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For the last 30 years, the BMP Foundation has actively served its community and cares deeply about the patients and staff at the BMP Hospital.

MISSION

The Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital Foundation contributes to improving the accessibility and quality of healthcare provided to the population of Brome-Missisquoi. Through the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital and the services the Hospital also provides outside the boundaries of its walls, the BMP Foundation contributes to the purchase of state-of-the-art equipment and the implementation of projects for the continued improvement of healthcare and related services.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Since 1993, the BMP Foundation has invested more than 35 million dollars in:

- Purchasing state-of-the-art equipment;
- · Modernizing the Hospital's facilities;
- · Additional training for medical staff;
- Providing bursaries for studies in healthcare.









Dear friends of the Foundation,

In 2024, we began the redevelopment of the Medical Imaging Department. By offering modernized, more functional facilities designed to meet the growing needs of the population, this transformation will help, among other things, support the growth of the Orthopedics Department, whose reputation continues to grow. We hope to continue to improve the fluidity of our services and user experience, while consolidating the excellence of the specialized care offered at BMP Hospital.

These achievements have been made possible by the contributions of our donors, sponsors and collaborators. We are also extremely grateful to our wonderful team of volunteers for their support and hard work throughout the year.

In this 2024-2025 report, the Foundation is proud to present the Medical Imaging Department's redesign project. We also highlight programs that provide invaluable support to patients in the Oncology Department. You will also find out about new acquisitions designed to further improve the quality of care we provide to our patients. Finally, you'll discover small gestures that go a long way, initiatives that contribute to easing the patient experience, to support staff and reinforce the human bonds at the heart of our mission.

Every day, the generosity of our region's citizens inspires and guide our actions and decisions. Once again this year, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts for giving us the means to work towards improving healthcare in the beautiful Brome-Missisquoi region.

Thank you!













LL.B. Chair of the board



Francis Laramée, Adm.A. **Executive Director**







Another year of collaboration between the BMP Foundation and the CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS has come to an end, and a new one has begun. We are happy to see this partnership renewed year after year for the benefit of users in the RLS La Pommeraie territory and through the changes within our organization.

In 2024, the BMP Foundation agreed to partially finance the redevelopment of the Medical Imaging Department at BMP Hospital; a major and necessary project, since the department is at the heart of operations of many sectors within the hospital.

Thanks to this redevelopment, the BMP Foundation is helping the CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS to maintain the excellent level of care offered at BMP Hospital, as well as ensuring the well-being of our healthcare workers.

Thank you to the donors, collaborators, and to the Board of Directors of the BMP Foundation.



- · Annie Boisvert, Hors-cadre désignée
- Rosane Rivard et Philippe Préville, Gestionnaires désignés
- Catherine Lizotte, Organisatrice communautaire
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- Anne-Sophie Laliberté, Conseillère en communications















Annie Boisvert Directrice générale adjointe Programmes Santé physique générale et spécialisée CIUSSS de l'Estrie - CHUS





Thanks to the support of all our donors, the BMP Foundation has been able to improve health care for families in our community through the following projects, totalling over \$1,930,581:

OPERATING ROOM - \$1,883

Blood pressure monitors

HOME CARE - \$2,250

Aerobika device (PEPO)

Wound care piqués

ORTHOPEDICS - \$39,466

Surgical table extension

Femoral distractor

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT - \$243,640

Alaris pump device

Syringe pump device

Colonoscope devices

Respiratory therapy equipment

Small equipment

CHSLD - \$154,912

Music concerts

Living environment enhancement

Recreation

Tablets for communication

MEDICAL IMAGING - \$1,318,696

Department redevelopment

Ibiom radiology exam chair

SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS AND INVOLVEMENTS - \$14,432

BROME-MISSISQUOI HEALTH FUND - \$70,000

Warming Centres

Proximity Worker

YOUTH FUND - \$11,461

Brome-Missisquoi Youth Fund

BIRTHING PAVILLON - \$18,031

Star sets for perinatal bereavement

Bienvenue au monde

PATIENT WELL-BEING - \$19,934

Care gardens

Communication boards

Because We Care Fund

MENTAL HEALTH - \$18,565

Groupe Phénix

EMPLOYEE WELL-BEING - \$17,311

Recharime Relaxation Cabin rental

Picnic table

Recognition events













ACQUISITION OF TWO CONMED ORTHOPEDIC MOTORS

As the five motors available to the BMP Hospital were no longer sufficient to meet the growing needs of the operating room, the BMP Foundation acquired two new ConMed orthopedic motors. These devices are essential for most orthopedic surgeries, as they enable a variety of bone operations. This addition will improve both surgeon performance and surgical efficiency.

PURCHASE OF A SURGICAL TABLE EXTENSION

This extension, primarily used during hip surgery, allows the surgeon to use an anterior approach for hip replacement, thus avoiding contact with the abductor muscles.

ADDITION OF A FEMORAL DISTRACTOR

The Orthopedics Department is now equipped with this technological innovation which allows the surgeon to align the head of the femur in the hip giving it time to remodel itself. This tool allows for a faster procedure and more comfort for the patient.

GROUPE PHÉNIX

In collaboration with the Centre d'entraînement Énergie Sud de Cowansville, this fitness group aims to improve the overall health of patients who are actively being monitored by a mental health team and enable them to engage in a positive experience of rehabilitation and social reintegration.

WARMING CENTERS

Through the Fonds de santé Brome-Missisquoi, the BMP Foundation donated \$15,000 to the region's homelessness committee, to help finance two warming centers designed to support people experiencing homelessness.























