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UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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Med school receives gift from Lincy Foundation

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The University of Nevada School of Medicine has received \$100,000 from The Lincy Foundation of Las Vegas for the Landra Reid Center for Women's Health Studies. The funds will be used for capital construction of the education and learning resource building on the medical school's Reno campus, which will house the Landra Reid Center.

The Foundation has supported a variety of community and educational programs, including KNPR public radio, the YMCA, Goodwill Industries and UNLV.

"We are most appreciative of this generous donation for the Landra Reid Center for Women's Health Studies," says Dr. Robert M. Daugherty, dean of the medical school. "The Center is currently the site of an important national study, the Woman's Health Initiative, one of only 40 sites in the country, and is working in borrowed space to conduct the research." The 12-year study will include 164,000 women nationwide, and will study heart disease, cancer and osteoporosis.