



Believe In Tomorrow Children's Foundation

A National Leader in Children's Hospital and Respite Housing



WE BELIEVE in keeping families together during a child's medical crisis, and that the gentle cadence of normal family life has a powerful influence on the healing process.

The Believe In Tomorrow National Children's Foundation provides exceptional hospital and respite housing services to critically ill children and their families. We believe that the highest standards of service and unparalleled hospitality help create a unique healing environment. Our exclusive programs bring comfort, joy and hope to children and their families, enabling them to renew their spirits both mentally and physically. Since 1986, Believe In Tomorrow has provided over 800,000 individual overnight accommodations to families with critically ill children, from every state in the U.S. and more than 82 countries worldwide.

“WHAT A GIFT YOU HELP BRING TO THESE KIDS AND THEIR FAMILIES. THE GIFT OF LAUGHTER, SUNSHINE, GREAT FOOD, FRIENDSHIPS AND MOST OF ALL, THE GIFT OF TIME TO BE WITH OUR FAMILIES, ALL TOGETHER IN A PLACE OF LOVE!”



Hospital Housing

Believe In Tomorrow's Hospital Housing program provides overnight accommodations to the families of children receiving treatment at the world-renowned Johns Hopkins Children's Center in Baltimore, Maryland. Whether traveling from the furthest corners of the United States or just a few hours away, families can stay together and support each other during a child's illness while staying at Believe In Tomorrow's housing facilities.

The Believe In Tomorrow Children's House at Johns Hopkins



The Believe In Tomorrow Children's House at Johns Hopkins opened its doors in 1993 through the generous contributions of founders Stewart and Marlene Greenebaum. More than 3,000 volunteers and over 300 companies joined forces with the Greenebaums and Believe In Tomorrow to build and furnish

this "home away from home" for Johns Hopkins pediatric patients and their families. The Believe In Tomorrow Children's House at John's Hopkins provides an average of 2,000 individual overnight accommodations each month, having opened its doors to families from every state in the U.S. and more than 82 countries worldwide. The facility is located just two blocks from the hospital's main entrance and serves as a model for pediatric hospital housing throughout the country.

The Believe In Tomorrow House at St. Casimir



The Believe In Tomorrow House at St. Casimir is the first stand-alone hospital housing facility nationwide to focus exclusively on the long-term housing needs of pediatric bone marrow transplant patients, their parents and siblings. Typically, these patients receive treatment for 60 to 120 days following a

transplant, and they are required to reside within 15 minutes of the hospital. The Believe In Tomorrow House at St. Casimir is situated along Baltimore's historic waterfront in the beautiful community of Canton, just a short distance from the hospital. Families staying in one of the facility's eight apartments can take advantage of the several large common areas, the enclosed garden courtyard and the roof-top deck. They can walk along the waterfront and enjoy the amenities of an upscale community while living in a building that promotes group support during long-term hospital stays and treatment.

Respite Housing

Believe In Tomorrow developed the concept for the very first pediatric respite program in the U.S., which has served thousands of critically ill children and their families since 1986. Respite housing provides these families with the opportunity to escape from the stressful routine of medical treatments at a relaxing mountain or beach retreat facility. Often, this experience is the first time these families can enjoy each others company away from the tensions and anxieties of the medical world. By relaxing in a vacation setting, free of charge, families renew themselves mentally and physically, and create lasting memories together.

Mountain Respites

Believe In Tomorrow House on Wisp Mountain



Located in the heart of the Alleghany Mountains and overlooking beautiful Deep Creek Lake, the Believe In Tomorrow House on Wisp Mountain is an extraordinary, 13-room log cabin that offers families year-round amenities, including snow and water skiing, fishing, swimming, and miles of hiking and

biking trails. The construction of Believe In Tomorrow's first mountain respite home began in 2004 and was completed in just two years, thanks to an extraordinary donation of land from DC Development LLC and a generous contribution of logs from Mountaineer Homes.

Believe In Tomorrow House at Pinnacle Falls



Believe In Tomorrow opened the doors of its fifth respite property, and second mountain-top retreat, in December 2010. The Believe In Tomorrow House at Pinnacle Falls is located outside of Asheville, North Carolina, and boasts 3,300 square feet of relaxation. Situated in a gated community, the fully-

furnished home features three spacious bedrooms, a wrap-around porch, multiple outdoor decks, an outdoor healing garden and a fire pit. Families enjoy area hiking trails, trout streams and a community outdoor pool. The Believe In Tomorrow House at Pinnacle Falls is also the Foundation's second respite property to prioritize military families with a critically ill child.

★ Believe In Tomorrow is expanding our respite housing programs. Plans are underway to build a second mountain facility in Deep Creek, Maryland! ★

Beach Respites

Believe In Tomorrow House by the Sea



Realizing the tremendous need for families to have a peaceful place where they can relax and renew their spirits, Believe In Tomorrow opened the doors of this exceptional two-story, oceanside facility in June 2000. The Believe In Tomorrow House by the Sea is comprised of five-units, each with at least two

bedrooms, one full bath, a kitchen, and dining and living room areas. The large decks are furnished with relaxation in mind and provide a whimsical beach environment for families who stay there.