Our seniors are precious and deserving of our full attention, in a warm and caring environment. It is with this conviction that services are deployed each day, financed by the Foundation, to optimize their well-being in the region's CHSLDs and at BMP Hospital.









Zootherapy in the emergency department: pets for the elderly

Geriatric patients in the BMP Hospital emergency room can now benefit from the presence of animals as part of their care. It is one of the first emergency departments in Canada to offer zootherapy and the second with the Geriatric Emergency Department Accreditation – BMP Hospital, *Ami des ainés*. There are many benefits including reduced stress, increased trust, a better understanding of patients' situations, and enhanced support for the healthcare team.

Last February, the Noovo Info platform visited the BMP Emergency Department to interview Isabelle Bouthillette, a zootherapist, to demonstrate the immense benefits of zootherapy in the hospital setting.

The interview is available to watch online.



Krystel proposes a unique approach, filled with love and tenderness for residents of all conditions who, from the very beginning, feel her warmth and view the puppet as a real little girl. She charms them quickly with her infectious charisma. Lively conversations, secrets, songs, laughter, and magic are all part of the experience! Each encounter is a moment of pure happiness! A spark of joy in their day that lasts long after the visit by Martine and her puppet is over!



TESTIMONIAL

"A lady suffering from Alzheimer's disease was going through a rough patch. Immobile and unresponsive for days, it was impossible for her family and the staff to reach her. Krystel gently sat down beside her, beaming in her own way, and the woman gradually began to respond, first with her eyes, then with a few words. Confidently, Krystel conversed and connected heart to heart with joy, knowing that her sun will always shine brightly...The lady continued to talk and regained her spark! This encounter even ended in song and laughter, as the staff looked on in amazement and admiration. Nothing in the world makes me happier than witnessing these little miracles! A heartfelt thank you to the BMP Hospital Foundation for allowing us to surround all these precious people, whom we love so much, in love, warmth and joy!" Martine Girouard, Therapeutic puppeteer, NLP Coach, Narrator





A MAJOR AND ESSENTIAL PROJECT **FOR OUR COMMUNITY**

Redesign of the Medical Imaging Department (Radiology) 2024-2026

IMAGINE A RENEWED DEPARTMENT

The facilities and equipment of the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hopital Medical Imaging department must be modernized to improve the fluidity of the service and the user experience.



Once completed, this redesign will allow the BMP Hospital to improve the following:

PATIENT CARE

User privacy

Addition of an accessible toilet and dressing room.

User safety

Addition of seats and stretcher spaces so that users can comfortably wait for their exam.



MEDICAL IMAGING TECHNOLOGISTS

Reduce waiting list

Radiologists will be able to work on polytraumatized patients.

Workplace ergonomics

Designated rooms will be available to wheelchair users and stretchers.



RADIOLOGISTS

A quieter work environment

Background noise and traffic around the actual office are detrimental to the radiologists' work. Soundproof and isolated offices will allow them to reach maximum work efficiency.













The goal of this project is to bring to patients and healthcare professionals an improved experience:

- With improved accessibility and safety for patients and healthcare teams;
- With an ergonomic workplace;
- By reaching optimal efficiency thanks to advanced and performant equipment.

THE PICTURE OF HEALTH Our ambassadors



STÉPHANIE DAVENPORT, Head of Department

To maintain the excellent level of care given at BMP Hospital, we need to seize the opportunity to redesign and modernize our Medical Imaging Department. This will do for faster healthcare services that are safer and more efficient. The project includes the replacement of our radiography equipment, the creation of top-of-the-art ultrasound room, and the inclusion of adapted disability-friendly spaces. Thanks to you, our community will benefit from worldclass Medical Imagery services.



ÉTIENNE BLAIN-PARÉ, MD CM, FRCPC

Medical Imaging is a cornerstone of our hospital. It is present and essential in all our hospital's departments: E.R., Intensive Care, Operating Room, and Orthopedics. Thanks to the images produced by our department, our doctors can diagnose, treat accurately, and follow patients in a non-invasive way. Quick and precise diagnosis are crucial for patient care. This project will help reduce delays, improve patient experience, and insure optimal work conditions for our teams.



CATHARIE BÉCHAMP, cancer survivor

Thanks to a competent emergency team and a state-of-the-art equipment, I was diagnosed with cancer in its very early stage. This strengthened my belief that our community needs a proximity hospital that offers quality healthcare. These last thirty years, the BMP Foundation has ceaselessly contributed to improving and bettering healthcare at BMP. Please generously help your hospital because every donation to the Foundation helps preserving and developing quality proximity healthcare services to our community.









The BMP Hospital Foundation is pleased to support the Medical Imaging Department's project to modernize its facilities and medical equipment, in collaboration with the CIUSSSE de l'Estrie-CHUS.

AN IMAGE BROUGHT TO LIFE

The reorganization of the department involves:

- The redesign of two radiography rooms (including the replacement of the medical equipment);
- The redesign of two ultrasound rooms;
- An improved accessibility to the waiting and exam rooms:
- The addition of an accessible bathroom;
- The replacement of the stereotactic breast biopsy table;
- Handwashing stations in the hallway (infection prevention and control);
- The addition of a recovery room.

THE FOUR PHASES OF THE PROJECT

Construction of a new radiography room with vent unit;

> Replacement of the first radiography machine;

Construction of three new analyze rooms for radiologists;

Expansion of the ultrasound waiting room access.



Revamping of the emergency radiography room;

Replacement of the second radiography machine;

Fitting of the stereotactic breast biopsy table.



