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Wear Jeans and Help a Child

Have a desire for casual attire? Do you have the means to wear some jeans?

Miracle Jeans Day will be celebrated at Asante on Wednesday, April 13. Those who donate \$5 or more to the Children's Miracle Network fundraiser will be invited to go casual for the day, with the approval of their unit or department managers.



Employees participating in Miracle Jeans Day may contact their department captains to donate by cash, check, credit card or payroll deduction. Each donation by an Asante employee will benefit the hospital in which he or she works. Donations from employees who work for other Asante entities will be available to help children in units throughout Asante.

A \$5 donation for Miracle Jeans Day can supply 10 diapers for a premature baby, while a \$25 donation can provide five baby blankets.

Since 2009, Miracle Jeans Day has encouraged groups and individuals to trade their traditional work attire for jeans and help raise money for kids treated at their local Children's Miracle Network Hospitals. The event has raised more than \$2 million to help fund live-saving medical needs in Children's Miracle Network Hospitals.

This year's Miracle Jeans Day campaign for Asante employees launched last month, when department captains throughout the organization were identified. Captains met last week at Asante Rogue Regional, and are scheduled to meet this week at Asante Ashland Community Hospital and Asante Three Rivers.

Captains may deliver their completed packets to the switchboard at Asante Ashland Community Hospital, or cashiers offices at Asante Rogue Regional and Asante Three Rivers. Those with questions may contact the Asante Foundation's Kevin Bendaw at (541) 789-5531 or Sue Mendenhall at (541) 789-5998.

One out of every 10 children in North America is treated each year at a member hospital in the Children's Miracle Network. The network includes 170 hospitals and has raised more than \$4 billion to help pediatric patients since 1983.

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