

Childhood Cancer and Research



Worldwide...

Every 3 minutes a child is diagnosed with cancer.

United States...




1 in 5 children diagnosed will not survive.

Of those who survive...

2 out of 3 will suffer long-term effects from treatment.

There are over a dozen major types of childhood cancers, and countless subtypes. Most are different from adult cancers and require unique treatment.

Age Impact

-  Infants & Toddlers
-  Children
-  Teens
-  Young Adults

All four groups can get childhood cancers.

Research is the difference. Specialized research works, but more is needed to give every child a cure and a healthy future.



Research is a child's best hope for a cure.

- One childhood cancer has a cure rate of 90%
- Little, if any, progress has been made in many other childhood cancers

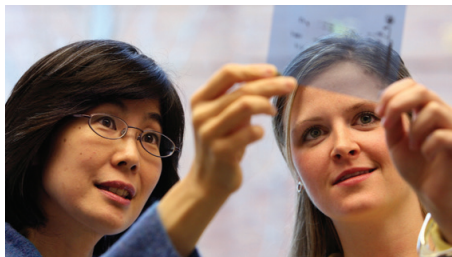
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Justin, 10, St. Baldrick's 2012 Ambassador

"Justin's life depends on the next therapy that comes out. Not the one that comes out in a year, but the one that comes out in a week."

Lori, Justin's mother



Scott Kachlany Ph.D., St. Baldrick's Research Grant Recipient



A family of participants

"I consider St. Baldrick's the most forward looking and robust philanthropic foundation for childhood cancer."

Crystal Mackall, M.D.
National Cancer Institute

Powerful Impact

St. Baldrick's volunteers have made a powerful impact in the fight against childhood cancer:

- Granting over \$125 million in childhood cancer research since 2005
- Contributing to hundreds of childhood cancer research projects
- Training the next generation of researchers
- And much more

The St. Baldrick's Foundation remains the largest funder of childhood cancer research grants, second only to the U.S. government.

Volunteer-Driven

Volunteers, donors, researchers, and families support the cause in bold and creative ways:

- Casual days in the office, climbing mountains, motorcycle rides, getting their company's support and so much more
- St. Baldrick's shaves raise money for research by getting bald in solidarity with children fighting cancer at St. Baldrick's signature head-shaving events

► **Sign Up:**
StBaldricks.org/get-involved

Many people lend their voices to advance legislation to help children with cancer, as members of St. Baldrick's advocacy network, *Speak Up for Kids' Cancer*.

► **Join the Network:**
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Be part of a global movement to Conquer Childhood Cancers

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