Construction of two new ultrasound exam rooms.



Construction of a recovery room for patients after their exam; Completion stage.









A MAJOR ESSENTIAL PROJECT FOR THE MEDICAL IMAGING DEPARTMENT

The BMP Foundation's contribution to this project is critical to its success. We aim to support a team of healthcare professionals in their respect and achievement of Accreditation Canada's norms. The Medical Imaging Department is essential to any regional hospital where, without its professionals, services such as the E.R., the Intensive Care Unit, the Operating Room, and the Orthopedic Clinic can't fully function.

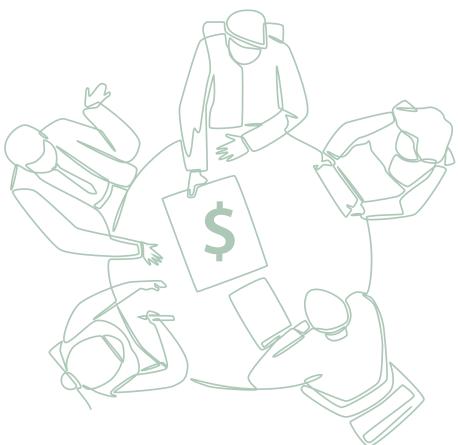
THE COST OF A HEALTHY IMAGE (project cost)

The total cost of the project, including the redesign of the infrastructure and the replacement of medical equipment is estimated at \$7,468,080.

Our Foundation will contribute 2.2 millions dollars to the project

Infrastructure (including demolition), interior design and built-in furniture) \$6,108,080

Medical equipment \$1,360,000



The BMP Hospital Foundation is considered a critical partner to ensure the completion of the project and pledges to invest a complementary sum of 2.2 millions (30% of the project cost).









The Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital Foundation scholarships have two objectives:

- To encourage and help local students to undertake or pursue college studies in the health or nursing fields, depending on the type of scholarship awarded;
- To establish and promote a positive relationship between the bursary recipient and BMP Hospital (CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS) and encourage them to build a career within the RLS La Pommeraie.

HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

The Foundation supports four local high schools by providing \$1,000 scholarships for graduates wishing to pursue their studies in the healthcare field. These students are selected by their educational institution.



CEGEP SCHOLARSHIP

The BMP Hospital Foundation gives a special thanks to the Chawkers Foundation for their support of local students!

2024 Winners

- BMP Scholarship Healthcare: Coralie Prud'homme
- BMP Scholarship Healthcare: Émilie Plourde
- BMP Scholarship Nursing: Haily Cocolas
- BMP Scholarship Nursing: Rosalie Gauvin



Coralie Prud'homme: Passionate, curious and extremely motivated, Coralie has embarked on a long path of surgical studies with great realism and drive. Her commitment to the BMP Hospital goes beyond her studies: in 2024, Coralie organized a fundraiser for the BMP Foundation during a cycling event. Bravo Coralie!

Émilie Plourde: Émilie is driven by a strong desire to help, solidarity and sharing, and for her, the path of medicine seems the obvious one. Thanks to her personal experience and school hospital visits organized by the Foundation, Émilie is convinced that her altruism and determination are the ideal and necessary qualities for a career in healthcare.

Haily Cocolas: At an early age, Haily discovered a passion for helping people. Coming to people's aid, helping them, supporting them: this is the greatest motivation of this young student who, in autumn of 2024, will begin her DVS in Health, Assistance and Nursing to become a nursing assistant. Good luck, Haily!

Rosalie Gauvin: Rosalie has been immersed in the world of healthcare for as long as she can remember: her family is very closely involved. She has used every opportunity to confirm her passion. Visits, internships, observation days: nothing could satisfy her curiosity. So much so that for four years now, Rosalie has been a lifeguard in Bromont, where, every summer, she takes care of both big and small cases of illness. We wish you all the best in your studies, Rosalie!







UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP In memory of (the late) Mrs. Effie Margaret Côté

2024 Winners

- Camille Laramée
- Lorie Grandmont



Ms. Effie Margaret Côté

Camille Laramée: The BMP Foundation is extremely proud to have awarded Camille the Effie Margaret Côté Scholarship. This vibrant young woman, dedicated to her community, has demonstrated consistency and determination throughout her studies and now her career. Convinced that the patient's environment has a major impact on optimizing care, Camille is working hard, through her projects at both the BMP Hospital and the Université de Sherbrooke, to "deepen the integration of the family approach in the context of critical care for geriatric patients". Thank you for giving so much to your community, Camille!

Lorie Grandmont: In 2024, exceptionally, the Fondation BMP awarded a coup de coeur scholarship to Lorie Grandmont. The jury was overwhelmed by the deep commitment this young girl has to her area and community. Lorie began her Bachelor of Science in Nursing in August 2024 to further her education and experience. Throughout her DCS, she worked in various establishments in the RLS La Pommeraie, demonstrating her great motivation. Congratulations Lorie, the BMP Foundation wishes you the best of luck in your studies!









TESTIMONIALS

Rosalie Carbonneau-Larochelle: "I love seeing young people fascinated by our work. Our job as medical technologists is not very well known, and these visits give us greater exposure and increase the general knowledge of our field. I like to show in concrete terms what we do in the laboratory with dynamism and how beautiful a hospital we have."

Stéphanie Davenport: "Medical imaging is at the heart of hospital care, playing an essential role in diagnosis and patient management. Welcoming students to our department is a valuable opportunity to introduce them to a field that is both technological and people-oriented, where every image helps guide treatment and improve care. We are proud to share our expertise and to inspire the next generation through these enriching visits."







