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KeyBank Makes \$300,000 Gift to Fund Move to Buffalo's New John R. Oishei Children's Hospital

Will cover costs associated with the move from Bryant Street to the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus and brings KeyBank and First Niagara Foundation's total commitment to Oishei Children's Hospital to \$525,000

(BUFFALO) – September 28, 2017 – KeyBank is making a \$300,000 donation to Kaleida Health to underwrite all non-labor costs for the upcoming move from Women & Children's Hospital of Buffalo to the new Oishei Children's Hospital on the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus.

"KeyBank's support for this historic move is just the latest example of its deep commitment to Western New York," said Kaleida Health President and Chief Executive Officer, Jody L. Lomeo. "Thanks to their generosity, we will be able to give patients, families and caregivers an optimal experience on move day and help ensure the success of our transition to the new Oishei Children's Hospital."

The move is scheduled to take place on November 10, 2017. In addition to monetary support for transportation, food and comfort kits for patients and their families, dozens of KeyBank employees will serve as volunteers, assisting hospital staff as they move patients and equipment from the old hospital to the new hospital. Between 150 and 200 patients are expected to be moved throughout the day along a predetermined route between the two hospitals, which are 1.2 miles apart.

"The upcoming move from Women & Children's Hospital of Buffalo to the new Oishei Children's Hospital will be a massive undertaking," said Gary Quenneville, Regional Executive for KeyBank in Upstate New York. "KeyBank is very proud to support this landmark event which will usher in a new era of healthcare at one of the finest pediatric facilities in the nation."

"We wanted to take the cost of the move off the table," added Gary Crosby, President of the Board of Directors of the First Niagara Foundation, which KeyBank is partnering with for this donation. "There are upwards of 150 moms, children and infants involved in this extraordinary move that affects our entire community and their safety and comfort is all that matters."

This \$300,000 donation, coupled with previous commitments from both KeyBank and the First Niagara Foundation, increases their total financial support of the new Oishei Children's Hospital to \$525,000.

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About the John R. Oishei Children's Hospital

The Oishei Children's Hospital will replace the current Women & Children's Hospital of Buffalo, which is located on Bryant Street. The historic project will right-size and consolidate services in a 12-floor, 185-bed, free-standing, modern facility on the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus. It will be an integral part of the campus, linking with Buffalo General Medical Center, Gates Vascular Institute and the new Jacobs Schools of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences at the University at Buffalo. Not only will the Oishei Children's Hospital be the link for the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus, but the hospital today – and in the future – will be the only link for comprehensive pediatric health care for Western New York. The Oishei Children's Hospital ensures pediatric and maternal services remain available for patients in the Western New York region. The vision for the new hospital is to be recognized as the innovator, the highest quality, highest value provider and partner and the regional referral center for women and children's healthcare for Kaleida Health, Western New York and beyond. It is the only access point for pediatric critical care, Level III neonatal intensive care and Level 1 pediatric trauma in and around Western New York. The sickest babies and children come to the hospital for care, either directly or through transfers from other hospitals. Without the resources available at Women & Children's Hospital of Buffalo, these young patients would have to travel out of area for care.

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