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HOUSE CHARITIES
CENTRAL TEXAS

Celebrating 29 years of helping to improve the health and well-being of children and families in Central Texas and beyond.

Ronald McDonald House Charities® of Central Texas (RMHC Central Texas) is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization that creates, finds and supports programs that directly improve the health and well-being of children. Austin's Ronald McDonald House® and Ronald McDonald Family Rooms® provide a restful, comfortable place for families, creating an oasis of support as their children receive medical treatment in Austin-area hospitals.

Supporting RMHC Central Texas

RMHC Central Texas is funded, managed and licensed locally through its strong network of corporate donors, community leaders, individual donors and volunteers. If you are interested in making a donation to RMHC Central Texas, please visit www.rmhc-austin.org.

Each year, volunteers donate millions of hours to support families and save RMHC Central Texas hundreds of thousands of dollars in operational and administrative costs. Several volunteer opportunities are available. Please visit www.rmhc-austin.org for more information.

Ronald McDonald House

The Ronald McDonald House keeps families together by providing a "home-away-from-home" for families so they can stay close to their hospitalized children. Located near the Dell Children's Medical Center, the House includes 30 private guest rooms, daily home cooked meals, internet access, laundry facilities, video game room and play areas. The Ronald McDonald House is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year and is available to families who live more than 25 miles from an Austin-area hospital.

Ronald McDonald Family Rooms

RMHC Central Texas has three Ronald McDonald Family Rooms located inside St. David's Women's Center of Texas, Dell Children's Medical Center and St. David's Medical Center. The Family Rooms provide a supportive environment where families can rest and regroup in the hospital, just moments away from their critically ill children. A fourth family room will open at Seton Medical Center Austin in 2014.

Healing Hearts

Healing Hearts helps families at their moment of greatest loss -- the loss of a child. The program provides burial assistance to families unable to bear the cost to inter their children. We provide bereavement support groups and co-sponsor a memorial service to celebrate the lives of the children. Families are presented with an engraved river rock to be placed in our memory garden.



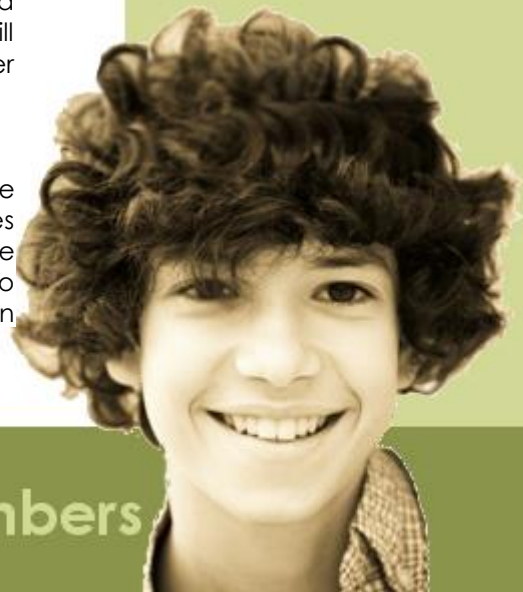
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DID YOU KNOW?

In 2013, the Ronald McDonald House and Ronald McDonald Family Rooms provided **8,101** room nights for **1,565 families** so they could stay close to their children.

Healing Hearts helped **143 families** in 2013 with burial assistance services and bereavement support groups.



Helping families find **STRENGTH** in numbers