2024-2025 EVENT CALENDAR

BMP BRUNCH - \$28,250



Attendees came out on Sunday, April 21, 2024 for the 33rd edition of the BMP Brunch! For the first time since 2019, both sittings were sold out, much to the delight of the BMP Foundation team. The Auberge West Brome was packed, the smell of bacon and croissants was in the air, and lots of prizes were won. A festive, family-friendly day, reflecting the close-knit community of Brome-Missisquoi!

Thanks to the 340 attendees across both sittings, sponsors and raffle ticket buyers, we're delighted to announce that we raised \$28,250 in proceeds! Thank you, everyone!





THE BMP CLASSIQUE - \$56,000

The 33rd edition of the BMP Classique took place on June 12, 2024! We're pleased to announce, that thanks to the participation of 166 golf and cycling enthusiasts, we not only met, but surpassed our initial goal! **Together, we raised an incredible \$56,000!**





OKTOBERFEST BMP - \$30,000

On October 19, 2024, Oktoberfest BMP was held under the permanent tent at **Domaine de l'Artisan**. Thanks to the participation of **200 guests** and the generosity of our sponsors, we are delighted to announce a profit of \$30,000. A BIG THANK YOU to all! A special thank you to Desjardins, our presenting sponsor, for their unwavering support of the BMP Foundation for over 30 years!





HOLIDAY AUCTION - \$5,010

The Holiday Auction is 14 days where participants have the chance to bid on great prizes, just before the arrival of the festive season. **All the bids won for 2024 raised \$5,010 in profits!** Thank you to all participants for buying your gifts and supporting better healthcare in Brome-Missiquoi!







TO OUR VOLUNTEERS









KNOWLTON GOLF CLUB'S WILLIAM J. BARAKETT MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT – \$42,000

On June 20th, the William J. Barakett Memorial Tournament was held in aid of the BMP Foundation! Thanks to the generosity of the participants, a grand total of \$42,000 was raised. The Foundation would like to thank the Knowlton Golf Club and its entire team for organizing this wonderful event, as well as the participants for their attendance!

WALK TO FIGHT ALL CANCERS, YAMASKA VALLEY OPTIMIST CLUB - \$87,070

Sunday, October 6th saw the 2024 edition of the Walk to Fight All Cancers, organized by the Yamaska Valley Optimist Club. Over 150 participants walked, and some took part in a workshop with yoga teacher Laura Hernandez. Thanks to donations from walkers, walk contributions and sponsors, over \$87,070 was raised this year!

MATHIEU GAUDET BENEFIT CONCERT - \$4,000

On June 2nd, Dr. Mathieu Gaudet, emergency room physician and passionate pianist, performed a concert. Thanks to his generosity, \$4,000 was raised. These funds will help improve healthcare in the beautiful Brome-Missisquoi region. Thank you, Dr. Gaudet, and thank you to the 130 classical music fans who attended!

COMMUNITY SINGERS - \$2,685

On November 9th, the Community Singers delighted the ears and hearts of several hundred spectators at a concert held at Église Emmanuel in Cowansville. They sang some of the greatest hits in the musical theatre repertoire, from Phantom of the Opera to Aladdin and My Fair Lady.

CHOCOLATE SALE, BY LE MAÎTRE GLACIER - \$115

For Easter, Le Maître Glacier Bromont donated 20% of its sales to the BMP Foundation. A fundraiser for all sweet tooths. Thank you!

ROULER POUR LA SANTÉ, BY CORALIE PRUD'HOMME - \$925

Coralie Prud'homme raised \$925 for the Foundation as part of her project "Rouler pour la santé", a 100 km bike race held on June 9th. Thanks to everyone who encouraged her by donating to the Foundation in her name, and thanks to Coralie for her inspiring initiative!



CIDRERIE ÉQUINOXE - \$500

Apple-picking season inspired Audrey-Ann and Marc-Antoine to give generously. They took advantage of the universal love for traditional apple picking to donate \$0.50 per pound of picked apples to the BMP Foundation. Thanks to these talented young Brome-Missisquoi entrepreneurs for their delicious generosity!

HALLOWEEN PIGGY BANKS - \$2,072.81

On Halloween 2024, students enrolled in schools in the Brome-Missisquoi region (Curé-A.-Petit, Premier Envol, Sutton, Notre-Damede-Lourdes, Saint-Édouard and Farnham Elementary) went door-to-door trick or tricking and raising money in support of the BMP Foundation. Our heartfelt thanks to all the children and donors!

FUMOIRS GOSSELIN - \$1,230

Fumoirs Gosselin donated \$1,230 of its sales between April and June 2024 to the Foundation. A big thank you to Fumoirs Gosselin for their support, and especially to Samuel Gosselin, President and General Manager, as well as Alexandre Marcoux, Sales and Marketing Coordinator and Honorary President of the BMP Classique 2024!















10 MILLION STEPS FOR A GOOD CAUSE

From July 1st to August 30, 2024, employees of the Centrales de rendezvous de l'Estrie took part in the first edition of the 10 million steps challenge. The challenge's goal? To promote health, well-being and physical fitness among these valuable teams. The BMP Foundation was delighted to support this initiative by awarding a prize to the top three walkers. Congratulations to all participants, who together accomplished an incredible challenge!





CARE GARDEN: NATURE AT THE SERVICE OF OUR COMMUNITY'S WELL-BEING

To date, the BMP Foundation has invested \$8,360 in the creation of a care garden at the BMP Hospital, providing outdoor landscaping and planting for intergenerational activities. Patients, caregivers, healthcare professionals, as well as children and CPE workers, can now enjoy a natural environment close to the hospital.



