

AMC Cancer Fund Financial Report

FISCAL YEAR ENDING 6/30/11

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	2011 Totals
Revenues				
Contributions	793,267	94,932		888,199
Special Events	452,265	-		452,265
Less: Direct Benefit Costs	(100,372)	-		(100,372)
Net Revenue from Special Events	351,893	-	-	351,893
Program Grants	-			-
Change in Valuation of Trusts	-	17,040	294,191	311,231
Interest and Other Income	27,587	120		27,707
Other	-	-	-	-
Total Revenue, Gains & Other Support	1,172,747	112,092	294,191	1,579,030
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	312,786	(312,786)	-	-
Total Revenue, Gains & Other Support & Net Assets Released from Restrictions	1,485,533	(200,694)	294,191	1,579,030
Expenses				
Contributions to the CU Cancer Center	1,116,820			1,116,820
Program Support	395,911			395,911
Total Program Expenses	1,512,732			1,512,732
Fundraising	249,665			249,665
Administrative and General	218,587			218,578
Total Expenses	1,980,983	-	-	1,980,983
Changes in Net Assets	(495,450)	(200,694)	294,191	(401,953)
Gain on Sale of Assets	-	-	-	-
Changes in Net Assets	(495,450)	(200,694)	294,191	(401,853)
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	1,858,095	737,744	2,600,396	5,196,235
Net Assets, End of Year	1,362,645	537,050	2,894,587	4,794,282

2010/2011 Supporting Partners and Fundraisers

\$50,000 and above

Anonymous
The Colorado Health Foundation
Community Health Charities Texas
The Gary Zollinger Family

\$5,000 to \$9,999

ACE Cash Express
Applied Food Sciences, Inc.
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Stacy Carpenter & Justin Prochnow

\$20,000 to \$49,999

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Community Health Charities Connecticut
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Community Health Charities Massachusetts
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Community Health Charities Maryland
Community Health Charities Minnesota
Community Health Charities North Carolina
Community Health Charities New Jersey
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Community Health Charities South Carolina
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The Impact of the CU Cancer Center

Megan Walbridge was too busy chasing after her 15-month-old toddler to give much thought to the lump under her arm. A quick call to her general practitioner to set up an appointment, then she was quickly back to teaching Samuel baby sign language, helping him negotiate stairs, playing hide-and-go-seek and splashing in the sprinklers.

At 33, Walbridge was diagnosed with Stage 3 inflammatory breast cancer. As if the diagnosis were not shocking enough, Walbridge soon learned that the greatest joy in her life—becoming a mother—had actually increased her chances of getting the disease.

On the day Megan Walbridge was diagnosed, her surgeon, Rebecca Wiebe, MD, of Exempla Lutheran Medical Center, referred her to the Young Women's Breast Cancer Translational (YWBCT) program at the CU Cancer Center. Walbridge was seen the following day and started chemotherapy the next morning. Megan underwent six rounds of chemotherapy treatment over the following 18 weeks. Her last round of chemotherapy was on December 2, 2010, and she had a bilateral mastectomy on December 30th. Six weeks of daily radiation followed.

Founded in 2005 by Dr. Pepper Schedin & Dr. Virginia Borges, the YWBCT program specializes in the diagnosis, treatment and research of breast cancer in women under the age of 40, with an

emphasis in pregnancy-associated breast cancer.

The program provides comprehensive breast cancer treatment and survival support to more than 100 women each year. Services include imaging, minimally invasive diagnostic techniques, surgery, chemotherapy and radiation therapy. It also features a nurse navigator who helps patients manage consultations and treatments.

The YWBCT program offers an extensive array of clinical trials to patients at all stages of diagnosis and treatment, including the latest therapies for pregnant women to optimize the mother's outcome without endangering the developing baby.

"I feel very driven to tell my story because young women are not educated about this. We were in battle mode for seven months, just trying to survive and raise our son. Now it feels a little strange, kind of surreal to have it over."

- Megan Walbridge

* Megan Walbridge and family pictured. Photo credit: Glenn Asakawa



Scientific Updates

Other cancer centers may call themselves comprehensive—anyone can—but the University of Colorado Cancer Center is the only comprehensive center in the Rocky Mountain region designated by the National Cancer Institute. One of the important measures of being truly comprehensive is the level of collaboration that takes place between scientists in the labs and clinicians working directly with cancer patients.

