

An Ambitious Vision of Health

In 1999, local internist Dr. Russell Sacco had a vision: a free clinic for our community. He believed that healthcare should be available to all members of our community, regardless of their ability to pay—and not just in the hospital emergency room. It was from the persistence and determination of Dr. Sacco and a team of passionate advocates that The Free Clinics was born.

A community of 1,500 volunteers, friends, donors, partners, and advocates continue this work to enable high-quality, person-centered care for our vulnerable neighbors in need.

**The state of healthcare is volatile.
It is up to us to ensure this legacy
for our community.**

“ This is about bridging the gap in the healthcare needs of our community...

With community support and commitment, we can provide superior quality healthcare to those uninsured with continuity and access to support services.

Dr. Russell Sacco
Founder, The Free Clinics



The Free Clinics...

- **ensures access to high-quality healthcare** with 13 clinical programs for our vulnerable neighbors, through the support of over 230 volunteers and 180 health and community partners.
- **promotes prevention and healthy living** with four preventative programs, including health screenings, flu shots, and an innovative, award-winning, peer-led, “contagious” health education program.
- **engages the whole person in their care**, encouraging each patient to set personal goals, and walking alongside patients to meet those goals. TFC offers three programs addressing barriers to health such as transportation, food, and housing.

For additional resources &
information visit:
www.thefreeclinics.org/legacysociety/

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**Our future.
Your legacy.**



A Special Gift *for a cause you believe in*

As a loyal supporter of The Free Clinics, you have demonstrated your personal commitment to the importance of providing high-quality, person-centered healthcare to your most vulnerable neighbors in Henderson and Polk Counties. Now, we hope you will consider a different type of gift — a special gift to The Free Clinics through your estate plans.

Many adults think of estate planning as something important to do — but something that can be postponed. However, working on your estate plans today can have many benefits, including peace of mind from knowing that your wishes will be fulfilled. If you include a provision for The Free Clinics, you will have the added satisfaction of knowing that others in the future will benefit from your generous act today.

The future of high-quality, person-centered, local healthcare for your most vulnerable neighbors depends on you.



The Free Clinics invites you to join **The Russell Sacco Legacy Society**

Please consider including The Free Clinics in your estate plans and becoming a member of The Russell Sacco Legacy Society.

The Legacy Society recognizes supporters who continue The Free Clinics's mission by naming The Free Clinics in their will or other estate plans.

As members of the Legacy Society and in recognition of your deep commitment to high-quality, affordable, person-centered healthcare, you will be invited to special events. You will also receive occasional publications in acknowledgement of your support.

Four Steps for Getting Started

Preparing your estate plans does not need to be cumbersome or complicated. Here are some steps to help you begin:

First, gather information about your assets, including retirement funds, bank accounts, and real property.

Second, think about the people and organizations that matter most to you and how you would like to provide for them.

Third, think about who you would like to serve as your executor or trustee.

Fourth, meet with a professional. If you do not have an attorney in mind, your local bar association can make a referral.

“Your legacy support of TFC will help ensure that our neighbors in need receive the life-saving, life-giving care they need. Thank you for your deep care!”

Rev. Judith Long
Executive Director
The Free Clinics

