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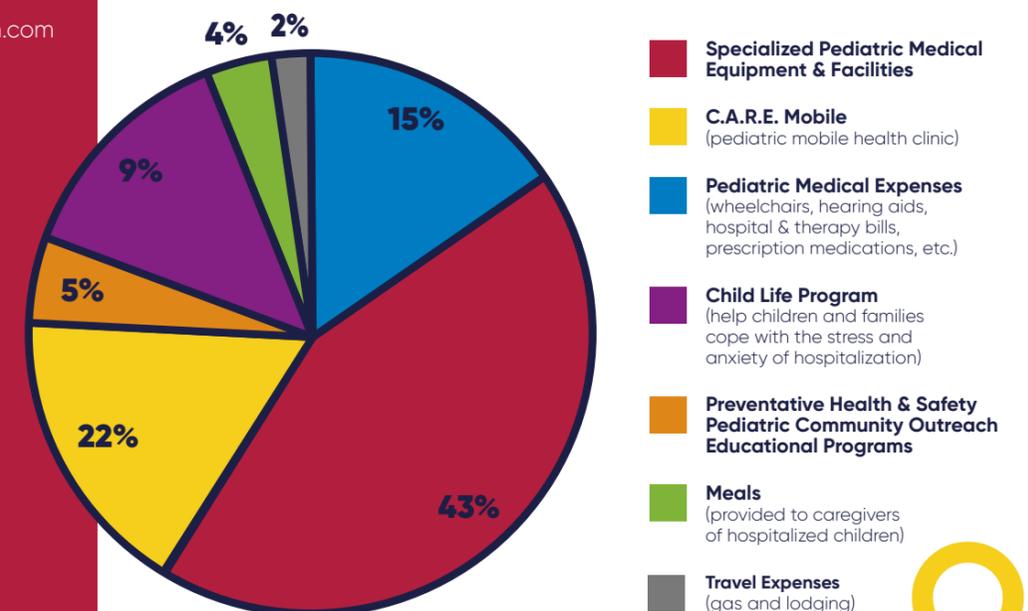
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Over  
**\$2 million**  
raised to  
help kids  
in 2019!

Thanks to generous donors, **\$2,037,008** was raised in 2019 to help local kids and their families through the purchase of life-saving equipment, need-based financial assistance, education and health care.

*"It's incredible to be part of a community that's so giving and supportive," says Tim Siebert, executive director of CMN Hospitals at CoxHealth. "We never want someone to be in situations where they need assistance, but we are so glad to be able to help them when needs arise. We also so appreciate the continual support of the community, as we use the funds raised to support families on an ongoing basis."*



## Hawke's Story

Bright, curious and very active is how Hawke is described by his mother Laura. He is diagnosed with Autism and Hyperlexia which means that he has an incredible talent for reading and displayed it at a very early age. "He could identify letters and read words at age two," says Laura. Although not yet five-years-old Hawke is reading at a 4th grade level. He loves to watch his favorite TV shows in closed caption so he can read along.

Hawke received assistance from Children's Miracle Network Hospitals for special orthotics so he can run and play with his peers. He turns five on March 3 and will attend Kindergarten this fall. Happy Birthday Hawke!

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## Miracle Week Telethon 2019

Presented By:



Many thanks to our donors, sponsors and volunteers who made the 2019 KY3, KSPR, and Ozarks CW Miracle Week Telethon a success raising funds to provide miracles for children who have special medical needs in our community. Our thanks to Gold Sponsors:

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### MSU Students Fundraise For the Kids!



Students at Missouri State University are launching a student-run philanthropy organization to raise awareness and funds for Children's Miracle Network Hospitals at CoxHealth. Dance Marathon is a movement uniting college, university and high school students across the country. Students involved in the campus Dance Marathon organization spend their volunteer time gaining leadership, teamwork and non-profit business experience while supporting the mission of CMN Hospitals to help local kids fighting pediatric illnesses or injuries.

