

Beads of Courage® Program







The Beads of Courage® flagship program is a resilience-based intervention designed to support children and teens coping with serious medical conditions and their families. The program uses colorful beads that serve as meaningful symbols honoring courage displayed along their unique treatment path.

Beads of Courage

2024 United States Overview

Beads of Courage® is provided at 200 hospitals and organizations accounting for 376 Beads of Courage® Programs in the United States.

Together, we make healing happen!

	Hematology-Oncology	142
	Cardiac	61
	Chronic	85
	NICU	73
	Burn	12
	Labor & Delivery Pilot	1

We are so grateful to the Beads of Courage Ambassadors, donors, and sponsors for making all of this possible.

Thank you to the amazing families and members who have [shared their stories and photos of courage](#).

Interested in enrolling in the Beads of Courage program? Look at our list to see if the program is available within the facility where you are receiving care. If it is not available there, Beads of Courage is available through our [Beads at Home program](#).

Visit our website for more information.

Please contact us for assistance at any time.

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Alabama

Children's of Alabama 🏠 ❤️ 🧬 🏹 🏥

Huntsville Hospital Women and Children 🏹

UAB Hospital Women and Infant's Center 🏹

USA Children's and Women's Hospital 🏠 🏹

Alaska

Alaska Pediatric Oncology 🏠

The Children's Hospital at Providence 🏠 🧬

Arizona

Banner Children's at Desert 🏠

Banner Children's Banner

Thunderbird Medical Center 🏠

Banner University Medical Center 🧑

Children's Clinics 🧬 ❤️

Diamond Children's Medical Center 🏠 ❤️ 🧬 🏹

Flagstaff Medical Center 🧬 🏹

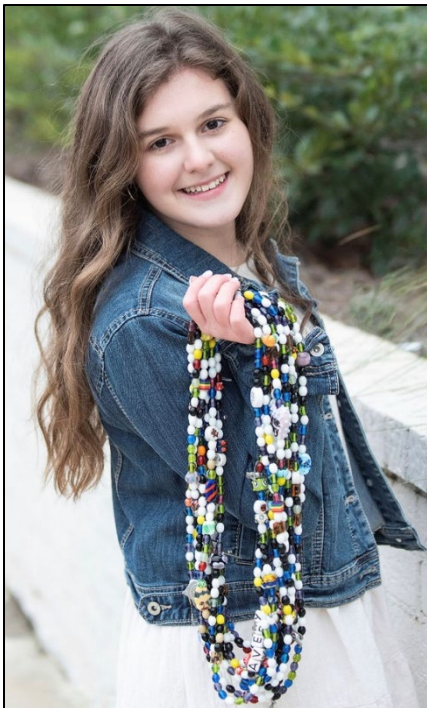
HonorHealth Scottsdale Shea Medical Center 🏹

Phoenix Children's Hospital 🏠 ❤️ 🧬 🏹

Ryan House 🧬

Tucson Medical Center (TMC) 🏹

Valleywise Health Medical Center 🏥



Arkansas

Arkansas Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

Arkansas Children's Northwest 🏥 ❤️



California

Children's Hospital of Los Angeles 🏥

CHOC Children's Hospital
of Orange County 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

City of Hope National Medical Center 🏥

John Muir Health Walnut
Creek Medical Center 🏥

Kaiser Permanente - Downey 🏥 🩺

Kaiser Permanente - Oakland 🏥 🩺

Kaiser Permanente - Roseville 🏥

Kaiser Permanente - Santa Clara 🏥

Lucile Packard Children's
Hospital at Stanford 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

Providence St. John's Health Center 🏥 🩺

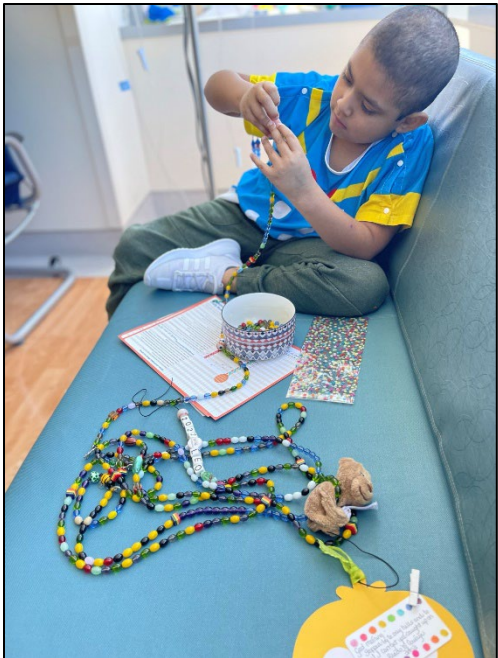
Rady Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital 🏥 🩺

Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital 🏥

Sutter Medical Center 🏥 🩺 🩺

The Leon S. Peters Burn Center
at Community Regional 🩺



California continued...

UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital
Mission Bay/San Francisco 🏥



UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland 🏥

UC Davis Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🏠

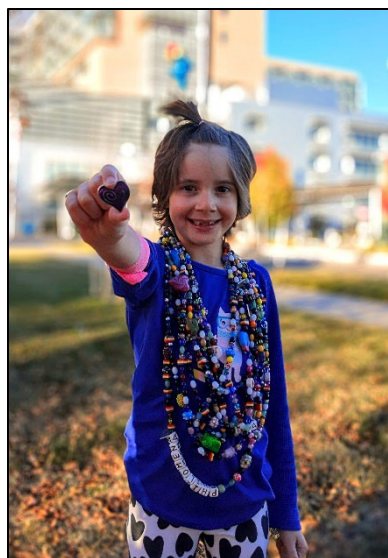
Ventura Medical Center 🏥 🏥 🏠

Colorado

Children's Hospital Colorado,
Colorado Springs* 🏥 🏥 🏠

Children's Hospital Colorado Anschutz
Medical Campus 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🏠

Rocky Mountain Hospital for Children at
Presbyterian 🏥



Connecticut

Connecticut Children's Hospital 🏥

Delaware

Nemours/ Alfred I. Dupont
Hospital for Children 🏥

Florida

AdventHealth for Children 🏥

Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children 🏥 ❤️

Golisano Children's Hospital
of Southwest Florida 🏥 🏥

Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital ❤️



Florida continued...

Johns Hopkins ALL

Children's Hospital 🏥❤️🩺

Nemours Children's Hospital 🏥❤️🩺👶

The Studer Family Children's Hospital
at Sacred Heart 🏥🩺

Wolfson Children's Hospital 🏥❤️👶

Georgia

Beverly Knight Olson Children's Hospital,
Navicent Health 🏥

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta
at Egleston 🏥❤️🩺👶

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta
at Scottish Rite 🏥👶

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta
at Hughes Spalding 🏥

Children's Hospital of Georgia 🏥❤️🩺

Dwayne & Cynthia Willett Children's Hospital
at Memorial 🏥🩺

Northeast Georgia Medical Center 👶

Northside Hospital Gwinnett 👶



Hawaii

Kaiser Moanalua Medical Center*  

Kapiolani Medical Center for
Women and Children   

Shriners Children's Hospital 

Tripler Army Medical Center 

Idaho



Mountain View Medical Center   

Illinois

Advocate Children's Hospital (Oak Lawn)   

Advocate Children's Hospital (Park Ridge)  

Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital 

Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's
Hospital of Chicago  

Edward Hospital-Edward
Elmhurst Healthcare  

OSF HealthCare Children's Hospital of Illinois 

University of Chicago Comer
Children's Hospital  



Indiana

Peyton Manning Children's Hospital
at St. Vincent 



Iowa

ChildServe 🏠

MercyOne Children's Hospital ❤️ 🏠

University of Iowa Stead Family
Children's Hospital 🏠

Kansas

Wichita's Littlest Heroes 🏠 ❤️

Kentucky

Norton Children's Hospital 🏠 ❤️

University of Kentucky
Children's Hospital 🏠 ❤️ 🏠 🏠

Louisiana

Children's Hospital of New Orleans 🏠 ❤️

Ochsner for Children 🏠 🏠

Our Lady of Lourdes Women's
& Children's Hospital 🏠



Maine

Northern Light Eastern
Maine Medical Center 🏠



Maryland

Johns Hopkins Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🧪

The Herman & Walter Samuelson

Children's Hospital at Sinai 🏥 🩺

University of Maryland Children's Hospital ❤️

Massachusetts

Baystate Children's Hospital 🩺

Tufts Children's Hospital 🏥

Michigan

Hurley Medical Center 🏥

Minnesota

Children's Hospital and Clinics
of Minnesota 🏥 ❤️

EssentiaHealth - Erick Peter Person

Children's Cancer Center 🏥

M Health Fairview Masonic

Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🧪

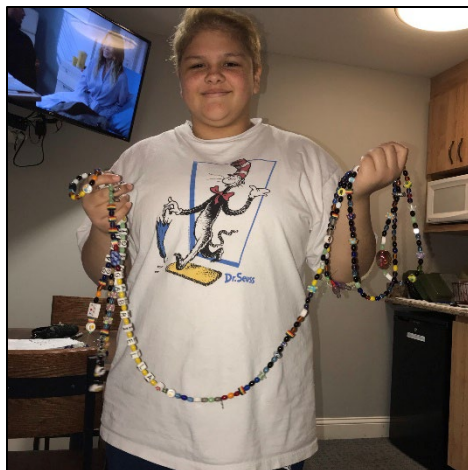
Maple Grove Hospital 🧪

Mayo Clinic 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🧪

North Memorial Health 🧪

Mississippi

Children's of Mississippi 🩺 ❤️





Missouri

Lester E. Cox Medical Center 🏠

Mercy Hospital, Springfield 🏠

Mercy Hospital, St. Louis 🏠 🏠

St. Louis Children's Hospital 🏠 ❤️ 🏠

University of Missouri Women's and
Children's Hospital 🏠 🏠

Montana

Billings Clinic 🏠

Logan Health Pediatric Oncology 🏠

St. Vincent Healthcare 🏠

Nebraska

Children's Hospital &
Medical Center 🏠 🏠 🏠

Nebraska Medical Center 🏠 🏠

Nevada

Children's Medical Center at
Summerlin Hospital* 🏠

Renown Medical Center 🏠 🏠

New Hampshire



Currently no Beads of Courage Programs



New Jersey

Goryeb Children's Hospital 🏥

Hackensack University Medical Center 🏥

ProCure Proton Therapy Center-New Jersey 🏥

St. Joseph's Children's Hospital 🏥 🏥

The Bristol Meyers Squibb Children's Hospital at

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital 🏥

The Children's Hospital at

Saint Peter's University 🏥

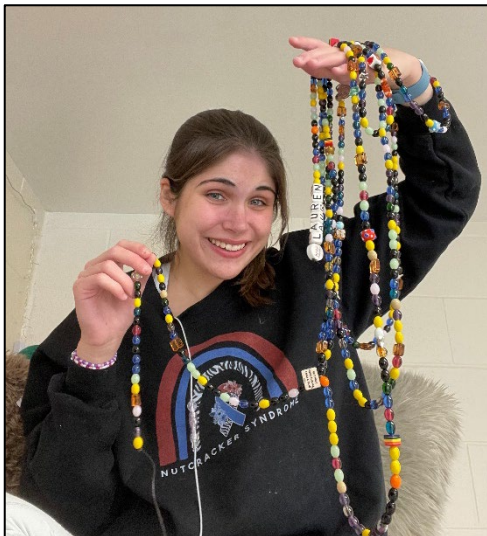
New Mexico

The Children's Center at

Presbyterian Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🏥

University of New Mexico

Children's Hospital 🏥 🏥 🏠



New York

Bernard & Millie Duker Children's Hospital at

Albany Medical Center 🏥 🏥

Crouse Health 🏠

Golisano Children's Hospital - Rochester ❤️

Golisano Children's Hospital - Upstate 🏥 🏥 🏠

John R. Oishei Children's Hospital 🏥

Joslin Diabetes Center 🏥

Maria Fareri Children's Hospital 🏥

New York continued...

