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**ANNOUNCING THE 2021 TRI-HOSPITAL DREAM LOTTERY GRAND PRIZE
AND 50/50 PLUS WINNERS**

Lottery supports patient care and research at St. Boniface Hospital, Health Sciences Centre, and HSC Winnipeg Children's Hospital

July 15, 2021 (WINNIPEG, MB) – Two Manitobans can dream bigger today following the 2021 Tri-Hospital Dream Lottery Grand Prize and 50/50 PLUS draws. Manitoba's three cornerstone hospital foundations – St. Boniface Hospital Foundation, Health Sciences Centre Foundation (HSC Foundation), and Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba – teamed up again this year to make one lucky member of our community a millionaire. All while improving patient care and funding research that benefits all Manitobans.

Congratulations to **Grand Prize Draw** winner, Steve Russin of Petersfield, MB, with ticket number 5016375. Russin will choose between a cash prize of \$1.2 million, or one of five home packages each worth over \$1.5 million!

The **50/50 PLUS** winner was also drawn today. Bruce Jacobson, of East Selkirk, MB, with ticket number 5492213 is the winner of the largest 50/50 in Manitoba history, totalling \$1,427,300. Jacobson will take home \$713,650.

"We all benefit from and appreciate the generosity of the many Manitobans who supported this year's Tri-Hospital Dream Lottery," said Karen Fowler, President and CEO, St. Boniface Hospital Foundation, on behalf of Jonathon Lyon, President and CEO, HSC Foundation, and Stefano Grande, President and CEO, Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba. "Ticket buyers are creating the best medical care possible in our province by helping purchase state-of-the-art equipment to treat children and adults in need of immediate and specialized care and by helping fund ground-breaking research discoveries. We are truly grateful for your support."

This year's winners will be published online at trihospitaldream.com starting today, July 15, 2021, and all winners will be notified. Videos of the Grand Prize and 50/50

PLUS draws can be viewed online at trihospitaldream.com and at the lottery's Facebook page facebook.com/trihospitaldream.

Every ticket purchase changes a life. Each year, hundreds of thousands of Manitobans – including children – depend on our hospitals to be there in times of greatest need. St. Boniface Hospital, Health Sciences Centre, and HSC Winnipeg Children's Hospital serve a combined 1 million patients annually – and help deliver more than 11,000 babies each year. And all funds raised by the Tri-Hospital Dream Lottery stay right here in Manitoba.

From labour and delivery to palliative care... we are here for you, and we are here for life.

Funds raised from this year's lottery will go directly toward improving patient care, funding research, and purchasing specialized equipment and technology, which will benefit all the patients that visit our hospitals annually – and all our doctors, nurses, staff, and health care heroes who are working so hard for our province and for all Manitobans.

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