For over 30 years, Cincinnati’s Ronald McDonald House has been providing critically ill children and their families with a “home away from home” while their children receive medical treatment at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center or other area hospitals.

“Even though our daughter had to go through some hard things medically, we still have many treasured memories from Cincinnati’s Ronald McDonald House – memories of happy times spent in a home-like environment that brought her smiles and healing after being in the hospital. And for my husband and me, the House was a place of respite and renewal... we could go to the House to eat or sleep or shower and then walk back to the hospital refreshed and ready to care for our daughter.”

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How does Cincinnati’s Ronald McDonald House help families?
At our House, we provide so much more than a hotel by meeting the unique needs of families caring for their critically ill children. We provide:

- a comfortable bedroom with a bathroom, telephone, hair dryer, TV and DVD player
- shared communal spaces, including kitchens and dining areas, living rooms, laundry rooms, computer area, WiFi throughout our House, library, game room, indoor and outdoor play areas and an exercise room
- daily home-cooked meals, stocked refrigerators and pantry
- basic toiletries, towels, blankets, linens and cleaning supplies
- free, secure parking for one vehicle
- support from staff, volunteers and other families

Helpful Information for Guests

- Families may apply no earlier than seven days prior to their hospital appointment.

- Eligible families will be placed on our waiting list 24 hours prior to their hospital appointment (72 hours for international families or families from Hawaii, Alaska or Puerto Rico).

- All adults 18 years of age and older must complete a criminal background check authorization.

- We only accept reservations for our short-term rooms. These are for stays of four nights or fewer, and you may request a room 30 days in advance.

- Patients must be 21 years of age or younger.

- We care for families who live at least 40 miles from our House. Families who live closer than 40 miles are eligible if their children are in intensive care units.

- We ask all of our guest families for a donation of $25 per day, or whatever amount is comfortable. Please know that we will never turn a family away because they cannot afford to contribute.

How do families request a room?
ONLINE: rmhcincinnati.org/guest/request-room • BY PHONE: 513.636.7642

“We felt very loved and well cared for at Cincinnati’s Ronald McDonald House. My daughter said it made her forget she was going to the hospital!”

“We seem that every detail has been thought of for our comfort so we can focus on our child’s needs.”