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#### **THANK YOU!**

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Other ways to give are available on our website, www.ntcohosp.com. Please click the "Foundation" tab.

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January, March (annual meeting), May,
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# Morton Regional HEALTH FOUNDATION



A quality health care system makes our region stronger and more prosperous.

### About Norton County Hospital & Norton Medical Clinic

Our hospital is a 25-bed critical access hospital and Level IV trauma center, and along with Norton Medical Clinic, provides medical services for residents in Norton County and surrounding northwest Kansas and southwest Nebraska communities. We have 130 skilled employees to assist our medical providers in all levels of inpatient care, a full range of outpatient ancillary services and several visiting physician specialty clinics.

Because of the many services the hospital and clinic continue to provide as they evolve to meet more demands for health care, patients have the convenience of staying close to home to receive they care they need, which also positively benefits the local economy. The hospital's roots trace back to the early 1900s, but it has been named Norton County Hospital since 1945.

Five-year averages show Norton County Hospital will annually:

- Deliver 60 babies
- See 18,700 patients for outpatient services
- See 1,800 patients in specialty clinics
- Attend to 21,400 patient visits at Norton Medical Clinic
- Witness 3,250 days of patient hospital stays
- Provide care for 2,200 emergency visits

Norton County Hospital: Demonstrating the story of a strong past & hope for the future

# About the Norton Regional Health Foundation

The Norton Regional Health Foundation, started in 2016, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that focuses on rural health and health care. The Foundation's mission is to support the enhancement of quality health care for residents of Norton County and surrounding counties. The Foundation aims to support projects of the Norton County Hospital and Norton Medical Clinic, to enable the sustainability of quality health care within the region. Health care access is needed to provide excellent quality of life for individuals and families who live, work, and play in and around Norton County, and also to boost the local economy. The Foundation also aims to help make the "healthy choice the easy choice" among rural communities in the region; this idea of supporting education and changes in policies, systems and the environment to improve overall community health is mirrored by Live Well Norton, a local volunteer-driven coalition that collaborates with the Foundation.

### Example of Funded Project

The Foundation can help enhance the quality of local patient care! Funding health-related projects is important within the walls of the hospital and clinic, as well as in the communities served. For example, just as the Foundation raises money for hospital equipment, it also has raised money to improve physical activity in a new trail along Norton's Armory Drive!

Norton Regional Health Foundation: Continuing the story for future generations

#### Your Role

Individuals can help continue Norton County Hospital's story of excellence in health care by contributing their time and talents, or by contributing treasure.

- Time and talents join in the conversation locally to help raise awareness of the Norton Regional Health Foundation and its mission to support rural health and health care within the region
- Treasure contribute your charitable, taxdeductible donations to help continue our efforts to be proactive in providing for the growing health care needs of regional citizens

#### **Donor Opportunities**

(Turn this panel over for more giving opportunities.)

You: Joining our effort to ensure the sustainability of health care in Norton

Your Name: