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On the cover: The Mexican Family is one of many who have come to count on the expert care they receive at Overlook and who feel grateful to the hospital in time, talent and support for generations. Continuing the tradition established by Fuad and Arleen Alvin are their children and spouses, Lauren and Alex Alvin, and Beth and Dave Alvin. Other Mexican Family generation members: Grace, Kim, and Kathy. (front row) Regan, Kim, Breene, Kristy, (back row) Steve, Dave, Jeff, Dave and Bobby – and their families, just as generations of families have cared for Overlook’s legacy of caring.

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Dear Friends of Overlook:

Since 1906 Overlook has cared for the health and well-being of generations of families in our community. Many of those families, in turn, cared for Overlook by volunteering and by supporting our annual appeal and capital campaigns. You and your family are part of this legacy of caring, and the 2010 Annual Report – Expert Care … for Generations – is a tribute to your philanthropy.

Thanks to you and others using multipliers, our overnight, outreach, foundation, and community funds to help fuel the fire of hope during the year that ended 4/30/10, including the 2010–11 community capital campaign, Overlook achieved its goal of raising $3.05 million in the New Century of Healing Campaign, which now begins in our centennial year 2011.

There are many people to thank in helping us to such a milestone, most notably our campaign chair and former Foundation Chairman David Hartman; our honorary campaign chair, former North Jersey Governor Thomas Kean; and Atlantic Health, which matched campaign gifts. With several significant projects remaining to be funded, the Foundation needs of investors to extend the campaign.

Among numerous events held throughout the year, the 20th Annual Overlook Hospital Foundation’s Golf Tournament, sponsored in by Bank of America Merrill Lynch, raised more than $250,000 for our Neuroscience Institute’s Adult Epilepsy Center at Overlook. In the fall, the 5th Overlook squeezed another stellar evening in the New Jersey Performing Arts Center for the Times of Year: Life 2010 gala. That event raised nearly $400,000 for the Thomas G. Caughman Center at Overlook.

In 2010 we solicited our new members to serve during their time on our board of trustees: Christopher H. Bissell, Dr. Linda Chorpening, Timothy F. Deak, and James A. Robinson, of Summit; Ray Newman, M.D., of Montclair; Salvatore F. Caruana of Westfield; Jack J. Halse, of Millburn; Michael A. Tannenbaum, Esq., of Basking Ridge; and George Whitman, P.E., of Times River. We are grateful that they have committed time and talent to our fundraising efforts.

Last year, in its 100th year, we received financial support from over 1,000 donors. In this report, you’ll find an appreciation page just for you by how best you plan to read more about the availability of cutting edge health care in your backyard.

Thanks to you, our family is here for you and many others for generations.

With sincere appreciation for your support,

[Signature]
Chairman
[Institution Name]

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a message from the overlook hospital foundation
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a message from overlook hospital

Dear Friends,

One of the secrets of a strong, successful organization is having a relationship that is established with multiple generations of families. Over the years, people have passed on, and their children have experienced healthcare at Overlook.

What keeps families in the Overlook family? Quality care, outstanding service, a compassionate and committed staff, steady continued growth and a healing culture that permeates every patient’s and employee’s experience are just some of the reasons.

Creating a climate of care that is second to none requires extraordinary standards, not following them. It is a pillar of the mission that President Alan Lieber, Overlook's outgoing president, highlighted in his annual report: “We will thrive by continually improving upon what we already do exceptionally well – caring for generations of families through a collaborative approach that touches the mind, body and spirit.”

Leading edge imaging devices such as the 320-slice CT scanner, the first in the tri-state area, and technologies such as the CyberKnife, which treats inoperable brain tumors, and the da Vinci surgical system, which has revolutionized minimally invasive surgery, are also playing a role in Overlook’s efforts to diagnose, treat and cure illness. Patients have access to new medical trials, state-of-the-art cardiac, stroke and cancer care, many types of chronic disease diagnosis, care and management at Overlook.

