Dear Friends,

As Roman architect Vitruvius wrote early in the 1st century, “A good building should satisfy the three principles of firmitas, utilitas, and venustas.” Translated this means that a building should be durable (able to remain in good condition), utilitarian (useful and function well for the people using it); and beautiful (serving to delight people and raise their spirits).

Fortunately for us, Albany Medical Center was built on a solid foundation. It has weathered many storms, and yet through it all it has remained strong—ready and able to embrace the thousands of people who enter its doors each day in search of hope and healing.

We are pleased to report that 2010 was a transformational year—a year in which we built on our accomplishments, fortified our areas of strength and established new platforms for growth. Our determination to move forward is motivated by a steadfast determination to drive the standard of care and quality that the nearly 3 million people in our region need, deserve and expect.

The physical transformation that occurred throughout our campus last year was remarkable. Construction flourished and with it brought the unveiling of several new and needed structures, including the Patient Safety and Clinical Competency Center, 50 New Scotland and 40 New Scotland. We also witnessed the demolition of older structures, including the U-Building, so we could make room for the new Patient Pavilion—the magnitude of which is beginning to reveal itself as the earth is excavated and the foundation begins to take form. At the same time, we maximized space within our walls, expanding our bed capacity and opening new units like a step-down Neuro Critical Care Unit and Vascular Intensive Care Unit.

Less structural, but equally important, is the manner in which we further developed our programs and services. We successfully recruited some of the nation’s and region’s top physicians in key areas including cardiology, cardiac and thoracic surgery, gastroenterology, and adult and pediatric neurology. We acquired new technologies and introduced new therapies to tackle such menacing diseases as breast and esophageal cancer, epilepsy and multiple sclerosis. And we continued to secure highly competitive research funding so that we could move forward with our pursuit of knowledge in cardiovascular science; cancer and cell biology; immunology and microbial disease; and neuropharmacology and neuroscience.

Without question, the cornerstone of these achievements is our workforce—7,000 strong—who continually rise to every occasion so that we can deliver the very best, every time, in everything we do. If not for their unwavering service and dedication, we simply could not have come this far.

We are extremely proud of these accomplishments and we are confident that we will continue to deliver on our promise of exceptional patient care, medical education and biomedical research for the health of this region and beyond.

On behalf of all of the families who will continue to benefit from the unique services that only we can provide, thank you for your continued support and partnership. Together, we are building for the future of health care.

Sincerely,

James J. Barba
President & Chief Executive Officer

Wayne Diesel
Chairman of the Board of Directors

WE POWER THE LOCAL ECONOMY.
THIS YEAR OUR ECONOMIC IMPACT IS APPROXIMATELY $2 BILLION—AND THIS NUMBER WILL CONTINUE TO GROW AS WE BUILD FOR THE FUTURE.
Our expansion will further cement our position as the leading provider of quality health care in northeastern New York by providing more medical and surgical beds (thus allowing for private patient rooms throughout the hospital), increased availability of intensive care and pediatric services, and additional operating rooms.

So how then do you build a 325,000 square foot patient pavilion with minimal disruption to the existing adjacent patient care buildings? For an academic medical center that is operational 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year, it’s not easy. It’s a given that we must continue to provide care without interruption. Therefore, every move is carefully orchestrated and every plan flawlessly executed.

With each careful step, we are moving closer to our goal of providing care of the highest quality in the type of state-of-the-art facilities our patients deserve.

We were named one of the nation’s top 50 cardiovascular hospitals (Thomson Reuters) and our cardiac surgery service is considered among the best in the country (Consumer Reports).
ONE GOAL, TWO TRUSTED HOSPITALS

All great plans require ingenuity, innovation and at times collaboration. As Southern Saratoga County continues to grow and flourish, the ability to meet the emergent health care needs of its residents will become increasingly challenging.

To address this most certain demand, Albany Medical Center and Saratoga Hospital are joining forces to provide outpatient care by emergency-trained physicians and staff at a new center conveniently located at Exit 12 of the Northway.

