

## Inaugural State of VG Bring Hope and Information to All Staff



CEO Gil Muñoz delivered his first State of VG address to 800 staff members across 17 clinics on Wednesday, June 7. His presentation was broadcast live across all sites in the organization. He highlighted VG's accomplishments over the past 12 months and shared our strategic initiatives for our current fiscal year.

Leading with the theme *Together We Care/Unite Podemos*, Muñoz shared details on the past and the future of VG.

"We have had some great accomplishments in clinical innovations at Virginia Garcia last year as well as some organizational changes aimed at strengthening the company overall," said CEO Gil Muñoz.

Muñoz went on to review the highlights of 2016-17 as well as give insight into the initiatives targeted in the coming year. "By listening to our staff and key community stakeholders, the executive team and our Board of Directors continue to plan for the future of Virginia Garcia. The strategic initiatives of the 2017-2018 year outline the priorities of our organization. They are Access, Quality, Recruitment and Retention, Advocacy and Communication, and Financial Viability."

"My goal for this year is to create a collaborative environment where everyone feels like they are not only important, but they are part of a team that can be a force for good and an instrument of change. I truly believe that juntos podemos, together we can!"

Muñoz plans to continue to communicate with the staff on a regular basis, including quarterly videos that touch on each of these strategic initiatives, providing more detail and updates.

GI's presentation and answers to questions raised during the Q&A will be uploaded to SharePoint in a few days.



## Beaverton Wellness Center Offers Donors the Opportunity to "Meet the Match"



Maybelle Clark Macdonald Fund awards challenge grant for the final phase of the Beaverton Wellness Center Capital Campaign.

If you drive down Cedar Hills Boulevard, it's almost impossible to miss the construction of our new Beaverton Wellness Center. We are on track to open the new clinic in June 2018, with enough space to welcome 6,000 new patients who can access primary care, dental care, wellness classes, pharmacy, and mental health care, all under one roof.

To make this new clinic a reality, we launched a capital campaign to raise the \$7.7 million we need to turn the building's shell into a new clinic. This ambitious campaign was necessary. More people need our care in Beaverton than we can currently serve. Already we've turned every supply closet possible into exam rooms – and our wait list continues to grow.

The campaign kicked off with generous early support from Providence Health & Services, CareOregon and Meyer Memorial Trust. That early support inspired hundreds of individual donors, foundations, and businesses to invest in this project that will serve those most in need in our community for years to come including The Collins Foundation, PGE Foundation, Oregon Community Foundation, Auburn Foundation, ESCO Foundation, Rose E. Tucker Charitable Trust and others.

Last week, we received a major boost from the M.J. Muntz Charitable Trust and the Maybelle Clark Macdonald Fund, bringing our total raised to date to just over \$6.8 million, or 87% of the project budget. In addition to their grant of \$150,000, Maybelle Clark Macdonald generously awarded an additional \$50,000 challenge grant, matching individual donations to this final phase of the campaign.

Here's the way it works:

- If you have donated to Virginia Garcia in the past, your gift of \$50-\$999 will be doubled. (Give \$500, your gift becomes \$1,000)
- If you have donated to Virginia Garcia in the past, your gift of \$1,000 or more will be matched 2:1. (Your gift of \$1,000 becomes \$3,000)
- And if this is your first gift to Virginia Garcia, the Maybelle Clark Macdonald Fund will match your donation of any size 3:1. (\$100 becomes \$400; \$1,000 becomes \$4,000)

You can help us meet the match by donating online [here](#), today. If you have any questions about the new clinic or would like to tour our existing Beaverton clinic, please email [Becky.Lee](mailto:Becky.Lee) or contact her directly at (503) 352-8616.

## Migrant Camp Outreach 2017



Virginia Garcia's Migrant Outreach Summer program kicks off this week.

Next Tuesday a dedicated team of volunteers and staff will load up supplies into the Virginia Garcia mobile clinic and head out to local migrant camps. They will be providing health care to migrant and seasonal farmworkers where they live and work. This van is the only way to ensure that the workers and families that live in these camps have access to comprehensive, culturally appropriate care. The services the team provides include primary care, pharmacy services, dental care, and health education.

Thanks to partnerships with organizations and community members such as Pacific University, the Oregon Food Bank and PCC this program is possible. Ignolia Dwyck, Manager for Community Outreach for the Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center, has been working with migrant and seasonal farm workers for nearly two decades.

"Some of these families come up to me," Ignolia said, "And, they say, 'Do you remember our son?' (who was just a baby when I started working with them) 'He just graduated from college.'"

Diana Delgado, Camp Assistant, started out volunteering with Virginia Garcia's Outreach department when she was a high school student, 6 years ago.

"I stayed on full time after I volunteered for a few summers because this team is amazing and the people you meet are inspiring," said Diana.

If you are interested in visiting a camp or volunteering to help, email [Julia.Thig](mailto:Julia.Thig) or call her directly at (503) 352-8611. The camp visit [calendar](#) for Summer 2017 is available now.

## June Advocacy Opportunity

Our friends at the Oregon Latino Health Coalition need our support with contacting legislators to ask them to support Cover All Kids (SB 608 and HB 2726). This bill, currently in the state legislature, would give health care coverage to 17,600 children in Oregon who are currently uninsured.

All you need to do is [follow this link](#). You can also learn more about [Cover All Kids](#) and the efforts to provide insurance to all the kids of Oregon.

Here you will enter your name and address so that it will find your specific legislators. There is a pre-written email for you to use so all you need to do is press send!



## May Major Donors

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June 22: **Greens of Hope Charity Golf Event** In conjunction with Hitachi Consulting and TopGolf, join us for an amazing event.

**Beaverton Wellness Center Capital Campaign: Meet the Match.** Virginia Garcia has been given the amazing opportunity to increase our capital dollars at an even faster rate. Be part of the future of VG and help us [Meet the Match](#).

July 22: **Grass Adventure Wine Tour and Garden Party** at ROCK HILL. Spend the day touring amazing wineries. Choose from two wine tours and a Garden Party event.

October 7: **Prosperal at Nike's Tiger Woods Center.** Our annual fall gala will once again take place on the Nike World campus at the Tiger Woods Center. This event is an annual fundraiser that is sure to entertain and inspire.



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