In 2010, the following medical centers were selected from among 1,880 North American hospitals for their overall performance and quality of care:

- The hospital was named among the top 15 centers in the nation for the treatment of breast, prostate, and pediatric cancers, as well as hip and knee replacement and congestive heart failure.
- Overlook received the 2010 HealthGrades Stroke Care Excellence Award, ranking us among the top 10 percent of hospitals nationally for stroke care.
- The hospital has revolutionized minimally invasive surgery, putting Overlook at the forefront for diagnosing and treating a host of diseases.
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With mortality rates at an all-time low and employee and patient satisfaction at an all-time high, it’s no wonder that Atlantic Health (Overlook’s parent) was selected by Fortune for the third year in a row as one of the 100 Best Companies to Work for in America, ranking us among the top 10 percent of companies in the nation for employee satisfaction.

Thank you for your continued commitment to healthcare and healing excellence.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

President

The Pediatric Subspecialty Suite in Overlook’s MAC II building welcomes children of all ages to its warm and inviting waiting room, complete with bright colors, interactive games and views of New York City.

We will thrive by continually improving upon what we already do exceptionally well - caring for generations of families through a collaborative approach that touches the mind, body and spirit.
They love our little boy and we wouldn’t pick any other people in the world to care for him.

Children are not “little adults” but require treatment tailored to their specific needs. Despite a nationwide shortage of pediatric subspecialists, Overlook offers 31 first-rate physicians in 11 pediatric subspecialties, in one central location.
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**Finnian Keane**

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To many people, Finnian Keane appears to be a happy, healthy young boy. But the story behind him is one of courage, determination, and the power of sport and exercise to heal.

Finnian’s journey began at birth when, on June 9, 2008, his parents, Don and April, were asked to brace themselves for the worst. Finnian was born with congenital heart disease, a condition that affects one in 1,000 world-wide. People with WPW (Wolf–Parkinson–White Syndrome) have an accessory pathway allowing two or three people per 1,000 worldwide.

In just two-and-a-half weeks, Finnian was diagnosed with Wolff–Parkinson–White Syndrome (WPW), a congenital condition affecting one in 1,000 people in the world.

People with WPW are born with an extra and unnecessary pathway between the atrium and the ventricle, making Dr. Timchak’s diagnosis of Finnian’s condition very rare. Patients with WPW are known to develop arrhythmia and sudden death.

Dr. Timchak was able to correct Finnian’s heart disorder with medication, but his health problems were far from over. As he grew older, he was diagnosed with asthma, pneumonia, and swine flu, and continues to see him several times a year.

Finnian, now 18, loves our school and the community. He is a member of the football team, which he has been a part of since he was six months old. Through his hard work, Finnian’s physical and mental skills have improved, and he has become an inspiration to others.

Finnian’s story is a testament to the power of exercise and sport to heal and improve the lives of children with disabilities. His parents, Don and April, have been instrumental in advocating for Finnian’s health and well-being, and continue to be a source of inspiration to others.
Our new Pediatric Subspecialty Suite brings top-flight pediatric subspecialists to one location, elevating our standard of care, comfort and communication for pediatricians and families. It is designed to inspire a new atmosphere of health, hope and healing for our patients; minimize appointment wait times and utilize a family-centered care approach, which means parents are actually part of the team.

Walter R. Kennell, M.D., FAAP
Chairman of Pediatrics

Special Thanks to Our Supporters

The Walt and Mary Bower Pediatric Unit and a subspecialty unit on the second floor of Children’s Center at Overlook Hospital were made possible through the philanthropy of the Walt and Mary Bower family. The Juvenilis Foundation’s 2008 Passion to Lead Gala benefited the Eating Disorders Program at the Goryeb Children’s Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders, and the Rahway Valley YMCA. The V alerie Fund Children’s Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders was held at the Overlook Medical Center Foundation’s 2008 Passion to Lead Gala. The Eating Disorders Program at the Goryeb Children’s Center at Overlook Hospital.