PICNIC TABLE FOR THE HOME CARE TEAM

The homecare team can now enjoy the sunshine during their summer meals, while having the opportunity to socialize and strengthen bonds within the team, creating a moment of relaxation and togetherness.



Do you want to make a difference in the Brome-Missisquoi community?

There's still time to take action with your own project! In fact, the BMP Hospital Foundation has put together an Organizer's Guide designed with you in mind. You can create your own fundraising campaign in support of the BMP Hospital. The guide covers every stage of your event to help you with every aspect of your fundraising project. If you're interested in organizing a fundraising event, contact us at 450 266-5548 or visit our website at www.fondationbmp.ca.











RECHARJME: A MOMENT OF RELAXATION FOR STAFF MEMBERS

Since 2022, BMP Hospital employees have been able to enjoy a time of rest and relaxation in the Recharjme cabin. In fact, on December 9, 2024, a wellness awareness event was organized during which employees had the opportunity to either renew their experience or experience the benefits of this cabin for the first time during mini-trial sessions. Now installed in an isolated room, the machine enables employees to recharge their batteries in the workplace, by sitting in an anti-gravity chair and enjoying light therapy in complete peace and quiet. Because the well-being of hospital teams is important to us, the Foundation is proud to fund this project for a fourth consecutive year.



ICE CREAM FOR EMPLOYEES

Between June 26th and July 4th, the RLS La Pommeraie's Local Operational Coordination (LOC) and the BMP Foundation organized a round of ice cream sundaes for RLS employees, managers and doctors. With summer just around the corner, this little gesture was a way of saying THANK YOU for the work they do every day. Over 1,400 employees enjoyed an ice cream treat at the 2nd edition of this recognition event!



CANDY TO CELEBRATE HALLOWEEN

As it does every year, the Foundation handed out candy to the children of CPE le Zèbre carotté. In 2024, they marched through the BMP Hospital grounds for the first time since the pandemic. To celebrate the occasion, the Foundation also offered candy to patients of the residential care unit and the medical unit, creating a festive environment on October 31st.



BMP MINI MUSEUM

In 2023, the BMP Foundation seized the opportunity presented by this small, central space to highlight the history of the BMP Hospital, its doctors and nurses, its benefactors and all those who, like the Foundation, work to improve the accessibility and quality of healthcare in Brome-Missisquoi.In2024,two exhibitions were featured: Voices heard, showing the work of participants in the Welcome to the World project, and The BMP Auxiliaries, retracing the involvement of the men and women who, since 1917, have given their time and energy for the health of the BMP Hospital and its users.



BOUTIQUE HELLÉBORE

In August, Anne-Lise Preusser of Cowansville-based Boutique Hellébore distributed over 30 bouquets of flowers to BMP residents and patients in the Medical and Intensive Care Departments. She also took the opportunity to thank the hospital staff for all their hard work. Thank you for brightening the daily lives of patients and staff alike with this thoughtful gesture.









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MEDIA PARTNERS















The BMP Foundation would like to thank all the collaborators, sponsors and media partners who supported the nursing staff at Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital.





Hours of volunteering



Number of volunteers



Number of participants who attented the BMP Foundation events



Setting up and decorating rooms, welcoming participants, running contests, organizing and awarding auction prizes, site security, item packaging, running commissions and more!

In all, the BMP Foundation's motivated and dynamic volunteers came together to lend a hand at four events organized by the BMP Foundation, totalling 1989 hours of work. The Foundation would like to highlight the involvement of over 40 active volunteers in all these events, as well as the eight volunteers working in the BMP Hospital Auxiliary Boutique.

Looking to get involved in your community? Join the BMP Foundation volunteer team.

George Bristol Award 2024

In honour of Mr. Bristol, creator of the BMP Brunch in 1988, the BMP Foundation has presented the George Bristol Award since 2016 with the aim of promoting, developing and recognizing the exceptional and sustained commitment of men and women who are dedicated to the well-being of the BMP Foundation and BMP Hospital community.

In 2024, we were pleased to present the George Bristol Award to Nicole Arbour, volunteer manager of the BMP Boutique des Auxiliaires and member of the BMP Foundation Board of Directors.

The merger of the Boutique des Auxiliaires with the BMP Foundation was the occasion for a complete overhaul of the boutique's volunteer operations. Nicole, who has been with us since the beginning of this change, has worked hard to modernize and improve the Boutique's services. With this George Bristol Volunteer Award, the BMP Foundation wanted to formally thank her for her time and efforts. On behalf of all BMP Hospital employees and customers who benefit from the Boutique's services: thank you Nicole!

Since 1954, the BMP Hospital Auxiliaries have been donating their time and raising money, which is directly invested in acquiring equipment for the Hospital. Stocked with patient essentials such as first-aid products, beverages and books, the Boutique des Auxiliaires also offers sweet treats and gift ideas. In addition to running the day-to-day business of the Boutique, volunteers also organize fund-raising events on special occasions.



This year, we are delighted to award the George Bristol Award to Nicole Arbour.

"When I arrived in the region, I discovered the great team at the BMP Hospital Foundation. I had the opportunity to get involved in fundraising activities. What a pleasure to participate as a volunteer and to see the outcome of these fundraisers for OUR HOSPITAL."

Interested in volunteering with the BMP Foundation?

