



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

ELIGIBILITY

Any child in the state of Kansas, under the care of a medical provider, is eligible for Individual Assistance.* If the patient has insurance, including Medicaid or Healthwave, 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
- Funeral expenses
- Auto expenses (purchases, repairs, etc.)
- Utilities / rent

PROCESS TO APPLY

Applications are available through the Kansas Children's Foundation website at www.kschildrensfoundation.org. Please provide all supporting documents, including receipts or invoices. You may be asked to provide one of the following: a letter stating medical necessity from the patient's physician, a hospital fact sheet, appointment confirmation, prescription, or travel invoice or gas receipt (for travel reimbursement)

Your application is submitted to a committee, composed of health care professionals and Kansas Children's Foundation board members. If approved, you will be notified within 10 days of the request. To offer wider distribution of funds, there is a set cap of \$1,000 per child for each 12-month term.

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