IT’S AN EXCITING TIME FOR BURKE REHABILITATION HOSPITAL.

Now in our 99th year, we are continuing the mission set forth by our benefactor John Masterson Burke to ensure that every patient receives high-quality rehabilitative care.

Our dedicated physicians, therapists, nurses and staff come together every day to help ensure that each of our patients makes the fullest possible recovery from a debilitating illness or traumatic injury.

In 2014, Burke Rehabilitation Hospital admitted a total of 2,708 inpatients recovering from a variety of neurological and physical disabilities resulting from stroke, spinal cord injury, traumatic brain injury, orthopedic surgery, amputation, a cardiac event and other diagnoses. Patients receive intensive physical, occupational and/or speech therapy using the latest technology and equipment available.

Our outpatient department served a total of 6,679 patients across the region. The department helps those who are in need of physical, occupational and speech therapies, while also offering special programs such as the Memory Evaluation and Treatment Service, Driver Evaluation Program and Cardiac Rehabilitation.

We now operate six outpatient clinics throughout Westchester and the Bronx, including Yonkers, Somers, Mamaroneck, White Plains and Purchase.

The Burke Medical Research Institute, the research arm of Burke Rehabilitation Center, continues to make strides in rehabilitation research and in 2014 BMRI faculty members initiated various clinical trials, saw their research published in medical journals such as the *Journal of Neuroscience*, and spoke at renowned conferences around the world.

Burke also continues to engage the community with our annual events, including the Burke Award, the 35th annual Wheelchair Games and the Heels & Wheels 5K, as well as various educational programs and talks throughout the year.

We are grateful to our Board of Directors for their leadership and to the generosity of our patients, their families and to the people and organizations that help make the work that we do here at Burke possible.

As we close 2014 and look forward to our centennial anniversary in 2015, we know that our rich history and commitment to the field of rehabilitation will propel us into our next century and allow us to continue to offer outstanding care to all those who come to Burke Rehabilitation Hospital.

MARY BETH WALSH, M.D.
Executive Medical Director
Chief Executive Officer

JOHN RYAN
Executive Director
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In 2014, over $2.2 million dollars was donated to Burke from generous individuals, foundations and corporations through our grateful patient appeals, grants and special events. The following is a list of foundations and donors who contributed at the $2,500 and above level. For a complete list of all donors or if you believe your donation is not reflected in this list, please contact the development office at (914) 597.2348 or visit burke.org/donate.

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PHILANTHROPY AT BURKE

2014 AT A GLANCE

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

**2014**

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**2013**

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<td>Net patient care revenue: $63,332,678</td>
<td>Salaries: $40,727,068</td>
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<td>Other revenue: $9,901,330</td>
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<td>TOTAL REVENUE: $73,234,008</td>
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NET PROFIT OR (LOSS): ($1,381,530)

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MAX GOMEZ  
AMPUTEE PROGRAM

Max Gomez was a senior in high school when he was in a motocross accident that resulted in the amputation of his right leg. But that didn't stop the New Rochelle, NY native, who did his outpatient care at Burke. The now 20-year-old college student—who races in the X Games and has been riding since he was just 4 years old—continues to ride. Here's what Max had to say about his time at Burke:

Why were you at Burke?  
Around 6 months before I attended Burke, I was in a motocross accident that cost me my right foot from the ankle down. Knowing that Burke was the best rehabilitation place in the world, my doctor wanted me to go there.

What was the experience like? 
I would go to Burke right from school a couple times a week. At first I was struggling due to my weak hips and other muscles, but after about a month I began to notice drastic improvements. As I began to feel more comfortable, my therapist and I would go outside to run and do various other activities. Before long I was able to run at a normal pace and began to feel very strong and comfortable with my prosthetic. If I could rate my whole experience at Burke on a scale of 1 to 10, I would most definitely rate it a 10.

Would you recommend Burke to others? And if so, why? 
I would most definitely recommend Burke to others. No matter what age or type of injury a person has, I would suggest attending Burke for rehabilitation. There is no better or faster way to recovery. My injury is considered to be something that takes people many months (if not years) to bounce back from and with the help of Burke I was able to recover in an incredibly short amount of time.

How are you doing now? 
I currently live a very healthy and fun life. Since Burke, I have transferred colleges to Florida Gulf Coast University in Fort Myers, Florida and love it down here. I still continue to ride and race my dirt bike and have been taking it a lot more seriously this year. Motocross requires a lot of “off the bike” training and I am an avid runner. I try to run at least 3 or 4 times a week and exercise in the gym 3 or 4 times a week as well. I can honestly say I would not be where I am today without the help of Burke Rehabilitation.

WILLIAM MAUTNER  
STROKE PROGRAM

“When I first arrived at Burke, the impression I got was just absolute amazement that it ran like such a wonderful machine. Everyone was attentive and I was taken care of. I would be able to practice a golf swing, so I had progressed to a point where it was time to get me back to my old life and not just about doing some of the smaller things. I’m back shooting my old score, which is something I never really believed I was going to do again. There were some breakthroughs here. And there were some high moments. You can’t help but feel great about yourself when those happen. Honestly, the therapists are there for you and cheering your breakthroughs too, which is just reassuring. Life is good, you’re here and you can get better.”