Expected to open in 2012, the blueprints call for a two-story outpatient center at Saratoga Medical Park at Malta, a 140-acre site owned by Saratoga Hospital. The first floor will be devoted to urgent care staffed by Albany Med’s emergency medicine physicians and house critical diagnostic imaging, including magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), computed tomography (CT), x-ray, ultrasound and lab services. The second floor will house physician offices—some of which will be occupied by Albany Medical Center specialists who can provide services currently not available in Saratoga County.

The remaining offices will be occupied by family practitioners and other primary care physicians to help meet yet another increasing need in the area.

ADDRESSING THE SHORTAGE IS A ‘PRIMARY’ GOAL

According to a recent peer-reviewed study by the American College of Physicians, the nation’s top group of doctors, there will likely be a shortage of approximately 40,000 primary care physicians within the next 15 years. The reason is due in part to a health care system that financially rewards procedures more than prevention, despite the importance of both.

Albany Medical College is working hard to reverse this trend. Recognized for a curriculum that emphasizes wellness, prevention and patient education, the College is not only encouraging its students to consider primary care, but educators are also emphasizing the important relationship that exists between a generalist and a specialist for those students interested in other disciplines. A key component of this curriculum is the College’s service learning program. This 40-hour, four-year requirement for the entering Class of 2015 introduces first- and second-year students to the challenges they may someday face. From tobacco cessation counseling and outreach to pregnant teenagers, to mobile crisis visits, to working with people with serious mental disabilities, students are contributing to the care and well-being of patients and their families before they are able to provide actual medical care.

And while the shortage threat remains, the College’s efforts are paying off. Currently, more of our graduating students go into family practice than graduates of any of the other medical schools in New York State. In 2010, just over 50 percent of the graduating class entered primary care residencies, which include family practice, internal medicine, medicine/pediatrics, pediatrics, and obstetrics and gynecology—some of whom chose to stay right here at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

THE RESULT? THE PERFECT PLAN WHEREBY THE GROWING NUMBER OF SOUTHERN SARATOGA COUNTY RESIDENTS WILL HAVE ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY, EXPERT CARE CLOSE TO HOME.
The question at hand is whether there is a link between the neurological condition multiple sclerosis (MS) and a vascular condition known as chronic cerebrospinal venous insufficiency (CCSVI)—presumed to result from narrow veins in the neck and chest that drain blood from the brain in those patients who suffer from both.

The answer could be profound with debilitating symptoms being relieved for thousands of patients who suffer from MS, a chronic and progressive disease.

Driven by the need for knowledge and responding to the desires of patients from all over the country who seek relief, physicians are currently enrolling qualified patients here at Albany Med to test the potential effectiveness of venous angioplasty, a minimally invasive therapy that uses a catheter to expand the narrowed veins leading from the brain. The hope is that it provides a map to understanding what underlies MS and paves new ways toward finding a cure.

EXPANDING VESSELS, IMPROVING FLOW, RESTORING FUNCTION

The 325-member Physician Faculty Practice, the largest physician group practice in northeastern New York, received the highest accreditation from the Accreditation Association of Ambulatory Health Care for meeting and exceeding nationally recognized quality standards.

PREVENTING RECOVERY DELAYS

Just like inclement weather can cause significant construction delays, infections can throw a wrench in recovery for a patient from surgery. Surgical site infections are the third most common type of hospital-acquired infection nationwide. Preventing these costly, painful and sometimes life-threatening infections is the mission behind the work of Drs. Steven Stain and Ashar Ata.

In a study published in the Archives of Surgery, a JAMA journal, they found that high blood glucose levels after surgery may be a major risk factor for surgical site infections. And now they are taking their research further by working to improve quality and outcomes.

Albany Med has designed and implemented new post-surgical protocols to determine whether controlling blood glucose following surgery will indeed have an impact on infection rates. The change involves carefully monitoring insulin levels post-operatively, determining when to intervene with insulin and how much insulin to give.

