




ANNUAL REPORT 2016

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre



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Cancer and
Health Centre

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TO BE A CENTRE OF
EXCELLENCE OFFERING
COMPREHENSIVE BREAST
SPECIALIST SERVICES
AND PROVIDING EARLY
DETECTION, SUPPORT
AND EDUCATION FOR
CANCER AND OTHER
DISEASES.



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FORWARD



GLEN GIBBONS
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

The year of 2016 was one of monumental achievement for Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre.

After a year of planning for the Centre's new Radiation Therapy unit, in 2015, early in 2016 the Centre entered into two important clinical agreements with the Dana Farber / Brigham and Women's Cancer Center (the "DF/BWCC") and the Bermuda Hospitals Board (the "BHB").

The Pre-Opening Services Agreement with the DF/BWCC was one in which this world class cancer care and research center entered into a clinical affiliation with Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre to develop, design and oversee the project management for the new unit. On July 13, 2016 ground was broken at 46 Point Finger Road and the ten-month long construction project began.

The second contract was a Collaboration Agreement with the BHB for the provision of CT simulation studies for patients who are referred for Radiation Therapy as part of their cancer treatment, and for the shared services of Clinical Oncologist and Medical Director, Dr. Chris Fosker. The agreement with the BHB negates the need for adding another CT scanner to the Island and ultimately will result in optimization of the utilization of diagnostic imaging equipment. As a Clinical Oncologist, Dr. Fosker is trained in both Radiation and Medical Oncology which will greatly benefit patients who may be referred for both types of treatment.

The Radiation Therapy initiative has been extremely well supported by the local community, health insurance providers, the government of Bermuda, corporate and local company donors, and by the board of directors and Centre staff. The project remains on target and on budget for a mid-2017 opening.

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre had a successful 2016 fundraising year with the 3rd annual Relay For Life of Bermuda event, which raised \$650,000. The Centre also celebrated the 20th anniversary of October Breast Cancer Awareness month, with sponsor BF&M. Other successful events throughout the year included World Cancer Day, St. Baldrick's, the Centre's Annual Travel Raffle, Fish Fry, Girls Night In, Pink Denim Day, Movember, XL-Catlin Man on the Run, Men's Health Event and Christmas Seals. The funds raised throughout 2016 were allocated towards the Radiation Therapy initiative and to continue to support the Centre's Equal Access Fund to provide access to care for those in our community who may not have health insurance which covers the services we provide.

It would not be possible to carry out the Centre's mission without the amazing support of so many people across Bermuda. On behalf of the Board of Directors, I want to give a heartfelt thank you to our donors and volunteers. I am pleased to present this annual report for Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre, together with the five year financial summary.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Glen P. Gibbons". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Glen Gibbons

Chairman of the Board of Directors
Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre

2016 was another successful year for Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre.

The Centre conducted 10,930 diagnostic imaging and cancer detection appointments during the year, including 106 breast and prostate cancer biopsies. The Centre's diagnostic imaging referrals have been most significantly impacted by a reduction in recommendations for Dual Energy X-Ray Absorptiometry (DEXA) studies which are used to evaluate an individual's bone mineral density and potential risk for developing osteoporosis and/or osteopenia.

In 2016 the Centre continued to focus on expense reduction for operations while ensuring donated funds were used to strengthen education and awareness programmes, such as cancer prevention programmes SunSmart and LungSmart, as well as other Centre initiatives. Education and fundraising events are key to the Centre's ability to provide donated diagnostic and cancer detection services as well as providing funding for education programmes and the Radiation Therapy Initiative. The Charity was extremely well supported throughout the year for the various events held by the Centre. As indicated in the audited financial summary presented in this report, the Centre realized a modest net income of \$23,293 for 2016.

Significant progress was made on the Centre's Radiation Therapy Initiative with the completion of the new facility design in the first quarter of 2016 and ground breaking in mid-July. The Centre entered into a contract agreement with Varian Systems in August, for the purchase of the latest technology in radiation treatment, which is the Truebeam Linear Accelerator (LINAC).



TARA CURTIS
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

This system is capable of treating 95% of all types of cancers which would benefit from radiation therapy as part of their treatment plan or for management of symptoms or pain.

In the fall of 2016 the Centre initiated recruitment for the specialized staff that will be required to operate the new Radiation Therapy facility. Eight new staff members will join the Centre's team of 17 current staff members. Of the 25 Centre Staff members, 18 will directly support the clinical services provided at the Centre, which includes; digital mammography, ultrasound, DEXA, breast biopsies, prostate biopsies and radiation therapy. The remaining team members support education and awareness, accounts, fundraising and communications, and events.

The work conducted annually in achieving the mission and vision of the Centre is only possible as a result of the unwavering dedication and commitment of the staff, volunteers, donors and our volunteer Board of Directors. On behalf of the Centre I wish to thank the community which has supported the charity for the past 71 years.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tara Curtis". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Tara Curtis

**Executive Director
Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre**

RADIATION THERAPY

THE NEED FOR RADIATION IN BERMUDA

Radiation therapy is one of the pillars of cancer treatment and an essential component of a comprehensive cancer care pathway. It is recommended for 60-70% of cancer patients and over half of newly diagnosed cases. It has been clearly demonstrated that due to a multitude of factors some people in Bermuda with cancer do not receive optimal care. Without a local radiation therapy centre, residents of Bermuda miss out on receiving radiation with the love and support of their family and comfort of their normal surroundings, or worst of all, some people miss out on radiation therapy completely.



2014

An analysis was completed indicating a clear need for radiation therapy in Bermuda and from a cost perspective, it now was an affordable option for the island.



2015

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed with Dana-Farber and Brigham and Women's Hospital which solidified them as a partner with the radiation therapy centre.



2016

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre hold a ground breaking ceremony and start the construction on Bermuda's first radiation therapy centre.

NEW COLLABORATIONS

Bermuda Hospitals Board

The start of 2016 saw the implementation of the collaborative agreement between Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre and The Bermuda Hospitals Board. This allowed Dr. Fosker to split his time between the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital (KEMH) and Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre, taking up the position of Medical Director and Clinical Oncologist at Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre.

Varian Truebeam

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre purchased the Truebeam Linear Accelerator (LINAC) which will bring leading edge cancer care to patients in Bermuda. As one of the world's most advanced radiation therapy machines, it has the capability of treating up to 95% of all patients who will benefit from radiation therapy.



THE FUTURE

AT THE CLOSE OF 2016 THE PROJECT REMAINED ON TARGET AND BUDGET TO DELIVER RADIATION THERAPY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN BERMUDA BY MID-2017

HOW FAR WE HAVE COME

The need and benefit of having radiation therapy available for patients here in Bermuda has long been known within the medical community. There were apparent attempts to develop a service in the 60s. In 1997 when Professor Sid Lowry finished his distinguished career as an oncologist, he stated one of his few regrets was not being able to implement a radiation therapy treatment service here in Bermuda. However, it was only when Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre took up the initiative that this clear need for Bermuda had a chance of going from a hope to becoming a reality.

In 2016, this ambitious project to provide radiation therapy in Bermuda became tangible. After the great steps forward in 2015, this year saw the project leap from a desire to help cancer patients to architects drawings, to a very busy and well run building site. Following the collaboration agreement signed between Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre and the Dana Farber and Brigham and Women's Cancer Center, in late 2015, the first quarter of 2016 was filled with an intense period of work by all parties to complete the design of the proposed facility. With Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's experience and understanding of the needs for Bermuda and the expertise of the world's leading specialists from Boston, the facility design process was able to keep the central focus on the patient.

OUR TEAM EXPANDS

While the construction was in full swing, the last quarter of 2016 was dedicated to recruiting an expert team to work at Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre to make sure the delivery of care for patients receiving radiation is of the highest standard. After an extensive search and an interview process that included interviews by multiple members of the Dana-Farber and Brigham and Women's Cancer Center, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre has recruited a highly qualified medical physicist, an exceptionally and diversely experienced radiation nurse and a wonderful team of radiation therapists (including a returning Bermudian).



\$688,600

RELAY FOR LIFE OF BERMUDA

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Relay For Life of Bermuda 2016 was the third annual Global Relay event for Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre. It was another successful year with significant growth seen in funds raised. Thousands of people participated throughout the 24 hours supporting each team's fundraising initiatives. With the Radiation Therapy Centre ground breaking in mid-2016, the mission of Relay became reality.



THE MISSION of Relay For Life of Bermuda is to raise awareness and funds to support cancer prevention and detection and to improve access to treatment with the local establishment of radiation therapy.



OUR SPONSORS AND DONORS

As the Presenting Sponsor, Ironshore, generously donated time and funds to Relay For Life of Bermuda. Along with them, various other corporate partners, alliances, organizations and individuals all played a key role in the success of the event. Through team fundraising, corporate matching donations, luminaria purchases and donations in kind, the event was able to exceed the fundraising goal.



FUNDS RAISED

As with all Relay For life events worldwide, 5% of funds raised are provided to the American Cancer Society to support global initiatives including finding a cure for cancer. The remaining 95% of the funds are going to support cancer prevention and detection and to improve access to treatment with the local establishment of radiation therapy.



TO OUR DEAR FRIEND

Freddie Jabbar, who we lost to cancer in 2016:

Thank you for believing in Relay For Life of Bermuda and investing so much time in helping us make it a success. Both Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre and Ironshore miss you dearly.

