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Delaware Subaru Supports Healthy Beginnings for Babies with Gift to Christiana Care Health System

(WILMINGTON, Del.—June 7) Christiana Care Health System Trustee Michael Uffner and his team at [Delaware Subaru](#) delivered a generous \$16,000 gift to Christiana Care with proceeds from his dealership’s “Share the Love” campaign to support the special needs of babies in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) and their parents.

“Delaware Subaru is so pleased to support the excellent, high-quality care that Christiana Care provides for babies and their families,” said Michael Uffner, president, chairman and CEO at Delaware Subaru and Auto Team Delaware. “It’s a special way we can contribute to the future of our community.”

The gift marks the third year that Uffner and his team have chosen Christiana Care as a recipient for “Share the Love,” which designates funds from every Subaru sold between November and January to select nonprofits.

“We are grateful for the generosity of Delaware Subaru in supporting the needs of Delaware’s youngest patients and their families during such a critical time in their lives,” said David A. Paul, M.D., chair of the Department of Pediatrics at Christiana Care and clinical leader of the Women and Children’s Service Line.

Christiana Hospital is the only delivering hospital in the state to offer a Level III NICU. The unit, fully equipped with advanced technology and expert neonatal specialists, averages 1,200 admissions a year. Subaru’s philanthropy comes as Christiana Care enhances its Women and Children’s services and builds a state-of-the-art facility at Christiana Hospital, opening in 2020.

About Christiana Care Health System

Christiana Care Health System is one of the country's largest health care systems, ranking as the 22nd leading hospital in the nation and 11th on the East Coast in terms of admissions. The health system includes The Medical Group of Christiana Care, a network of primary care physicians, medical and surgical specialists as well as home health care, preventive medicine, rehabilitation services and patient/family advisors for core health care services. A not-for-profit teaching hospital affiliated with Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University, Christiana Care is recognized as a regional center for excellence in cardiology, cancer and women's health services. Christiana Care has an extensive range of outpatient services and works closely with its medical staff to achieve better health, better access to care and lower cost. Christiana Care is home to Delaware's only Level I trauma center, the highest capability center and the only one of its kind between Philadelphia and Baltimore. Christiana Care features a Level III neonatal intensive care unit, the only delivering hospital in Delaware that offers highest level of care to the most critically ill newborns. Christiana Care includes two hospitals with 1,100 patient beds.

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