

One Night Event

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Earlier this year, the Orlando Health Foundation was host to more than 700 people at the Grand Court of The Mall at Millenia, for a black tie gala to raise awareness and support for Central Florida's only Level One Trauma Center. Despite a challenging economy, ONE NIGHT's guest list has grown for the fourth consecutive year, and the event raised more than \$850,000 for the Trauma Center. CNL was this year's presenting sponsor and our president, Tim Seneff was in attendance to make the ask.

"Dr. Block told me that the survival rate at a level one trauma center is 92 percent versus 70 percent for trauma patients at a traditional emergency room", Tim said. "What if that were you? What if that were your spouse? Your son or daughter? What would you do if your moment came and the trauma center had closed for lack of funding? We almost lost it once, a few years ago. That's why this One Night event exists."

The theme, "All for One Moment", portrayed the remarkable story of trauma survivor, Nate Winters. Nate's life was saved at the Trauma Center after a terrible boating injury caused him to lose over 75 percent of his blood – and ultimately his left leg. Within minutes of Nate's injury, the air medical team rushed him to the Trauma Center. Nearly 20 trauma professionals were ready and waiting the moment he arrived. Nate was rapidly stabilized and underwent emergency surgery for his massive orthopedic and soft tissue injuries.

Today, Nate and his family look back at their night in the Trauma Center not as the night Nate lost his leg, but the night Nate's life was saved.

Jim Seneff has said that philanthropic support for the expansion of our region's only Level One Trauma Center is as vital as the care that the trauma team provides to patients. Cheryl Collins, vice president, Orlando Health Foundation reports, "In addition to significant philanthropic funding for the capital expansion of the Trauma Center, CNL provides tremendous ongoing support through advocacy and organizing tours for which we are immensely grateful."

CNL is proud to support the Trauma Center so that our work family, personal families, friends and loved ones won't have to worry whether care will be available when they need it most.

