



The Hartford Hospital Auxiliary is pleased to announce that it voted in October 2020 to fund 12 projects totaling almost \$172,000. They include:

1. \$35,000 for Cardiology Critical Care to purchase an Eigenflow ECMO Simulator to train and educate bedside critical care practitioners caring for patients undergoing ECMO therapy.
2. \$34,493 for Center 11 Inpatient Dialysis to purchase two Travel RO (reverse osmosis) water purification systems with carts. This system is used to perform dialysis on patients in critical areas including ICU, Step-down and the ED.
3. \$21,219 for the OPD Brownstone Department of Dentistry to purchase a digital impression scanner.
4. \$17,338 for the Speech Pathology Department to purchase the Tobii Dynavox I-16, a speech generating device with eye gaze capability.
5. \$14,985 for LIFESTAR to purchase three diagnosis ultrasound imaging system devices.
6. \$11,460 for the Microbiology Department to purchase a dedicated biosafety cabinet for handling of positive blood culture bottles from patients with suspected sepsis.
7. \$9,990 for The Center for Advanced Heart Failure-Outpatient VAD to purchase 2 VAD System Monitors.

8. \$7,020 for the Nursing Department to purchase a copy of the Hartford Courant to be delivered 7 days a week to 50 Hartford Hospital inpatient units, outpatient areas on campus and waiting rooms for patients and families to read.
9. \$6,065 for Speech Language Pathology to increase its stock of prostheses and laryngectomy supplies.
10. \$5,993 for the Rehabilitation Department to purchase a Rifton Tram, a body weight supported gait and transfer device.
11. \$5,480 for the Barney Fitness Center to purchase a new Stairmaster.
12. \$2,000 for the Emergency Department to purchase supplies/tools to ease the stay of patients in the purple pod (psychiatry ED) during long wait times.