2011 Community Highlights

At Methodist Richardson Medical Center, our mission is to improve and save lives through compassionate, quality health care. We’re delighted to share with you some of the many ways we fulfilled that mission in 2011.

Growing brighter

Proud members

Walking the walk

Community events

We made a difference in the community by hosting or sponsoring a variety of events, including:

• Health Fair at Cowboys Stadium
• Heart to Heart women’s heart health event
• WildRide! WildRide! Against Cancer

Community highlights

• Lipid profile and glucose screenings
• Free breast cancer and skin cancer screenings
• Discounted prostate cancer screenings
• Discounted skin cancer screenings
• Women in Leadership Richardson chamber event
• Take a Bite Out of Cancer dining events

Contributing to the economic health of our community

Did you know? Methodist Health System employs 6,337 professionals throughout the DFW Metroplex and 939 at Methodist Richardson.

Yellow & Black Tie Gala

This annual fundraiser, organized by the Methodist Richardson Medical Center Foundation, raised $170,000 for the Methodist Richardson Cancer Center. At the event, the Methodist Richardson Foundation presented to Judy Martin and Max Martin. The award honors those who’ve made a difference in the community through their ongoing commitment, leadership, and gifts.

Heart care to count on

Methodist Richardson is proud of the advancements and achievements of its cardiology team in 2011:

• Fastest heart attack treatment time. The American Heart Association and W. W. Caruth Jr. Foundation named Methodist Richardson and the Richardson Fire Department for having the fastest total combined patient treatment time — 18 minutes — in the Metroplex for first quarter 2011.

• Primary Stroke Center. Based on a review by The Joint Commission, the American Stroke Association named Methodist Richardson as a Primary Stroke Center.

• Heart Failure Accreditation from the Society of Chest Pain Centers. To learn more about cardiovascular services at Methodist Richardson, go to www.MethodistHealthSystem.org/Cardio.

Committed to a healthy community

• Prostate Screening and Awareness Program. This free service provided over 6,357 prostate cancer screenings this year — more than any other hospital-based program in the nation.

• Platinum Plus. Area senior citizens benefit from wellness and social events and a new senior health newsletter.

• Mobile mammography unit. In partnership with Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Methodist made breast cancer screening more convenient for 3,250 local women in 2011.

• Methodist Richardson Asian Breast Health Outreach Project. This program provided 781 mammograms, 87 diagnostic exams, and 50 biopsies, as well as breast health education to uninsured and underinsured Asian women.

Leading the way

We are grateful to the members of our Community Advisory Board, who serve countless hours to strengthen Methodist Richardson Medical Center’s vital role in the community.

www.MethodistHealthSystem.org/Community

A nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, Methodist Health System is affiliated by covenant with the North Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church. To support any of Methodist’s vital health care and community events and activities, visit www.MethodistHealthSystem.org/Donate.