

About The DAISY Foundation

The DAISY Foundation was established in 1999 by the family of J. Patrick Barnes who died of complications of the auto-immune disease Idiopathic Thrombocytopenia Purpura (ITP) at the age of 33. (DAISY is an acronym for diseases attacking the immune system.) During Pat's 8 week hospitalization, his family was awestruck by the care and compassion his nurses provided not only to Pat but to everyone in his family. So one of the goals they set in creating a Foundation in Pat's memory was to recognize extraordinary nurses everywhere who make an enormous difference in the lives of so many people by the super-human work they do every day.

The DAISY Award is an international program that rewards and celebrates the extraordinary compassionate and skillful care given by nurses every day.

The DAISY and Helping Hands Award

White River Medical Center appreciates and admires nurses and PCTs who go above and beyond the call of duty and make a positive difference in their patients and co-workers alike. With these awards, nurses and PCTs can be recognized and honored for all that they do to make WRMC a great place to work and receive care.



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OUTSTANDING EMPLOYEES
– NURSES & PATIENT
CARE TECHNICIANS...**

**THANK YOU
FOR ALL YOU**

DO!



**Want to Thank Your
Caregiver For
Extraordinary Care?**

**Nominate a Nurse for
The DAISY Award**



**Nominate a PCT for
The Helping Hands Award**



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