

Denny Lenker

Giving Back



Going Above and Beyond, Where We Work and Where We Live

Denny Lenker, of Gratz, has been a lead CT tech at PinnacleHealth for nine years. His daily approach to his coworkers and patients make him an excellent employee. But more than a model employee, Denny takes his generous attitude out into his community as a volunteer coach for midget football and little league baseball. A lifelong athlete, Denny enjoys volunteering with kids.

“I hope to teach the value of teamwork and good fundamentals. How the boys approach sports is how they should approach life,” states Denny.

Last year, Denny volunteered more than 500 hours in his community as a coach and as Sunday school teacher. This type of community commitment is commonplace at PinnacleHealth. In fact, 700 PinnacleHealth employees volunteered more than 42,000 hours in their communities in fiscal year 2010. The value of these hours is \$1.7 million.

Denny has two children, ages 13 and 10. “Coaching does take a lot of my personal time, but it also strengthens the relationship between me, my son and his friends. My wife and I have a lot of help from our parents. And my supervisor is supportive by adjusting my schedule so I can make practices and games,” explains Denny.

PinnacleHealth employees are our greatest asset. They give 100 percent to their jobs, and then go above and beyond supporting community programs.

Generous Giving

PinnacleHealth Foundation

In fiscal year 2010 PinnacleHealth Foundation received gifts and pledges totaling a generous \$4.7 million. The Foundation distributed more than \$2.88 million to support PinnacleHealth charity care programs and services, medical facilities, state-of-the-art technology and equipment, and medical and patient education.

PinnacleHealth Auxiliary

The PinnacleHealth Auxiliary is a volunteer community organization dedicated to supporting PinnacleHealth System in its endeavors to provide quality healthcare and health education in central Pennsylvania. In fiscal year 2010, the Auxiliary generously contributed \$339,882 toward programs and services, including the Ernest R. McDowell Health Care Scholarship, the Holiday Tribute to benefit the Bailey House, the Children's Resource Center, Rehabilitation Program and Imaging Services, the WomanCare Resource Center and the Strengthening the Lifeline campaign.