You can write to us at info@fondationbmp.ca or call 450 266-5548. During a short interview in person or over the phone, we'll ask you a few questions about your main interests so we can get to know you better and suggest activities that match your skills. We're always on the lookout for new members of our volunteer family! We look forward to meeting you!







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THE BROME-MISSISQUOI-PERKINS HOSPITAL

84 Short-term stay beds



12 Long-term stay beds

1 365 Employees at the Hospital



120 doctors, dentists, and pharmacists

65 866 Served by the BMP Hospital



22 Municipalities

Abercorn, Bedford (district), Bedford (Town), Bolton-West, Brigham, Brome, Bromont (City), Cowansville, Dunham, Farnham, East-Farnham, Frelighsburg, Lac-Brome, Notre-Dame-de-Stanbridge, Pike River, Saint-Armand, Saint-Ignace-de-Stanbridge, Sainte-Sabine, Sainte-Brigide-d'Iberville, Stanbridge East, Stanbridge Station and Sutton.







(including staff at all La Pommeraie care sites)









List of departments and care provided

- Birthing Pavilion
- Emergency room
- Intensive care unit
- Internal Medicine
- Medical imaging
- Oncology
- Operating room and outpatient surgical clinic
- Orthopedics
- Pain management clinic
- Seniors' living environments
- Short-term medical unit
- Surgery
- · And many other healthcare services!

RLS La Pommeraie

5 CHSLDs and living environments

5 CLSCS















"In March of this year, I underwent hernia surgery in the BMP Hospital Ambulatory Surgery Unit. Every step of the way, the service provided was caring, considerate, highly professional and optimistic. Many thanks to Dr. O'Sullivan, the operating room team, nurses and attendants. We're very fortunate to have access to such high-quality care so close to home. It's greatly appreciated!"
- Brian Eddington

"I'd like to thank Dr. Dion and his team for getting me back on my feet after two falls and fracturing my right hip and femur. What a wonderful addition to the orthopedic team! I hope Dr. Dion finds his place here at BMP!" - Patricia Erwing

"Great service from the team at the Birth Pavilion. I was taken care of, supported and reassured by all the staff during my delivery. Special thanks to Tessa and Audrey. David, Noémie and little Henry." - Noémie Auclair

"Always such excellent service and caring staff, appointments right on time. I love my hospital." - Diane Galipault

"My donation is mainly aimed at the Orthopedics Department, which is building up a very enviable reputation in its field. The specialists and all the orthopedic staff are extremely dedicated, and I feel it's important to support them so that a large part of our region's population can benefit." - Yvan Saint-Onge

"I would like to thank the staff who cared for my father, a cancer patient who passed away on July 3rd. The emergency room doctors, nurses and paramedics showed incredible empathy and professionalism in his final moments. I was in Quebec to look after him, and after he passed away, I was overwhelmed and didn't know how to get home. A kind receptionist assisted me in finding help, offered me a meal, coffee and even Advil. Thank you for making this difficult farewell a little easier." - Dominique Gravel

"The BMP team detected liver cancer in my wife in August 2023. The BMP hospital, Hôtel-Dieu, CHUS and our local CLSC all contributed to relieving my wife's suffering. Life is short! Thank you all." - Roger D.

"Know how to be appreciative, know how to be thankful, know how to be reassuring. My thanks go to the Orthopedics Department. I was impressed by the professionalism of Dr. Étienne Leclerc and everyone on his team. Reception, care, follow-up: everything is done to ensure that our recovery is optimal. Thank you for being there for us." - Huguette Poirier

"Thank you for the services you provide and the humanity with which you deliver them." - Anonyme









1910 - 1993

Doctors and citizens rally to buy the American House Hotel in 1910. It became the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital and was enlarged in 1952. Thanks to a fundraising campaign, the BMP Foundation was created in 1993.



1999 - 2017

To protest the closure of the Trauma Center, the public formed a human chain around the BMP Hospital.

With the 2008 - 2013 Major Campaign, the BMP Foundation helped finance the relocation of the Emergency Department and the construction of specialized outpatient clinics.

BMP FOUNDATION INVESTMENT: \$5 MILLION

With the financial support of the BMP Foundation, the Birthing Pavilion got a new look. Today, patients who have given birth enjoyed beautiful rooms in a rejuvenated décor with new furniture.

BMP FOUNDATION INVESTMENT: \$240,000



2018 - 2022

Thanks to the relocation of the Oncology Clinic, patients are treated in a modern and bright environment.

BMP FOUNDATION INVESTMENT: \$1.7 MILLION

Thanks to all the donors and volunteers of the S'Élever-Rise campaign, the BMP Foundation has helped to fund the brand-new orthopedic clinic. More spacious and accessible, it meets the growing demands for treatment in this field.

BMP FOUNDATION INVESTMENT: \$1.35 MILLION



2023 - 2025

The BMP Foundation marks its 30th anniversary with a new brand image.

A breath of modernity for the next 30 years!

In 2024, the BMP Hospital Foundation is pleased to support the Medical Imaging Department's project to modernize its facilities and medical equipment, in collaboration with the CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS. Thanks to its donors, the Foundation will invest \$2.2 million in the project.







A BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMITTED TO MAINTAINING AND IMPROVING LOCAL HEALTHCARE

Rooted in our community, through change and for the next 30 years

On December 1, 2024, Santé Québec came into effect:

Santé Québec's mission is primarily to provide health and social services through public establishments, and to coordinate and support the operations of private establishments and certain other service providers. Its role is to manage the operations and performance of the healthcare network's activities, in order to ensure user satisfaction.1

Québec 🚟 🛣 Santé Québec

We are aware that the news carried in the media and the arrival of such an entity may create a climate of uncertainty and doubt in the minds of our donors. With this message, we would like to share our position with you and reassure our community.

