



# Volunteer VOICE

JUNE-JULY 2019

 **Morton Plant Mease**  
BayCare Health System  
Volunteer Resources



## Thanks to all our volunteers for another year of service!



## Our Volunteer Nurse Program

Our Morton Plant Mease “Ambassadors of Care” volunteer nurses are hidden gems across our hospitals.

Coordinated by Clinical Education and Volunteer Resources, we seek retired nurses who can positively influence our patient’s hospital experiences and who are looking to fulfill their own personal goals.

If you know someone who’s a retired nurse, please pass this information on to them.

Some benefits include:

- Complimentary meal allowance before or after volunteer shift
- Free uniform
- Free continuing education
- Free CPR/BLS recertification
- Paid license renewal

For more information, call the Volunteer Resources office: (727) 734-6262

## Celebration Picnic

It was another successful and fun-filled day at the 2019 Celebration Picnic in Philippe Park on Saturday, March 16. The picnic is a special event for community members, patients, and their family members whose lives have been touched by cancer.



## Get Well Network

The Get Well Network is an interactive tool that lets patients use their TV to learn about their health, communicate with hospital team members and take part in important aspects of their care.

Our volunteers play an important role as they help our patients log on to the network, direct them to the correct videos to view, even going through the entire process with them and referring questions to the nurse if they can't answer them.

*Volunteers assisting our patients!*



## Volunteers in our Donald Roebing and Arbor Vitae Societies

The Morton Plant Mease Foundation is grateful to all our volunteers who give so much of their time and talents to help our hospitals provide extraordinary care to our patients, their families and visitors.

Volunteers who reach over 10,000 service hours are given special recognition with complimentary membership to one of the Foundation's esteemed lifetime membership societies: Endowed Donald Roebing Society at Morton Plant Hospital, Endowed Gold Circle Society at Morton Plant North Bay Hospital and Endowed Arbor Vitae Society at Mease Countryside and Mease Dunedin hospitals.

Listed below are the active volunteers who have permanent name recognition on a Donor Wall of Honor at one of our hospitals.

### Morton Plant Hospital

Sharon L. De Vore  
Robert Ferguson  
Shirley M. Gentry  
Lucie H. Mondani  
Mary G. Moseley  
William L. Snyder

### Morton Plant North Bay Hospital

Claire Sheridan  
Ethel Urquhart

### Mease Countryside Hospital

Joyce Armstrong  
Rosemarie Matteoni  
Chris Muldoon  
Nancy Tieman

### Mease Dunedin Hospital

Ellen Gitchell  
Bonnie Hirlehey  
Rae Marie Roberts  
Katie Sterba

## Service Awards

*Congratulations*

### Mease Countryside Hospital

Patricia Barbosa	10 years
Sara Brown	10 years
Ruth Carrillo	25 years
Alice Golding	15 years
David Litz	10 years
Jo Ann Lueders	10 years
Margaret Nobile	20 years
Kathy Rose	15 years
Paul B. Stephens School	25 years
Barry Wood	10 years

### Mease Dunedin Hospital

Tony Cassella	10 years
Fred Hobson	10 years
Phil Hosking	10 years
Frank Jablonski	20 years
Ruth Milano	15 years

### Morton Plant Hospital

Linda Bavaro	10 years
Helen Buell	10 years
John Genaro	25 years
Marilyn Hall	10 years
Dennis Johnson	10 years
Mary Ellen Owen	20 years
Helen Wilson	20 years
Janet Wilson	10 years

### Morton Plant North Bay Hospital

Anna Fryer	20 years
Johanna Tole	20 years

## Dress Code Reminder:

Morton Plant Mease Volunteers wear a blue uniform top and tan/khaki slacks. No denim of any color, skinnies, jeggings, leggings or cargo pants are permitted. If you need to wear a shirt under the blue-buttoned or zippered top, it should be white.

Only volunteers on the vans or trams are allowed to wear khaki shorts.

Shoes must be closed-toed, non-skid and clean.

ID name badges must be worn. No stickers (except flu), pins or writing on the badge.

Please remember that each one of you are representing all of our wonderful team of volunteers at each hospital.