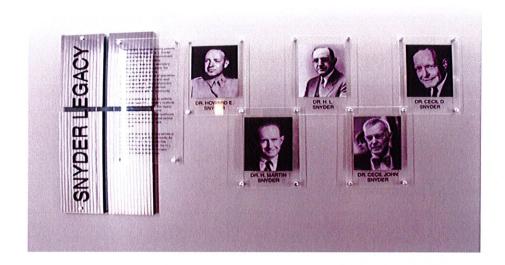
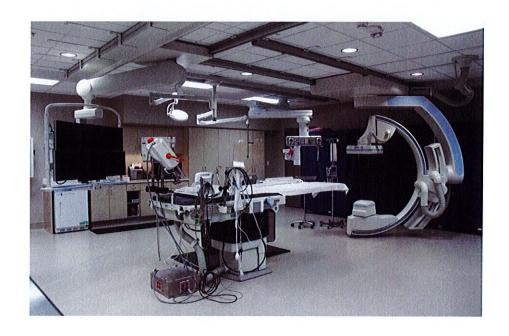
## Community Projects Report



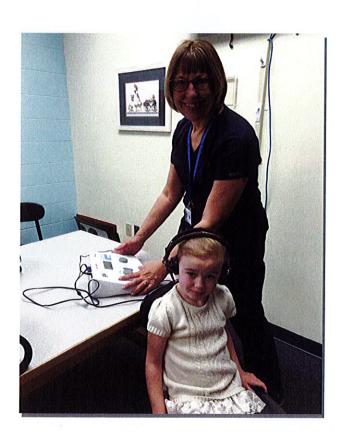
The H. L. Snyder Medical Foundation made a pledge to the Second Century Campaign at William Newton Hospital. Phase-One was the addition of the "H. L. Snyder Medical Foundation Surgery Center."

The surgery center includes an orthopedic operating room, pre/post-operative care units, cardiovascular catheterization laboratory (or Cath Lab), a chapel and two waiting areas.





Z Vent portable Ventilator will allow EMS providers to assist patients in moderate to severe respiratory distress or respiratory arrest. Respiratory illnesses and diseases have been steadily inclining over the past few years given the current condition of the pandemic. Cardiac arrest calls have also seen an increase due to the aging of the community. These ventilators are a tool that can be used alongside the Lucas CPR devices and the LifePak 15 ECG Monitors that the Foundation has helped WFD/EMS receive during our EMS progression to deliver the Gold Standard of care.



USD 465 school nurses do between 1600 and 1800 hearing screenings each school year. Routine hearing screenings are conducted annually or biannually depending on the age of the student. Hearing screenings are also conducted on students who appear to be having difficulty in hearing the teacher. In addition, new students to the district, are also screened. Due to the transient nature of some of the high risk students, a surprising number of hearing and vision issues are found on students new to our district.



Winfield Fire / EMS purchased IV pumps. These pumps provide an effective medication administration during EMS operations and allow for life saving medications to be administered with precise accuracy and various safeguards to prevent medication errors. New protocol changes allow Paramedics to match the standard of care as seen and evidenced within our region.

Winfield Fire / EMS received a \$16,094.09 grant to purchase a Z Vent Portable Ventilator. The Z Vent will allow EMS providers to assist patients in moderate to severe respiratory distress or respiratory arrest. Respiratory illnesses and diseases have been steadily inclining over the past few years given the current condition of the pandemic. (2022)

William Newton Hospital Healthcare Foundation received a \$5,020.00 grant to purchase a Sports Art T635A Treadmill with Sports Art Medical Rails. This treadmill is being used in "Heart Menders department. Heart Menders had 4,224 visits for cardiac patients. (2022)

USD 465 Nurses received a \$2,376.00 grant to purchase 2 GSI Traveling Screening Audiometers. Routine hearing screenings are conducted annually or biannually (depending on the age of the student). Hearing screenings are also conducted on students who appear to be having difficulty in hearing the teacher. New students to the district are also screened. The nurses do between 1600 and 1800 hearing screenings each school year. (2022)

USD 465 Parents As First Teachers received a \$4,797.50 grant to purchase an OAE screening device. This device will improve the screening for hearing loss and therefore speech development in children enrolled in the Parents As First Teachers program in Winfield. This will also allow them to refer children to audiologist for evaluating and treatment. (2022)

USD 465 Nurses received a \$5,182.50 grant to purchase 3 Audiometers and 3 Otoscopes. As they have received COVID grant funding, they were able to add an additional three school nurse to their team. Audiometers are the devices that they use to do hearing screenings and the otoscopes are devices that they use to look in ears to assess the health of the ear. (2022)