While the findings are still in development, one thing is certain: Albany Med will continue to proactively fight hospital-acquired infections to ensure that nothing impedes the recovery of our patients.
DECONSTRUCTING THE CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM TO GET TO THE HEART OF DISEASE

For two Albany Medical College scientists, understanding more about the walls of our arteries and veins may hold the key to new treatments for the number one killer in the United States—cardiovascular disease. Drs. Harold Singer and Mohamed Trebak are working with two large government grants totaling $3.5 million to essentially deconstruct the inner workings of the cardiovascular system to understand it at the cellular, molecular and genetic level.

Dr. Singer studies how vascular smooth muscle cells located on vessel walls process signals that stimulate them to grow and migrate (causing lots of damage) in response to vascular injury or disease. Understanding these signals could pave the way for newer drugs or treatments for high blood pressure and heart disease.

While Dr. Singer looks at the processing of calcium signals, Dr. Trebak is focused on the protein channels that these calcium signals use to enter cells and cause disease in the arteries. These channels can be thought of as “doorways” on the surface of smooth muscle cells. These doorways ordinarily open and close to allow calcium inside the cell. However, for an unknown reason, sometimes they go haywire—opening up more often and letting more calcium in, or increasing in number so that instead of just a few “doors” hundreds may be present.

Deconstructing the system will increase our ability to regulate the process, control the flow of calcium and stop heart disease.

LIKE A SINGLE BRICK OUT OF PLACE, CHRONIC PAIN CAN AFFECT FUNCTIONALITY

Pain management is tricky business. Those with chronic pain often face roadblocks including misdiagnosis, receiving the wrong medicine or treatment, and sometimes even dismissal of their complaints. Patients with acute pain must balance pain relief with the real possibility of addiction and other side effects.

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BUILDING A HIGH-TECH PLATFORM

Knowledge is power and the Medical Center is making great strides in helping to empower our health care team with information accessible right at their fingertips—and ultimately, improve patient care. By staying at the forefront of technological advances, we are successfully transforming paper records into processes that are more collaborative, automated, and electronic—one stage at a time.

In the Hospital, the implementation of the electronic health record, Soarian, is moving full steam ahead. This past year, physicians, residents and other credentialed providers began entering their orders into Soarian—with the goal of making handwritten orders a thing of the past. But as is the case with any project, the implementation is being done in phases. We rolled out patient charts, nurses’ and doctors’ notes, and imaging and lab results. Now we have begun the process of electronically charting the actual order process.

For the Faculty Practice, the first wave of the electronic health record, using the AllScripts Touchworks platform, was successfully launched across all departments. Now physicians have access to and the ability to share with each other such critical information as medication and allergy lists, dictation, scans, results, and e-prescribing—at the click of a button.

This is a massive undertaking that will take nearly 10 years to complete. But like any well constructed framework, it will have lasting value for the safety of our patients and the quality of care we provide.
In memory of visionary friend, developer Donald Led Duke, whose contributions to our Medical Center and its surrounding neighborhood helped give rise to the Park South we all appreciate today.

THE CHANGING FACE OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD

Stroll down New Scotland Avenue, or gaze out the windows of the top floors of the Medical Center and see the transformation hour-by-hour, day-by-day. Ongoing construction makes clear that the landscape around Albany Med will continue to change. A hotel with restaurants and a coffee house gives one block a busy, urban feel. Farther down the avenue, contemporary office buildings line one side, housing not only Albany Medical Center administrative and medical offices, but thriving businesses including a bank and pharmacy. Ready to rise on the other side of the street: the Medical Center’s new Patient Pavilion, which is expected to be completed in 2013.

Much like major medical centers in cities like Boston and New York City, the longtime vision of Park South as an energetic and critical neighborhood in the city of Albany is finally being realized. At its heart, Albany Medical Center.
PUTTING THE PIECES TOGETHER TO TREAT LUNG CANCER

Lung cancer is one of the most complex cancers to treat. And not surprisingly, it remains the number one cause of cancer deaths among men and women in the United States. Believing that a coordinated, team approach is the best way to combat this insidious disease, Albany Med formed a Multi-Specialty Lung Cancer Program led by two experts—Dr. Thomas Fabian, chief of thoracic surgery, and pulmonologist Dr. Mark Napier.

