



An Immune Recovery Center

HELPING EXTRAORDINARY KIDS REGAIN THEIR CHILDHOOD



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Dear Donors, Supporters and Friends:

Those of us on the team for RJ Children's Haven keep each of you in our hearts and minds as we all go through this difficult time in our world.

As we each experience the sense of social isolation during this pandemic, we gain more personal insight into the challenges children who are immune suppressed experience even in "normal" times. These children experience separation from society and loneliness that can affect their self-worth, emotional growth and their ability to heal. They cannot safely go to school, stores, outside recreation, a restaurant, or family gatherings.

Just as our society is working to return to some sense of normalcy, RJ Children's Haven exists to safely bring a sense of normalcy to the lives of children with immune suppression who are battling cancer, chronic disease and other life-threatening illness.

The RJ Children's Haven volunteer medical team, who have worked for decades with immune suppressed children, as well as our founding investors and Executive Board of Directors, are committed more than ever to ensure our mission continues. While our goal was to start construction on the facility this spring, construction has been delayed at least until August due to the pandemic.

We are using this additional time to continue to develop our medical team-directed precautions and protocols to ensure that when we open, the children and staff will be safe in light of the possibility of an ongoing or new health pandemic. We will continue to update our community of supporters once we have a more complete construction timeline and will thoughtfully structure our facility's opening based on local and state health guidelines.

Your contributions are instrumental in supporting the continued operational development of RJ Children's Haven, and we thank you. As you reflect on your own experiences during this pandemic, please consider your ongoing participation with us and a financial contribution to this organization.

Much appreciation,

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On behalf of the RJCH Medical Team and the Executive Board of Directors

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