



## Message from the Chairman

The Fondation Hôpital de l'Enfant-Jésus Inc. 1988 is an important partner in the improvement and development of health care services within our hospital. That is why the continued support of our community is greatly appreciated. The success of the Foundation depends largely on this partnership. Over the years, more than one million dollars have been turned over to the Enfant-Jésus RHSJ† Hospital to add and enhance health care services provided to our region's residents.

Our annual campaign remains the single most important activity and it is because of the energetic spirit of our volunteers that it was, once again, such a tremendous success. Their approach with the community helped raise awareness and understanding among the residents in the area of the urgent needs of our facility and encourage them to respond favourably to our request for support. Professionals in our hospital will now be able to use the new equipment to provide better health care to our region's residents. Whether the donations were made by individuals, associations, corporations, or within the scope of various activities, our community residents clearly showed that our hospital is important to them.

Our goal for the upcoming year is to pursue our efforts to raise awareness of our Foundation and meet the pressing needs of our facility.

The Foundation understands the importance of the role of the hospital staff in helping provide superior quality care. That is why the Foundation is happy to recognize their contribution by offering a bursary fund to support their professional development.

In closing, I would like to thank the members of the Board of Directors and of various committees, and everyone who, over the past year, played a part in helping to improve health care services within our community.

Donat Bertin

Chairman of the Board of Directors

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