

Housing Options for Traveling Families

This information has been provided by the individual sites. Please reach out directly to site study coordinators if you have any questions and require further information. IACQUIRE is not endorsing any specific housing options: these are provided for guidance only, and the list is not meant to be comprehensive.

ANN ARBOR, MI

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Bre'Anna Simpson at sbreanna@med.umich.edu or by phone: (734) 615-4630.

Michigan Medicine Lodging helps families who are seeking care find overnight lodging during their time at Michigan Medicine. Team members will work with you to match your preferences with a local lodging option at the best rates possible. They partner with more than 30 hotels and motels in the area.

• www.uofmhealth.org/patient-visitor-guide/michigan-medicine-lodging • 800.544.8684 • 734.936.0100

Additional lodging options, not part of Michigan Medicine Lodging:

- Ann Arbor Mennonite Guest Home
 734.222.6233
- Compassion Inn
 734.483.8812
 The Fisher House
 518.481.0552 (Military and Veterans' families)
- Recreational Vehicle (RV) Parking 734.936.6641

BALTIMORE, MD

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Naomi Franklin, at FranklinN@kennedykrieger.org or by phone: (443) 923 - 9326.

Kennedy Krieger Institute has a visitor guide, and a Guest Relations Department (443.923.2640). Some hotels offer preferred patient programs, which may include discounted rooms and meals.

www.kennedykrieger.org/patient-care/prepare-for-your-visit/ patient-and-visitor-guide-for-inpatient-and-outpatient-families

Ronald McDonald House (443.528.1010) is located about two miles away from the Institute, serving pediatric patients and their families who live more than 50 miles away.

Kennedy Krieger Institute is a partner of John Hopkins Medicine. They have extensive short- and long-term accomodation guides downloadable from the link above. You may contact the vendors directly - be sure to mention the John Hopkins discount. You can also email: accomodations@jhmi.edu

BIRMINGHAM, AL

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Tammy Davis, at trdavis@uabmc or by phone: (205) 975 - 8572.

A listing of nearby hotels and motels is available from Children's of Alabama Patient Relations at 205-638-9191 or Social Services at 205-638-9684. Some local hotels offer a discount for parents who have children in the Hospital and/or offer free transportation to and from the Hospital.

Below is a list of hotels. Advise that you have a child being treated at Children's for the "very best" rate available:

- SpringHill Suites by Marriott, Birmingham at UAB
 205.322.8600
- Comfort Inn (Homewood) 205.916.0464
- Courtyard by Marriot 205.254.0004
- Doubletree by Hilton
 312.787.1234
- Courtyard Marriott
 205.933.9000
- Drury Inn & Suites 205.940.9500
- Drury Inn & Suites-Southeast Hwy 280205.967.2450
- Extended Stay America 205.967.3800
- Holiday Inn
 205.942.6070
- Homewood Suites by Hilton
 205.703.9920
- **Quality Inn** 205.945.9600
- Residence Inn by Marriott Birmingham Downtown at UAB 205.731.9595
- Towne Place Suites by Marriott 205.943.0114

BIRMINGHAM, AL (CONTINUED)

Ronald McDonald House lodging may also be available. For information, call 933-0692. Some churches also offer lodging on a "first-come, first-served" basis. They are:

- Homewood Church of Christ
 205.942.5683
- Red Mountain Grace www.redmountaingrace.com Study coordinator will need to refer you, so if interested, reach out to Tammy Davis.

Boston, MA

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Julie Swanson, at **julie.swanson@childrens.harvard.edu** or by phone: (617) 919-1446.

Julie can help facilitate communication with the options below, or offer AirBNB options for families.

Boston Children's Hospital has a **Patient Family Housing Program**, which provides affordable accommodations in a home-like environment for families coming from more than 50 miles away.

Patient Family Housing Program
 familyhousing@childrens.harvard.edu
 617.919.3450

Other options are available; a brochure can be downloaded:

www.childrenshospital.org/patient-resources/accommodations

Many hotels in the Boston area offer a discount rate for the families of patients at Boston Children's Hospital. They have a web platform called **WWStay** which links all the hotels. For information and access please contact:

• conciergeservices@childrens.harvard.edu • 617.355.4626

CHICAGO, IL

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Kathryn DaSilva-Chiodo, at **kdasilvachiodo@luriechildrens.org** or by phone: (312) 227 - 4292.

Several area hotels offer **special rates** to families with children staying at the hospital. Call the hotel and ask if a discounted rate for **Lurie Children's** patient families is available.

Ronald McDonald House is located a short walk from the hospital. Call Family Services at 312.227.1200. For additional long-term lodging, Lurie Children's has discounted rates through **Bridgestreet Properties**.

Nearby Hotels:

- Ritz-Carlton 312.266.1000
- Hampton Inn Magnificent Mile
 312.706.0888
- Homewood Suites Magnificent Mile
 312.585.9333
- Hyatt Chicago Magnificent Mile
 312.787.1234
- Courtyard Marriott
 312.573.0800
- Hilton Chicago Magnificent Mile Suites
 312.664.1100
- Peninsula Hotel
 312.337.2888
- Omni Hotel
 312.944.6664
- Residence Inn Chicago Downtown Magnificent Mile
 312.943.9800
- Four Seasons Hotel 312.280.8800
- Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott 312.787.3777

CINCINATTI, OH

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Victor LaFay, at **Victor.LaFay@cchmc.org** or by phone: (513) 803 - 1988.

Concierge Services at Cincinnati Children's assists patients and families with lodging at many local hotels, offering discounted rates and great amenities in safe, convenient locations. Call **513-636-5009** (toll-free **1-888-894-1374**), or email **concierge@cchmc.org** for more information.

www.cincinnatichildrens.org/patients/resources/services/concierge-services/lodging

Cincinnati is also home to the largest Ronald McDonald House in the world.

www.rmhcincinnati.org/

COLUMBUS, OH

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Petra Sternberg, at **Petra.Sternberg@osumc.edu**.