Believe In Tomorrow House on the Bay



In the summer of 2008, Believe In Tomorrow opened this extraordinary bay-front house, just blocks from the ocean, and designated it as the first respite facility in the U.S. to prioritize military families with a critically ill child. Situated within easy reach of Walter Reed and Portsmouth Naval Hospitals, the

Believe In Tomorrow House on the Bay receives national acclaim for its service to military families.

Believe In Tomorrow House on Fenwick Island



Since 1996, the Believe In Tomorrow House on Fenwick Island has given thousands of children with life threatening illnesses and their families a memorable vacation. This unique, two-bedroom townhome was the first pediatric respite property in the country and is situated on a saltwater pond in a

tranquil section of Fenwick Island, Delaware, just minutes from the Atlantic Ocean. Families can enjoy the community pool and tennis courts or relax and watch evening sunsets over the pond from the home's decorative glassed-in porch.



Military Initiative

The Believe In Tomorrow Military Initiative gives priority to members of the United States Armed Services who have a child with a life threatening illness. Two of the Foundation's respite facilities, the Believe In Tomorrow House on the Bay and the Believe In Tomorrow House at Pinnacle Falls, are dedicated to this initiative. Military pediatric patients and their families are also given priority in all Believe In Tomorrow facilities. Armed Services families with a critically ill child often have a particularly difficult time. Treatment at military hospitals frequently means that families are far from home, without the support of extended family members. Military hospitals often lack the additional support services that surround larger civilian hospitals. And, all too frequently in today's environment, one parent may likely be deployed in the midst of a child's treatment.

Hands On™ Adventures

Believe In Tomorrow's unique Hands On Adventures program acts as an extension of the Foundation's respite housing program to provide once-in-a-lifetime opportunities for critically ill children and their families nationwide.



Through national partnerships with the DIRECTV Blimp, the MetLife Snoopy Blimps, the Professional Bull Riders Inc., and the National Hot Rod Association, children are given VIP treatment, allowing them to look past their illness toward the promise of a brighter tomorrow.

Flying

Believe In Tomorrow children and families have been enjoying invitation-only blimp rides since 1998 through a partnership with The Van Wagner Airship Group. In 2011, the MetLife Snoopy I and Snoopy II blimps began providing blimp rides to children and families as they traveled to various cities. The DIRECTV blimp joined the fleet in 2012, not only providing even more birds-eye view flights, but also airing Believe In Tomorrow's PSAs on the blimp's 2,100-foot LED screen as it flies around the country.

Racing

As guests of the National Hot Rod Association, children are revved up to meet the drivers, participate in pre-race ceremonies, and occasionally test out the driver's seat, just to make sure everything's in working order. Children and families are then invited to watch the races from VIP seating.

Bull Riding

The Professional Bull Riders, Inc. invites children and families to watch the world's 45 top-ranked bull riders in action, where children can place "good luck" handprints on riders' vests and chaps, and get in on the action with a behind the scenes look into the world of bull riding.

Ways to Give

Your contributions enable us to continue expanding our programs and other support services for families in the midst of a child's medical crisis. Donations to Believe In Tomorrow are tax-deductible and can be made in memory or honor of someone special, or can be designated toward one of our program areas.

Donate Land or Property

Donate land or property, enabling us to continue expanding our respite housing program in prime destinations across the country.

Donate a Vehicle

Donate your car, truck, RV, motorcycle or boat - no matter the condition! Donations are tax-deductible and pick-up is free!

Workplace Giving

Matching Gifts: Many companies will match your charitable donation dollar for dollar. Check with your employer to see how you can maximize your gift!

Workplace Giving: Through the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC), as well as many state and local campaigns, government workers can support the work of Believe In Tomorrow through direct payroll deductions.

Grants: Does your employer offer grant funding for organizations like Believe In Tomorrow? Contact us using the information below so we can submit a proposal.

In-Kind Contribution

Make an in-kind contribution of goods or services to help with our building projects and housing facilities. Visit our website to view our current wishlist of items.

Corporate Sponsorship

Become a corporate sponsor by directly contributing to our hospital and respite facilities, providing in-kind support, assisting with marketing and advertising, or sponsoring one of our annual events.

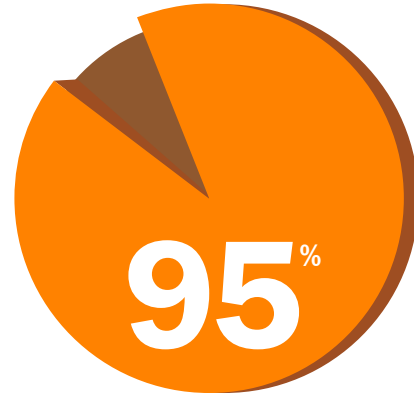
Fundraise

Enlist your network of friends and family to join Believe In Tomorrow's mission. Host an event or celebrate a special occasion to support our programs. Using our new fundraising tool, create and manage your very own page online! Believeintomorrow.org/giving

Fiscal Responsibility

In order to continue our mission, Believe In Tomorrow relies on individual donations, the support of corporate sponsors, and volunteers who donate their time and talents.

- Believe In Tomorrow is a National Better Business Bureau Wise Giving Alliance Accredited Charity, whose National Seal of Approval is a symbol of our dedication to uphold the highest degree of standards to protect the integrity of your contribution.
- Believe In Tomorrow is accredited and certified with The Independent Charities Seal of Excellence through Independent Charities of America, a national federation of charities that participates in federal, state, and local workplace giving campaigns.



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