SURVIVOR LAP



Relay For Life of Bermuda begins with the Survivor Lap, where cancer survivors take to the track as other team members surround the track and celebrate their participation in Relay.

LUMINARIA CEREMONY



As the lights are dimmed, the soft glow from the candle lit personalized bags guided people around the track as everyone silently walks. People pay tribute to those we have lost to cancer in Bermuda.

FIGHT BACK CEREMONY



As we near the end of the 24 hours, the inspiring Fight Back Ceremony is held where participants are urged to take action and make a commitment to keep fighting against cancer, for our loved ones and the Bermuda community.

CLOSING CEREMONY



During the Closing Ceremony, participants walk the last lap in the in the reverse direction around the track. This concludes the emotional 24 hour event.

WITH THE HELP OF OUR COMMUNITY, WE KNOW WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CANCER FOR OUR ISLAND.





\$354,342

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

Under the patronage of Mrs. Pamala Dunkley, Breast Cancer Awareness Month provides all of us with the opportunity to raise awareness about the importance of screening and the early detection of breast cancer. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's month long campaign is to provide information to the community with the goal of reducing the incidence of breast cancer.

BF&M BREAST CANCER AWARENESS WALK



2016 was the 20th Anniversary of the BF&M Breast Cancer Awareness Walk. When the weather forecast called for rain and high winds, BF&M and Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre persevered with a record number of people showing up making the walk the most successful event to date. With the theme being "In it to End It" almost 1800 walkers participated in support. Women, men and children of all ages walked together to celebrate the lives affected by breast cancer which is a disease that affects 1 in 8 women. The BF&M Breast Cancer Awareness Walk is a powerful and inspiring opportunity to unite as a community to honor breast cancer survivors, raise awareness, and raise money to help Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre achieve its mission.





GIRLS NIGHT IN

This year, 17 “Girls Night In” events were hosted by women across the island. It’s not only an opportunity to get together with friends and supporters, but a chance to raise money for a worthy cause. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre is once again pleased to congratulate the Bosom Buddies for raising an incredible total of \$85,187 during their 11th Annual “Girls Night In” fundraiser. The total amount raised by all the groups this year was \$96,501. A huge thank you to all those women who participated this year.

WEAR IT PINK DENIM DAY

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre’s annual Denim Day event is unique in that participants are encouraged to not just wear denim, but to wear pink! Businesses, organizations and schools across Bermuda participate and, for one day, allow employees and students to wear denim and/or pink to help raise funds for Breast Cancer Awareness month. A sticker is given in exchange for a suggested \$5 donation. \$27,979 was raised this year.

ANNUAL RAFFLE

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre’s annual raffle is a favorite for the residents of Bermuda with the main prize being a \$10,000 travel certificate. With the generosity of local donations from stores and support from volunteers, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre raised \$59,910 toward Radiation Therapy.

FISH FRY

The Annual Fish Fry hosted by the Social Committee at Christ Church in Warwick and Keith’s Kitchen, is run entirely by volunteers in support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Patrons can drive through and pick up their fish dinners or stay and enjoy a family fun filled evening at the church hall. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre is very appreciative for everyone who helped raise \$5,272.

FUNDS RAISED

All funds raised during the month of October, support our charitable outreach initiatives which include our Radiation Therapy Initiative, Equal Access Fund, along with our Education and Awareness Programmes.

BOSOM BUDDIES GIRLS NIGHT IN 2016

Thank you to Chrissy, June, Amy and Hannah, along with all the other Bosom Buddies, volunteers, and sponsors who helped make their 2016 Girls Night In event the success it was. This year they raised **\$85,187** for Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre’s Radiation Therapy Initiative and Equal Access Fund. Over the past 11 years, these amazing ladies have raised **\$322,698** to support Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre’s Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Thank you for all of your hard work!



\$75,693

MEN'S HEALTH MONTH

The purpose of Men's Health Month in Bermuda, is to heighten the awareness of preventable health problems and encourage early detection and treatment of disease in men. In 2016, the month of November gave health care providers, the media and individuals an opportunity to encourage men and boys to seek medical advice and early detection for disease. The response was overwhelming this year with MOvermer and XL Catlin Man on the Run which are events that fund men's health programmes which are provided annually by Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre.

MOVEMBER - \$50,739

This year marks the sixth Annual Movember at Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre. In 2016, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre partnered with the Robin Hood Football Club as the Movember ambassadors to gain more awareness for men's health during the month. The trophy awarded to the top corporate fundraising team went to HSBC finance and the non-corporate fundraising team was Robin Hood Football Club. With the support of our sponsors, Robin Hood Pub and Restaurant, Gillette, and The Cutting Room, our MoBros, MoSistas, and MoTeams we were able to raise \$50,739 to help bring radiation therapy to Bermuda and raise awareness for men's health. This month long event encourages men to take an active role in their health.

