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## Learning Together

When fall arrives, with it comes the opportunity to learn new things—and at St. Luke's University Health Network, we are constantly learning. Our goal is to ensure you and your family have access to the best and brightest medical professionals.

That's why we've expanded Temple/St. Luke's School of Medicine, St. Luke's School of Nursing, and our residency training programs. Our students will go on to be doctors, nurses, and allied health professionals in our region. But our employees are students too, constantly acquiring new skills to provide you with exceptional care.

Below are just some of the ways we encourage learning—among our providers, our patients, our students, and generous supporters like you.



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## One Giant Leap for Education

Thanks to a gift from the Air Products Foundation, learners at St. Luke's now have access to a growing network of simulation centers. Hear what Megan Augustine, MEd, Network Simulation Director, has to say about the new leading-edge facility at our St. Luke's Sacred Heart Campus.

[The Very Best Training](#)

## And the Emmy Goes to...

What better way to teach the “average Joe” about important health topics than humorous short video segments? That was the inspiration for *Wellness 101*, an online series created by The Production Pocketknife, LLC in partnership with St. Luke's. The



show was nominated for and received an Emmy Award, proving that health education *can* be a big hit.

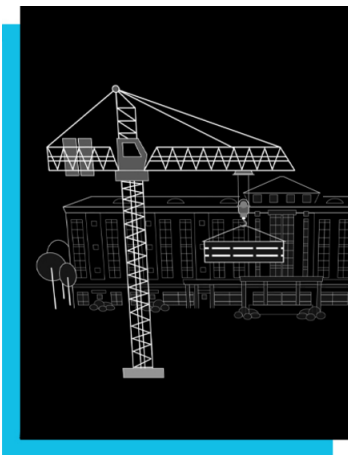
[A Laughing Matter](#)



## A Free Ride to... Medical School?

For many aspiring doctors, medical school feels far from reach due to the staggering cost and years of debt following graduation. To help these future physicians achieve their dreams, St. Luke's recently announced a special program that will provide \$175,000 in tuition assistance for selected students. The result? A *nearly free* medical school education.

[When Dreams Become Reality](#)



## What Exactly *is* a Non-profit?

Non-profit hospitals like St. Luke's benefit communities. For-profit corporations distribute profits to their owners and investors. If you've ever had trouble explaining the difference to friends and family members, or understanding why philanthropy is so important to organizations like ours, this short video will help!

[How We Operate](#)



### Corks & Forks

**September 30:** Today is the last day for you to secure your Corks & Forks sponsorship. This year, Corks & Forks is a “stay home and stay safe” event—but you can still participate and enjoy a glass of your favorite wine while supporting the establishment of a new primary care clinic at The Mountain Center in Tobyhanna.

[Become a Sponsor](#)



### Dinner by Starlight

**November 5:** Even though we will not be gathering in person for this year’s Dinner by Starlight, the stars will still be shining bright. Mark your calendar for this special virtual event to celebrate our Honorary Star, the Allentown Community at Large—along with our Shining Stars, Allentown EMS and the Allentown Fire and Police Departments.

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