Not only are Drs. Fabian and Napier co-directors, they also are responsible for assembling a team that represents key disciplines in the fight against lung cancer, such as radiology, medical and radiation oncology and pathology. Together, the team reviews each case, discusses a patient’s specific lab and scan results, and develops the most effective treatment plan to help stop the cancer’s progression and improve the chances for a better outcome.

Once the treatment plan is in place, a patient is introduced to a dedicated nurse navigator whose chief responsibility is to help guide patients and families through the process and, hopefully, alleviate some of the fear and anxiety that is associated with this difficult diagnosis. As the patient’s advocate, the nurse navigator schedules necessary procedures and appointments, shares information and resources, and is on hand to address the many questions and concerns that patients and their loved ones are certain to have.

BUILT ON A STRONG FOUNDATION OF TEAMWORK, THIS UNIQUE PROGRAM TAKES THE FIGHT AGAINST LUNG CANCER TO ANOTHER LEVEL.

EXPANDING THE USE OF AN INVALUABLE TOOL

For several years, a robot has been aiding our surgeons as they perform delicate maneuvers to perform bariatric surgery, gall bladder and kidney removal and other minimally invasive operations. Now, use of this important tool is being expanded to help urologists perform surgery to treat prostate cancer.

Truth be told, the robot does not really perform surgery. Instead, a robotic arm equipped with laparoscopic instruments and manned remotely by a surgeon serves to help achieve precision. Magnified computer screens enable the surgeon to have a better view of the site being operated on, helping them avoid other nearby, vital structures. In the case of prostate gland removal, this precision and better visualization reduces the risk of side effects including urinary dysfunction or impotence.

Taking a glimpse into the future, robotic instruments may allow surgeons to perform surgical feats thought unlikely in the recent past.
Albany Medical Center is proud of its “firsts,” including becoming the first hospital in the region to offer kidney transplants. No detail was overlooked by program pioneer Dr. Neil Lempert, including establishing a tissue typing program, hiring dedicated transplant nurses, founding an organ procurement center, and establishing a transplant research laboratory. That was back in 1969. Now under the direction of Dr. David Conti and 2,000-plus transplants later, we’re happy to say that our program has evolved from being the first in Albany to being one of the best in the nation. The United States government honored us in 2010 for our successful patient survival rates. Of 260 kidney transplant programs in the United States, ours was one of only six to receive this honor.

Albany Medical Center has a 99 percent kidney transplant patient survival rate at one year, which is higher than the 96.9 percent national one-year survival rate. Even more significant is Albany Med’s 94.66 percent kidney transplant survival at three years, compared to the national average of 84.28 percent. The government also recognized our transplant program in the area of “waitlist mortality,” the number of patients who die waiting for a kidney transplant. Albany Med’s waitlist mortality is 3.2 percent, compared to 5.5 percent for New York State, and 4.6 percent nationwide.

It only goes to prove that if you start with quality materials, your product holds its value throughout the years.
INSULATING THE BRAIN TO PRESERVE ITS GLORY
West Sand Lake resident Kelly Crupi has no memory of the day she went into cardiac arrest at home, but as a registered nurse she can understand the severity of the situation and therefore is very grateful for her full recovery from a medical event that kills or severely disables 80 percent of its victims.

In 2010, Albany Medical Center celebrated the success of its year-old therapeutic cooling program by honoring patients whose lives were saved this past year and the physicians and nurses who provided the care.

Crupi collapsed one crisp fall day after complaining to her mother that she was not feeling well. Fortunately, her quick-thinking mother was able to regain her pulse by administering CPR while waiting for an ambulance to arrive. Taken immediately to Albany Med, Crupi was successfully treated with therapeutic hypothermia—a process by which the body temperature is lowered to a near-hypothermic state in order to prevent or reduce brain damage. While the cause of her episode was not apparent, Crupi recovered with no neurological complications and returned to work as a nurse educator at Hudson Valley Community College.