The facts about our children’s health

• 1 in 20 possess all of children congenital heart disease. The prevalence of congenital heart disease is the proportion of children who are born with some form of congenital heart disease. In the U.S., some 300,000 people are born each year with some form of congenital heart disease.

• 20 percent of children have one or more visits to the hospital. Children are more likely to be hospitalized than adults.

• 11 to 14 percent of all children have a chronic condition.

The Goryeb Children’s Center at Overlook Hospital reports spectacular and positive initial response to the facility.

The Heart of the Matter

The Goryeb Children’s Center at Overlook Hospital offers expert care and pediatric subspecialty program to children affected by illness and family-centered environment, fostering:

• The School and Alice Bass Pediatric Unit

• A Healthcare Program for newborns and medically underserved populations (page 12)

• New Jersey’s only full-service hospital-based eating disorders program including outpatient and inpatient services.

• The Valerie Fund Children’s Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders

• Pediatric Surgery with reports on teen survival, children and adolescents with the most complex surgical problems.

• A new Pediatric Subspecialty Suite in the second floor of Medical Arts Center 10 where 1,400 patients are treated each year. Subspecialties include cardiology, gastroenterology, dermatology, neurology, nephrology, pulmonology, oncology, endocrinology, orthopedics, child development, arthritis, endocrinology, and eating disorders program. Also offered here are pediatrics, endocrinology, pain medicine, rheumatology, social work, child psychology, pediatric genetics, and social work.

• The American Heart Association is the nation’s largest voluntary health agency dedicated to fighting heart disease and stroke. Their mission is to promote the health of all of the people we serve by leading a national movement toward better health through the prevention and treatment of heart disease and stroke.

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While the average age for onset of Parkinson’s disease is early 60s, younger people are not immune to a diagnosis of this disorder. The Movement Disorders Program at Overlook cares for some 300 patients, most of them with Parkinson’s disease.
You can't substitute compassionate care for medication in any way. It's the only hospital I know of in New Jersey that has a specialized team for Huntington's and Tourette's Syndrome. For several years, Jeff traveled to a hospital in New York City and waited for the specialists to contact the Movement Disorders Program at Overlook Hospital in New Jersey. That was really tough.

Springfield resident. "I also had to move from my permanent disability leave, " says the 49-year-old mortgage banker. "I consulted multiple doctors in New Jersey, and they then referred me to my primary care doctor who was able to permanently leave my job as a mortgage banker in 2000 and go on disability leave."

Jeff says his family has been involved with movement disorders therapy for generations. His father was diagnosed with Huntington's disease, and his mother was diagnosed with Tourette's Syndrome. His father passed away at the age of 48, and his sister was diagnosed with Tourette's Syndrome at the age of 16. Jeff says his family has been working with movement disorders therapy for decades, and he has seen firsthand how effective it can be. He says his family has been working with movement disorders therapy for generations, and he has seen firsthand how effective it can be.

"I was invited to work with movement disorders therapy for several years, and I continue to work with movement disorders therapy for my family and others in the community," says Jeff. "I continue to work with movement disorders therapy for my family and others in the community."
the facts

Movement disorders are conditions of the brain, specifically the basal ganglia, that affect the body’s ability to control movement, posture and balance.

While movement disorders are treatable, or there is some degree of treatment, follow-up care and education. It also ensures access to clinical trials for Parkinson’s disease, brain imaging (MRI, PET, CT), diagnosis and disease education, and relief of pain.

A multidisciplinary care team works with patients, families and other medical problems is that they are caused by genetics (Huntington’s Disease and Alzheimer’s disease), developmental disorders (cerebral palsy), injury (spinal cord injury), and infection (encephalitis).

There are more than 100 movement disorders, some of which are caused by genetics (Huntington’s Disease and Alzheimer’s disease), developmental disorders (cerebral palsy), injury (spinal cord injury), and infection (encephalitis). For a referral to a specialist, visit www.atlantichealth.org. For more information about the Movement Disorders team: Roye Evans, R.N. and Sandra Wrigley, R.N.

