

Your support during our *Virtually Yours Gala* played a Vital Role in making a Special Delivery to our Hospital's Special Care Nursery!

Last September, you took part in *Virtually Yours in Hope, Health & Gratitude*, our Foundation's 23rd annual gala and our first-ever virtual event. Thanks to the generous equipment auction bids we received from gala guests like you, we were able to purchase six new vital sign monitors for our special care nursery.

At St. Joe's we welcome more than 3,650 babies every year, and about 600 of those babies are born prematurely or with health concerns that mean they need a little extra TLC before they can go home. That's when our Special Care Nursery comes in. These monitors help our caring staff in the nursery to keep tabs on the heart rates, oxygen levels and other key health indicators of our tiniest patients.

And now, thanks to you, each baby can have their own monitor. This is especially important amidst the COVID-19 pandemic as we're striving to minimize the sharing of any equipment between patients to stop the spread of the virus. Here's a photo of one of the new monitors that's recently been delivered to the special care nursery – as you can see, they're already hard at work, keeping precious lives safe.

**On behalf of these tiny babies and their families,
thank you again for your generous donation to our gala equipment auction.**



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