Albany Medical Center was the first hospital in the region to use therapeutic cooling. Since the revolutionary treatment was put into practice, the survival rate after cardiac arrest is now double what it was before cooling was used. And dozens of lives, like Crupi’s, have been saved.

HELPING HANDS SUSTAIN A COMMUNITY
Service is not just what we provide. It’s inherent in who we are. Our ability and willingness to serve those in need extends beyond the walls of our hospital, clinics and physician offices. From free lectures and health seminars to medical missions in Africa, the lifeblood of Albany Medical Center—its faculty, students and staff—take care of our community and indeed communities around the world in extraordinary and selfless ways.

Take for instance medical student Megan Ash, class of 2014. Megan, a Colorado native who was an active volunteer in her hometown, collaborated with Dr. Ingrid Allard, associate dean for community outreach and medical education, to develop the Medical College’s first “Day of Service” to introduce incoming students to the community they will be a part of for the next four years.

On a sunny Saturday in August more than 175 medical students, graduate students and faculty came out to paint, garden, package food and clean-up green spaces at a number of locations throughout Albany—joining together in service to build a healthier community.

ALBANY MED REDUCES CHEMICAL FOOTPRINT
WHEN OUR DRIVERS DELIVER THE MAIL IN A WHITE FORD VAN OR TRANSPORT MEDICAL PRODUCTS IN THE BLACK CHRYSLER TOWN AND COUNTRY, THE FUEL THEY USE TO GET AROUND IS PARTIALLY “HOMEGROWN” RIGHT AT ALBANY MED. IN 2010, WE BEGAN USING DISTILLED ETHANOL, PREVIOUSLY USED IN OUR LABORATORIES, TO FUEL THESE NEW “FLEX FUEL” VEHICLES.

IT’S A WIN-WIN SITUATION. INSTEAD OF PAYING TO HAVE USED ETHANOL HAULED OFF AS HAZARDOUS WASTE, WE’RE RECYCLING IT OURSELVES, AT SIGNIFICANT SAVINGS. AND, IT’S GOOD FOR THE ENVIRONMENT, TOO.

ALBANY MED TAKES PRIDE IN ITS ROLE AS A “GREEN” MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY. OUR COMPREHENSIVE RECYCLING AND CHEMICAL RECLAMATION PROGRAMS HAVE BEEN LAUDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION AND MORE.

OUR EFFORTS TO PRESERVE THE ENVIRONMENT HAVE EXTENDED TO OUR EXPANSION. ALMOST ALL OF THE MATERIALS (INCLUDING STEEL, WOOD AND PLASTICS) RETRIEVED DURING THE DEMOLITION PHASE ARE TAKEN TO BE RECYCLED FOR USE IN THE CITY OF ALBANY AND THROUGHOUT NEW YORK.
Albany Medical Center is a lifeline to our community. We provide the critical services our patients, physicians, and community hospitals rely on to deliver—24/7. Unique in this region, Albany Medical Center has the highest level trauma center and Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU), the only specialized Children’s Hospital, the only kidney and pancreas transplant programs, and is the only academic medical center within approximately 150 miles.

We are the region’s leading health care provider, with more than half a million outpatient visits and 32,500 inpatient stays. Our neighboring hospitals and health facilities transferred over 6,600 patients here in 2010. With our patient population growing at a rate of 2-3% per year, a growth expected to continue over the next decade, we must expand to meet the increasing health care needs of our 25-county region.

Albany Medical Center has begun construction of a new six-story, 325,000 square-foot Patient Pavilion. The Pavilion will provide 20 new operating rooms, 26 new recovery room stations, 83 new beds, and a new NICU to care for our tiniest patients.

The new state-of-the-art operating suites, equipped with the most advanced surgical technology, will nearly double our existing capacity. New Intensive Care Units will increase our intensive care capacity by 30 beds, and 60 private rooms will accommodate various levels of medical/surgical recovery.