Some may cause excessive spontaneous movement, such as parkinsonism, restless leg syndrome, Alzheimer’s and other neurodegenerative diseases (AIDS), and brain tumors. Some diseases, such as Parkinson’s, are caused by genetics. These disorders (stroke and vascular dementia), trauma (spinal cord injury), and infection (encephalitis) result in muscle weakness and atrophy, as well as tremors or in any movement, which may result in reduced ability to manage everyday activities.

It’s important to understand that like all hospital patients, some may have a wait when it comes to an appointment, and the staff can’t always control the pace of their work and time available. “I’ve seen exceptional doctors who simply follow the script, but I’ve seen others who are very intuitive and see what is going on. The key is to have a device for tracking. It’s been tremendously supportive,” observes Jeff. “I’ve been dealing with a degenerative condition for more than 10 years, and there is no cure for this condition.”

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What we enjoy most is just popping over, like we’ve always done, to catch
up on what’s new, which inevitably results in a good laugh or two.
- Carol Do, Daughter

Among people over 65, 18 percent have at least one chronic health condition, with 79 percent of those over 85. Our geriatric nurse practitioners make more than 950 home visits each year to manage their patients’ primary care.
Julia and her retired couple, Walter and Julia Jennings were aging gracefully. After 65 years of marriage, they have enjoyed and now are faced with the reality that Julia must eventually move to a large house to be a “nursing home.” They required nursing care, and soon all, lost independence. But, generally, they kept optimistic towards change.

Julia, 83! Sisters have memory lapses, which allowed her to forget her past. They decided to move soon, but Julia was resistant, “W e discussed the possibility of an assisted living facility in our closest area. Though it was a new area, we thought we would be happy there.”

His confidence waned, however, after Julia had a few falls. His mother, Carol, Carol and Colleen, were concerned. They visited their parents every two or three days. It was heartening to see their morning routine in a pleasant and unobstructed manner.

“We discussed the possibility of an assisted living facility with W alter and Dad last March,” says Carol, a registered nurse manager at Overlook. “We see this as an opportunity to get closer and to help with some of the daily tasks.”

Melinda Etchison, president of the New Jersey Chapter of the American Association of Long-Term Care for Older Adults.

“As an increasing number of Americans reach age 65 and over, we have a responsibility to help them lead independent, active, healthy lives. Our objective is to help families make informed caregiving decisions and provide access to a full spectrum of medical, psychological, and social services.”

For more information about Senior Services at Overlook, please call 908-598-7950 or visit 908-598-7178.
Community Support Boosts Delirium Project

Three goals: a grant is a catalyst for project focusing on preventing delirium during hospitalization and improving delirium when a patient leaves. Delirium is often caused by a change in environment or medication. Although temporary, it can affect a patient's recovery and long-term quality of life. The pilot program was conducted at 30 UKEI locations.

Thanks to grants from Baranoff totaling more than $100,000, more than 20 additional sites are being trained to recognize and manage the complications of delirium at all levels of care, whether in an acute or long-term care setting. A $4,000 grant from the McKnight's Foundation for Geriatric Health Improvement funds the first phase of a project to train nurses on the floor. The Delirium Foundation funds the project of 12 UKEI sites, the first to establish a delirium-specific care plan for a patient with progressive symptoms. The new unit, called a delirium unit, uses different medications, providing much-needed care to those in need.

Volunteers are also playing a role. Each summer, from June to August, 12 to 18 college students participate in an internship program in which they are trained to corner with geriatric patients several times a week.

the facts about aging

• The number of people over age 65 will nearly double between 2000 to 2050.
• By 2030 one in roughly the same population as Florida today.
• Thanks to increasing longevity, there were about six million more than two years ago.
• Of those 10 percent of older adults suffer from depression.
• Residence dementia, the most common type of dementia, Alzheimer's disease, first strikes the hippocampus, the part of the brain that is responsible for learning and memory processes. Typically, long-term memory and certain kinds of long-term skills, like reading, medications, therapy and proper care can help sustain a new case of Alzheimer's disease occurs a new case of Alzheimer's will occur every 35 seconds.

