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2024 5th Annual Gala

**BENEFITING
HANDS OF HOPE
MEDICAL CLINIC**

Hands of Hope Medical Clinic
320-A West Maple Street
Yadkinville, NC 27055



Dear Sponsor,

Join us for the 5th Annual Hands of Hope Medical Clinic Gala on Friday, October 4th, 2024 at Winmock at Kinderton to support free medical services provided for uninsured adults in Yadkin County, North Carolina. We are excited to celebrate this milestone anniversary with you! Our theme this year is "Lights, Camera, Auction" and is vintage, Hollywood, inspired. The Annual Gala is an elegant evening with DJ, dinner, dancing, and desserts. Major sponsors (\$2,500 and above) are invited to attend a VIP pre-event cocktail party.

For almost 15 years, Hands of Hope Medical Clinic has provided 100% free medical care to residents of Yadkin County between ages 18-64 who have no insurance and are not receiving Disability, Medicare or Medicaid. We provide medical care as it would be received at a typical medical clinic. This includes treatment for hypertension, diabetes, common infections, and other diseases or conditions. We also have access to many lab tests to assist our providers in diagnosis and treatment.

ONGOING SUPPORT PROVIDES ONGOING MEDICAL CARE

Providing a lifeline to vulnerable members of our community, Hands of Hope Medical Clinic is a non-profit organization that delivers healthcare in a respectful and dignified manner to all who seek our services. We are supported by local healthcare professionals, private citizens, businesses, churches, and human service agencies to provide free healthcare to the uninsured adult population of Yadkin County. We are guided by the footsteps and principles of love and compassion demonstrated by the life of Jesus Christ and believe everyone deserves access to a quality life which includes good physical and mental health.

- Last year, our team of highly-trained health care professionals provided care for 738 patients, 277 of which were new in 2023.
- The estimated hospital emergency department diversion savings was \$3,627,270 in 2023.

Gala sponsors will be recognized online, on signage at the event, and on the Hands of Hope Facebook page. Top sponsors will be acknowledged in pre-and-post event media coverage, as well as in our e-newsletter.

We hope you will consider supporting the 2024 Annual Gala to help Hands of Hope Medical Clinic continue to provide compassionate care to the most patients possible in Yadkin County. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Bridget Boyles at bboyles@hohclinic.org.

Sincerely,

Megan Diffenbaugh, PharmD, BCACP, CPP
2024 Hands of Hope Chair

Bridget Boyles, RN, MSN
Hands of Hope Executive Director

Our staff works with patients like Bruce Carlton.

I have maintained good health thanks to Hands of Hope. They have helped me with health problems such as dizziness and arthritis. I had some places on my skin, on my right hand and arm, that we thought could be skin cancer. It didn't take long for Hands of Hope to refer me to a specialist.

Thank goodness it was only a few warts and not cancer. I was prescribed a topical solution, and they all went away. There were no out of pocket expenses for any of this. How good is that!?

Most recently, I developed a spinal condition that put me out of work. After letting Dr. Jennifer know of my condition, it wasn't long until they had me at Novant Spine Center in Winston Salem for X-Rays and an MRI. I was diagnosed with spinal stenosis and neuropathy in 2 locations in my lower back. I received injections there and did physical therapy through Hands of Hope, and that has gotten me back to normal living. The surgeon was glad that I had done all he had asked, as he wanted to avoid any spinal surgery if possible. He wanted me to lose weight as well...

Now, I have always had a hearty appetite and food was pretty much a weakness of mine.

I told Dr. Jennifer about this problem and was prescribed medication for it.

Low and behold, I began to lose my hearty appetite and the pounds began to disappear. Great job!

I guess what I'm trying to say is that I owe a big thank you to Hands of Hope for all their help and concern with my health problems. I am 62 years old now and enjoying life with good health.

Who knows what it would be like if I had not walked into their doors the first time. Heck, I might not even be here writing this...

So many thanks to you at Hands of Hope Medical Clinic. You have been a huge blessing to my wife and me. What would we have done if you had not been there for us? We greatly appreciate you.

– Bruce C. Carlton

Celebrating its 5th Anniversary in 2024, the Annual Hands of Hope Gala has become firmly established on Yadkinville's social calendar and has earned a reputation as one of the preeminent fundraisers in our community. Last year's event raised over \$48,000 to support access to medical care for the uninsured adult population of Yadkin County. The Annual Gala is an elegant evening with DJ, dinner, dancing, and desserts.

Sponsorships must be paid prior to the event to receive benefits

DIAMOND \$10,000

- 10 tickets to the Annual Gala
- 6 tickets to the VIP Party
- Prominent listing of name or logo in the Yadkin Ripple Thank You Ad
- Prominent listing of name or logo on event signage and the Hands of Hope Facebook page
- Live mentions during the event

PLATINUM \$5,000

- 8 tickets to the Annual Gala
- 4 tickets to the VIP Party
- Prominent listing of name or logo in the Yadkin Ripple Thank You Ad
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GOLD \$2,500

- 6 tickets to the Annual Gala
- 2 tickets to the VIP Party
- Prominent listing of name or logo in the Yadkin Ripple Thank You Ad
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SILVER \$1,000

- 4 tickets to the Annual Gala
- Listing of name in the Yadkin Ripple Thank You Ad
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BRONZE \$500

- 2 tickets to the Annual Gala
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- 1 ticket to the Annual Gala
- Listing of name on Hands of Hope Facebook page

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