

Signet Society Statement of Intent

I accept your invitation to become a member of the **Signet Society**. As a measure of my commitment, I hereby announce my intent to contribute to Mercy Health Partners as follows:

A total commitment of \$ _____
(minimum pledge of \$10,000)

This commitment is to be met as follows:
(Please describe payment plan: cash, stocks, multiple installments over stated period of time, etc.)

All gifts are tax deductible to the extent allowed by current law and should be made payable to Mercy Health Partners, 1500 Sherman Boulevard, Muskegon, Michigan 49444.

Signature

Date

Please print how you wish your name(s) to appear on our membership list.

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Telephone

Please, I/we prefer to remain anonymous.

Donors receive special permanent recognition on a display in the hospital.

Signet Society \$10,000+ **President's Circle** \$25,000+
Signet Gold \$20,000+ **Legacy Circle** \$100,000+

You are cordially invited to join the *Signet Society*.

As a member of this distinguished and influential group of community leaders, you can help to continue the tradition of local health care excellence that was started more than one hundred years ago. Your gift will profoundly impact the quality of care provided by preserving and improving local healthcare services for the lakeshore communities we serve.

In Appreciation

Members of the Signet Society promote health, life and hope—a rare and valuable legacy.

In appreciation of your generous gift, Mercy Health Partners provides special recognition to you as a member of the Signet Society through the following membership privileges:

- Recognition on a permanent display featuring the names of members (unless anonymity is requested)
- Personal invitations to an annual Signet Society member social and other Mercy Health Partners events
- Acknowledgement of your support in Mercy Health Partners publications
- Timely updates on Mercy Health Partners services and activities.

As romantic as its name, the Renaissance was characterized by the flowering of art, literature and music; and the building of scientific discovery.

It was customary during this humanistic age for the nobility to possess an exquisite seal ring. Often set with engraved gems, the signet ring was used in preference to the king's signature. Its mark was a symbol of endorsement and a promise of authenticity.

With wondrous advancements in medical science and technology, Mercy Health Partners has entered its own Renaissance. The vision of what health care can be and the commitment to nourish this dream has led to fellowship in the Signet Society.

Through the Society's generosity of spirit and deed, Mercy Health Partners has blossomed as a center and a citadel of hope.

The eminence of the Signet Society is reflected in its membership. We invite you to join and lend your own mark of distinction to Mercy Health Partners.

The Signet Society

In response to the importance of recognizing the hospital's most distinguished benefactors, the Mercy Health Partners' Development Council founded the Signet Society. This Society recognizes individuals for their altruistic and generous support of Mercy Health Partners.

Membership Criteria

Membership in the Signet Society is extended to those who make a commitment to Mercy Health Partners of \$10,000 or more. This commitment to health care excellence may be fulfilled immediately or through pledges (payable over a period of time not to exceed ten years). All gifts to the Signet Society are tax deductible to the extent by current law.

Membership is also extended to any donor making a single charitable gift annuity in excess of \$20,000.

The Vital Margin

Contributions to the Signet Society provide the vital margin that enables Mercy Health Partners to be of exceptional service to you, your family, friends, and neighbors. We hope you accept our invitation to join us in our commitment to help ensure that critical healthcare services are available in our community.

For additional information regarding the Signet Society and other giving opportunities, contact the Mercy Health Partners Community Development office at 231.672.3896.