Senior Services at Overlook

• Overlook's Healthy Aging Program helps seniors and their families learn to identify and prevent health issues, to understand the health services they need to stay healthy and maintain their lives.
• Care Management assists seniors who need help with daily activities, including housekeeping, laundry, shopping, medications, transportation, and more.
• The Palliative Care Program manages the pain and care of patients suffering from serious illness and physical and emotional problems.
• Hospice Care addresses the specific difficulties of patients at the end of life.
• The Memory and Cognitive Disorders Program provides comprehensive evaluation and care for patients with age-related cognitive impairment and dementia.
• The Cognitive Research Center of New Jersey offers patients and their families the opportunity to participate in clinical trials with age-related disorders.

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It is 8:10 a.m. on a Wednesday, the beginning of a typical day in the gynecologic oncology unit at Overlook Medical Center. Colon cancer surgeon, Dr. Kevin Slomovitz, is on the third-floor surgical suite, performing his 14th hysterectomy of the day. A Da Vinci surgical system, named after the artist Leonardo da Vinci, was invented the first robot and also named “da Vinci” in part because the artist Leonardo da Vinci also invented the first robot. Did you know? Dr. Slomovitz is gazing intently through an eyepiece at a 3-D, motion-activated monitor, an endoscopic camera with two lenses that gives the tool in facilitating minimally invasive surgery in all specialties such as gynecology, urology, oncology and cardiology.

On this particular morning, Dr. Slomovitz will perform a complete hysterectomy and bilateral oophorectomy for endometrial cancer. The patient is a 60-year-old woman with a long history of breast cancer. Her oncologist ordered the patient an MRI of the pelvis, which revealed a bulk lesion. Dr. Slomovitz, whose specialty is oncology, is a veteran gynecologic oncologist.

There is a small team of nurses that help doctors, such as surgeons, oncologists or electro-surgeons. The team ensures that the surgeon’s full investiture, the surgeon’s skill, and the da Vinci’s precision work to achieve the best results.

“The hands control the robotic arms to make incisions and maneuver the surgical instruments, while my feet control the pedals that adjust the robot’s position and operate the camera.”

To the casual observer, Dr. Slomovitz may appear to be sitting at the end of a console, operating a computer mouse. He is in fact sitting at a workstation, hovering over the patient’s abdomen and managing the da Vinci robotic arms. Dr. Slomovitz is using da Vinci to perform an endoscopic hysterectomy.

“It would make da Vinci himself, very proud!”

Dr. Slomovitz is performing robotic hysterectomies and prostatectomies for patients this leading edge surgical capability right here in New Jersey. OB/GYN residents at Overlook Medical Center are the next generation of skilled surgeons. OB/GYN residents at Overlook and other programs in the state, are gaining the hands-on experience they do not receive under the supervision of skilled surgeons like Dr. Slomovitz and Slusarczyk.

“We are performing more robotic gynecologic surgeries than any other program in the state, “Dr. Slomovitz said. “This is an amazing, valuable teaching tool for the next generation of skilled surgeons.”

For a referral to da Vinci, call 973-971-5900.

For a referral to a gynecologic surgeon, call 866-763-5306.

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The center gives greater support to those individuals in the age of four and a half to 30 years of age who require additional services and assistance. A self-help resource is available to students through the Active Mind program. The center is in demand regionally as an educational and informational resource for schools, hospitals, physicians, sports programs and athletic trainers.

The Atlantic Neuroscience Institute’s Concussion Center at Overlook treated more than 600 children, 95 percent of them athletes, from as far away as Connecticut and New Jersey. They have also helped medical centers as far away as Texas and California.

As a certified ImPACT™ testing site, the center ranks 13th nationally in concussion management, “comments Joseph Rempson, M.D., co-medical director with Jack Knightly, M.D., of the Atlantic Neuroscience Institute’s Concussion Center at Overlook and clinical director of the ImPACT™ Product Development Program.”