During the work leading up to the creation of this new healthcare organization, Quebec's hospital foundations were contacted by elected officials to comment on or clarify certain sections of the bill. We have reviewed these discussions and believe that the result of the collective work of elected officials and the collective voices of hospital foundations has proved beneficial to all in this project, the objective of which is to maintain the complete autonomy of hospital foundations.

As far as our foundation in particular is concerned, having carried out our own research among our partners, we received a satisfactory response to the effect that the autonomy of foundations such as ours would be maintained and encouraged in this bill.

From the start, our Board of Directors and the management of the BMP Foundation have taken on a monitoring role to identify legislative or operational changes that could have an impact on our organization or hospital. Although this government organization has already been in operation for several months, we intend to continue assuming this responsibility as Santé Québec evolves. This commitment also includes ensuring that the funds raised by our Foundation benefit, and will continue to benefit, our local hospital in Cowansville and its related services to the residents of the Brome-Missisquoi region. The BMP Foundation is committed to taking the necessary steps to ensure that its mission, established over 30 years ago, remains intact.

We are honoured by the continued trust of our donors and thank you for believing in our mission.

Our foundation has been rooted in its community for 30 years and will continue to be for the next 30!

¹ Santé Québec, 2025. À propos. Santé-Québec. https://sante.quebec/a-propos/

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AT THE BMP FOUNDATION



Francis Laramée Executive Director































For today's and tomorrow's generations

In addition to general donations and charitable events organized by the BMP Foundation, there are also opportunities to contribute to our mission via planned giving. Planned giving is another form of charitable contribution that you can establish with your notary, financial planner, or lawyer.

There are several reasons to make this type of donation: to make a major contribution to a cause that is important to you, upon your death, to ensure that your last wishes are respected, to let go of the cost of a financial product that you no longer need, or to allow you or your heirs to benefit from substantial tax benefits.

There are several forms of planned giving:



CONSIDER THE BMP FOUNDATION IN YOUR WILL

To give back to the next generation, or to express your appreciation for your hospital and its health-care teams, you may consider incorporating a gift to the BMP Foundation in your will. In doing so, you will be sharing profound values with your loved ones, friends and family while underscoring the importance of quality health-care treament.



LIFE INSURANCE

You may choose to name the BMP Foundation as the beneficiary of one of your life insurance policies upon your death. It is also possible to donate a life insurance policy for which you no longer wish to pay the premiums, rather than cancelling it.



PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES

By donating publicly traded securities (outside of a registered plan), you contribute to better healthcare in the Brome-Missisquoi region and receive substantial tax benefits. In addition to receiving a donation receipt for the fair market value of the donated securities, you can obtain a tax exemption on the donation from the tax payable on the capital gain.

Planning at all levels

This form of giving speaks to your desire to give now or in the future to a cause that is important to you. By consulting with your preferred professionals, you may be able to find a solution that allows you to give without necessarily spending money today.

It is important to consult with trusted specialists to ensure that your planning will have the desired results.

The triangular collaboration between you, your professionals and the BMP Foundation is the key to the success of your planned gift and the philanthropic goal you wish to achieve.















IN MEMORIAM DONATIONS AND TRIBUTE GIVING

An in memoriam donation is a gesture of love and support made in memory of a deceased loved one. It is an opportunity to express sympathy while supporting a cause that is important to the family and friends of the deceased. It is also a means to show appreciation to the healthcare teams for the medical care provided to the patient during his or her last visit to the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital. Giving to the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital Foundation is a way to pay tribute to the memory and values of a loved one. The Foundation wishes to express its deepest condolences to the bereaved families.

IN MEMORIAM DONATIONS

Alain Jean Alexander Macek Alice Nolin (née Granger)

Allan Barakett André de Lisle Andrée Martel Gince Angéline Proulx Thériault

Anne Johnston Antonin Meunier et Madeleine Leclair Audrey Kitt (nee Sherrer) Barbara Olsen Moffatt Berti Riordon (nee Kunzli)

Bruce Mackenzie Bryon Sherrer Carleton Sherrer

Christiane Fortier (née L'Hostie) Claire Daigneault Thériault

Claire Jodoin
Clément Morin
Daniel Cadieux
Daniel Rioux
Dolorès Robert
Dominique Lapointe
Donald Pinard
Donald Seaman
Douglas Smith
Dr. William J. Barakett

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Effie Margaret Côté Elizabeth Johnson Elizabeth McKeown Éric Brunelle

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Florianne Balthazar Robert Françoise Delorme-Desautels

Françoise Mallette Gaétan Dion George Horton Georges Gilmor Georges-Henri Gendron

Gérard Masse Gerry Bockus Gilbert Rhicard

Gilles Bélanger & Gisele Dufresne

Grant Greig

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Jacques Desnoyers
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Jacques Nadeau
James Hardy Craft
Janine Labrecque-Huppé
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Jean Scott

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Jeannette Morneau Jean-Paul Boyer Jean-Simon Lavoie Jill McDonald

Jocelyne Seney-Santerre

Jyceline St-Jean Laframboise

John Rhicard Larry Page Lianne Crossfield Lionel Judah Blanshay

Lise Lague Lise Laroche Marc Labrecque Marcel Lachance

Marcelle & Denyse Deslauriers

Marie Maynard

Marie-Claire Roy Daigneault Marie-Paule Leduc (née Millette)

Marie-Pier Poirier Martin Royea Jr.