Translational Research:

Nowhere is collaboration more notable than in the translation of scientific findings from the bench to the bedside. Making discoveries in the lab that eventually help the clinicians more effectively treat patients with cancer has evolved from a linear process to an iterative, rational process of approaching a problem - taking ideas from the lab to the clinic and back. Historically, cancer biologists were less engaged in translating their work to clinical applications. Today personalized targeted therapies and rational combinations of drugs are on their way to becoming first-line treatment, standing firmly on the bedrock of cancer biology discoveries. Cancer biologists now have a tangible, immediate clinical application for their work.

The goal of CU Cancer Center's Developmental Therapeutics Program is to discover new agents, test them in preclinical models, bring them to patients through Phase I Clinical Trials and, eventually, to the greater population. This model allows doctors and researchers to watch for patients who respond to new therapies and, rather than give that therapy to all patients, figure out what is special about that individual patient's tumor to cause it to respond. That may mean taking something noticed in the clinic back to the lab for further study, such as in the case of lung cancer with the ALK translocation. Dr. Ross Camidge, a Cancer Center member, noticed a tiny subset of patients had tumors melt away when they took a new drug. He worked in collaboration with other Cancer Center doctors and discovered that these lung cancer patients had a rare molecular anomaly that the drug worked against.

Translational research extends beyond the Cancer Center's walls. Dr. Gail Eckhardt, a specialist in GI cancers, had a drug in the lab and in the clinic that was known to inhibit a particular gene. In the past, Dr. Eckhardt might have worked with the drug on her own for most of her career. Instead she collaborated with other scientists and together found a biomarker to discover which patients were going to get the most benefit from the drug.

The culture of collaboration created by Cancer Center director Dr. Dan Theodorescu ensures that the members and consortium partners embrace translational research. The impact of the innovative research and treatment taking place at the CU Cancer Center is being felt nationwide and, in turn, its reputation as a leader in the field continues to grow.

Letter from the Chairman of the Board, Gary Kortz and the Executive Director, Alice Norton

As AMC staff, volunteers and supporters interact with the doctors, scientists and faculty of the CU Cancer Center, we hear often of the importance of collaboration in the advancement of cancer research. As a fundraising partner of the Cancer Center, we embrace this culture and look for ways to implement collaboration in our own efforts to fundraise and create awareness about the Cancer Center.

Philanthropy is incredibly important to the Cancer Center and the work being done there. AMC provides nearly \$2 million a year from workplace giving, strategic corporate and foundation partnerships, individual donors and special events. This support allows the Cancer Center to buy state-of-the art equipment, hire research staff and convert interesting research ideas into million-dollar federally sponsored grants.



AMC Cancer Fund's only mission is to support the CU Cancer Center programs, projects and people. We collaborate with other organizations and volunteers such as CancerCure and June's Fund - two groups of dedicated volunteers who, with AMC's support, generate funds for specific areas of cancer research. In addition, we are proud of our partnership with the CU Foundation as we work together to create a robust and diversified fundraising program that will continue to provide the important philanthropic base that is critical to the Cancer Center's success.

Our most important partners are the donors listed in this Annual Report. We thank these individuals, companies and organizations for their continued support in helping AMC achieve our mission and hope that together, one day, we will accomplish our vision of a "world without cancer."

Annual Calendar of Events and Campaigns

Visit our website at www.amc.org or call 303-239-3335 for more information about these and other fun ways to support AMC Cancer Fund!

Women's Event

March
The Women's Event, an evening of cocktails and hors d'oeuvres celebrating women, supports the continued research on women's cancers at the CU Cancer Center.

Be the Answer to Cancer...

One Shot at a Time

Spring through Fall
Reward yourself for every great shot by making a contribution to AMC Cancer Fund during the golf season! Whether you make a bogey or your best shot ever, track your shots and reward yourself by making a contribution at amc.donorpages.com/answer.

The Gift of Life and Breath

5k Run/Walk

May
Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States but is surprisingly underfunded and rarely detected in its early stages. This event was created by Gary and Thelissa Zollinger to support the critical research needed for early detection of lung cancer.

Dinner in White

August
Proved to be the next "major event on Denver's social scene" the Dinner in White, organized by a committee of young professionals, offers a unique experience for attendees who dress all in white, pack picnic dinners and then eagerly await the announcement of the secret outdoor venue before dancing the night away.

Men's Event

November
Join leading members of Denver's business community at Morton's Steakhouse LoDo to support prostate cancer research and treatment.



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Women's Event
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At AMC Cancer Fund, we celebrate survival while working toward a world without cancer. The impact of our efforts is immediate and direct. All funds raised are kept in our community to benefit research and treatment at the University of Colorado Cancer Center



Creating Hope Through Science

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