XL CATLIN MAN ON THE RUN - \$24,954

The XL Catlin Man on the Run aims to raise funds for the awareness of men's health issues, specifically prostate and testicular cancer. Funds raised by this event support Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's men's health programmes, providing uninsured and underinsured men in our community financial assistance to receive health check ups, cancer detection tests such as prostate biopsies and treatments. Funds raised this year supported Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's Radiation Therapy Initiative. This year \$24,954 was raised through this incredible initiative sponsored by XL Catlin.





The funds raised through MOverner and XL Catlin Man on the Run supported the radiation therapy initiative along with two other programmes in 2016:

FREE MEN'S HEALTH SCREENINGS

This year, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre had almost 200 men attend the 5th Annual Free Men's Health Screening event. The premise of the one day event, is to provide health services to all men in Bermuda who are normally unable to afford them. Thanks to the support of Government Health Departments, numerous charities, private physicians and corporate sponsors, men had access to the following:

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|------------------|------------------------|
| Blood Pressure | Body Composition |
| Blood Glucose | Nutrition |
| Skin Analysis | Foot Exam |
| Lung Function | Protein Testing |
| Dental Screening | Physician Consultation |

DOCTOR VOUCHER PROGRAMME

There are no free health clinics on island for men, leaving a void that needed to be filled in the community. This year, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre continued to offer the doctor voucher programme to men who are uninsured/ under-insured and unable to afford a doctors visit. The voucher allows these men access to physician's island wide with \$150 of the cost being subsidized by Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre. In 2015/2016, the programme was an incredible success as close to 200 men were able to visit their doctor when they wouldn't have otherwise been able to. The vouchers were given out at the Men's Health Screening event and as per request by the individual.





\$48,000 DONATED ST. BALDRICK'S

Since 2005, the St. Baldrick's Foundation has funded more than \$178 million in research grants to find a cure for childhood cancers. In Bermuda, a number of organisations and individuals came together to shave for the cause that supports childhood cancer research. The St. Baldrick's Foundation kicked off its 10th annual head shaving event at Saltus Grammar School where more than 110 students, staff, and relatives participated in the event. Saltus participants raised close to \$250,000. The Docksiders event also raised over \$186,000. Warwick Academy held their second annual, raising almost \$60,000, and Mount St. Agnes held their first annual even, raising over \$27,000.

The events raised money for children's cancer research overseas, with \$48,000 of the funds being allocated to Bermuda Cancer and Health's SunSmart programme, a school and summer camp based programme teaching sun protective behaviours. Non-profit hairpiece maker, Locks of Love, also benefitted as several students, relatives, and teachers donated their hair to provide hair pieces for children with long-term medically related hair loss.



WORLD CANCER DAY 100 SECONDS OF SILENCE



World Cancer Day is recognized every year on February 4th. The theme for 2016 was “We can. I can” which explores how everyone, as a collective or as individuals, can do their part to reduce the global burden of cancer. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre, partnered with PALS, Friends of Hospice and The Bermuda Hospitals Board to spread the message. The goal of the day was to reach and impact as many people in Bermuda by encouraging them to join us in 100 seconds of silence at noon, both in offices and homes, to honor the 100 people that were lost in 2014 to cancer. As a tight knit community, everyone has been affected by cancer, whether it being themselves, a friend or a family member. Just by making lifestyle changes like not smoking, eating healthy and exercising, we can all decrease our chance of getting cancer by 45%.



WHY WORLD CANCER DAY IS IMPORTANT

- Currently, 8.2 million people die from cancer worldwide Every year, out of which, 4 million people die prematurely (aged 30 to 69 years)
- World Cancer Day is the ideal opportunity to spread the word and raise the profile of cancer in people’s minds and in the world’s media

**WORLD
CANCER
DAY 2016
BERMUDA**



IN BERMUDA...

300 PEOPLE
ON AVERAGE ARE DIAGNOSED
WITH CANCER EACH YEAR

100 PEOPLE
AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE
WHO DIE OF CANCER

62 WOMEN
WERE DIAGNOSED WITH
BREAST CANCER IN 2015

56 MEN
WERE DIAGNOSED WITH
PROSTATE CANCER IN 2015



EDUCATION & AWARENESS

SUNSMART PROGRAMME

SUNSMART MISSION

To Increase the awareness of Bermuda's youth about the importance of practicing SunSmart behaviours in order to reduce their risk of developing skin cancer in their lifetime.

