



Annual Report Fiscal Year 2017-2018

Caring, Compassionate, and Committed to the Community

Mission Statement

Centre Volunteers in Medicine will serve and advocate for the medically underserved individuals living or working in Centre County.

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See us at www.cvim.net
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Donors Inspire Hope for CVIM Patients

A message from CVIM's Board Chair and Executive Director

As we begin our 17th year of caring for the uninsured, we pause for a moment to look not only at where we have been, but also where we need to go in the ever-changing healthcare landscape. Central to both our past and our future are you, our donors. Many have supported us from the very beginning; and continue to support us as we look to our future. It is because of you that we have been able to become a successful free clinic.

It is our heartfelt mission to continue to meet the health needs of the under-served in our community. We are a volunteer-based clinic. We rely on almost 200 volunteers to help us keep down the cost of the care we provide. However, it still takes money to run a free clinic. We have rent to pay, a small staff to oversee the volunteers and ensure continuity of care, equipment, supplies, and the list goes on. That is where you come in. With your continued help, and the help of our many selfless volunteers, we can continue to grow and evolve as the needs of the community change.

Your generous ongoing support of CVIM cannot be underestimated. You are the lifeline inspiring hope for our patients. Thank you for your part in helping us to care for those who fall through the cracks of our healthcare system.

Leanne Martin & Cheryl White

Battle of the Minds Attendees Making a Difference

Dr. Barry Stein has been an oral surgeon in State College for 40 years. He has supported CVIM since our inception. Dr. Stein started volunteering in the dental clinic after his retirement in the summer of 2018. His passion for our patients lead to an idea:

As a 10-year attendee of the Battle of the Minds event, Dr. Stein requested the opportunity to speak to those present at the October 2018 event. His idea was to raise enough money to purchase a wisdom tooth impact drill so we can save patients the need to be referred to a specialist and in turn save CVIM the cost of this care.

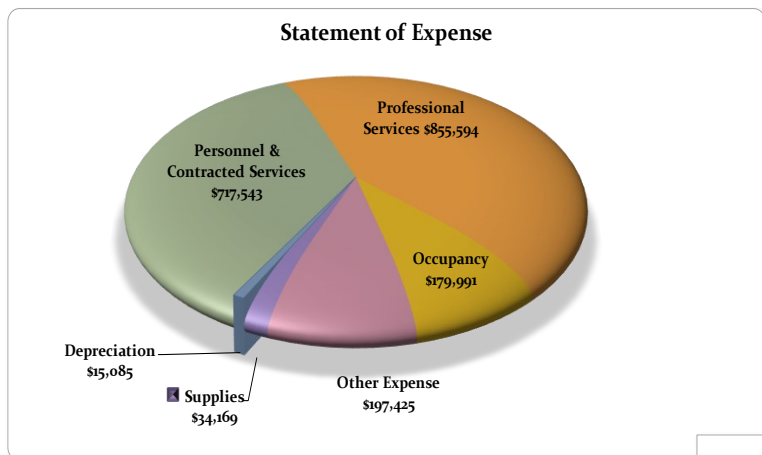
At BOTM, Dr. Stein talked about treating patients coming to the clinic in pain, with infection, and in desperate need of dental care. He told everyone how appreciative CVIM patients are for their care. "Smiles, hugs, handshakes, that's the norm...Patients are so appreciative," said Dr. Stein.

His request was met with an overwhelming response and we were able to purchase the drill!



THANK YOU ALL FOR MAKING IT POSSIBLE!!!

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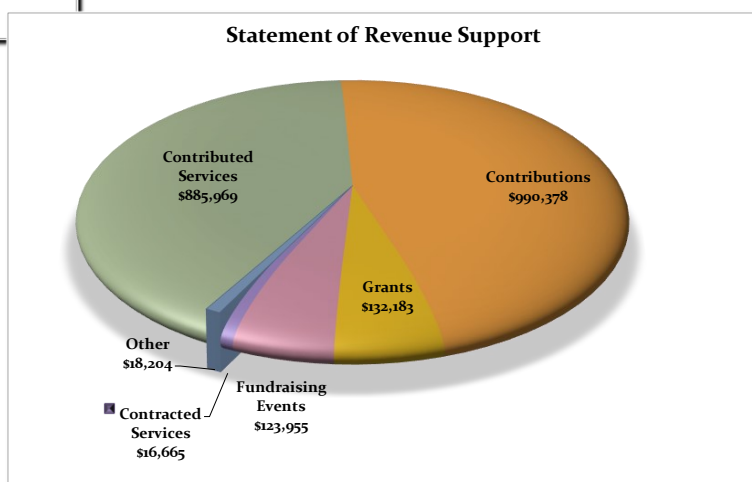


