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Bladder scanner improves patient care

New diagnostic equipment costing more than £7,000 is set to improve patient care at South Tyneside District Hospital.

The bladder scanner was provided by the League of Friends of South Tyneside Hospitals. Ward manager Joanne Falconer said: "We are extremely grateful to the League of Friends for such a generous donation. This additional bladder scanner for South Tyneside District Hospital will be of huge benefit to patients in our care with medical conditions including heart failure." **ends**

Pictured above: League of Friends Chairman Maureen Young, second from left, and secretary Dorothy Rogers, second from right, with Ward 6 staff, left to right, Staff Nurse Laura Wilkes, student nurse Jessica Johnson and Staff Nurse Sandra Smith

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