UV INDEX MONITORING

July 2014, marked the official launch of the UV Index monitoring by the Bermuda Weather Service (BWS). The SunSmart programme played a significant role in education and public awareness of this important surveillance. In 2015, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre assisted BWS in obtaining its very own UV Radiometer. Bermuda now has accurate recordings of the UV Index in real time that is available to the public to view on the BWS website. A Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the two parties was signed in 2016, in order for us to continue to work closely with BWS to provide consistent up to date UV Index readings and awareness to the general public.

FUNDING

The SunSmart Programme is funded by the St. Baldrick's Foundation with a generous \$48,000 donation every year. Due to this funding, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre is able to reach the thousands of students, to educate them on skin protection and recognise potentially dangerous changes in their skin.

ABOUT THE SUNSMART PROGRAMME

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre is Bermuda's leading advocate in working towards nationally accepted sun protection policies within our schools, clubs, camps and workplaces. As the only organisation on the island dedicated to providing sun safety awareness and education for the community, the programme is incredibly important. Our popular Slip! Slap! Slop! Seek! Slide! campaign is successfully helping to reduce sun exposure and teaching children to protect themselves against an increased risk of skin cancer. On average, the programme is delivered to 40-50 preschools and primary schools island wide each year, as well as a number of middle schools and high schools.



SUNSMART SUMMER CAMP ACCREDITATION

Introduced in 2010, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's summer camp accreditation programme remains in high demand. Participating camps receive free sunscreen and bucket hats for their campers. Camps that complete the accredited programme and fulfill all requirements are awarded accreditation by Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre for documented and observed sun safety measures at their individual camps.

AMERICA'S CUP ENDEAVOUR PROGRAM

This year marks the second year of Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's partnership with The America's Cup Endeavour Program which is a youth sailing and education program for children aged 9-12. Over the next year, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre will provide weekly presentations, hats and sunscreen, with the potential of the youth program continuing beyond the America's Cup Series.

LUNGSMART PROGRAMME

LungSmart, is a school based programme aimed at reducing the number of school aged children who begin smoking (as measured by the Bermuda National School Survey), and to encourage those who already smoke to become tobacco-free. In 2016, a total of 15 Middle Schools and 20 Primary Schools were visited and the programme was delivered to 366 students.

The LungSmart programme uses a variety of interactive methods including PowerPoint presentations, "Hands on" examination of real pig's lungs, and Role Play to educate students on the many health dangers associated with smoking including persons exposed to second-hand smoke.



LECTURE AND PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre supports the community by participating in Health Fairs and organizing Wellness talks to corporate, government, civic, church and school PTA groups. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre Staff attended a total of 9 Health Fairs and gave 11 Wellness talks during the year. In 2016, there were 4 free public lectures, two were on the HPV epidemic for Cervical Cancer month, one for Melanoma month on Skin Cancer and the other for Breast Cancer Awareness month on Breast Reconstruction. We continue to offer free public presentations and corporate lunch and learns promoting the message that many cancers are preventable, treatable and beatable.

“Research shows that many cancers such as breast, cervical, colorectal, lung, oral, prostate, skin and testicular can be prevented. Our outreach programmes encourage the community to play an active role in their own cancer prevention and early detection efforts.”

**Azuree Williams,
Education Coordinator**



Our library offers a comprehensive and complete guide to all things cancer. Located on the ground floor of the Centre, the library in 2016 offered more than 800 books and DVDs covering a wide range of cancer and health topics. This Library is particularly of interest to those who have recently been diagnosed or know someone who has been diagnosed with cancer. We have a wide variety of books that cater to all different types of cancer.

CANCER INFORMATION SERVICE (CIS)

Residents of Bermuda have access to our free Cancer Information Service, provided through our partnership with the Canadian Cancer Society. Cancer touches many lives and we know that many Bermuda residents have a lot of questions about what it means to them and their loved ones. By simply dialing 232-2247 users will be connected with a trained and knowledgeable cancer information specialist. Cancer information and support options are available such as:

Types of cancer
Cancer treatments and side effects
Clinical trials

Emotional support services
Prevention
Help in the community

Complementary therapies
Coping with cancer

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING



At Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre, we are committed to our mission of early detection, prevention and support. We offer a full range of clinical services provided by our dedicated and highly trained staff.

DIGITAL MAMMOGRAPHY

Digital Mammography remains the gold standard for breast cancer screening and Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre is pleased to offer this state-of-the-art service. Both screening and diagnostic mammograms are offered. Female patients, over the age of 40 years or those with a family history of breast cancer, are encouraged to speak to their doctor about the best screening protocol for them.

BONE DENSITOMETRY

Bone density testing is used to assess the strength of the bones and the probability of a fracture in persons at risk for osteoporosis. The bone mineral density scan is a non-invasive procedure that takes just a few minutes. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre offers one of the most accurate bone density tests available and assists in the diagnosis of bone mineral loss at an early stage.

