

I CARE RECHARGE 2023 FAQ

What is I CARE Recharge?

I CARE Recharge is an annual effort to highlight, inspire, and motivate all staff members to recommit to themselves to live out our I CARE values on a deeper level.

Why is it important to participate in the I CARE Recharge?

Our I CARE values are the heart of our mission. Our core values of integrity, compassion, accountability, respect, and excellence help us place our patients at the center of everything we do and help us make Houston Methodist a great place to work. This is what sets Houston Methodist apart from other health care systems.

What is the theme this year?

Our theme this year is **“Living our I CARE Values through Connecting with Others.”** We want you to creatively illustrate how you see your co-workers demonstrating the I CARE values. As each of you connect with your patients and co-workers, how do you see our values come to life? This is also an opportunity to connect in real time as you seek to include all your team members on your display. Tell a story, show a picture, or use an object to highlight how you see their values in action.

Who is required to participate in I CARE Recharge?

Every department at Houston Methodist is required to participate.

When is the deadline for the I CARE Recharge project?

Every Houston Methodist entity will participate in the initiative at the same time, with each entity submitting the project by **Monday, February 27th** at noon. **Projects are to be submitted in the Main Atrium.**

Will each department get to see their colleagues' projects?

Yes, we'll display all projects in the Main Atrium the week of **February 27 - March 3** with a final celebration on **Friday, March 3rd at 1:30 p.m.** in the Main Atrium. All projects will be on display at each facility.

Where do I get the supplies?

Spiritual Care will distribute the tri-fold display boards on **Friday, February 3rd**. Each department is responsible for securing/purchasing any other materials used to create the board. You can use photos, objects, or text to create your board.

Is there a limit we can spend on supplies?

We suggest spending a maximum of \$50 on each project.

What must be included on the display board?

Department name, the I CARE values and representation of each team member.

If you have questions or need an additional trifold, please contact 281-274-7164 or email snbowman@houstonmethodist.org. You may also contact Robert Vitela, Director of Spiritual Care, at rrvitela@houstonmethodist.org.