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Heart of Ohio Family Health Giving Hearts 2021

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Heart of Ohio Family Health (HOFHC) hosted its Third Annual Giving Hearts Celebration on Thursday, August 12 to benefit dental equipment in the new Heart of Ohio Family Health at James B. Feibel Center located in Whitehall. The Giving Hearts celebration honored community contributors and recognized National Health Center Week during the event.

“Heart of Ohio Family Health is resilient. This is how the organization worked throughout the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure quality healthcare was available for everyone,” said Julie Friedlander, a Feibel Family representative.

HOFHC was pleased to have been able to hold this celebration after foregoing an in-person event last year due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This year, the Giving Hearts Celebration was held both virtually and in person, allowing attendees to choose how they attended.

“We’re especially pleased to be able to meet in person this year, said Chief Executive Official” Dr. Buhari Mohammed. “COVID-19 has created great concerns for many people. I’m pleased to know that so many have taken the important precaution of getting a vaccine.”

The event honored those persons, partners, supporters, corporations or volunteers who made a significant contribution to the mission of Heart of Ohio Family Health. Giving Hearts awards were given to both 2020 and 2021 recipients.

This year’s honorees included: Volunteer Community Gardener Jerri Dombrowski, in memory of former Whitehall City Schools Superintendent Brain Hamler, and the American Cancer Society. Heart of Ohio Family Health’s OB/GYN physician Dr. Mark Brown was recognized for his dedication and years of service, and Chief Executive Officer Yammah Morgan was recognized for her outstanding commitment.

Last year’s honorees included Marlene Miller, Rita Corbin, Whitehall Mayor Kim Maggard, and Mount Carmel Health System.

Giving Hearts 2021 celebration was sponsored by The Feibel Family, CareSource, WesBanco, Beth Whitted & Associates, PNC, Dr. Maureen Black, Commonwealth Purchasing Group and Monarch Health Solutions.



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About Heart of Ohio Family Health

Heart of Ohio Family Health (HOFH) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit health care provider committed to serving all groups, ethnicities, and communities in Central Ohio since 2003. Operating as a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC), we offer services in primary care, pediatrics, behavioral health, substance use disorder, OBGYN, diagnostic laboratory, pharmacy, dietetics & nutrition, and interpretation.

To read all of Heart of Ohio Family Health COVID-19 news updates, visit <https://heartofohiofamilyhealth.org/our-community/covid-19-updates>.

To learn more about Heart of Ohio Family Health, visit www.heartofohiofamilyhealth.org.



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PHOTOS:

Caption 1: Heart of Ohio Family Health Board Chair Terry Anderson, American Cancer Society Executive Director Lenora Oeters, CEO Dr. Buhari Mohammed



Caption 2: Volunteer Gardener Jerri Dombrowski, CEO Dr. Buhari Mohammed



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Caption 3: Brian and Wendy Hamler, family of the late Superintendent of Whitehall City Schools Brian Hamler, Heart of Ohio Family Health CEO Dr. Buhari Mohammed



Caption 4: Heart of Ohio Family Health Board Chair Terry Anderson, COO Yammah Morgan, CEO Dr. Buhari Mohammed



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