THE BAILEY FAMILY FOUNDATION DONATES TO TAMPA GENERAL HOSPITAL AMID COVID-19

Tampa, Fla. (May 6, 2020) – The Bailey Family Foundation, an organization focused on supporting the local Tampa Bay community and enhancing post-secondary education, bestowed a $350,000 gift to Tampa General Hospital to assist with needs surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic.

“Tampa is our home. It’s where we’ve chosen to raise families and start businesses. This gift is about trying to do our part to help protect the community we love,” says Kyle Bailey, President of the Bailey Family Foundation and founder of Replay Guitar Exchange. “It’s essential for people to step up and do what they can to support our health care workers in this time of need.”

Tampa General Hospital plans to use the funds for COVID-19 testing supplies, personal protective equipment (PPE), new technology and other needs to support their team members’ “new normal.” While the TGH leadership and clinical teams remain focused on the current COVID-19 response, they are also strategically planning for the long-term care needs of COVID-19 patients and other emerging infectious diseases, and these funds will assist in those future plans as well.

“We are so thankful for the generosity of the Bailey Family Foundation. This gift will help us ensure we have the right resources for the safety of our team members, physicians and patients during and after the COVID-19 global pandemic,” said Frann Richards, Chief Development Officer TGH Foundation.

The mission of the Bailey Family Foundation is to enhance the availability of post-secondary education and to make grants to support our local community. Each year the Bailey Family Foundation awards 2-3 million dollars in college scholarships to rising high school seniors and college students in the Tampa Bay Area. Applicants can apply online at: http://bailey-family.org.

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