Ronald McDonald House associated with **Nationwide Children's Hospital** is located downtown. In addition, there are various apartments and **Airbnb** options available in Columbus.

Nationwide Children's Hospital has a useful **Global Patient Services** page on their website. They have relationships with many area hotels and may be able to get you a reduced rate.

www.nationwidechildrens.org/your-visit/global-patient-services
 614.355.3450

Houston, TX

For housing options available in and around Houston, including extended stay hotels, airbnb, etc, please email Dorothea Parker, the site study coordinator at **dorothea.m.parker@uth.tmc.edu** or call at (713) 500 - 7085.

New Haven, CT

For the most up to date information, please contact Taylor Hoffman, at **Taylor.hoffman@yale.edu** or by phone: (203) 737 – 6894 or Sara Jasak at **sara.jasak@yale.edu** or (413) 896-3429.

The Suites at Yale New Haven. Located minutes from the Children's Hospital and Saint Raphael. The Suites include 24 suites with extended stay options. Daily, weekly and monthly rates are available. Includes complimentary transportation to and from the hospital. For more information and reservations, visit The Suites at Yale New Haven's website or call 203-654-7500.

The Ronald McDonald House of Connecticut is a place where families can stay while their child is being treated at the hospital. A referral from a hospital staff member is required before a family can register as a guest at the House. A modest fee is charged per night. YNHH offers transportation from the hospital to the Ronald McDonald House. Please call Protective Services at 203-688-2500 in advance of the time you would like to leave. Visit the website or call 203-777-LOVE for more information.

Other Area Hotels: For information about area hotels, please visit INFO New Haven or the Greater New Haven Convention and Visitor Bureau.

PHILADELPHIA, PA

For the most up to date information, please contact the study coordinator, Noor Ruwaih, at **RuwaihN@email.chop.edu** or (267) 426 - 7032.

Many hotels provide additional services to Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) families, including discounted rates with no cancellation-fee, a dedicated floor for CHOP families and easily accessible parking. For help deciding which accommodations will best suit your family's needs, please contact the Family Hospitality team at 215-590-2499 or familyhospitality@email.chop.edu. In addition, families can explore options with the "Hosts for Hospitals" program, which matches local host families with families that need lodging. Here is the link: https://hostsforhospitals.org/.

Hotels Participating in the CHOP discounted rates program:

- Roost Apartment Hotel East Market
 267.703.4040
 Daniel Cruz at dc@myroost.com
- Windsor Suites Center City 215.981.5678
- Sheraton Philadelphia University City Hotel 215.477.0200
- The Study Hotel
 215.387.1400
 info.uc@studyhotels.com or visit the website and use code "CFR".
- Homewood Suites by Hilton University City
 215.382.1111

Extended Stay Tier 1: 5-11 nights, use Code P97*

Extended Stay Tier 2: 12-29 nights, use Code P98* Extended Stay Tier 3: 30+ nights, use Code P99*

- Residence Inn by Marriott Center City 215.557.0005
- Holiday Inn Express Midtown
 215.735.9300
- Sonesta Hotel Philadelphia 215.561.7500

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There are additionally a number of extended stay facilities. When contacting the extended stay facility, remember to ask whether a Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) rate is available:

- Korman Residential at 3737 Chestnut
 215.764.3525
- UrHomeInPhilly urhomeinphilly.com
- AKA Rittenhouse Square rstayaka.com
- The Franklin Residences kormancommunities.com
- Home 2 Suites home2suites3.hilton.com
- Presidential City Apartments presidential city.com
- Extended Stay America extendedstayamerica.com
- A Bed and Breakfast Connection bnbphiladelphia.com

The **Ronald McDonald Houses** – in Philadelphia and just over the river in Camden, NJ – offer a "home away from home" for families traveling more than 25 miles from their home to the Hospital. Both facilities have rooms available for CHOP families. The cost per room is \$15 per night, based on ability to pay. Daily dinner and transportation to and from CHOP are provided to guests at no charge. To check room availability or book a room, call 215-387-8406 or visit the website for each location.

Hosts for Hospitals provides low-cost lodging and support at volunteer-host homes as a caring response to the housing needs of patients and their families who come to the Greater Philadelphia area for medical care. The cost per family is \$20 per night. Guests share household facilities with host families and are matched with host-homes chosen to meet each guest family's specific lodging needs. For more information, please call 484-380-2999, email lodging@hostsforhospitals.org, or visit hostsforhospitals.org.

ROANOKE, VA

Many housing options are available in and around Roanoke, VA, including extended stay hotels, airbnb, etc.. Please email Mary Lou Schwarzer, the site study coordinator at **mary73@vtc.vt.edu** for a list of options.

SAN DIEGO, CA

For the most up to date information, please contact Kathy Scarvie at kscarvie@ucsd.edu or (858) 246 - 5113.

UC San Diego Health offers patient family housing at the La Jolla Family House and the Bannister Family House for I-ACQUIRE families. Referral for housing is made by the study coordinator and can be done as we schedule study visits. Information and room rates can be found at:

https://health.ucsd.edu/patients/family-houses/Pages/default.aspx

Bartell Hotels offers a 15% discount to UCSD affiliates: Please call 800-345-9995 or book online at **www.ucsdmcpartnership.com** to receive the discount.

Other options include:

- www.Airbnb.com
- www.sublet.com Furnished apartments, houses, rooms for rent and sublets.
- www.apartments.com Apartments and home for rent.
- www.hometogo.com