New York-Presbyterian Komansky
Children's Hospital 🏥

New York Presbyterian Morgan Stanley
Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️

Roswell Park Comprehensive Cancer Center 🏥

Stony Brook University Medical Center 🏥

North Carolina

Brenner Children's Hospital-Wake Forest 🏥

Carolina Caring Cardinal Kids 🏥

Duke University Children's Hospital
& Health Center 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🗝️ 🏥

Levine Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🏥

Maynard Children's Hospital at ECU Health 🏥 🏥

Mission Children's Hospital 🏥

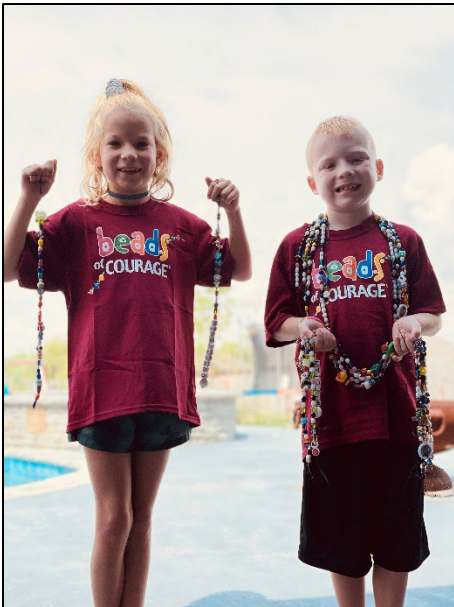
Novant Health Hemby
Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🗝️

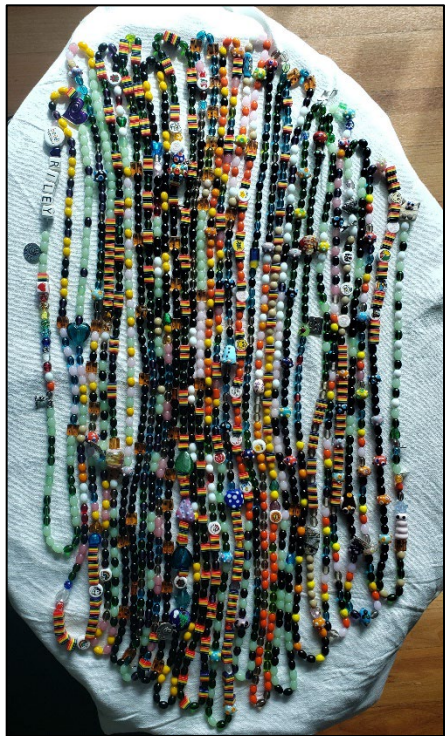
UNC Hospital, Chapel Hill 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🗝️ 🏥

Wake Med Health & Hospitals 🏥 🗝️

North Dakota

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Ohio

Akron Children's Hospital 🏥

Cincinnati Children's Hospital
and Medical Center 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🩸

Nationwide Children's Hospital ❤️

UH Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital ❤️

Oklahoma

Integrus Children's Hospital at
Baptist Medical Center 🩺 🩸 🏥

Oklahoma Proton Center 🏥

The Children's Hospital at
OU Medical Center 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

The Children's Hospital at Saint Francis 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🩸

Oregon

Randall Children's Hospital at Legacy Emanuel 🩸

Pennsylvania

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia 🏥 ❤️ 🩸

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Specialty Care,
King of Prussia 🏥

Geisinger Janet Weis Children's Hospital 🏥

Lehigh Valley Reilly Children's Hospital 🏥

Penn State Children's Hospital 🏥 🩺



Pennsylvania continued...