SANDRA DeMICHELE  
BRAIN INJURY PROGRAM

“An AVM exploded in my head and I had two brain surgeries, multiple angiograms and was in a medically-induced coma for 28 days. I got lovely treatment from these people, they were great. I wanted to get back to being able to be a functioning, working mother, parent, wife. In my mind I wanted to do it, but I just physically couldn’t do it. To date as I sit here talking to you, I can do a lot of what I previously did. I’m on the treadmill, I do my weights. Everything that I’ve ever done, I’m almost back to that, and I do thank this place for that.”
2014 HIGHLIGHTS

Burke hosted over 20 events, including a Memory and Brain Health Seminar and an expert presentation on Concussions and the Student Athlete, both of which featured Burke speakers, as well as a talk by Gary Karp, a motivational speaker who discussed thriving through and beyond trauma.

The tagline “Pioneering Rehabilitation” was trademarked.

Burke held its annual Burke Award Dinner, the Hospital’s premier fundraising event. The 2014 honorees were:

» Marc Tessier-Lavigne, Ph.D., President, The Rockefeller University
» J.J. Buchanan, Wellness Coach & Patient Advocate
» Stephen Buchanan, Retired Financial Executive & Former Professional Athlete
» Laurane Magliari, Entrepreneur, Financial Executive & Retired Corporate Executive

Burke held its milestone 35th annual Wheelchair Games. Over 400 people gathered on campus for the event, which gives those with physical impairments an opportunity to compete, stay fit and enjoy sports.

Burke accreditation from The Joint Commission, one of the gold standards for acute care rehabilitation hospitals in the United State, was renewed.

Mary Beth Walsh, M.D., Burke’s Executive Medical Director and Chief Executive Officer received the 2014 Doctors of Distinction Lifetime Achievement Award. Doctors of Distinction 2014 was presented by the Westchester County Business Journal, Citrin Cooperman and the Westchester County Medical Society.

Barry D. Jordan M.D., M.P.H., was named Assistant Medical Director of Burke Rehabilitation Hospital.

Two new physicians joined the Burke team: Justin Hill, M.D., Director, Brain Injury Program and Vincent Huang, M.D., Director, Spinal Cord Injury Program.

The RACE Center, directed Dr. Barry Jordan, was launched. The program offers a comprehensive neurological examination as well as diagnosis and appropriate treatment for retired professional and amateur athletes.

The Burke Hand Cycling program was launched. The program offers participants the opportunity to try a variety of handcycles in a supportive environment, compete in races and more.

Burke was featured in over 100 different media outlets throughout the year, including the Associated Press, Forbes.com, CNN, NBC News, The Journal News and Westchester County Business Journal.

Burke is active on numerous social media platforms including Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram, and Google+, with a steadily growing audience.

Two New York Knicks players visited Burke patients, including Sam Rivera, a patient who experienced a spinal cord injury in the Metro North derailment in December 2013 and is now in a wheelchair.

United States Senator Kristin Gillibrand visited Burke on Veterans Day. While at the Burke Medical Research Institute’s Restorative Neurology Clinic, the senator met with veterans from the Vietnam War, Korean War and World War II. Burke offers free robotic assisted therapy combined with non-invasive brain stimulation for veterans who have experienced a neurological injury.

Burke sponsored a team in the 2014 TCS New York City Marathon. The team, which was made up of family members and friends of Brad Berman, a Larchmont, NY resident and former patient who had a stroke in 2013, raised money in an effort to help fund the lower extremity robotics program here at Burke.

The Burke Auxiliary donated funds for the monitors that went up this past November in buildings all over the Burke campus. The monitors feature events, news, videos and photos from throughout the hospital, research institute and outpatient centers.
LOOKING AHEAD

In 2015, Burke will celebrate its centennial anniversary. At the turn of the last century, New York philanthropist John Masterson Burke saw that the medical community was missing a much-needed interim place where patients could go and convalesce after being discharged from the hospital. With this in mind he left a generous initial endowment and the Burke Foundation was born. In 1912, the late Mr. Burke’s money was used to purchase 61 acres of land in White Plains. The philanthropist’s vision of rehabilitative care became a reality on April 7, 1915 when the Winifred Masterson Burke Relief Foundation, named in honor of his mother, opened its doors.

Today, his mission continues and what began almost 100 years ago with Mr. Burke’s foresight and generosity, has become a lasting legacy ensuring that all patients who come through Burke’s doors make the fullest possible recovery from illness, injury or surgery.

We will be celebrating this milestone throughout the year with a number of special events and programs. A Centennial logo, seen above, will be used on all Burke branded materials and the Centennial Lobby Display, which features Burke artifacts from 1915 through the present, will be open in Wood Pavilion through December 2015. In addition to our signature events such as the Burke Award and Wheelchair Games, special events including a Centennial Medical Symposium will be held in the fall.

We look forward to celebrating our centennial anniversary with you.

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