

Estate and Planned Giving Programs



When you make a contribution to Miami Children's Hospital Foundation, you are helping maintain our reputation as the preeminent leader in pediatric services. In addition, your contribution may be tax-deductible or have other advantages for you and your family. Most importantly – your gift helps establish a heritage of good health for generations of children to come.

As a 501(c)3 charitable foundation, Miami Children's Hospital Foundation provides opportunities for tax-wise financial planning. The Foundation takes pride in the volunteers of its Heritage Society Committee who can offer valuable preliminary information on estate planning. Complimentary estate planning kits are also available upon request.

Education is vital, say MCH nurses

"My brother was involved in a severe accident that required him to be hospitalized for four months. I saw firsthand what nurses do and began to explore the nursing profession. I discovered the vast opportunities open to those who choose this path. Nursing lets me make a difference in someone's life."

- Frank Garcia, LPN

"Nursing is a very demanding job that requires compassion and empathy as well as inner strength and clinical knowledge. For me, nursing offers the opportunity to grow professionally and personally, while playing a key part in a child's well-being."

- Natacha Timmer, RN, BSN



Miami Children's Hospital is a world leader in pediatric healthcare, renowned for excellence in all aspects of care from birth through adolescence. MCH serves children with very specific needs from all over the world, and is the only licensed specialty hospital exclusively for children in South Florida. Founded in 1950, Miami Children's Hospital's mission is clear: "We're here for the children."

We're Here for the Children

"After several years of bedside nursing, I enrolled in graduate school to become an educator. Today, I love the opportunity to teach pediatrics to nursing students, and I hope that my clinical time with them has an influence on their nursing careers."

- Michelle Franco, RN, MSN, ARNP



Supporting Nursing Excellence at Miami Children's Hospital



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The nursing staff at Miami Children's Hospital provides special pediatric care for more than 185,000 young patients every year. At the only free-standing hospital in South Florida exclusively for children, our dedicated, highly educated and compassionate nurses work closely with physicians, and the healthcare team to provide excellence in patient care.

The practice of MCH nursing centers on the needs of the patient and family, and encompasses the child's physical, developmental, emotional, social, cultural and spiritual needs. Their care is grounded in the latest research findings and encourages the advancement of critical thinking skills.

Nursing is both an art and science. Education is integrated into all aspects of MCH nursing practice, including formal programs, participation in professional organizations, and clinical research that continually advance the delivery of nursing care.

The Frida Hill Beck Center

Miami Children's Hospital's Frida Hill Beck Center for Nursing Education and Innovation is dedicated to assisting our nurses in improving their knowledge and skills so they can continue to deliver exceptional care to our young patients and their families.

In 1991, a former board member with sincere appreciation for MCH nursing, presented an endowment gift in memory of his late wife, Frida Hill Beck. Since its establishment, The Frida Hill Beck Center has provided vital support for our nursing staff, including:

- Continuously improving nursing practice through development and integration of new knowledge
- Sharing of information and ideas, both internally and externally
- Supporting activities that strengthen MCH Nursing
- Encouraging nursing research and innovation in conjunction with South Florida academic institutions
- Bringing national speakers to MCH
- Recognizing outstanding nursing students for excellence in pediatric care
- Hosting educational conferences
- Building alliances with area nursing schools

With your help, The Frida Hill Beck Center supports nurses in providing excellence in patient care for children and families.



Your Contribution Is Tax Deductible and Helps the Children

Enclosed is my contribution to Miami Children's Hospital's Frida Hill Beck Center for Nursing Education and Innovation in the amount of:

\$50 \$100 \$250 Other

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the children**

Your tax-deductible contribution to The Frida Hill Beck Center for Nursing Education and Innovation will help ensure the continued excellence of our nursing staff, and the high quality of our hospital's pediatric services.

**Thank you
in advance
for your
support.**

Please mail to:
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Your generosity and support is vital as we strive to sustain our tradition of excellence in pediatric care.

All information will be kept confidential.