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## What's new at Reach this month

May 2025

### Jefferson House Resident Mr. G: Carving a Path to Wellness and Independence

Mr. G, a resident of Jefferson House, is committed to overcoming any obstacles that arise as he works towards independence. Even recent health challenges haven't affected his determination. Learn more about Mr. G's journey!



[Read the full story](#)

Thanks for Helping us Reach Beyond!

Meet Our RN, Dany!





Our Reach Beyond Gala took place on May 17th. Thanks to all the sponsors, donors, and guests who helped make the event a success! Thanks to their generosity, Reach raised over \$160,000 to support essential operating costs.

[View more photos](#)

## Compassion in Action: Donated EKG Machine Expands MKHC's Capabilities



Volunteer Nurse Practitioner Regina Becker generously donated a new EKG machine. This device enables MKHC staff to perform essential screenings for patients, especially those with risk factors like high blood

National Nurse's Week was this month! We featured MKHC's hardworking registered nurse, Dany, who answered a few questions about her background and passion for nursing. Check it out!

[Read the full story](#)

## Reach Attends Rotary Club of Rockville's Flags for Heroes Event



Reach's Client Services Director and MKHC's Medical Director were honored to attend the Flags for Heroes opening ceremony hosted by the Rotary Club of Rockville, honoring heroes in our community. We are grateful for ongoing support from the Rotary Club of Rockville, including annual funding to support MKHC's work.

## LOP Graduation Ceremony Next Month!

LOP's graduation ceremony

pressure, diabetes, or a family history of heart disease.

MKHC has additional pieces of equipment on its wish list, including a crash cart, cardiac monitor, and oxygen tank. Help expand MKHC's capabilities and impact by supporting our Compassion in Action Year-End Appeal to raise \$6,000 to purchase those items and other essential equipment and supplies.

**Support the campaign**

will take place on June 20th via Zoom. Students will be recognized for completing another year of classes. We'll also award the Moore-Solorzano Scholarship of \$250 and a laptop to the winner of a short essay contest.

All are invited to attend virtually to hear speeches from students and a keynote speaker or just to celebrate the hard work of our community!

### **NFCU Volunteers Help Refresh Rockland House Interior**

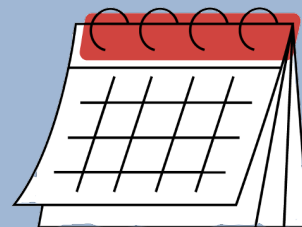


The interior of Rockland House needs to be repainted. Thankfully, a team of Navy Federal Credit Union (NFCU) volunteers recently painted two rooms, making them more welcoming for new residents. Good work, NFCU!

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### **Mark Your Calendar**

**LOP Graduation**  
**Friday, June 20th, 7pm**  
Via Zoom



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**Volunteer With Us**

## MKHC Front Desk Assistant

MKHC is looking for a volunteer to assist at the front desk with greeting patients, check-in, answering calls, and other administrative tasks. Spanish language skills are required.

## Room Painting at Rockland House

A number of bedrooms and common areas at Rockland House still need to be repainted. This is a great day project for a group! Supplies will be provided.

Contact [volunteer@cmrocks.org](mailto:volunteer@cmrocks.org) if you're able to help with these requests.

[View other volunteer opportunities](#)

## Donation Requests

### MKHC:

- Computer monitors, 27+ inches
- Paper towels, liquid hand soap, facial tissues, toilet paper

### Housing Program:

*General:* Toilet paper, laundry detergent

#### *Jefferson House*

- oven mitts and kitchen sink mat
- vacuum cleaner
- a bedroom wardrobe
- new set of matching living room furniture

#### *Rockland House*

- set of 4 metal folding chairs with 500-pound weight limit
- outdoor chairs, umbrella and stand for the deck
- a full-size headboard for a bedroom
- a new area rug for the living room (no wool)

**For more information on current needs or to donate, please contact us at [development@cmrocks.org](mailto:development@cmrocks.org).**

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