

# St. Louis Shriners Stroll into Summer Annual Walk 2022 Toolkit



# Fundraising for the St. Louis Shriners Stroll into Summer Annual Walk

Whether this is your first time fundraising, or you're a veteran, we want to show you just how simple it can be to reach your fundraising goal. To begin, set your goal! Whether your goal is \$500 or \$5,000, adjust the minimum donation amount you're asking of each potential donor and/or increase the number of people you're going to ask.

### **Fundraising Incentives & Swag**

We're making fundraising FUN by offering a few incentives! Please see below and make sure to hit those goals so you can earn some great Walk swag.

Everyone who registers will be entered in a weekly drawing to win gift cards to various stores and restaurants. Drawings will begin on April 25.

Individuals who raise a minimum of \$100 receive:

• Official Stroll into Summer water bottle

Individuals who raise a minimum of \$250 receive:

Official Stroll into Summer Backpack

Individuals who raise a minimum of \$500 receive:

Official Stroll into Summer Cooler

Post pictures and videos of your walk using the hashtag #STLStroll







## So You Want to be a Stroll Team Captain?

Your support allows Shriners Hospital — St. Louis to achieve our goal of providing amazing care to the kids we serve. Another great way to participate is to set up a team. You can motivate each other, challenge your other team members all while fundraising for Shriners. We are here to ensure that you and your team have a fun and successful Stroll!

#### AS A TEAM CAPTAIN, YOUR PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES ARE TO:

- Use our Online Fundraising Tools to create and personalize your own Team Page, send personal emails to recruit team members and raise funds and track online donations.
- Set a goal to recruit at least fifteen co-workers, friends and family members to join your team. There is no limit to the size of your team! Once your team reaches 15 members, you'll get a team sign to carry at the walk.
- Encourage your team members to use our Online Fundraising Tools. Ask them to set up their individual fundraising page and send emails to their co-workers, friends and family members to raise funds.
- Send regular updates to team members and encourage them to set and surpass their fundraising goals. Remind them of the fun swag they can get!
- Share fundraising tips and team progress with your team members.
- Ask your team members to give you any donations received offline and then send them into the St. Louis office.



# **Offline Donations**

Did someone give you a cash or check to support your fundraising efforts? If so, please mail those donations to the address on the right and be sure to include the following information:

- 1. Specify donation is for St. Louis Shriners Stroll into Summer Virtual Walk
- 2. Donation with donor contact information (so we can thank them!)
- 3. Donation amount (if not specified)
- 4. Your full name, team name and email address you used to set up your fundraising page (so we can credit donations to your page)

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For more information and to register, please email lori.odonnell@shrinenet.org or visit StrollintoSummer.org

## 10 Easy Steps to Reach Your Fundraising Goal

Donate to yourself. It all begins with you! Ask 5 local businesses you frequently visit 6 Your first \$50! to donate \$50 each. **\$250!** 

Ask 5 family members to donate \$25 each. Ask 5 members of an organization you belong to donate \$20 each. \$100! Look, there's another \$125!

Ask 10 friends and neighbors to donate Host a fundraising event (bake sale, garage \$25 each. Add \$250 to your total! sale, car wash, etc.)! \$200!

> Ask your doctor, teacher, lawyer, trainer, tutor, etc. to donate \$25 each. \$50!

Ask friends who aren't fundraising to share your link on their social media pages. \$50!

Ask 5 coworkers to donate \$15 each. You just added \$75 to your total! Just in case these asks didn't follow

through, ask your boss for a company contribution of \$100 or more to push you to your \$500 goal!

Total: \$500+

If you're on a roll, keep it going! The following are some tips to get you to \$1000!

Total: \$1000+

Start fundraising for #STLStroll TODAY by visiting StrollintoSummer.org

## Using Social Media to Support Your Fundraising Goal



@ShrinersStLouis



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Tell your fundraising story on social media — let your network know you're participating in the St. Louis Shriners Stroll into Summer Annual Walk!! Share your fundraising goal, why you're fundraising for Shriners Hospitals for Children — St. Louis, and encourage your friends and family to join you!

- Share your progress with us on social media!
- Follow us on Facebook at @ShrinersStLouis and Instagram, at @ShrinersStLouis, and Twitter @ShrinersStLouis.
- Stay tuned for weekly raffle drawings.
- Please make plans to join us on June 4 for our live walk and Family Fun Fest in the hospital parking lot.
- Keep an eye on your email, and our social media pages for details.





# About Shriners Hospitals for Children®



Shriners Hospitals for Children® is a Pediatric specialty hospital system dedicated to improving children's lives through:

- Specialized treatment of orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and facial plastic surgery.
- Committed to providing expert, family-centered care regardless of the patient's ability to pay.
- Innovative research
- Physician education

Delivering the most amazing care through innovative pediatric specialty care, world-class research and outstanding medical education.





#### **Care Beyond Cost**

#### **ORTHOPAEDICS**

We've treated orthopaedic conditions since the founding of our first hospital in 1922. With a large, full-time staff of pediatric orthopaedic surgeons, as well as a comprehensive team of physical, occupational, speech, and other therapists, we are able to provide customized care to each child

#### **SPINAL CORD INJURY**

We were the first health care system in the country to develop spinal cord injury rehabilitation centers designed specifically for children. Our groundbreaking research has led to innovative treatment techniques, providing care that helps children lead a full, active, and healthy life.

#### CLEFT LIP AND PALATE

Our cleft lip and palate reconstruction program gives kids a reason to smile. Each treatment plan is crafted uniquely for the child by a team of experts working together to improve a child's eating, breathing, communication, self-esteem, and appearance.



#### **Engage in Our Care**

**TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS** transport children and their caregiver to one of our St. Louis hospital at no cost.

**OUTREACH CLINICS** provide screenings in underserved communities in the United States and around the globe to help children who can benefit from treatment at Shriners Hospitals for Children. Contact Gail Chellis at 314-692-6437.

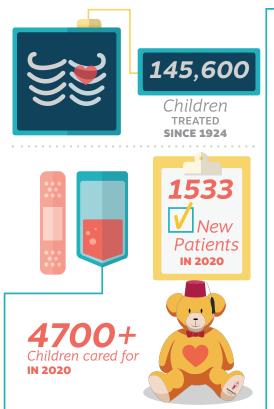


#### How We Use Funds

Shriners Hospitals for Children is dedicated to improving the lives of children, regardless of their families' ability to pay. Your donations will directly support the patients of our Shriners Hospitals for Children locations across the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

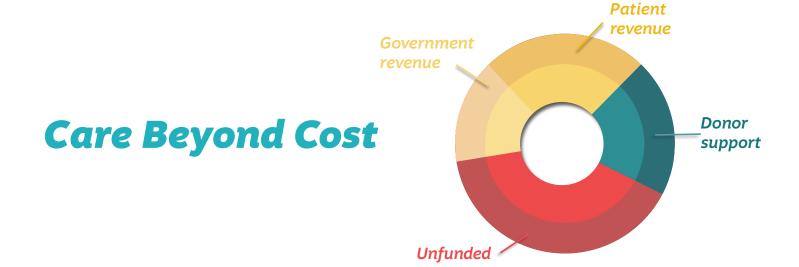
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\$0.82 of every dollar raised directly supports patient care, research and education.