

## How You Can Help

### Contact Phoebe Foundation

Phoebe Foundation provides a way for our community to come together through charitable giving to provide life-saving services and technology. The professionals at Phoebe Foundation help caring donors establish the charitable venue that best suits their goals.

### How Your Gift Will Be Used

You can designate your gift for a specific use or allow it to be directed to the area of greatest need. We will work with you to ensure that your gift is used in a way that satisfies both you and the hospital. Regardless of the size or purpose of your gift, be assured that patient care will be the ultimate beneficiary of your generosity.

### Tax Benefits For Giving

When you make a charitable gift to Phoebe Foundation, you not only provide crucial funding for hospital equipment, education and programs, you may also receive current income tax deductions and reductions in estate taxes.

### Planned Gifts

Planned giving by individuals, corporations, trusts or other foundations can be in the form of cash, stocks and bonds, insurance, bequests or real estate. Your financial adviser can assist in determining the most appropriate giving option for your circumstances and desires.

*Donations to the Phoebe Cancer Center help fund region-wide cancer screening and prevention programs such as stop-smoking seminars, mobile mammography and blood screening events. These programs can help catch cancer at a more treatable early stage or even prevent it.*



Here's how you can help.

THOUSANDS OF SOUTHWEST GEORGIANS OWE THEIR VERY LIVES TO THE TECHNOLOGIES AND SKILLS PHILANTHROPY MAKES POSSIBLE AT PHOEBE.

### Naming Opportunities

Phoebe Foundation enables generous contributors to honor or memorialize friends, family members, doctors, nurses and others by naming facilities, equipment and endowments for them. Gifts of this kind may honor the living or the deceased. The contribution establishes a permanent connection between the honoree and Phoebe.

### Named Endowment Funds

Endowments may be established in honor of friends, relatives or others. The endowment will bear the name of the contributor or the honoree and the proceeds from this endowment may be designated to support a project of the contributor's choice or be directed to an area of greatest need.

### Equipment

Throughout the hospital, patients benefit every day from sophisticated equipment that has been made possible through the gifts of generous donors, clear evidence that contributions to Phoebe are making a difference in patient care.

Equipment financed through donation displays the donor's nameplate if the donor contributes the entire amount. In the case of more expensive equipment, recognition will be made if at least half of the purchase price is donated.

### Annual Support

Donors who make an annual gift support the hospital through a consistency of commitment. This type of giving is significant, not only in the financial benefits derived, but in the union of purpose between community, the Foundation and the hospital in promoting quality health care for Southwest Georgia.

### Remembrance Gifts

Remembrance gifts may be made in cash, by check or yearly pledge to honor someone on a special occasion, or as a lasting memorial to a relative or friend.



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Next year we'll help  
**over 1500 patients**  
fight Cancer  
*... successfully.*

Without the help of donors like you, it couldn't happen.

## A Source of Optimism for Patients Facing a Frightening Disease

Every 17 minutes, another Georgian is diagnosed with cancer. Yet, though cancer remains a dreaded killer, there is great reason for optimism.

Last year, at the conclusion of their treatment, several hundred cancer patients got good news from the doctors at Phoebe Cancer Center: that they can expect to live just as long as if they had never contracted the disease. And those numbers are increasing every year.

Today, through the efforts of dedicated researchers and medical professionals, there is increased promise of recovery, even eventual cure.



*Southwest Georgia is home to a truly world-class cancer center, with the finest medical talent and state-of-the-art technology.*



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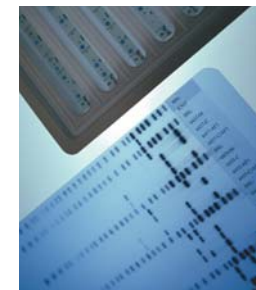
## A Center of Hope for All Southwest Georgians

Here at one of the Southeast's busiest cancer centers, our mission is to deliver on that promise to patients in a geographic area where the incidence of cancer is among the highest in the state. This year, more Southwest Georgians than ever will come to Phoebe for cancer care, including chemotherapy, radiation therapy, immunotherapy, surgery and combinations of these treatments.

Hope is not a term normally associated with cancer. Yet, over the last 40 years, the dedication of these medical professionals has helped make Phoebe Cancer Center a very special place, a place where Southwest Georgians can turn to as a source for hope for treatment and for recovery.



*Patients at Phoebe Cancer Center have access to advanced treatments not available at smaller hospitals, such as stem cell apheresis, gene therapy and prostate brachytherapy.*



CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS HAVE BEEN CRUCIAL TO PHOEBE'S GROWTH INTO ONE OF THE FINEST CANCER CENTERS IN THE SOUTHEASTERN UNITED STATES.

## A Crucial Component of This Success is the Help of Caring Donors

The philanthropic support of people like you has made it possible for Phoebe to build our cancer center into one of the finest in the Southeastern United States.

There was a time when finding world-class treatment for cancer meant leaving Southwest Georgia and traveling long distances. But today, Southwest Georgians can stay close to home and receive the most cutting-edge cancer therapies.

Put simply, caring donations to the Phoebe Cancer Center have saved lives. Many lives.

The pace of progress against cancer has been staggering. More new treatments have been introduced in the last seven years than in the previous 30. Resources provided by donors have made it possible to bring these life-saving technologies to Southwest Georgia as quickly as they become available. Every donation, of whatever size, helps save more lives.

*With each passing year, more and more cancer patients are receiving good news at the end of their treatment. Every donation helps makes more of these individual victories possible.*

