



THE MGH FUND

The MGH Fund allows the hospital to respond when a need or opportunity arises. These gifts are not used to fill gaps in the budget—they ensure we continue to make a difference in all aspects of Mass General's mission, spanning patient care, research, education and community health.

A Critical Moment

For more than two centuries, Mass General has blazed new trails in medicine. We've outsmarted diseases, cared for millions of patients and trained the doctors who heal them.

Generation after generation, our experts innovate to overcome the greatest threats to human health. Whether fighting novel infections like COVID-19 or known diseases like cancer, we've made big breakthroughs, and we're positioned to make even more discoveries that will improve patients' lives, strengthen communities of color and create a healthier world.

For the first time in history, advances in technology, genetics and data are converging in ways that open up previously unimaginable possibilities in research and treatment.

Mass General needs your help to capitalize on these possibilities and shape the future of health care. Under the direction of the president of Mass General, gifts to the MGH Fund will provide highly flexible dollars that fuel bold breakthroughs, compassionate care and revolutionary results in medicine.

Positioned for Impact

Home to the largest hospital-based research program in the United States, Mass General makes scientific breakthroughs that transform how we care for those who need treatment, both here in Boston and worldwide.

Whether pursuing discoveries that will cure the deadliest diseases or tackling the most complex cases that have confounded other experts, our extraordinary team of doctors, nurses, researchers and educators has a singular focus: our patients.

We've brought together the brightest minds in medicine to compassionately treat every individual who entrusts us with their health.

Bold Breakthroughs. Compassionate Care. Revolutionary Results.

Transforming Patient Care

We will enhance care for all patients—now and across generations.

Whether treating individuals for a rare condition or a common health issue, we provide top-quality care to everyone who walks through our doors.

Nothing has tested us more than the COVID-19 crisis. From frontline workers to food service staff members, the entire Mass General family mobilized quickly to support more patients with COVID-19 than any other hospital in the region. We developed and used novel treatments to save lives.

We're very proud of our medical experts and staff, and we're driven to do even better. The MGH Fund will propel these ambitions forward.

The MGH Fund supports patient care initiatives like:

- Continuing to provide top-notch care for all of our patients.
- Sustaining community health centers in Charlestown, Chelsea and Revere, Massachusetts, to better serve our neighbors who are disproportionately affected by health care inequities.
- Investing in the establishment of the Home Base Program, which has served more than 25,000 enlisted veterans, service members and their families since 2009.

Breaking New Ground in Medical Research

We will make game-changing discoveries that will evolve medicine.

We know that truly revolutionary discoveries often come from the most outside-the-box ideas. But this kind of "risky" research is routinely neglected by traditional institutional funders, making philanthropic support essential to turning innovative ideas into reality.

The MGH Fund will help our experts develop more treatments, techniques and technologies that touch millions of lives.

The MGH Fund supports research initiatives like:

- Developing the Circulating Tumor Cell Chip, which can scan 6 billion cells to detect for cancer in under an hour, as a promising and noninvasive way for oncologists to diagnose, monitor and treat cancers.
- Opening the Mass General Center for Integrated Diagnostics to develop molecular diagnostic technology, with the ability to assess mutations across 104 known cancer genes.
- Establishing labs for our rising-star scientists who seek the next scientific breakthrough.



Trailblazing Medical Education

We will redefine learning for tomorrow's leaders and today's practitioners.

From our roots as the original teaching hospital of Harvard Medical School to our current position as the top-ranked postgraduate residency training program for medical students, Mass General has always been dedicated to educating the next generation of trailblazers—and we always will be.

But health care never stops changing, so providers should never stop learning. The MGH Fund will support investments that keep our doctors, nurses and staff at the forefront of their respective fields.

The MGH Fund supports medical education initiatives like:

- Innovative professional development for nursing staff members.
- The Clafin Distinguished Scholar Awards that help outstanding junior faculty to sustain their research productivity during child-rearing years.
- Transforming the learning experience through the Executive Committee on Teaching and Education.

