

Some of the programs in need of funding include:

PATIENT EMERGENCY FUND

Some men and women arrive at Eagleville homeless, alienated from their families, owning only the clothes they are wearing. This Fund provides patient medications not covered by insurance, eyeglasses, personal care items, clothing, shoes, and transportation costs associated with relocation.

PATIENT EDUCATION PROGRAM

Patients often lack basic educational skills. Donations are sought for our award-winning education program where patients have an opportunity to receive treatment and obtain their GED (each costs \$50). Certified teachers and trained, supervised, dedicated volunteers provide individualized teaching.

PATIENT VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Eagleville is committed to treating the whole person, thereby providing not only healthcare but also job training, vocational, and life-skills instruction. Patient Vocational Training has helped hundreds of men and women develop workplace skills and to secure meaningful employment experience.

THE SERENITY GARDEN FUND

The Eagleville Serenity Garden will provide opportunities to meditate, recognize special individuals, memorialize family members and friends, and to take pleasure in the beauty of nature. Donations are sought for general building expenses, benches, trees, plants and flowers, as well as other garden needs and annual maintenance.

“We are committed to our mission of providing only the highest quality care to all individuals, helping them rebuild their lives.”

Kendria McWilliams, CEO
Eagleville Foundation,
Eagleville Hospital
and Riverside Care, Inc.



For more information,

call Eagleville's Director of Development
at 610-635-7457,
or simply send your contribution to:
Development Office
Eagleville Hospital
100 Eagleville Road, PO Box 45
Eagleville, PA 19408-0045

Visit our Website at www.eaglevillehospital.org



**Eagleville Hospital
Annual Giving Appeal**



As the only hospital in Pennsylvania specifically and solely licensed for the treatment of alcohol and drug addiction, Eagleville is committed to helping men and women recover from the pain of addiction while rebuilding their lives.

The residential environment provides professional support for individuals to: achieve and maintain sobriety, return sober to their families, and most importantly, lead productive lives.

Eagleville staff will also define a personal plan of action with each adult after completing a comprehensive literacy life-skills assessment. Opportunities are offered on-site to: earn high school level diplomas, develop vocational skills, acquire literacy skills, and develop necessary life skills.

Eagleville Hospital needs your help to treat the diseases of addiction to alcohol and other drugs, and to educate the public about substance abuse.

Together we have the ability to provide medical and therapeutic treatment for those who suffer from substance abuse, the power to provide essential rehabilitative services for families who suffer from the devastating effects of addiction, and the opportunity to educate the public about the perils of substance abuse and to help prevent addiction in the community.

DID YOU KNOW THAT...

Substance abuse is the cause of more deaths, illnesses, and disabilities than from any other preventable health condition. Of the more than two million deaths in the U. S. each year, approximately one in four is attributable to alcohol, tobacco, and illicit drug use.

No population is immune to substance abuse and its effects. Men, women and children, people of all racial and ethnic groups and levels of education drink, smoke, and use illicit drugs. In 1998, each month approximately 13.6 million Americans used illicit drugs and 113 million consumed alcohol excessively.

Substance abuse costs the U. S. economy more than \$414 billion each year - a burden that affects all men, women and children, even those who do not abuse drugs and alcohol.

More than 18 million alcohol abusers and 5 million illicit drug users need treatment, but only a small number actually receive such treatment.

The improvement rate for those completing substance abuse treatment is comparable to that of people treated for asthma and other chronic, relapsing health conditions.

The majority of Americans strongly believe that drug treatment should be far more accessible; approximately half also agree that treatment and rehabilitation programs are effective.

IS TREATMENT EFFECTIVE?

Yes, treatment most definitely is effective, as evidenced by numerous studies, showing that after six months, treatment for alcoholism is successful for 40 to 70 percent of patients, cocaine treatment is successful for 50 to 60 percent, and opiate treatment for 50 to 80 percent.

At Eagleville, we understand that addiction is a devastating disease that causes human misery and destroys lives. Eagleville needs your support to ensure continued high quality care of men and women who suffer from substance abuse. Your gift to Eagleville Hospital supports the many steps in helping rebuild lives.

