Thank you for your support of the HSHS St. Francis Hospital Auxiliary.

The auxiliary volunteers can assist in the gift shop or registration to greet and assist customers. They can work at the St. Clare Food Pantry or support hospital-sponsored health events, such as the Central Illinois Community Blood Center. Special fundraising events are held throughout the year, and volunteers can lend a hand in many different ways to help the cause.

Will you consider joining the HSHS St. Francis Hospital Auxiliary?





Auxiliary Volunteer Membership Form

Name: _____ Address: City: State and zip: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

I am interested in:

- ____ Volunteering at HSHS St. Francis Hospital
- ____ Helping with auxilary events
- ____ Being an inactive member

Please return with \$10 annual dues to:

HSHS St, Francis Hospital Auxiliary Membership Chairperson P.O. Box 1215 Litchfield, IL 62056??

GIVING BACK

Volunteer at the Hospital





The HSHS St. Francis Auxiliary was founded on March 16, 1963 with a goal of promoting the hospital's interests and the welfare of its patients through volunteer service and fundraising.

Fundraising

Once a rolling cart with a few trinkets for purchase, the Auxiliary gift shop has become the largest single fundraising venture of the auxiliary. The Gift Shop coordinator and colleagues are responsible for every aspect of the shop, from selecting unique gift items to calculating each day's final sales. Thier time is all volunteered.

Once or twice each year, the auxiliary sponsors book fairs. In addition, large fundraising events are planned and carried out by the auxiliary whenever the hospital has a special need. The efforts of the auxiliary have served all members of the community and have helped the hospital continue in its mission of serving all who come in need.



JVs

Each summer, young men and women ages 14-18 serve as junior volunteers throughout the hospital. The auxiliary coordinates this popular program.

Scholarships

The auxiliary proudly administers continuing medical education scholarships for students in accredited institutions of higher education who are seeking careers in the health care field.



Results

Today, the original group of 46 "pink ladies" have expanded to include more than 200 men and women who are members of the HSHS St. Francis Hospital Auxiliary. All have served the hospital through the years with their annual dues, countless fundraisers and innumerable hours of service They have helped purchase equipment, pay for facility upgrades and supply additional items, all with the comfort and the benefit of the patients and community in mind. Since its inception, the auxiliary has donated approximately \$400,000? to HSHS St. Francis Foundaton. Their gifts have hleped purchase equipment for laboratory, cardiac rehabilitation, acute care, maternity, surgery, emergency and patient education. Donations include coloring books and crayons for children waiting in registration, and the group continues its "Books for Babies" tradition - supplying a new board book for every infant born at St. Francis Hospital.

Become a member

Complete the brief application form printed in this brochure and return it with your annual dues. You will be asked to complete a confidential Illinois State Police Conviction Information Name Check Request and attend a brief hospital orientation. Our volunteer coordinator will schedule you to help with your preferred duties during hours that are convenient for you.

If you prefer to support the work of the auxiliary as an inactive member, you need only complete the form and return it with your dues. You will be added to our membership roster and receive all mailings, general meeting notices and appreciation dinner invitations, with our thanks for your support.