Maurice and Mrs. Mary Jewett

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Michel Adam
Michel Beausoleil
Michel Dubé
Michel Gouault
Michèle Dugré-Bazin
Micheline Surprenant
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Thomas Côté

Thomas William Evans Valerie Davis Badger Victor Mahannah Vilnis Epners Yolande Gélinas Yolande Laquë Lefebvre

Yves Langlois Yvon Gaudreau

In addition, the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital Foundation would like to thank all donors who have dedicated their gifts in honour of a birthday or special event in the past year. This form of giving demonstrates a strong commitment from our population to the improvement of health care in Brome-Missisquoi.

TRIBUTE GIVING

Brenda Rogerson
Catrina Lachapelle
Clsc Larouche - Soins à domicile

Dr Charles-Antoine Dion Dre Isabelle Nicolas Dr Jacques Laplante Dr. Adrian Macek Dre Nathalie Bruneau Irene Powell Paula Fournier R.N., Bsc(n) Reginald Gauthier





REVENUE STATEMENTS AND COMMITMENTS

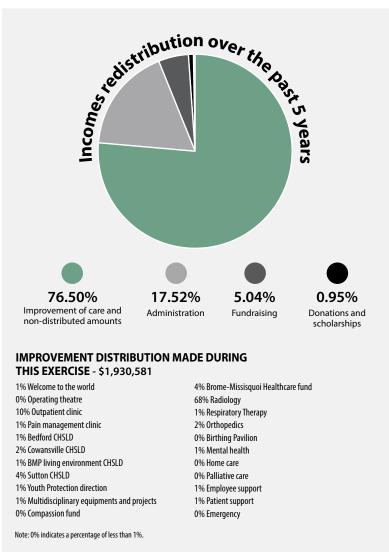
AS AT MARCH 31, 2025	2024 - 2025	POURCENTAGE
INCOMES - PRODUCTS		
Activities (net income)	\$264,807	6.94%
Donations	\$1,649,265	43.23%
Testamentary bequests	\$405,833	10.64%
Other fundraising activities	\$628,199	16.47%
Auxiliary Boutique (BMP Hospital)	\$55,295	1.45%
Net income from investments	\$811,389	21.27%
TOTAL	\$3,814,788	100%
GROSS PROFIT: OTHER FUNDRAISIN *Including expenses from gifts in kind rec		
BMP Brunch	\$23,285	4.88%
Golf Tournament - Classique BMP	\$39,885	8.35%
Auctions	- \$1,985	- 0.42%
Mailling - Spring and winter sollicitation	\$309,861	64.87%
A votre santé - Wine passport	\$233	0.05%
Walk to fight all cancers (Collaboration with YVOC)	\$65,683	13.75%
Giving Thuesday	- \$2,005	- 0.42%
Oktoberfest BMP	\$21,211	4.44%
Oncology - Patient Support Fund	\$21,473	4.50%
TOTAL	\$477,641	100%
EXPENSES	1777,071	100 /0
Salaries and employer social contributions	\$256,699	38.00%
Planned giving life insurance	\$27,701	4.10%
nsurance	\$6,416	0.95%
Telecommunications	\$5,681	0.84%
Office supplies	\$9,194	1.36%

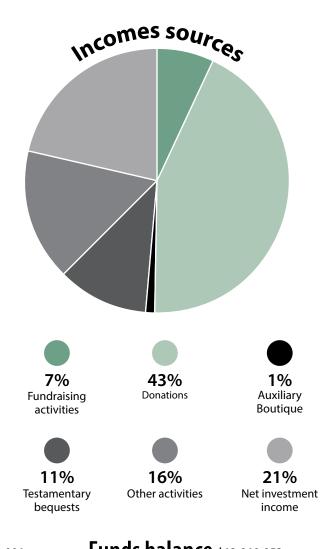
Traveling expenses Professional services	\$2,610	0.39%
	\$34,006	5.03%
Information confidentiality	\$39	0.01%
Credit card fees	\$11,196	1.66%
Meeting expenses	\$4,822	0.71%
Social media management	\$19,037	2.82%
Publicity	\$25,175	3.73%
Membership fees	\$4,132	0.61%
Training 	\$2,870	0.42%
Fundraising	\$5,140	0.76%
Other fundraising activities	\$150,558	22.29%
Oonations .	\$3,860	0.57%
Software costs	\$6,016	0.89%
Brokerage fees	\$47,107	6.97%
Scholarships	\$33,000	4.88%
Cost of sales (boutique)	\$18,178	2.69%
Amortization - Tangible fixed asset	\$2,108	0.31%
TOTAL	\$675,545	100%
Allocation expenses - CIUSSS de l'Estrie-CHUS	\$1,930,581	
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXP	PENSES	
TOTAL	\$1,208,662	

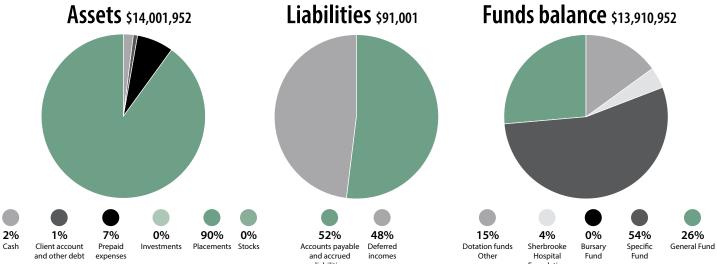


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All funds raised are exclusively invested in projects and equipment for the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital and the services provided outside its walls.



Rooted in its community since 1993.





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