



Andrew Morgan honored as Man of the Year

Congratulations to Andrew Morgan, director of therapy service for Homecare Dimensions, for raising more than \$150,000 for the San Antonio, Texas, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) Man of the Year philanthropic competition. The donation helps fund LLS goals, including research and support services for people with leukemia, lymphoma, myeloma and other blood cancers. Andrew was honored as Man of the Year at the LLS Grand Finale June 17 at the Tobin Center for the Performing Arts in San Antonio, Texas.

Andrew got involved with LLS after losing a close friend to acute myeloid leukemia in 2012. The friend succumbed to the disease just nine days after being diagnosed. When Andrew was asked to consider being a Man of the Year candidate in August 2021, he readily agreed.

“Coincidentally, it was the same week as the anniversary of my friend’s death,” he said.

Andrew worked tirelessly to raise money during the 10-week fundraising campaign. “It is a team effort,” Andrew said. “My team, the Cancer Destroying Crew, worked with the WellMed Charitable Foundation, throwing an omelet cooking fundraiser and sponsoring a cook-along during which I led participants through preparing a simple three-course meal.”

Other fundraising events included Cocktails for a Cure at Andrew's home, another cook-along and his favorite, a Pie in the Face fundraiser, during which Homecare Dimensions managers throughout its branches agreed to take a pie in the face in exchange for donations.

"I also received generous corporate sponsorships from the WellMed Charitable Foundation, Carenet and the Michael A. Morgan Law Firm," Andrew said. "Our team also received some great individual support from Dr. Rapier, Dr. Laura Suttin and Dr. Shamsa Saleem."

This is the fourth year that WellMed has supported a man or woman of the year. Dr. Laura Sutton was Woman of the Year last year, Dr. Melinda May in 2020 and Vice President of Health Care Economics Jessica Funiestas in 2019.