Established in 1997 as a response to a nationwide shortage of professionals for sports concussion management, the Professional Development Program was established to bring brightness and hope to the future of our profession. Training and support all other health professionals in the application of the program to a patient population of age 10 to 40 years of age at the center for the performance of a single or multiple time point protocols at Overlook for a period of time prior to graduation.

“The recertification process began in December 1997,” Dr. Rempson says, “students must complete a recertification protocol involving their children or a child they care for. A self-help resource is available to students through the Active Mind program. The center is in demand regionally as an educational and informational resource for schools, hospitals, physicians, sports programs and athletic trainers.

“We were the time and effort into getting patients fully healed and back to their former self,” adds Dr. Rempson. “With better methods to treat their injuries and a stronger support system, they are coming back stronger and more quickly than ever.”

“For more information about the Atlantic Neuroscience Institute’s Concussion Center at Overlook Hospital, call 908-522-2343,” adds Dr. Rempson.

The Concussion Care Center at Overlook Hospital is home to the Concussion Management Program, which is designed to help both athletes and non-athletes who have sustained a concussion. The program includes a comprehensive evaluation of cognitive function and physical fitness, followed by a personalized treatment plan that includes physical therapy, occupational therapy, and other services as needed. The program is designed to help patients return to their normal activities as quickly and safely as possible.

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For patients whose hope is positive, the navigators provide motivation. Patients receive a letter, containing thanks from Jasmin’s counterparts at Overlook’s Breast Care Center. Sarah Mandel, R.N., LSW, CBPN-C, explains that patients have access to a wealth of resources while they’re in a cancer treatment environment. Drawing upon her background as a registered nurse, mental health professional, and a nationally certified breast patient navigator, Sarah emphasizes mental health and emotional support. “It is an enormous privilege to see the transformation that patients can make in their own lives. When a patient navigates through the treatment of breast cancer, the navigation process continues. Patients receive a continuum of care. Our team approach ensures that the patient’s treatment of cancer, both agree that the navigation process is as rewarding for them as it is for their patients.”

Although Jasmin and Sarah meet patients at different points in their illness, they often need guidance. “I connect patients to dieticians and exercise resources patients need in each phase of their care. Sarah coordinates medical testing and treatment. Drawing upon her background as a licensed social worker, and she often needs guidance. "I facilitate the printing of images for the referring physician’s office and back to the patient. Jasmin explains the results to the patient, " explains Jasmin.

"When a radiologist is recommending a biopsy, I explain to the patient what it means and what to expect every time she sits next to a mammogram reveals something suspicious and the diagnosis is breast cancer, it’s one of every woman’s worst fears. A routine image-guided procedure. I give patients as much information as possible to feel comfortable and not confused about their health." -- Sarah Mandel, R.N., LSW, CBPN-C

For more information about complimentary breast cancer services at Overlook’s Breast Care Center, contact Sarah Mandel at 908-522-6129 or Jasmin Torres at 908-923-2722.

expert care for generations

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Meri and Sol Barer Pediatric Unit Dedicated

To honor the generations of families who have contributed to Overlook’s success, the Meri and Sol Barer Pediatric Unit at Overlook Hospital was dedicated on Thursday, May 19. The family, whose philanthropy has been instrumental in expanding and improving patient care at Overlook for many years, has chosen to establish the Meri and Sol Barer Pediatric Unit in honor of their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, whose lives have been enriched by care at Overlook. The dedication also recognizes the contributions of the Overlook Foundation’s current chairman, Fred Bauer Fedor, of Summit, who will receive the Community Service Award at the Foundation’s Eighth Annual Chairman’s Dinner in May.

The Bauer Family, the Community Service Award honoree, was recognized for its philanthropic support of Overlook since 1956 through the Robert J. Bauer Family Foundation and as the George W. Bauer Family Foundation – Overlook’s Neurointerventional Radiology Suite, Wound Care Center and Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy Program; all in the Bauer family’s namesake, which long-ago family patriarch George W. Bauer and continued today through George’s sons, Robert and Robert Jr., Virginia and Stuart, and George’s daughter, Dorothy Bauer Fedor, of Summit.

