





Where we are now

2020



With the onset of COVID-19, 2020 looks quite a bit different for us, as it does for many other organizations. RMHFW crafted a reinstatement plan that looks at operations in a four-phased approach; we began phase 1 in June 2020, which meant we were once again able to accept new families. We have moved into phase 3 of the plan and will stay here until RMHC gives clearance to move forward. While our volunteer programs remain suspended, we are still caring for families, which means we still need you! You can visit our

website to learn about a fundraising campaign launching soon and donate online or give a gift today using the enclosed envelope. The Star Light, Star Bright campaign will offer several ways to support our mission and our families!

www.rmhfw.org/2020campaign

# 40th anniversary

"Home-Away-From-Home" Since 1981

a look ahead 2021

We are looking to the future with much hope as we will celebrate our 40th anniversary! Mahatma Ghandi once said, "The future depends on what we do in the present." Our steadfast focus on mission in the present means our future looks bright!

We look forward to sharing the future with you.



In a typical year, during the summer months, you would be receiving a comprehensive annual report for the previous year from the Ronald McDonald House of Fort Worth. Still, if 2020 has proven anything, it's that nothing these days is typical.

We are immensely proud of the work we do every single day, and it is essential that we share the good work with you. In this brief report, we will take a look back at 2019, but we also want to give you a snapshot of where we are today and a look ahead to where we see ourselves in the future. Here's a hint: it looks great!

Last year brought much success. Our signature events, Roadhouse and Wild Game Dinner, surpassed all goals, and with our four core programs, we served more than 4,000 families. Our mission is well-known and supported in the community, and the staff of RMHFW works diligently to stay within budget, which equates to a healthy financial outlook.

This solid financial footing keeps us prepared for unforeseen circumstances, which 2020 delivered to the world. In March, our global organization, RMHC, required us to suspend all family in-takes and volunteer programs because of the COVID-19 pandemic. These changes also meant that our special events, which account for 27% of our annual budget and play host to more than 1,000 people, were canceled. Fortunately, in June, we reopened in a phased approach and are again serving families in a limited capacity; however, volunteer programs remain on hold.

Through the combined efforts of the entire team, we are poised to succeed in 2020. I hope you enjoy this look back plus look ahead and see yourselves on the path to success with us.

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### **HOUSE & DAY PROGRAM**

57 BEDROOMS | MEALS | COMMON SPACES | PLAYGROUND FAMILIES REFERRED TO HOUSE TO RELAX AND REJUVENATE AWAY FROM HOSPITAL

OCATED INSIDE COOK CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER

COMPLIMENTARY ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR HOSPITAL

**FAMILY ROOM** 



Visits











15 Days

Baylor Scott & White All Saints

Cook Children's

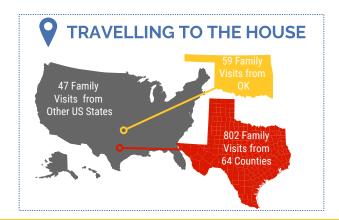












## 4,096 families served in 2019 across our four core programs

The volunteers of RMHFW serve in many ways, helping to make this organization a comfortable and supportive place for our families. The caring and cheerful volunteers of the RMHFW are the first voices families hear on the telephone, and the first smiling faces they see at the door. Whether it's planning and coordinating an activity, cooking a meal for the families, being a part of our daily House volunteer staff, sharing your time at the Family Room, serving from our Hospitality Carts, or joining the Red Shoe Society, our volunteers bring our mission to life.

#### **TOTAL VOLUNTEER IMPACT**



3.939 **VOLUNTEERS** 



21.694 HOURS \$544,519 **BUDGET IMPACT\*** 

\* Based on 2019 Independent Sector value of volunteer time in Texas

### **MEALS FROM THE HEART**



658 MEALS SERVED 3,721 VOLUNTEERS 14,163 HOURS

