

# Where the Money Goes

Every donation helps kids with cancer, their families, and the researchers working for their cures. At Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation (ALSF), we are committed to providing families with financial, logistical and emotional support, as well as giving scientists the tools and opportunities they need to accelerate research. Your contributions are the key to turning lemons into lemonade.

*This is where the money goes:*

## Childhood Cancer Research

To date, ALSF has raised more than \$200 million and funded over 1,000 cutting-edge research projects all for one purpose: to end childhood cancer. ALSF also launched the Childhood Cancer Data Lab (CCDL), which develops tools and training programs so researchers can freely access, share and understand the data that's out there to make more robust discoveries and cures, faster and cheaper.

*Did you know?*

**\$50 funds one hour** of research.

**\$500 funds more than one day** of research.

**\$2,500 funds more than a week** of research.

**\$10,000 funds more than one month** of research.

## Childhood Cancer Family Support

While the majority of ALSF funding goes toward research, ALSF is also deeply aware of the struggles that families face with a childhood cancer diagnosis. Our family services programs have an immediate impact on these families, and your support helps them focus on what really matters — their child's health.

- **Travel For Care** offers lodging and transportation assistance to families with a need to travel for their child's treatment.
- **SuperSibs** encourages, empowers and comforts siblings of kids with cancer via biannual mailings and activities just for them.
- **The Childhood Cancer Guides** are resources reviewed by renowned experts in pediatric oncology, and feature stories from more than 500 parents, children with cancer, and survivors of childhood cancer.
- **Clinical Trials Navigation** exists to assist families and care teams with identifying clinical trial options for a child with cancer.

**For more information on ALSF-funded researchers and programs, visit [AlexsLemonade.org/Where-Money-Goes](https://AlexsLemonade.org/Where-Money-Goes).**



## Meet Jake

As Jake faced relapse after relapse of ependymoma, his family knew he was running out of options. Luckily, Jake qualified for a clinical trial led by a researcher funded by Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation, Dr. Ted Johnson. Jake was able to make the trip from Toronto, Canada to the trial in Augusta, Georgia with help from ALSF's Travel For Care program. Although Jake is still waiting for his cure, Dr. Johnson's research has helped Jake's cancer remain stable for two years.