BREAST BIOPSIES

A breast biopsy is a minimally invasive procedure to remove a small sample of breast tissue for laboratory testing. This on site procedure is designed to reduce the amount of time and anxiety experienced from the moment a potential breast abnormality is detected. Each patient will receive personal and confidential service from our dedicated team of professionals.

PROSTATE BIOPSIES

A prostate biopsy is a procedure in which prostate gland tissue samples are removed with a special biopsy needle to determine if cancer or other abnormal cells are present. This procedure is conducted in our dedicated ultrasound suite.

ULTRASOUND

Ultrasound is a diagnostic tool which is used to assist in the detection of cancer. We offer a full range of ultrasound services such as breast, gynecological, abdominal, testicular, prostate and soft tissue in our Mary-Jean Mitchell Green Ultrasound Suite. Ultrasound guided breast and prostate biopsies are provided also.

For those who are uninsured or underinsured, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre provide free confidential donations to help cover the cost of important screening and diagnostic tests.

CERTIFICATIONS

With our underlying goal to support and improve healthcare service our community, the Centre continually strives for excellence, making improvements to our services and programmes while meeting both international and local standards.

BREAST IMAGING CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre, in 2013, earned the Breast Imaging Centre of Excellence designation from the American College of Radiology (ACR). Since 1987, the ACR has accredited more than 35,000 facilities in 10 imaging modalities. Through the ACR, Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre has earned accreditation in mammography, stereotactic breast biopsy, and breast ultrasound (including ultrasound-guided breast biopsy). Centres designated as an ACR Breast Imaging Centre of Excellence have:

- Voluntarily gone through a rigorous review process to be sure they meet nationally accepted standards
- Employed personnel who are well qualified, through education and certification, to perform and interpret medical images and administer radiation therapy treatments
- Acquired equipment appropriate for the testing or treatment of breast cancer
- Met or exceeded quality assurance and safety guidelines



BERMUDA NATIONAL STANDARDS CERTIFICATIONS

The Bermuda National Standards Committee created a set of best practice standards for Bermuda's non-profits, charities and quangos who would like a process that allows them to demonstrate a high standard of practice which exceeds the basic requirements. The certification process involved a detailed review and analysis of our organisation's administrative operations against international standards of best practice for charitable organisations. Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre has successfully earned this certification.



DONATIONS

To the following companies, organizations and families for supporting Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre throughout 2016, we **THANK YOU** for choosing us as the recipient of your incredible generosity.

CORPORATE MATCHING

Corporate matching gifts are a valuable way for supporters of Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre to boost personal contributions to our charity. Many companies provide matching donations thereby doubling, tripling or quadrupling the personal donation made by their staff.

Allianz Risk Transfer Ltd.
Allied World Assurance Company
AMLIN Bermuda
Appleby
ARCH Reinsurance
Argo Group
Argus Group
Aspen Bermuda Limited
Bacardi International
Chubb Foundation
Colonial Group
Creative Touch Preschool
Endurance Specialty Insurance
FIL Limited
Ironshore Insurance
OIL Insurance Limited
PartnerRe Limited
RenaissanceRe
Validus Services (Bermuda)
XLCatlin
Zurich International (Bermuda) Ltd.

UNION DUES

Many employees opt to designate their union dues to support a charity of their choice.

Bermuda Government
Bermuda Hospitals Board
Cambridge Beaches
Elbow Beach Hotel
Link Bermuda
Newstead Belmont Hills
Pompano Beach Club
The Reefs

HONOUR ROLL

Their philanthropic support helped to improve patient care, the purchase of cancer detection equipment, and funding for cancer prevention programmes. These donors contributed over \$2,000 each during the 2016 fiscal year.

A.P. Moller (Bermuda) Limited
Bacardi International
Bolton Charitable Foundation
IAS Charitable Trust
Helios Foundation
PartnerRe
Securis Investment Partners LLP

HONOURING OTHERS

Making a charitable donation in the name of a loved one is a meaningful way to give for any occasion. Such as, gifts in lieu of celebrating survivorship, birthdays and anniversaries.

Ella Grace Goodchild
Joeseph E Silva & Ray Mackdol & Daisy Dill

CHARITABLE GIVING IN MEMORY

Charitable donations can be made through gifts of life insurance, outright gifts of cash, pledges, securities, and bequests in wills.

Audrey Williams
Dorothy Davis
Elsie L. W. Johnson
Fredricka Jabbar
Marie Bennet
Mr. Smith

RADIATION THERAPY INITIATIVE

Through the Capital Campaign launched in 2016, charitable donations were made by corporate entities that contributed over \$5,000 each.

