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Aloha,

Today, there will be hundreds of island families whose world is flipped upside down by a scary diagnosis or medical challenge for their child, and they'll find themselves needing to travel far from home, to seek critical treatment for their child.

For 36 years, Ronald McDonald House Charities Hawaii has embraced more than 14,000 families with seriously ill or injured children receiving lifesaving care on Oahu. We are dedicated to providing them with a home-away-from-home, transportation, meals, and essential services in a loving community of compassion, hope and healing.

Our premier fundraising event, the **Share a Night Benefit Gala and Auction** will bring together 600 of Hawaii's notable philanthropists, business and community leaders, and treasured volunteers for a festive evening of delectable Hawaiian cuisine, spirits, local entertainment, and a highly anticipated live and community-wide online silent auction.

This year's theme, "Malama Kekahi i Kekahi" – To Care For One Another – promises to be a celebration of community, compassion, and unity, reflecting the spirit of aloha that defines Hawaii.

We humbly ask for your generous support in providing an item or gift certificate for products or services to meet the growing needs of struggling families who need our assistance. As a donor, your company will be recognized in our event program, donor brochure, marketing efforts, and through our auction website, reaching thousands of households.

Your thoughtful consideration is deeply appreciated. One act of kindness will go a long way toward lifting their emotional and financial burden. I can sincerely say that **your kind support for another will change a family's life forever.**

With gratitude,

Jerri Chong
President

Your donation ensures essential services, at no cost, so families can focus on what matters most – their child's recovery. Over 31% of our families are from Maui. They especially appreciate your support right now. Thank you!

Share A Night Benefit Gala & Auction

*Alohilani Resort
Waikiki Beach
Saturday,
November 18, 2023*

*Mālama
i Ke Kahi i Ke Kahi
To Care For One Another*



*"Ronald McDonald House takes care of your basic needs...it's such a relief. To still feel normal and not worry about additional financials on top of medical expenses lets you stay focused on your child's care."
~Mom Cara and Keaka Dudoit (above).*





Mālama Kekahi I Kekahi

TO TAKE CARE OF ONE ANOTHER

Share a Night Benefit Gala and Auction

Thanks to your support, as families walk through a medical journey far away from home, Hawaii's Ronald McDonald House will be here for them.



It was overwhelming. We were so fortunate to have been able to stay at the Ronald House. It helped ease our minds knowing we had a place to call home during our crisis and not having to worry about lodging, transportation, or anything else...so we could completely focus on the twins." ~Parente Family

Last year, you ensured hundreds of families would have access to care, a home-away-from-home, meals, transportation, and essential family services within a community of compassion.

What a Difference You Make!

"It's really tough being away from family...and dealing with your baby's medical condition. The support from the House and the other amazing parents has been so important. I'm very humbled...and **so many people were there for us.**" ~Camacho Family



"Being able to stay together with family near the hospital and get the support we did, was amazing! **Donations made it possible...Thank you!**" ~Hollie and Zach

Our families want to let you know how grateful they are for your life-changing generosity.

Thank you!

Ronald McDonald House Charities Hawaii is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Your contribution is tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. Federal Tax I.D. #99-0222124.

Auction Donation Deadline: Wednesday, November 1, 2023

For more info or to arrange a pick up, please contact Lisa@rmhchawaii.org or (808) 892-1902.

