



News Release

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Columbus Community Hospital Foundation Receives a \$469,520 Gift from the Estate of Robert and Joan Nienkamp

For Immediate Release

(COLUMBUS, Neb.) – The Columbus Community Hospital (CCH) Foundation recently received a \$469,520 gift from the estate of Robert and Joan Nienkamp. The gift will become part of the Robert R. and Joan L. Nienkamp Radiology Endowment Fund.

“We are so thankful to the Nienkamp family for giving this generous gift to the foundation,” said Michael Hansen, CCH president and CEO. “Through donations like these, community members support the work of the hospital and help us purchase cutting-edge medical equipment, improve our facility and provide beneficial programming for patients and their families.”

There are many ways to donate to the Columbus Community Hospital Foundation. People can give outright gifts, cash gifts, real estate, appreciated stock, collections and U.S. Savings Bonds. Donors can also donate through planned giving such as bequests, life insurance policies, charitable remainder trusts and IRAs.

Estate gifts, like the Nienkamp family gift, often represent the most significant donations the Foundation receives.

When donors give to the Foundation, their gift goes directly to the purpose(s) they choose to support. Donors may choose from the following ongoing needs: CCH’s expansion and renovation project, program funding, equipment and medical advancement purchases, and the greatest needs fund which provides resources to help resolve the hospital's most pressing concerns.

Donors to the CCH Foundation are assured that their contributions are managed and invested wisely and that their charitable wishes are honored.

In addition to their gift to the CCH Foundation, the Nienkamp family also gave generous estate gifts to the Dialysis Center Foundation and the Columbus Public Library Foundation.

For more information on the CCH Foundation and how people can support the work of the hospital through donations, such as estate gifts, visit www.columbushosp.org.

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