

DOH Funds New MMMC CT Scanner

The Hawaii State Department of Health (DOH) is funding the new MMMC CT Scanner through the Trauma Special Funds. Two key players in securing the funding were **Senator Roz Baker**, who is the main supporter of the trauma special funds and the state trauma system and new **DOH Director Dr. Linda Rosen** who approved the funding.

Once the housing is completed and the new scanner is installed, it will allow physicians to see more anatomical detail in only a fraction of the time that it currently takes with our existing scanner. Faster speeds and better image resolution will allow for rapid examination and treatments for our patients. The newer technology of this scanner also has a significantly lower radiation dose that is delivered to our patients to minimize the risk of developing radiation-related cancers...especially in our pediatric population.

Mahalo to Senator Baker and Dr. Rosen for supporting this crucial improvement.



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