With an entrance from an enclosed second-level footbridge to a spacious concourse, the Patient Pavilion is designed to be a welcoming environment, with visitor reception areas, an information center, and retail booths. Two healing gardens, both visible from all upper level floors, will not only complement this warm environment, but will contribute to our pursuit of Silver LEED (“green”) certification for this new, energy-efficient building.

Albany Medical Center may have outgrown its physical space—but we will never outgrow our community. We are expanding so that we can continue to meet the health care needs of all of our families, friends, colleagues and neighbors. Albany Med is their Lifeline.
HEALING MEMORIES

Our Children's Hospital families are remarkable. That's never more poignantly apparent than when those who have lost their own children generously so that others will continue to benefit from the hospital's exceptional and compassionate medical care.

Diana and David Hannoush established an endowed fund in memory of their son, Michael, who was born with a congenital heart defect and spent four months in the pediatric intensive care unit (PICU) before his little body could battle no more. “The doctors and nurses at Albany Medical became Michael's second family,” David Hannoush says. “While we honor Michael's memory with this gift, we also honor the PICU staff.

There is no enough we can do to thank all they did for our son."

Nick's Fight to be Healed Foundation was formed in memory of Nick Camarrata, a 13-year-old from Clifton Park who passed away from leukemia after a four-month battle. Run by his parents Janice and Luca Camarrata, the foundation raises funds in the community to support the child life specialist at the Melodies Center for Childhood Cancer and Blood Disorders, financially assist local pediatric cancer patients and their families, as well as to provide to pediatric patients with personalized "comfort bags" filled with books, games, music, cozy—anything to help brighten their often lengthy hospital stays.

“We can't help but feel proud of all the effort the community and our volunteers have put into such an important cause,” Janine Camarrata says. “So many families are personally affected by pediatric cancer, and helping are a precious thing to all of us.

These ultimate expressions of gratitude have an extraordinary value to our young patients, and upon all of our families."

A MILLION THANKS

They number 100 strong, the volunteers of the Albany Medical Center Auxiliary—men and women age 30 to 90 who run the thrift shop and host vendor sales, help with blood drives and coffee in the surgical waiting area, play checkers with cardiology patients, and read to children in pediatrics, distribute magazines and good cheer, and in any way provide comfort and assistance to patients and their families.

Many, like auxiliary president Emma Herenda, joined after years of employment at the hospital. “We are thrilled to be able to help,” she says. “We have made it our mission over the years, that we give our time, their hearts, and much, much more. Every auxiliary volunteers raise money through membership dues and vendor sales in order to provide vital resources for patients and families who need short-term emergency financial assistance and also to support Medical Center programs such as Healing Arts, Pet Therapy, and Project Learn."

With their new commitments to the Patient Assistance Fund and the ICU Visitors Lounge in the soon-to-open Patient Pavilion, the Auxiliary’s giving record over its 60-year history has topped $1 million.

Albany Medical Center is pleased to acknowledge the following community and alumni partners whose philanthropy in 2010 has supported our efforts.

Each and every gift is important to us. Space limitations allow us to publish only the names of those donors who made gifts of $1,000 or more.

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The “Partners in Medicine” program recognizes individuals, organizations, and businesses that have made significant contributions to the Medical Center. In 2010, over 80 Partners made up 75% of the total annual giving. In addition, the Foundation was pleased to present Partners Bank, retired radio personality Tom Drayton Weeks, and Albany Medical Editor, ABC News, to a 1969 alumnus of Albany Medical College.
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UNRESTRICTED REVENUES: $864.0 (IN MILLIONS)

- Patient/Service: 89.4% $772.0
- Gifts/Grants: 3.2% $28.1
- Tuition and Fees: 3.7% $32.2
- Other Revenue: 3.7% $31.7

UNRESTRICTED EXPENSES: $833.4 (IN MILLIONS)

- Salaries and Benefits: 56.8% $473.0
- Supplies and Purchased Services: 32.8% $273.4
- Depreciation and Interest: 5.9% $49.4
- Bad Debt: 3.1% $26.1
- Other Expenses: 1.4% $11.5