITAL
FOUNDATION

IMPACT REPORT

SAHF

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CARDIAC TRANSDUCER PROBE



\$12,303

The Cardiac Transducer Probe was purchased for use in the Emergency Department. The probe is an ultrasound device used to examine the working heart and display moving images of its action. It is used in order to determine accurate assessment of the blood flowing to the heart.

TEMPORARY PACEMAKERS



\$26,000
FOR FOUR UNITS

A pacemaker uses wires to deliver electrical signals to the heart, if needed. Temporary cardiac pacing provides electrical stimulation to a heart that is compromised by disturbances in the conductive system. It is often used in emergency situations or to provide temporary pacing until a permanent pacemaker can be used. Used in ICU, Emergency Dept. and Cardiac Cath Lab.

\$639,452.⁰⁰

was disbursed from

April 1st, 2015- March 31st, 2016 for
essential medical equipment and
special training at Sault Area Hospital.

Your Donations Save Lives

Following an unexpected cardiac episode at Sault Area Hospital (SAH), the Intra-Aortic balloon pump helped to keep Patricia Pratt alive and stable while she was being transported to Sudbury. Those who worked to save Patricia's life that day, said they were able to do so because of this valuable piece of equipment that had only been purchased by SAH just six months prior.

It Takes a Community to Save a Life

The contributions to the Sault Area Hospital Foundation are responsible for positively impacting the lives of those who require medical care at SAH. It is our community that gives so generously that helped save Patricia Pratt's life that day. Together, we ensure that our local healthcare professionals have critical pieces of equipment available to provide the best possible care at our local hospital.



Skin Graft Mesher
Surgical
\$13,277

Skin grafting occurs when a piece of skin is taken from one part of the body, run through the mesher to expand the skin and used elsewhere where a burn or wound has compromised the affected skin's ability to heal itself. The skin graft mesher was purchased for use in the OR. The single cutter can cut graft into a geometrically defined pattern to enlarge the surface of the skin.

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