

Why We Support Each Other

a difference."

""I have been involved with the employee foundation for many years. I got started when I was asked to be the "Champion" for Willows Center to help raise awareness. At that time, Willows Center became the very first to reach 100% participation as a Super Giver Center.

Shortly thereafter, I was asked to become a Voting Committee member. On the very first call going over the grant requests, my heart was shattered just listening to all the hardships that literally brought tears to my eyes. After being with Genesis Healthcare for over 21 years, I continue to make the Foundation a big part of what I do.. When I was transferred to Parkersburg Care Center, I knew I needed to remind everyone what a valuable resource we have. When I learned my coworker suffered a house fire and lost everything. we quickly filled out a grant application as she had no where to live and had to start over. Within a week, she was awarded a grant to help with new affordable housing

When you think about it, if a person could donate just \$1.00 per pay and there are 26 pay periods, you are only donating \$26.00 a year and its tax deductible. People pay more for a bottle of pop or even a cup of coffee and the feeling one can get in their heart knowing they are helping someone who is truly struggling is something that words cannot express. It's priceless. I am happy to share that Parkersburg Care Center is almost at 100% participation and I thank my coworkers for joining this cause with me. "

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