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Isn’t It Iconic?

Think of Audrey Hepburn and Elvis, movie stars and bill batters, the game that the nation loves, the Rolling Stones and The Beatles. These iconic images and names evoke the time period to which people are most closely attached, and for good reason: they provided a soundtrack to life in Kentucky.

The Overlook Hospital Foundation 2010 Passion to Lead Gala – The Time of Your Life – was September 25 at the New Jersey Performing Arts Center.

Arriving to the sounds of the ‘50s, ‘60s and ‘70s performed by Jeff Scott from Distinctive Celebrations of Maplewood, a show-stopping entrance transformed the Garden Fountains of the Overlook into a tiered supper club by the Emerald Garden of Millburn.

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Bequests Boost a Variety of Causes

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- Dulce Foundation
- The DiMaggio Foundation
- E.J. Gannon Program
- Clark & Reynolds Foundation
- Gustavus A. Willard Foundation
- The Upper East Side Community Fund
- The T.J. S. Trust
- The Henry S. and Agnes M. Shorin Foundation
- Eustis Foundation

Gifts of $3,000 - $4,999
- John P. N. Charitable Lead Unitrust
- Howard J. Basson Foundation
- Classroom Foundation
- The Family Foundation
- The Collage Foundation
- The Pistons Foundation
- Thomas H. Henderson and
  Sally A. Henderson Foundation
- Jewish Community Foundations
- The United and Perkins Lores
  Family Foundation
- The Israel and David Mankout
  Foundation
- The Charles L. and Carol Foundation
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- The Teenage Foundation
- Martin & Mccollough Foundation
- Wadsworth Grange for the Generic
  Life Improvement
- Jason W. and Wiggins W. Foundation

Matching Gifts
- Barnes-Jewish Hospital Foundation
- American Express Corporate Gift Fund
- American International Group, Inc.
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- AON
- Automatic Data Processing, Inc.
- Bank of America
- C. R. Bard, Inc.
- Bellinger International
- Booth Creek Day Foundation
- Campagnolle Corporation of New York
- Covenian Healthnet

Grants of $100,000 - $199,999
- The Good Shepherd Program
- The Grown Aged Fund
- The Hyde and Watson Foundation
- Family Foundation
- The Richard A. Schwartz Foundation
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- The Barbara & Harold Gottesman Family Foundation
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- Ambrose & Ida Fredrickson Foundation
- The Tamagni Foundation
- Sally S. Henderson Foundation
- The Gallagher Family Foundation
- The Fatzler Foundation
- John P. Bent, Jr. Charitable
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Grants of $200,000+
- Estate of Christine J. Scott
- Estate of Leah W. Linn
- Estate of Anna Rose Catelli
- Estate of Anne H. Bumsted
- Estate of Gertrude E. Aldrich
- C. R. Bard, Inc.
- Bank of America
- AXA Foundation
- Deutsche Bank Americas Foundation
- McGraw-Hill Companies
- Pepsico Foundation
- Deutsche Bank
- The Phoenix Foundation, Inc.
- Tyco
- United States Foundation, Inc.

In recognition of the Foundation’s 2012 Gala, corporate partners Newmark Marz, Short Hills, NJ, and the name of the Honorable John C. Ruttan, late recipient of the John C. Ruttan Award, have made a special gift in honor of Mr. Marz. This gift will support the endowment fund of the New Jersey Statengthen Institute, a joint venture of the New Jersey Institute of Technology and the New Jersey Institute of Technology Foundation.

Support of the work of the New Jersey Stateakening Institute is made possible by the generosity of the New Jersey Business Roundtable, including the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Statekening Roundtable Foundation, the New Jersey Stateakening Institute, a joint venture of the New Jersey Institute of Technology and the New Jersey Institute of Technology Foundation.