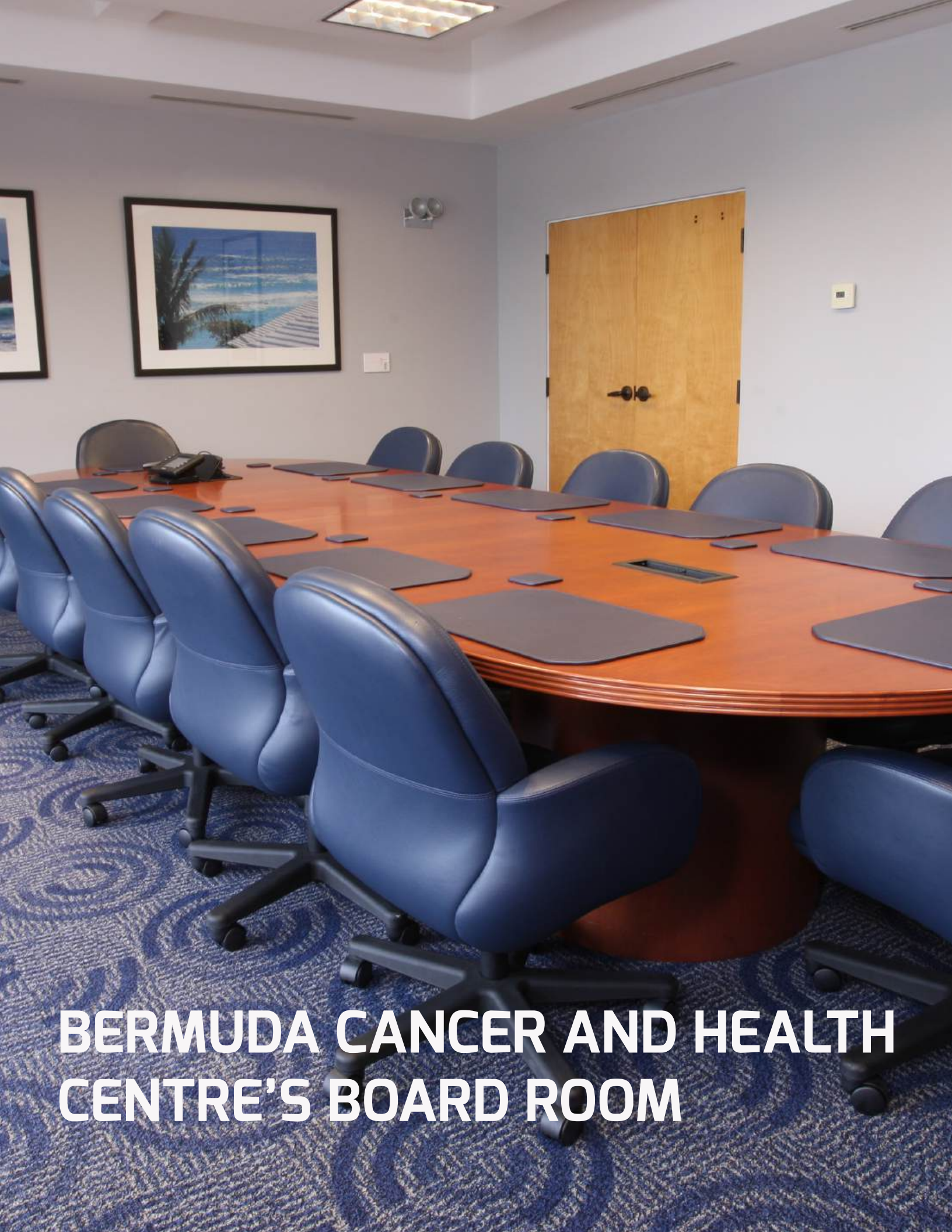
Bank of Bermuda Foundation
BF&M Insurance Company
Chubb Foundation
HSBC Bank Bermuda Limited
Butterfield and Vallis
UBP Asset Management
Orange Bay Co.

SPONSORS & SPECIAL SUPPORTERS

These special groups of people worked hard in 2016 to raise funds either through sponsorships or special events/donations.

Chrissy Wetherhill & Bosom Buddies
Cedarbridge Academy
North Village Community Club
A.S. Coopers
Christ Church Warwick
Relay For Life Teams and Sponsors
Bermuda Timing Systems Ltd.
Freisenbruch-Meyer
Saltus Grammar School
BF&M Insurance Group
Gorham's Limited
St. Baldrick's Foundation
Butterfield & Vallis
XL Catlin
KPMG
Gibbons Company
Managing Information Technology
Renegades Rugby Club
Robin Hood Football Club





BERMUDA CANCER AND HEALTH CENTRE'S BOARD ROOM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

DRAWING ON EXPERTISE

Bermuda Cancer and Health Centre's volunteer Board are very much involved with the success of the organization. Each person on the Board plays a crucial role in ensuring the centre's success.



