



Kansas Children's Foundation (formerly Wesley Children's Foundation) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing financial and emotional support to children and families across the state of Kansas. When a child is diagnosed with an illness or injury, it can turn a family's entire world upside down. We are here to alleviate some of the financial burden through Individual Assistance and to offer emotional support to make life a little less stressful

## INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

### ELIGIBILITY

Any child in the state of Kansas 18 years and younger, under the care of a pediatric provider, is eligible for individual assistance.\* If the patient has Medicaid, they need to use those resources first

*\*Individuals with special healthcare needs who are over the age 18, but under the care of a pediatric provider, are also eligible for assistance.*

### ASSISTANCE FUNDED

- Medical equipment, supplies, prosthesis, braces, etc.
- Prescription medication not provided by any other agency
- Wigs needed because of hair loss due to medical procedures
- Nutritive supplements /G tube formula not covered by insurance
- Patient education materials
- Travel reimbursement for medical care (Travel costs are reimbursed upon receipt of invoices / gas receipts. May include gas and hotel stay)

### ASSISTANCE NOT FUNDED

- Eye glasses, dental work/orthodontics
- Doctor, clinic and hospital bills
- Therapy sessions
- Medical procedures
- Auto expenses (purchases, repairs, etc.)
- Utilities / rent

### PROCESS TO APPLY

Contact Nicole Langowski ([Nicole.Langowski@wesleymc.com](mailto:Nicole.Langowski@wesleymc.com)) to determine eligibility for Individual Assistance. If individual assistance is granted, you may be asked to provide one of the following: a letter stating medical necessity from the patient's physician, hospital fact sheet, appointment confirmation, prescription, or travel invoice or gas receipt (for travel reimbursement)

We are unable to guarantee that each request will be funded. All decisions are made by a group of community volunteers and health care providers. To offer wider distribution of funds, a cap is set at \$500 per child for each 12-month term.