During 2017-2018 CVIM provided:

2,019 medical clinic visits
 1,979 dental clinic visits
 3,533 prescriptions
 514 case management visits
 81 patients insured
 313 lab visits
 271 pharmacy education visits
 356 eligibility visits

CVIM Volunteers donated almost 1,000 hours to include:

27 Physicians
 17 Nurses
 9 Dentists
 7 Pharmacists
 5 Social Workers
 1 Nurse Practitioner
 1 Physical Therapist



Welcome to the Team Rick Arnold

Rick Arnold joined the CVIM staff on January 14th and hit the ground running. Rick's responsibilities as the new Development Associate will be to work closely with the board of directors and executive director to expand CVIM's donor base.

Rick comes to CVIM from the baseball scouting world. He has traveled throughout the US and Latin America signing many major league players. While his passion for baseball will always be there, he has found a new passion at CVIM, helping his neighbors to get the care they deserve.

As the leadership of CVIM works



Rick lives in Spring Mills with his wife, Sally and their two yellow labs, Maggie and Lizzie.

to adjust care and services to meet the essential needs of our community, CVIM must also expand an already stretched and lean budget.

Rick is excited and ready to help grow CVIM funding.

DID YOU KNOW...

With the changes in ACA law CVIM is expanding physician schedules.



Our dental clinic continues to have a waiting list of over 1,000.

Licensed psychologists and counselors are helping to grow our behavioral health program.

The Medication Assistance Program staff and volunteers are working harder than ever to find the medicines our patients need at a free or reduced cost.

Case managers are assisting more and more of our neighbors to meet their basic needs.

More and more women are turning to CVIM's Well-Woman Health program.

Join the Faulkner Society—Help Secure CVIM's Future

The good news is that together we have become the solution for those in need of medical and dental care, caring for our uninsured neighbors for 17 years. As we celebrate those we have helped, we continue to monitor the needs of the county and plan for the future of the clinic.

Looking to the future takes vision and good planning. Planning for your future may seem daunting, but doing so can provide you with peace of mind that ensures a more secure life for you and your loved ones. The same is true for CVIM.

You can help CVIM with a legacy gift; a simple way to deepen your commitment to the future of health care for the uninsured living or working in Centre County. Whether you have just started thinking about a plan for the future or already have an estate plan, making this kind of gift is easy and flexible. With this kind of gift, you can assist in protecting CVIM's future. We are asking you to consider designating CVIM in your will, retirement fund, life insurance policy, brokerage account or certificate of deposit.

CVIM remains one of the constants in our ever changing health care environment. Help CVIM's future by becoming a member of the Faulkner Society. If you have any questions or would like to join the Faulkner Society contact Cheryl White at 814-231-4043 or cwhite@cvim.net.

A Patient Thank You

Dear CVIM Angel-Folk,

(I bet you've never been called exactly that before :-))

I'm a grateful past CVIM client, and just want to THANK YOU ALL for your good work and ongoing respectful support of me and so many others in our county. Due to a pretty expensive emergency hospital stay (over 20K) a few years ago, I'm on Medical Assistance now and getting good care...and luckily I am in fair health. However, lately I'm unemployed but continue to hope and wish that I had funds available to help fill your worthy coffers.

When I am properly employed again, CVIM will be on my Christmas gift list, whether it's December or not! Namaste

Thank you for making a difference. (NOTE: You may also donate on-line at www.cvim.net.)

Enclosed is my gift of \$500 \$250 \$100 \$50 \$25 Other _____

Name _____

Address _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please charge my VISA M/C or Check enclosed (payable to CVIM)

Credit card number _____ Exp Date _____

Signature (required) _____ Security Code _____

Donations can be mailed to: CVIM, 2520 Green Tech Drive, Suite D, State College, PA 16803

I do not need a thank-you letter from CVIM.



Centre Volunteers

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2520 Green Tech Drive
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Name

Street Address

City, State Zip

2019 Save the Dates

- PA Builders Association’s CornHole Classic—April 27th
- Richard M. Madore Dental Clinic Campaign—Spring 2019
- Marathoners for Medicine Campaign Spring 2019
- Cycling for Care—June 22nd
- Battle of the Minds—October 16th
- The Nittany Valley Half-Marathon—December 1st

So many ways to put the “FUN” in fundraising for CVIM!



Becky, CVIM’s Operations Coordinator crossing the finish line at the 35th Nittany Valley Half-Marathon

The Nittany Valley Half-Marathon raised over \$25,000 to support CVIM and the patients we serve. The 2018 race was opened to walkers this year and over 721 runners and walkers came out on a rainy Sunday morning and completed the challenging course.

Thank you to the committee, volunteers, and participants for a great event!

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