An Executive Board of 16 students are leading the effort at Missouri State and will celebrate their year of fundraising with other students at an 8 hour event on campus on April 25. The celebration will include local families from Children's Miracle Network, games and dancing, entertainment and the big reveal for their fundraising total for this school year. If you would like to support this new event to help our kids, contact us at **417-269-5437**.

### Every Family Campaign Gives CMN Hospitals Families a Chance to Give Back



Our families are so grateful for the help they receive through Children's Miracle Network Hospitals and one way they can give back is through the **Every Family Campaign**. Families who have received assistance can participate by raising funds in honor of their "Miracle Child". Families host fundraising events such a trail ride or establish on-line fundraising through Donor Drive.

Our top campaign for 2019 was in honor of Cade Hampton and his family raised \$2,810! Cade was born premature and CMN Hospitals helped with the cost of his care. Other families who participated: Chloe Frieze and her family raised \$1,100; Jake Martin and his family raised \$800; Dominik Majorahn and his family raised \$575. Thank you to our dedicated families who want to give back!

### Become a Miracle Maker It's Easy to Support Your Children's Miracle Network Hospitals



Making a contribution each month to support the work of CMN Hospitals is easy to do, just ask Reggie Monroe. He became a Miracle Maker monthly donor because he sees firsthand how his contribution helps children when he volunteers at CoxHealth in the Pediatric Unit and Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. His passion for helping children began many years ago when he and his late wife adopted eight special needs foster children. They later started an agency that placed over 300 children into foster homes. "I hope my volunteering and support carry on the work my wife and I were so passionate about over the years," explains Reggie.

You can become a monthly donor and Miracle Maker like Reggie by visiting our website at [www.coxhealthcmn.com](http://www.coxhealthcmn.com) or complete the envelope included for your convenience.



### Meet Vicente's Family

The financial relief that Children's Miracle Network Hospitals has given us has lifted such a burden from our shoulders. The assistance from CMN Hospitals has allowed us to give our son the best medical care he deserves. It has allowed us to go to one of the best and well known osteogenesis imperfecta clinics in the US. CMN Hospitals has provided funding for his hernia repair surgery and has assisted with his water therapy visits at the Meyer Center. Our son will be in and out of hospitals and doctors' offices his entire life. Knowing there is an organization that can allow him to receive the services, equipment, and surgeries that are needed is such a blessing. We will be forever grateful.

### Voices of our Families



### Meet Lane's Family

With helpful resources provided from CMN Hospitals, our family was able to make many trips to Cincinnati Children's Hospital where Lane had multiple airway surgeries and procedures that led him to be trach-free for the past year! Lane still has many obstacles set before him, but that is one huge hurdle we have cleared. Some days we find ourselves scraping the bottom of our spiritual barrels to find some semblance of hope. Other days we convince ourselves that Lane will one day just blow us away with a great surge of improvement. We are his biggest cheerleaders and will continue to keep advocating for what we feel is best for him.

## Calendar of Events

**Jersey Mike's**  
Month of Giving  
March 1-31

**Miracle Market Sale**  
March 24-26

**Jersey Mike's**  
Day of Giving  
Wednesday, March 25

**MSU**  
Dance Marathon  
Saturday, April 25

**McAlister's Deli**  
Month of Giving  
May 1-31

**Wendy's**  
Balloon Campaign  
May 18-June 7

**Medical Mile**  
5K Run  
Saturday, May 30

**Walmart/Sam's Club**  
Fundraising Campaign  
June 22 - July 19

**Championship Golf Tournament**  
Pointe Royale Golf Course  
Branson  
Sunday, June 28

**Wendy's**  
Lemonade Stands  
Saturday, July 11

**Scramble for Miracles Golf Tournament**  
Fremont Hills Country Club  
Monday, July 13

**Wendy's**  
Lemonade Stands  
Saturday, July 18

**Dairy Queen**  
Miracle Treat Day  
Thursday, July 23

Many thanks to our phone bank volunteers who helped during Miracle Week.