GLEN GIBBONS

Board President since 2008

Finance & Investment Committee
Senior Vice President
BF&M Ltd.



JUDY WHITE

Vice President since 2007

Finance & Investment Committee
President
CTFS Bermuda Ltd.



JENNIFER HOWARTH

Appointed 2007

Chairman of Governance &
Compliance Committee
Litigation Attorney
MJM Ltd.



WENDY DUNNE

Appointed 2011

Finance & Investment
and Scholarship Committee
Retired Insurance Underwriter



DR. MONICA HOEFERT

Appointed 2016

Clinical Committee
Family Practitioner
Paget Medical Group



LYNDA DAVIDSON-LEADER

**Corporate Secretary
Appointed 2011**

Governance & Compliance
Committee
Vice President of Corporate
Services
BF&M Ltd



LARRY DENNIS

Appointed 2007

Chairman of Scholarship
Committee
Retired Auditor General



DENTON WILLIAMS

Appointed 2011

Chairman of Clinical Committee
COO
BELCO



GARY CARR

Appointed 2004

Governance & Compliance
Committee and Chairman of
Finance & Investment Committee
Director
Delphi



TARA CURTIS

Appointed 2008

Governance & Compliance,
Finance & Investment and
Clinical Committees
Executive Director
Bermuda Cancer and Health
Centre

FIVE-YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Audited by KPMG Audit Limited

December 31, 2016 December 31, 2015 December 31, 2014 December 31, 2013 December 31, 2012

Revenues					
Clinical services	2,608,204	2,719,510	2,698,735	2,870,125	3,005,372
Donations and fundraising	1,075,598	925,384	1,041,465	920,589	723,754
Dividends and interest	28,712	23,266	45,027	42,481	26,185
Other revenue	34,141	18,815	28,655	22,260	5,281
Total revenue	\$ 3,746,654	\$ 3,686,976	\$ 3,813,883	\$ 3,855,455	\$ 3,760,592

Expenses					
Staff expenses	2,000,532	1,944,541	1,844,403	1,952,571	2,054,824
Operating expenses	864,641	872,028	781,805	715,510	633,627
Clinical services	441,488	513,348	391,603	407,672	400,909
Donated services	154,146	128,748	145,649	160,038	118,589
Education programmes	129,968	113,975	192,087	187,035	146,787
Legal and professional	99,114	97,961	93,805	62,705	49,843
Marketing and fundraising	33,472	30,335	39,555	18,189	106,641
Total expenses	\$ 3,723,361	\$ 3,700,936	\$ 3,488,907	\$ 3,503,720	\$ 3,511,220

Excess revenues (expenses)	\$ 23,293	\$ (13,960)	\$ 324,976	\$ 351,735	\$ 249,372
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Assets	11,611,630	7,884,043	7,817,374	7,496,807	7,560,046
Liabilities	7,815,508	4,111,214	4,030,585	4,034,994	4,449,968
Net assets	\$ 3,796,122	\$ 3,772,829	\$ 3,786,789	\$ 3,461,813	\$ 3,110,078
Comprised of:					
Unrestricted net assets	2,446,157	777,847.35	2,730,904	2,437,892	2,011,018
Restricted net assets	1,349,965	2,994,982	1,055,885	1,023,921	1,099,060
	\$ 3,796,122	\$ 3,772,829	\$ 3,786,789	\$ 3,461,813	\$ 3,110,078

The audited financial statements are available on our website or at our offices.



RADIATION THERAPY

OPEN MAY 2017

CANCER REALITY CHECK

EVERY YEAR OVER 300 PEOPLE IN BERMUDA HEAR THE WORDS:

“You have Cancer.”



will be diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime in Bermuda

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TOP 3 CANCERS AMONG

Stats as per Bermuda National Tumour Registry (2015)

BDA MEN

1. Prostate
2. Colorectal
3. Lung

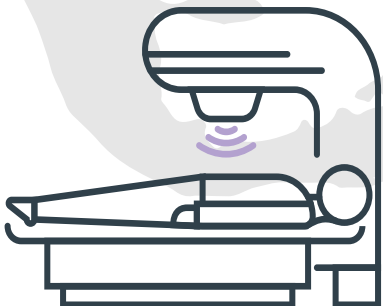
BDA WOMEN

1. Breast
2. Cervical
3. Colorectal



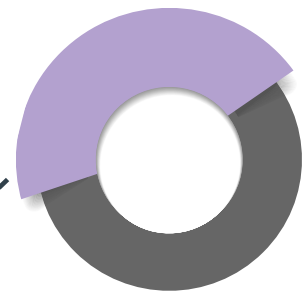
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of all cancers can benefit from Radiation Therapy



45%

of cancers are caused by environmental & lifestyle factors such as smoking, diet & exercise



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