



Children's Hospital Boston

Where Your Proceeds Can Go

The Children's Fund

Contributions to the *Children's Fund* enables us to use your gift where it's most urgently needed—to seed promising research not yet eligible for National Institutes of Health support, to cover the costs of caring for children whose families cannot afford our services, or to provide care to low-income, at-risk children in the community.

Restricted Funds

You can designate the proceeds from your fundraiser to any area of the hospital. If you don't have a preference, but would like to restrict your funds, our team can assist you in finding a program/project that is meaningful to you and would have a tremendous impact.

Creating a Fund at Children's

Endowment—minimum \$50,000

- Gifts are made in perpetuity
- Principal will be invested, and income will be spun off into a spending account, at the annual rate of 5%
- The hospital administrator you select to utilize the fund can only spend the 5% interest gained each year on the program/project you specify
- Proceeds from your fundraiser can be put into a holding account until you reach the \$50,000, which must be accomplished in 3-years
- Anyone can give any amount at any time after the fund is opened
- You can add a personal touch by “naming” the fund if you choose
- A report will be sent to you on an annual basis with a fund update, progress on the program/project and plans for the coming year

Current use—minimum \$25,000

- The hospital administrator you select to utilize the fund can immediately access *all* of the money.
- These type of funds typically have a 1-3 year lifespan unless you specify a different timeframe
- Proceeds from your fundraiser can be put into a holding account until you reach the \$25,000, which must be accomplished in 3-years
- Anyone can continue to give any amount to the fund after its opened
- You can add a personal touch by “naming” the fund if you choose

Note: It's always best to identify the needs of the program/project you want to support. Our team will work closely with you and the appropriate hospital staff to obtain that information and determine what will have the most impact.