



Atlantic
Health System

Foundation for Hackettstown
Medical Center

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is the schedule for the event?

5:00 pm - Activities will begin in the Community and Kids' tents with live entertainment, snacks, children's activities and a special arrival by Santa (at approximately 5:15 pm).

6:15 pm – Our honorees (John Johnson and Dr. Paul Dierlam) and HMC leaders will welcome the crowd.

6:30 pm – A countdown by everyone in attendance will light up the HMC campus, immediately followed by fireworks, which will mark the conclusion of the outdoor portion of the event.

7:00 pm – Sponsors with tickets will enter the indoor private sponsor reception in the lobby of HMC.

Who can attend the outdoor portion of the event (5:00 pm – 7:00 pm)?

Everyone is welcome, however, children 13 and under must be accompanied by an adult. Due to the nature of the event, pets/non-service animals are not permitted. There is no fee to attend the outdoor portion of the event.

Who can attend the Private Sponsor Reception at 7:00 pm?

All donors who have purchased sponsorships of \$750 or more will be invited to attend a private sponsor reception in the hospital, immediately following the fireworks. Tickets are required to attend and individual tickets will not be available for purchase.

I'm a business – how can I get involved?

This event is a great way to get your business or organization name out to a large audience and show your community/holiday spirit. Consider purchasing one of our sponsorship opportunities. Visit www.atlantichealth.org/HolidayLights and click on "View Sponsorship Opportunities."

I'm not a business, but I want to show my support and be part of this event – how can I do that?

You can express your support by donating a Lighted Tree, a Holiday Wreath, an Honoree Congratulatory Listing or a String of Lights in honor or in memory of a loved one. Visit www.atlantichealth.org/HolidayLights and click on "View Sponsorship Opportunities."

Is the event handicap-friendly?

Yes, including the availability of handicap-accessible portable restroom facilities.

Will restrooms be available?

Yes, we will have several portable restroom facilities, including a handicap-accessible unit and a stand-alone handwashing sink.

Where do I park?

When you arrive, members of the Hackettstown Police Department will be in front of the hospital, ready to direct you to the entrance for parking. Once on our campus, please follow signs and direction from our parking volunteers. There is no fee for parking. We ask that you be especially careful, as there will be many pedestrians on our campus that night. If you want to be here for the fireworks, we recommend that you plan to arrive by 6:00 pm to allow plenty of time for parking.

What if it rains...or snows? Will the event be cancelled?

We had a rainy night last year, but the entire event (including the fireworks) still went on as planned. It will take a major weather event for the outdoor portion of this event to be cancelled, so consider the event on, rain, snow or shine. Please dress for the weather.

On the rare chance that the event does need to be cancelled due to the weather, it will be announced that afternoon on WRNJ radio.

If you're interested in volunteering to help on event day, or, if you have questions that aren't answered in these FAQ's, please call the Foundation office at 908-850-6876, or email hmc.foundation@atlanticealth.org.