



A WORLD OF
WONDER-FULL
AWAITS!



A Kid Again.
Giving illness a time out

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Being a kid means waking up to endless possibilities and the anticipation of all the adventures that await outside your door. *But when a child gets sick, childhood itself just stops.*

This is the very reason A Kid Again was created.

A Kid Again provides consistent, cost-free, year-round Adventures for children with life-threatening conditions, and their families, to remember what it was to live carefree. We also provide family support, peer-to-peer connections and other resources to help families cope with the extended effects of life-threatening conditions.



Our Mission IS THEIR ADVENTURE



The mission of A Kid Again is to foster hope, happiness and healing for families with a child facing a life-threatening condition by providing year-round, cost-free, group activities designed to take their minds off their daily challenges while creating happy memories.

How We Do It

We accomplish this mission through the dedication of our volunteer network and the generosity of our donors. We strive to go beyond activities, providing comprehensive, practical support to help families cope with the extended effects of life-threatening conditions.



Year 'round fun-filled Adventures that allow children with life-threatening conditions to feel like A Kid Again. A Kid Again works to create a communal and interactive environment. Our program establishes ongoing, nurturing experiences that complement but do not overtake their day-to-day living.

Types of Adventures

These are just some of the fun Adventures A Kid Again hosts:



Collegiate &
Professional
Sports Events



Theme Parks



Zoos



Mini Golf
& Arcades



Holiday
Parties



Adventures
in a Box



Virtual Adventures
at Home

Fast Facts

- ♥ A Kid Again provides consistent, cost-free, year-round Adventures for children and their families, to remember what it was to live carefree.
- ♥ We provide family support, peer-to-peer connections and other resources to help families cope with the extended effects of life-threatening conditions.
- ♥ We serve children under the age of 20 years who are qualified by a medical physician as having a life-threatening condition. Enrollment is easy!
- ♥ Adventures are ALWAYS FREE to our families!
- ♥ Since A Kid Again was founded in 1995, we have grown to serving families in 15 markets with 6 established chapters*:
 - Central Ohio* • Alabama • Maryland/DC/Virginia
 - Northern Ohio* • Delaware
 - Southwest Ohio* • Illinois • New Jersey
 - Indiana* • Kentucky • South Carolina
 - Pennsylvania* • Michigan • West Virginia
 - North Carolina*
- ♥ A Kid Again is growing quickly—we've added hundreds of families, new Adventures, and new markets—just this year!
- ♥ 89% of every dollar donated goes to programs and services for our families.

90% of families said AKA Adventures have strengthened their family during difficult times

94% of families had an experience that was not otherwise possible

97% of kids had a unique experience and a chance to feel special

85% of our families reported enhanced feelings of hope

90% of kids said they feel greater acceptance by others and fear the public eye less

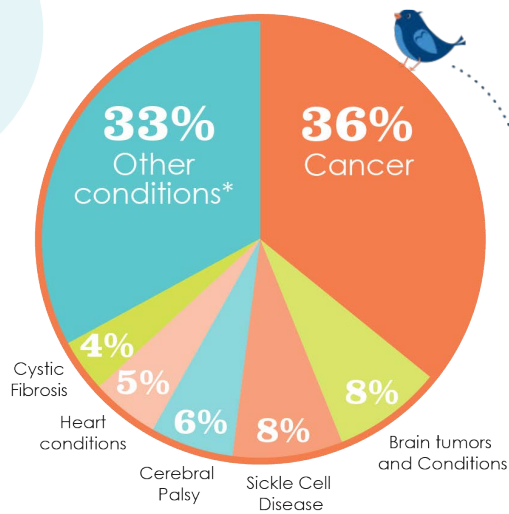
By the Numbers

2,500	The number of families we serve
300,000	The number of people we served since 1995
19,000+	The number of people we served in 2020
1.5M	The number of kids in the US with a life-threatening condition
27,000+	The number of kids in the US diagnosed each year with a life-threatening condition
\$35	The cost per child, per Adventure
\$1,540	The cost per family for a year of Adventures

A Kid Again is like a life-line. Something we can point to each month and look forward to as a family. We make sure to put those events in big red letters on the calendar and it seems to make the yucky medical stuff pale in comparison.

-AKA Mom Cheryl

The Children We Serve



WAYS TO SHARE YOUR BOUNTI-FULL BLESSINGS



Did you know by donating only \$35 you are providing one Adventure for a child in need? *It's really that simple!*

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A Kid Again allowed our family to form great friendships with other A Kid Again families, and the opportunity to have fun-filled days, even when financially we weren't able to do these things on our own.

-AKA Mom of Carter

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As a donor, you are an important part of the A Kid Again family. We encourage you to not only support our mission financially but also join us for Adventures and other events to fully understand the impact of your generosity and meet the families you are supporting.

A number of families we serve are on limited incomes, as they transition to a one-income household, so a parent can make a full-time commitment to caregiving. Seeing the smiles of both children and parents will have you asking, “why didn't I get involved sooner?”

A Kid Again's mission is to foster hope, happiness and healing for families facing this financial strain by providing year-round, cost-free, group activities



designed to take their minds off their daily challenges while creating happy memories.

We will never charge a family to be part of A Kid Again.

Get involved as a donor with A Kid Again and start making a difference in the lives of those who need it most.



\$35	provides ONE Adventure for a child
\$385	offers an entire YEAR of Adventures for one child
\$1,540	allows a family to reconnect at or Adventures for a year
\$2,500	gives 71 children a fun-filled adventure
\$5,000	delivers happiness to 3 families through our Adventurers for a YEAR
\$10,000	provides 285 children the opportunity to smile at an Adventure

BE A SPONSOR

ENGAGE IN PURPOSE-FULL CONNECTION

Let's make Adventures happen! Sponsorship with A Kid Again also offers opportunities for you to **promote your brand at our events and align your company with a reputable non-profit organization** who cares about kids and families.

