

## Announcing the Brian Propp Helping Hands Project to benefit Stroke and Brain Injury patients at Magee Rehab



*Therapists Paula and Erin work to help Brian regain the ability to do his signature “Guffaw” as he recovers from a stroke that left his right arm weakened.*

After his discharge as an inpatient at Magee Rehabilitation Hospital, Brian Propp returned home but was still in need of intensive therapy to continue in his recovery from a stroke. Brian was fortunate to be able to participate in the Day Hospital Program at the Magee Riverfront and Wellness Center where he attended each day from 9-3.

### How it Works

Day Hospital offers a comprehensive day of therapy to our patients, enabling them to continue working towards achieving the goals that began as a patient in the hospital. Services offered as a part of this program include:

- Occupational, Physical, Recreation and Speech Therapy
- Art and Horticulture Therapy
- Locomotor Training
- Case Management and Nursing services
- Psychology and Coping Groups
- Group sessions with education and activities
- Planning and execution of a weekly community outing that focusses on therapy goals

In addition to the benefits that patients gain from these services, they have the opportunity to work together with people recovering from similar injuries, sharing milestones and accomplishments, and often building friendships that last beyond their discharge from Magee

# How YOU can help!

There are other patients that could benefit from this program too, the same way that Brian did, but, unfortunately, they don't have the insurance coverage or financial means. This is where the Brian Propp Day Rehab Scholarship can help.

This program costs \$1,000 per day, and most patients attend for 4 to 6 weeks, and then transition to a program consisting of the services they still need, which is usually Physical, Occupational and/or Speech Therapy.

Insurance doesn't usually cover all that is needed, and this is where gifts to the Brian Propp Therapy Scholarship Program can help. You can sponsor a patient for a day, a week, or a month! Scholarship patients will be chosen based on the following criteria:

- They can achieve measurable goals such as returning to work, school, caring for their children, or navigating a day at home without full-time assistance
- They have reliable transportation and home support
- Every insurance option has been exhausted to provide this therapy or, their insurance coverage has been exhausted but they still have gains to make.

**Special thanks to the Handen Family for their very generous gift to kickoff our fundraising campaign!**

## Our Goal

**Our goal is to raise \$100,000 this year to help patients receive this outstanding care as they recover from a stroke or brain injury.**

We welcome the opportunity to discuss how you can contribute through personal gifts or sponsorship opportunities. Gifts can be made by cash, check, credit card, or appreciated securities. Matching gifts are also welcome!

For more information how you can help, please contact Mark Chilutti, Assistant Vice President of Magee Rehabilitation Hospital, at 215-587-3226 or [mchilutti@mageerehab.org](mailto:mchilutti@mageerehab.org).



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