

## Your support matters

Providence Children's Health Foundation

Providence Children's Health Foundation advances Providence's commitment to the health of Oregon's children. We are the bridge between you and Providence caregivers and researchers working every day to improve the lives of children and families.

Among the many results of our donors' generosity, children and young people with profound disabilities and complex medical needs receive round-the-clock expert care. Families and caregivers of children with special health care needs find information, encouragement and assistance. And physicians and researchers pioneer innovative newborn and pediatric medicine to give the next generation a strong start.



## How you can help

Providence cares for more of Oregon's children than anyone else. More than half of these children and their mothers are among our state's most vulnerable citizens. They need your support more than ever before. Here are some areas where your help is needed now.

- **Center for Medically Fragile Children:** Provide children and young people with profound disabilities and complex medical needs with compassionate care at the Center for Medically Fragile Children, including music therapy, massage, specialized equipment and medically-appropriate transportation.
- **Swindells Resource Center:** Assist more than 20,000 families and caregivers of children with special health care needs with peer support, free educational resources and webinars through the Swindells Resource Center.
- **Newborn services:** Enhance care for more than 900 babies each year in Providence's neo-natal intensive care units by providing family supports, safe sleep sacks for newborns, and state-of-the-art incubators for premature infants.
- **Newborn research:** Discover simple ways to ensure babies are healthy from day one through research in newborn brain development, improving breathing and nourishment of premature infants and reducing the U.S. maternity mortality rate, the highest in the industrialized world.

- **Camp Erin:** Comfort children coping with the death of a loved one through professional therapy, poetry, art, music and physical activities at Camp Erin for Grieving Children.
- **Child life specialists:** Help children manage the fear and stress of their own or a family member's illness, injury or hospitalization with the support of certified child life specialists.

## Contact Us

For more information about how you can advance the health and wellness of our community, please contact Diana Fisher at 503-215-2406 or [diana.fisher@providence.org](mailto:diana.fisher@providence.org).

## Providence Oregon

Providence Oregon is a not-for-profit network of hospitals and centers, health plans, physicians, clinics, home health services, and affiliated services operating throughout Oregon. Our caregivers pledge to care for all people who come for services and seek out the unmet needs of those who lack essentials. In total, we serve more than one million people throughout Oregon and southwest Washington.

### OUR MISSION

As expressions of God's healing love, witnessed through the ministry of Jesus, we are steadfast in serving all, especially those who are poor and vulnerable.

### OUR VALUES

Compassion, Dignity, Justice, Excellence, Integrity

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