

Bartlett Buzz

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What Is an AED and Why Would You Want One?

By Mary Veale



An AED is an Automated External Defibrillator. AEDs are located in several areas on the BRH campus.

Three are in Rainforest Recovery Center, one in Bartlett Outpatient Psychiatric Services, one is in the Administration Building, one is in the Medical Arts Building, and one is in the Emergency Department. They are stored in small wall mounted glass cabinets.



These AEDs are simple enough for bystanders to use to help re-start a heart.

If someone has a medical emergency *inside* the main Hospital Building, we call a Code Blue. Help arrives almost immediately with a crash cart.

If someone has a medical emergency *outside* the hospital building; in a parking lot, RRC, BOPS, Administration Building, Medical Arts Building, bus stop, Bartlett House or Juneau Medical Center; bystanders should start first aid, send someone for an AED and call 911. CBJ Emergency personnel will take over shortly.

Look around next time you are in one of these BRH campus buildings.

Could you find the AED to help save someone in the BRH community?

Shout Out!

- **Rachael Stark** and all the **HIM staff** who have helped out with the validation process!
- Kudos for the fantastic work done by the **BRH staff** on Friday, July 17 in treating the victims of the Wings of Alaska accident!

Men's & Women's Volleyball Season

By Mike Lopez

Are you ready to start thinking about men's and women's volleyball?

It is almost that time of the year again and team registration for the

2015 men's and women's season will take place on **Thursday, August 6 at 5:15 pm in the Assembly Chambers.**

Late team sign-ups will be taken on Friday, August 7 at the Parks and Recreation office (8:00am-4:30pm) with a \$30 late fee.

League play begins Monday, August 31.

Compliance Corner

By Sara Parker

HIPAA! HIPAA! HIPAA!

If you receive notification from a patient, visitor, or member of the public stating that they have received another patient's private health information, please notify the Compliance Officer right away!

We are required by law to review the incident and in some cases, notify the affected patient within a limited time frame.

How to contact the Compliance Officer:

- 1) Call 907-796-8695 (Direct Line)
- 2) Call 907-796-8618 (Hotline)
- 3) Enter an Occurrence Report
- 4) Send an email to brogers@bartlethospital.org
- 5) Place a written statement in the lock box outside the Risk Management office.

It is everyone's responsibility to ensure patient confidentiality.

Compliance Hotline: 796-8618





Thank you AVISTA!

Pat Lynch (AVISTA Foundation), Dennis Vermillion (AVISTA Corporation) and Maria Uchytel (Bartlett Foundation) pose in front of the plaque on the Foundation's Donor Forest wall recognizing AVISTA's generous contribution to Bartlett Regional Hospital Foundation's programs in support of BRH.



Did You Know?

1. There are only 94 days until Meditech Implementation!
2. BRH offers payroll deduction as an option to pay for your hospital services. If employees are interested, they should contact **Latrice Hay** via her BRH email lhay@bartlethospital.org or call her directly at 796-8826.
3. **Bartlett Regional Hospital Board** meetings are open to the public. All Bartlett employees are encouraged to attend when their schedule permits. Board meetings are usually the fourth Tuesday of every month, but be sure to watch your e-mail for announcements regarding changes.

4. You can access **BRH Board calendars, agendas, and meeting minutes** directly from our website at: www.bartlethospital.org/about-us/board-of-directors.aspx.
5. And while you're visiting the website, don't forget to check out past issues of the **Buzz** at: <http://www.bartlethospital.org/about-us/bartlett-buzz-newsletter.aspx>. It's a great way to share BRH news with your friends and families.
6. **Human Resources** extended the deadline for reconsideration requests relating to the recent classification and compensation project. The new deadline is September 21. If you need to look at your position description, you can find it on the W drive at: [W:\Human Resources\Position Descriptions](#). There are department subfolders within that folder. If you can't find yours, give HR a call and they will help you locate it. In the meantime, if you have any questions or concerns, please reach out. They are happy to talk with you about the study and the associated impact for the position you are in.