Building Healthier Communities

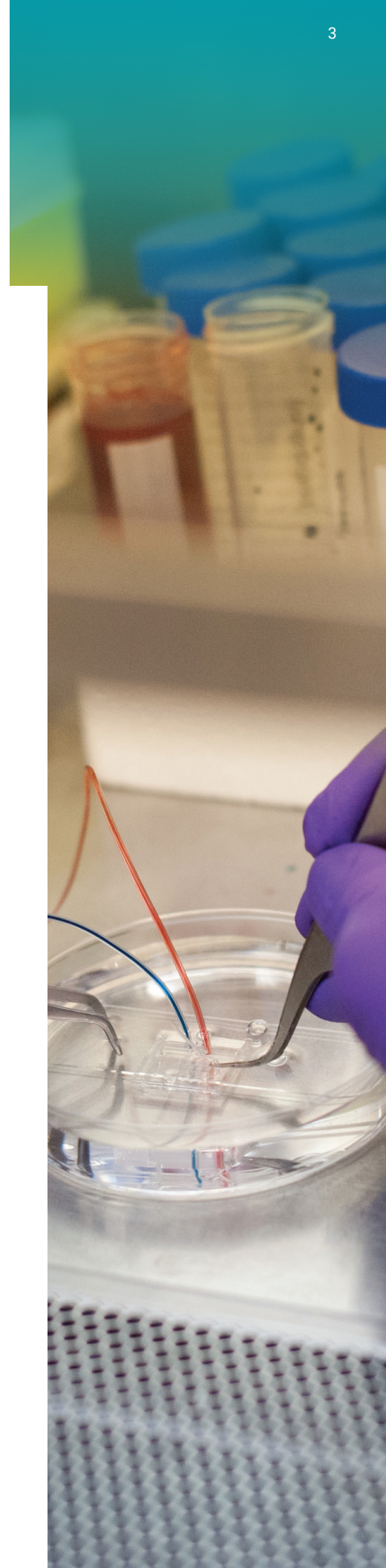
We will make sure each individual has the opportunity to live a healthy life.

Since our inception, Mass General has been deeply committed to caring for neighborhoods close to campus and around the globe. We address some of the most complex issues facing communities of color and disenfranchised populations worldwide. We look beyond purely medical issues, examining how social determinants of health like race, housing, employment and education impact a person's ability to access care and stay well.

Gifts to the MGH Fund will help improve outcomes for a host of public health challenges, such as obesity, substance use and youth mental health.

The MGH Fund supports community initiatives like:

- Adult and pediatric care at Mbarara Hospital in Uganda, a collaboration with Mbarara University of Science and Technology.
- Seed funding that helped establish the Mass General Center for Gun Violence Prevention, which is dedicated to preventing firearm-related violence and promoting safety in the homes and communities of the patients we serve.
- The Center for Community Health Improvement and the Disparities Solutions Center, which work to build stronger communities and eliminate racial and ethnic disparities in health care.



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Our Vision

As a global leader in health care and research, Mass General unrelentingly pursues medical excellence. The MGH Fund is the key we use to unlock progress.

One gift to the MGH Fund has infinite possibilities. Your generosity could help us to:

Apply new approaches in **prevention and detection** to catch illness before it progresses.

Reimagine **the patient experience** using the latest technology.

- Build **state-of-the-art facilities** that expand clinical operations.
- Make discoveries that change the face of medicine.
- Create a **modern education hub** for Mass General providers and staff.
- Set global standards for **health care safety and quality**.
- Expand our reach to more **people of color** and highly vulnerable communities.
- Continue investing in **community care** across New England.

When our researchers find an unexpected lead or exciting discovery requiring investment, the MGH Fund gives us the flexibility to push ahead without having to stop while waiting for grant money to be awarded. And the MGH Fund can provide immediate resources to address major needs across the hospital, whether it's combating a public health emergency or paying for an innovative patient support program.

Your gift to the MGH Fund has the flexibility to go to work immediately, wherever it is needed most. Your support will help open new doors to outstanding care, research, clinical education, global health and community outreach.

Join Us

We've always been ready to take on medicine's biggest challenges, but we can't do it alone.

The impact we can have in the decades ahead will be the most profound in our history—but realizing this potential will depend on the investments we make right now. Philanthropy will be critical to achieving this vision. Those who know and support Mass General have a once-in-a-lifetime role to play.

It's not often that a dedicated few, working together, are able to end suffering for thousands, even millions, forever. But these are the stakes. This is the task before us.

The MGH Fund reaches every corner of our institution—and the world. Your tax-deductible donation will shape the future of health care.

Donors who make gifts of \$1,000 or more to the MGH Fund are welcomed into **The 1811 Society**. The 1811 Society celebrates philanthropy while supporting our hospital as it pushes new boundaries in its third century of medicine.