St. Christopher's Hospital for Children 🏥

The Children's Home of Pittsburgh
& Lemieux Family Center 🏥

UPMC Children's Hospital
of Pittsburgh 🏥 ❤️ 🩺 🩺

UPMC Children's Harrisburg 🏥

UPMC Magee Women's Hospital 🩺

UPMC Mercy Burn Center 🏥

West Penn Hospital 🏥

Rhode Island

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South Carolina

MUSC Shawn Jenkins

Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️ 🩺

Prisma Health Children's
Hospital – Midlands 🏥 🏥

Prisma Health Children's
Hospital - Upstate 🏥 🩺

Spartanburg Regional Medical Center 🩺



South Dakota

Sanford Children's Hospital 🏥

Tennessee

Children's Hospital at Erlanger 🏥

East Tennessee Children's Hospital 🏥 🏥 🧪

Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🧪 🩺

Niswonger Children's Hospital 🏥



Texas

Baptist St. Anthony Children's Hospital 🏥 🧪

Baylor Scott & White McLane Children's Medical Center 🏥 🧪

Brooke Army Medical Center 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🧪

Children's Health - Children's Medical Center of Dallas 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🧪

Children's Health - Children's Medical Center Plano 🏥

Children's Health - Our Children's Home 🏥

Cook Children's Hospital 🏥 ❤️

Dell Children's Hospital Ascension 🏥 ❤️ 🏥 🧪

El Paso Children's Hospital 🏥 🧪

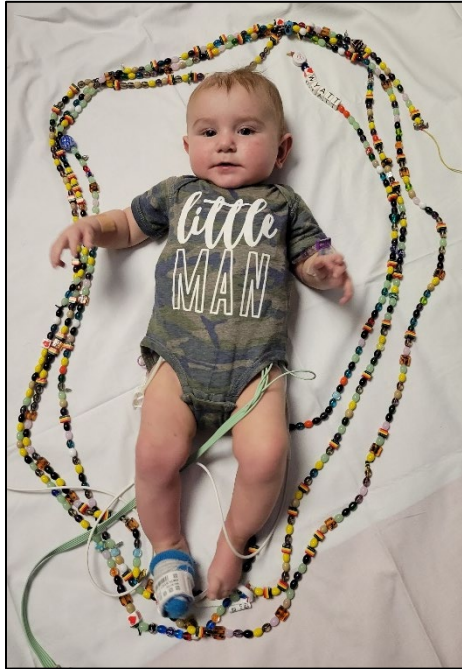
Hendrick Medical Center 🧪

MD Anderson Cancer Center

Children's Cancer Hospital 🏥



Medical City Children's Hospital 🏥❤️



Texas continued...

Methodist Children's Hospital 🏥🏥

Our Children's Home (Children's Health) 🏥

Shannon Medical Center 🏥🏥

Texas Children's Hospital 🏥❤️

The Children's Hospital of
Northwest Texas 🏥👉

The Children's Hospital
of San Antonio 🏥👉

The Hospitals of Providence
Children's Hospital 🏥

University Hospital 🏥❤️

UT Southwestern 🏥👉

Utah

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Vermont

Currently no Beads of Courage Programs


Virginia

University of Virginia
Children's Hospital 🏥





Washington

MultiCare Mary Bridge Children's
Hospital & Health Center 

Sacred Heart

Children's Hospital    

Seattle Cancer Care Alliance

Proton Therapy Center 

Seattle Children's Hospital  

Washington DC

Children's National Health System   

Medstar Georgetown University Hospital  

West Virginia

Hoops Family Children's Hospital 

WVU Children's Hospital    

Wisconsin

Ascension St. Elizabeth 

Children's Hospital of Wisconsin   

American Family Children's Hospital  

