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Pardee Hospital celebrates another successful year of employee giving

(Hendersonville, N.C.) Pardee Hospital is celebrating another successful year of employee giving with the Pardee Choice campaign. More than 663 Pardee associates gave a total of $135,394 to date – and the numbers continue to grow. Pardee Choice offers Pardee associates the opportunity to give to the United Way of Henderson County, the Pardee Hospital Foundation, or to support both organizations.

A wrap-up ceremony was recently held at the hospital to celebrate the achievement and recognize how these gifts are making a difference at Pardee Hospital and in our community.

"For the past 15 years, Pardee Hospital Foundation has partnered with the United Way of Henderson County to give Pardee associates the opportunity to give back to their hospital and community through the Pardee Choice Campaign. Since 1996, Pardee associates have given more than $1 million back to their community and hospital through gifts made to the Pardee Choice campaign," states Myra Grant, VP of Community Accountability & Philanthropy at Pardee.

Pardee Hospital Foundation uses the gifts made by employees to help meet the most critical needs of Pardee Hospital. These gifts have provided new equipment such as cardiac ultrasound equipment , made improvements to the Intensive Care Unit, expanded Pardee's Emergency Room and provided financial support to Pardee patients in need.

Representatives from community organizations who receive support from the United Way were on hand to stress the importance of giving and explain how gifts to the

United Way make a direct impact in the lives of children, adults and seniors in Henderson County.

Pardee Hospital is a not-for-profit community hospital founded in 1953. The main hospital is licensed for 222 acute care beds and is the second largest employer in Henderson County. The hospital has several locations separate from the main campus, including an adult day services center, a health education center in the Blue Ridge Mall, home care services, a rehab and wellness center, a midwifery program, various family and internal medicine practices, and an urgent care facility. For more information or to find a physician, call 1-866-790-WELL (9355) or visit www.pardeehospital.org.

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