



St. Mary's

WISHBOOK

Winter 2023

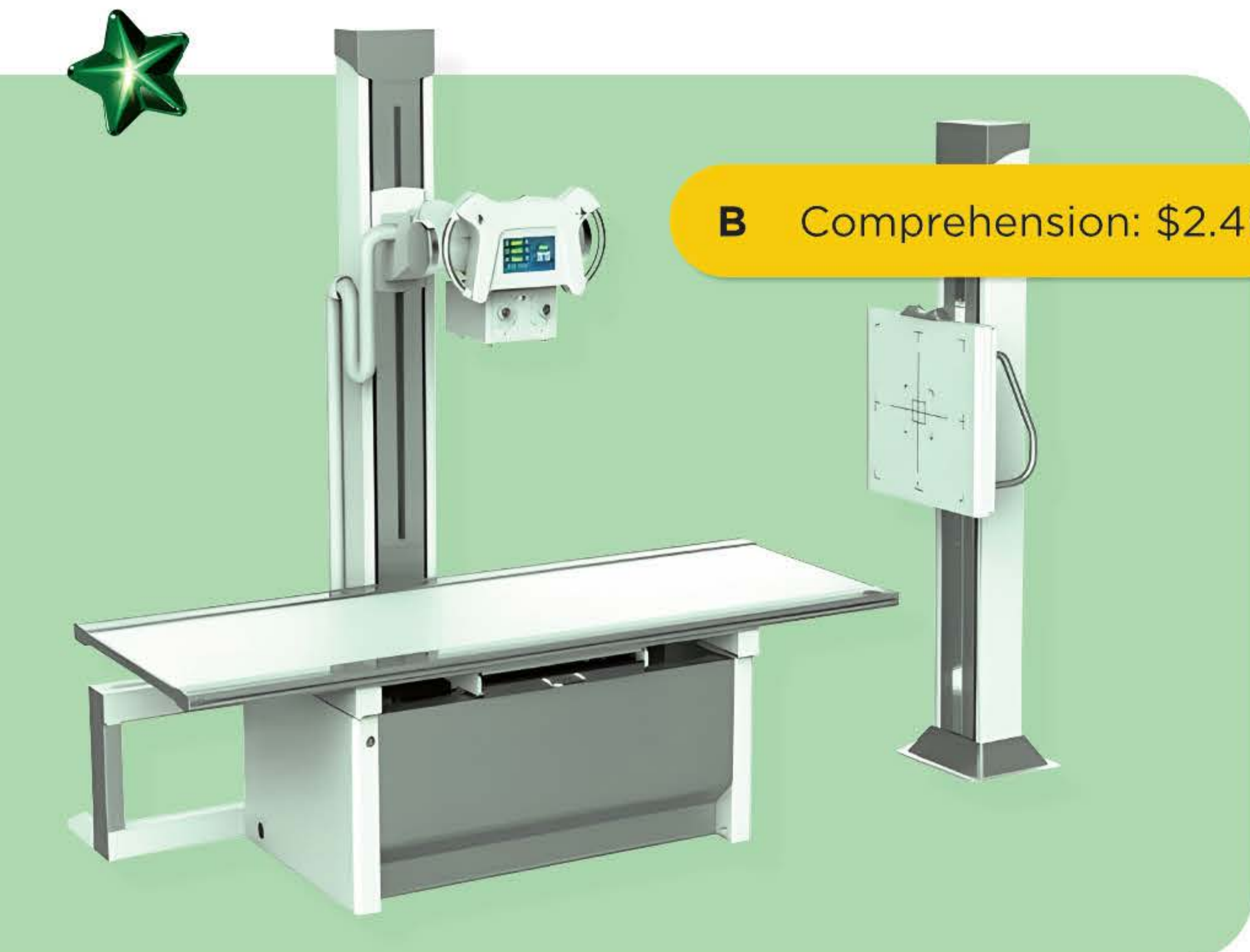




ANSWERS ALL YEAR LONG: THE GIFT OF DIAGNOSTIC EXCELLENCE



A Clarity: \$3.6M

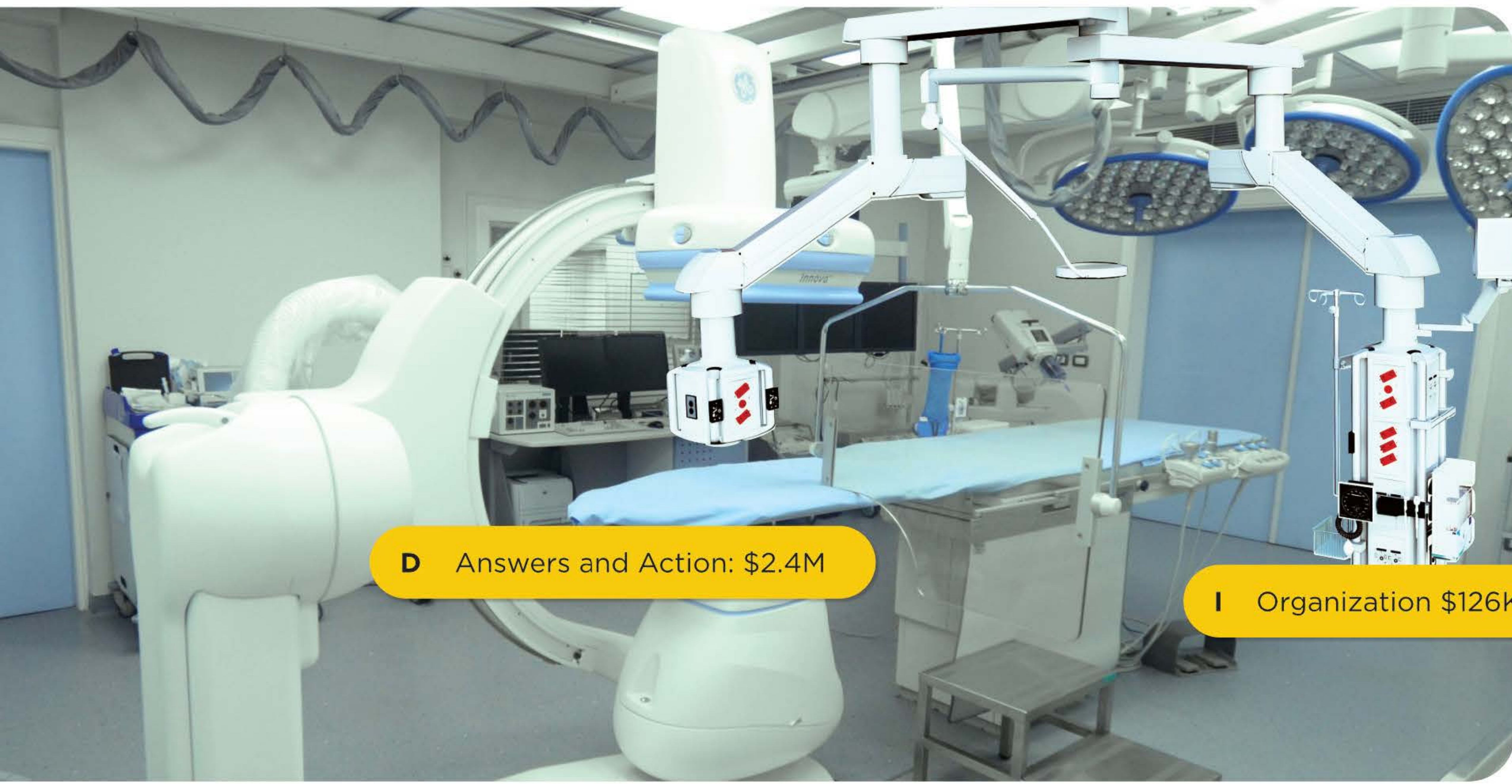


B Comprehension: \$2.4M



C Accuracy: \$560K

- A SPECT-CT**
Comfort and efficiency in a hybrid camera. This nuclear medicine workhorse provides accurate scans in less time, thanks to its continuous rotation function. Improved models feature larger bed areas that offer increased patient safety while providing quicker answers to their health concerns.
- B X-RAY UNITS**
New technology translates to improved image quality and patient safety.
- C ULTRASOUND UNITS**
Enhanced resolution and wider fields of view allow for more detailed scans.
- D CATHETERIZATION LAB EQUIPMENT**
Improved imaging means better visualization when diagnosing and treating heart problems. These new models are more comfortable and safer for patients. Enhanced image quality allows for better guidance for surgeons during procedures.
- E MICROSCOPE**
Used mainly for minor ear, nose and throat procedures, this microscope also has diagnostic capabilities. New video screen technology boasts brighter illumination and crisper image quality.



D Answers and Action: \$2.4M

I Organization \$126K



E Insight: \$115K

*This catalogue represents a fundraising campaign for the collective purchase of all items listed to benefit St. Mary's General Hospital.
Donations through this campaign will go toward a general priority fund to purchase the equipment listed.



OPERATING ROOM NEEDS: UNWRAP THESE AWESOME UPGRADES



F Continuity \$3.2M



G Assurance: \$130K



H Assistance: \$1.3M



J

K

L

- F** **HEART LUNG MACHINES**
