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PITTSBURGH MERCY PARTNERS WITH NFL TO SUPPORT INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

PITTSBURGH, PA — [Pittsburgh Mercy](#) is proud to announce a meaningful collaboration with the NFL, bringing together volunteers and community partners to make a lasting impact beyond the football field. Through this joint effort, teams assembled donation kits to support individuals served by [Pittsburgh Mercy's Operation Safety Net](#) and the [Light of Life Rescue Mission](#).

This hands-on initiative focused on providing essential items to individuals experiencing homelessness, helping to meet immediate needs while reinforcing a shared commitment to compassion and community care.

Pittsburgh Mercy extends its sincere gratitude to the [NFL Foundation](#) and Roger Goodell for its generous \$10,000 contribution. This support will help expand outreach efforts and ensure that critical resources reach those who need them most.

Operation Safety Net, Pittsburgh Mercy's award-winning medical and social service outreach program, delivers care directly to individuals living on the streets of Pittsburgh. Partnerships like this one play a vital role in sustaining and growing these efforts.

"We are incredibly thankful for the NFL Foundation's generosity and the opportunity to collaborate on such an impactful initiative," said President & CEO Jaime Dircksen. "Together, we are making a difference in the lives of our most vulnerable neighbors."

To learn more or to support Pittsburgh Mercy, please visit: <https://donate.pittsburghmercy.org>.

About Pittsburgh Mercy

Pittsburgh Mercy is one of the largest community health and social service nonprofit organizations and providers in Southwestern Pennsylvania. It offers help – and hope – to 17,000 of the community's most vulnerable residents, including:

- People with complex behavioral health and physical health challenges,
 - People with intellectual and developmental disabilities
 - People who are experiencing homelessness
 - People who need wrap-around services to live safe, healthy, and well in the community.
- Pittsburgh Mercy's reach extends across more than 90 locations in Allegheny County. It is the largest Integrated Community Wellness Center (ICWC) in Pennsylvania and the only one in Southwestern Pennsylvania. It is a five-time awardee of Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) Certified Community Behavioral Health Center (CCBHC) expansion grants.

Pittsburgh Mercy is a member of [Trinity Health](#), serving in the tradition of the Sisters of Mercy. Its mission is to be a compassionate and transforming, healing presence within its communities.

To learn more about Pittsburgh Mercy or to donate in support of its important work in the community, please visit www.pittsburghmercy.org. Please follow Pittsburgh Mercy on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#).