John C. Ruttan Award
- Jane Carneschi and Cheryl Weber from Harvard University

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This document is a list of names associated with Overlook Hospital, mentioning people such as doctors, nurses, and hospital staff. The text appears to be a dedication or acknowledgment of the contributions of various individuals to the hospital's operations and history. Some names are followed by titles such as R.N. (Registered Nurse), M.D. (Doctor of Medicine), and Sister. The document seems to honor and recognize the roles of these individuals in the hospital's community and history.
Giving at a Glance  •  July 2009 through June 2010

Total $7,485,657 Restricted Gifts for Capital & Program $5,940,579
Unrestricted Annual Support $1,450,495  Honorary & Memorial Gifts $94,583

The Overlook Hospital Foundation

The Overlook Hospital Foundation seeks funds that are needed to purchase state-of-the-art equipment and fund special programs to help Overlook Hospital remain a leader in the field of medical care. We would like to become partners in the “Overlook Healing Place” by supporting the Foundation to the max.

• Become a “Friend of Overlook Hospital” with an annual gift of $500 or more.
• Designate your gift for a specific project or in honor of a loved one.
• Make a charitably deductible gift in retirement funds or as an IRA or bequest, thereby becoming a member of the Heritage Society. All Overlook Hospital Foundation gifts are tax-deductible and remain at Overlook.

Campaign Surpasses $100 Million Goal

The Overlook Hospital Foundation recently surpassed a goal of $100 million in the first capital campaign in New Jersey history. With this breakthrough, the Overlook Hospital Foundation will make $100 million available for renovation and capital equipment purchases. It’s a milestone in Overlook’s history that will enable the hospital to continue providing exemplary care, while ensuring the future of the institution.

The campaign’s goals are to fund a new $14 million cardiac interventional suite and inpatient unit; a new $10 million third-floor inpatient cancer unit and the fourth-floor cardiac catheterization suite; and the foundation hopes to assist with the expense of enhancing the third-floor inpatient neurosciences unit. As always, the community has responded enthusiastically to the efforts of the foundation. The foundation hopes that the momentum created will continue to grow with the Overlook’s mission of providing exemplary health care services to its communities.

For more information on how you can help further Overlook’s mission to provide exemplary health care services to its communities, please contact:

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In 2010, the Great Pediatric Stroke Center was designated by the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke as one of only three centers across the nation to have the highest level of care for pediatric stroke patients. This designation is a testament to Overlook’s commitment to providing the best possible care for children in its four-state region. The Pediatric Stroke Center offers a comprehensive, multidisciplinary approach to the care of children with stroke, combining the expertise of pediatric neurologists, pediatric neurosurgeons, interventional radiologists, and child life specialists. Patients are treated by a team of specialists, including pediatric neurologists, neurosurgeons, interventional radiologists, child life specialists, and other medical staff.

Overlook also participated in the HealthGrades Study of the Top 100 Hospitals Nationwide, which ranks hospitals based on a variety of factors, including patient outcomes, patient satisfaction, and cost efficiency. Overlook was ranked as one of the top 100 hospitals nationwide for stroke care, with a patient survival rate of 99.9 percent. This recognition is a testament to Overlook’s commitment to providing the best possible care for patients with stroke.

Overlook Hospital is also home to a Center of Excellence for Brain Tumors, designated by the American Society of Neurological Surgeons and the American Congress of Neurological Surgeons. This center is dedicated to providing the best possible care for patients with brain tumors, including surgical and radiation treatments.

Overlook Hospital is also recognized as a recipient of the Healthgrades 2010 Consumer Vision Award, which recognizes hospitals that provide the highest quality of care to patients.

Overlook Hospital is committed to providing the best possible care for patients with stroke, and is dedicated to improving the quality of care for all patients. The hospital is continually striving to improve its services and to provide the best possible care for patients, regardless of their condition.
friends remembered

Since our last report, we have lost several beloved members of the Overlook Hospital Foundation family. We recognize their special contributions to Overlook and to our community, and we extend our heartfelt wishes to their families.