

## **CAPITAL CAMPAIGN**

- St. Anthony Foundation announced a \$7 million capital campaign to build a new regional cancer center that will serve hundreds of west central Iowans each year.
- The capital campaign will fund a significant portion of the \$16.5 million project, which was recently approved by the St. Anthony Board of Directors. The remainder of the funding will come from low-interest financing.
- The Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration (FSPA), who founded St. Anthony in 1905, donated \$2.5 million to the St. Anthony Foundation to help build the cancer center.
- St. Anthony has been providing high quality health care to residents of west central Iowa for more than a century – including medical oncology for the past 30 years and radiation oncology for the past 25 years.
- This campaign is a bold investment in the future generation of west central Iowans.
- The new facility will bring together the people, equipment and healing environment needed to treat hundreds of west central Iowans fighting cancer.
- Research shows care close to home is best for patients and families, so it is essential that critical cancer care and treatment remain in the region.

## **OUR TEAM**

- St. Anthony's team of physicians, nurses, dietitians and pharmacists offer the highest quality of care to patients.
- The hospital chaplain, as well as professionals in mental health, social services and education also provide invaluable resources and support to patients and families.
- All of St. Anthony's medical oncology and radiation oncology nurses are oncology certified to ensure its patients receive the highest quality of care.
- Oncology certification ensures nurses have met stringent requirements for knowledge and experience and they are qualified to provide competent oncology care.

## **SERVICES**

- St. Anthony offers comprehensive cancer care, including access to oncology specialists, oncology certified nurses, advanced treatment options, leading-edge technology and a full range of resources.
- Cancer services include radiation therapy and medical oncology, chemotherapy, surgery oncology treatment and support resources for patients and their families.
- St. Anthony also offers surgical treatment of cancer providing patients with new choices.
- Support resources for patients as well as their families include the hospital chaplain, social workers, mental health professionals, as well as information and connections to support groups or other individuals facing similar circumstances.
- A regional cancer center will ensure all these critical cancer services are secured and expanded for future generations of west central Iowans.
- The cancer center will feature a centrally located pharmacy area for preparing infusion medications in lieu of transporting them from our Central Hospital Pharmacy.

## **FACILITY**

- The nearly 21,000 (20,720 SF) square foot freestanding cancer center will allow panoramic views of the city and adjacent valley.
- Patients will be greeted with a light-filled two-story atrium space. Efforts have been made to bring the outdoors in with large windows, high ceilings, and wood floors and ceilings.
- The exterior façade of the building is designed with stone, glass, and exterior materials to complement the current St. Anthony Campus and to make the patient and family feel at home.
- A separate dedicated drop-off area and adjoining parking will be provided for patients and family.
- The cancer center will be consolidated with exam and consultation spaces located on the lower floor along with radiation treatment. The second floor will include 18 infusion areas, nearly double our current space.
- Plans for a new, state-of-the-art Linear Accelerator and CT unit when the current equipment reaches the end of its useful life.