The surgeon stops your heart, but you don't miss a beat. These machines - used daily for life-saving surgeries - take on the vital function of the heart and lungs, maintaining blood circulation through the body so surgeons can get to work.
 - G** **NERVE MONITORING SYSTEM**
Featuring new, crisper imaging technology, this machine allows surgeons to monitor nerve function during procedures, reducing the risk of nerve damage.
 - H** **BALLOON PUMPS**
A helping hand for your heart. These life-saving mechanical devices go into the aorta on a short-term basis, inflating and deflating to help pump blood.
 - I** **SURGICAL BOOMS**
A safety necessity for every OR. These electric columns allow equipment to be plugged in overhead, removing the tripping hazard of cords on the floor.
- OTHER ESSENTIALS:
HELP US CROSS THESE
OFF OUR LIST**
-
- EXPANDING OUR NEWLY
LAUNCHED RETINA PROGRAM:
\$330K**
- ONGOING STAFF EDUCATION
AND INNOVATION: \$50K**
- J** BLOOD GAS ANALYZER: \$13K
 - K** BLOOD SHAKERS \$6K
 - L** HANDHELD TONOMETER \$6K





Holiday Memories

Nikki's Story

“Because of St. Mary’s, I got to experience my son’s first Christmas.” - Nikki

Nikki was four months postpartum with her first child, Mitchell, when she started feeling sudden tenderness in her shoulder. Hours later, pressure began mounting in her chest.

As paramedics assessed her, Nikki’s heart stopped.

Baby Mitchell nearly lost his mother that October day in 2021. But staff at St. Mary’s – using essential donor-funded equipment – ensured that didn’t happen.

Read more of Nikki’s story:

supportstmarys.ca/wishbook

Photo: Cayley Black Photography



St. Mary’s General Hospital Foundation

Medical Centre 2
435 The Boardwalk, Suite 300
Waterloo, ON, N2T 0C2

519.749.6797
foundation@supportstmarys.ca

Charitable Registration No.
119189017RR0001

Learn more about how you can help:

supportstmarys.ca/wishbook