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Sponsor a Child

Give the gift of Adventure to a child or several children in your community! Parents say Adventures provide an experience that would not be possible otherwise. Give a monthly gift that will help a local family build positive memories that will last forever.

A YEAR OF ADVENTURES

\$385

PER CHILD

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Sponsor a Family

A Kid Again wants to include the whole family, especially siblings, in every Adventure. Our families say Adventures are something positive to look forward to and offer a distraction from routine medical care. Give a monthly gift that will support a family in your community.

A YEAR OF ADVENTURES

\$1,540

PER FAMILY

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Sponsor an Adventure

Our families say A Kid Again makes their children feel special, and as a family they feel closer and stronger.

By sponsoring a specific Adventure, you strengthen multiple families and in turn, your community. See the following pages for events and unique sponsorship opportunities in your region.

SPONSOR AN ADVENTURE

\$5,000

PER EVENT

Consider sponsoring one of our fundraising events!

Throughout the year A Kid Again hosts several major fundraising events that need sponsors. Like all A Kid Again sponsorships, these events offer unique opportunities for you to support our families while promoting your organization. Contact us for details and events specific to each Chapter.



A TRULY MEANING-FULL EXPERIENCE

Are you looking to be part of something meaning-full? Impact-full? Wonder-full? Look no further than your local A Kid Again chapter. By volunteering your time as an **individual or as a corporate volunteer team** you are helping to make a difference in the lives of those families who need it most.

These Adventures are only possible with the help of A Kid Again's dedicated volunteers.

What does an A Kid Again volunteer look like? Any person or team who enjoys putting smiles on the faces of children, who wants to help families create joyful memories and is determined to make a difference in their community.

We encourage our volunteers to get involved in as many ways as they can and as often as they want! Volunteer opportunities with A Kid Again include:

- Bookkeeping
- Administrative Support
- Event Planning
- Event Staffing
- Family Buddy
- Fundraisers
- Hospital Visitation
- New Family Mentor
- Social Media

Getting involved with A Kid Again is simple. Reach out to your local chapter and attend a monthly volunteer meeting to learn more and meet those already helping to give local families a time out from illness.



As much as A Kid Again has been a blessing to Hannah, it has also been a blessing to her brothers. Being a sibling of a special needs child is difficult. Her brothers get dragged to appointments and therapies. They miss their mom as I spend weeks at a time at the hospital with Hannah. The monthly Adventures mean something positive for them to look forward to as well. We get to attend events that we otherwise would not have the means or opportunity to experience apart from A Kid Again.

– AKA mom of Hannah

www.AKidAgain.org/volunteer

LET'S GO ON AN ADVENTURE—FULL JOURNEY!

When a child is diagnosed with a life-threatening condition, we know it impacts the entire family. From the parents, to the siblings, to grandparents and other caregivers, every person close to the child starts fighting alongside them.

What many families may not realize is they aren't in this alone. A Kid Again offers a valuable support network when they need it the most.

A Kid Again serves the whole family!

Every child, mother, father, sister and brother who is facing a life-threatening condition, whether directly or through a loved one, is welcomed into our program. We bring families together, surround them with the strongest of support networks, and provide moments of positive, joyful experiences that turn into cherished memories.

A Kid Again understands the challenges families face, beyond the emotional and physical toll a life-threatening health condition brings.

- We understand the financial struggles due to extraordinary healthcare costs.
- We see how siblings feel isolated as the child facing the health condition often requires around-the-clock attention.
- We witness families being separated due to remote medical care as a child is hospitalized.
- We know families struggle with the difficult daily ritual of treatments, doctor's appointments and home health visits.

We are here to give families a time out! A time out from illness, hospitals, treatments, and healthcare costs. A Kid Again is here for one purpose: fostering hope, happiness and healing.

A Kid Again provides year-round, fun-filled Adventures that allow children with life-threatening health conditions to feel like A Kid Again. Families who participate in A Kid Again's programs give back as much as they receive by connecting with each other and sharing their own stories of strength and encouragement.



An Adventure could be an afternoon spent at an amusement park, baseball game, local zoo or other attraction. Families can choose to come to as many or as few Adventures as they can manage. After joining A Kid Again, families are always welcome to attend an Adventure and give illness a time out.

Learn more about A Kid Again by visiting **www.akidagain.org**. We encourage you to reach out to your local chapter. We are always accepting new families!



Nine out of 10 families in our program report A Kid Again events and the A Kid Again community have strengthened their family during difficult times.



90 percent of the kids who attend A Kid Again Adventures claim they feel a greater acceptance by others and fear the public eye less.

For family enrollment, scan the QR code or visit us online:

www.AKidAgain.org/enrollnow



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Your support makes a difference!

When you support A Kid Again, you become part of a select group of businesses who care about kids, families their community. And, because of our accreditation with the Better Business Bureau and Charity Navigator, you can be assured that you are aligning your business with a non-profit that is fiscally responsible.



Why We Need Your Help

There are families in our communities throughout Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania we're unable to reach due to funding. Your donation could reintroducing joy and smiles into their lives during a time when it's truly needed.



As a donor or sponsor you are an important part of the A Kid Again family. **We encourage you to not only support our mission financially but also join us for Adventures and other events to fully understand the impact of your generosity and meet the families you are supporting.** Seeing the smiles and laughs of the children will have you asking, *"why didn't I get involved sooner?"*

We need your help to build lifelong memories for families in your community. We need your help to give illness a time-out!

