

## DAY-OF LIVE STREAM SPEAKING POINTS

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- This holiday season, I'm excited to be streaming for AdventHealth for Children's Day of Giving. Here's what I'm going to be doing today: (Share stream plan)
- Check out the milestones we have set up (share examples)
- During these unprecedented times with COVID-19, families with children in the hospital need your support now more than ever before.
- You can view the full patient stories from today & learn more on how you can make a difference at [Give4KidsToday.com](https://Give4KidsToday.com).
- Our goal today is to raise \$5,000 to help families whose kids are battling cancer and other serious illnesses in Central Florida.
- When a child is diagnosed with a serious illness, your whole world stops. As a parent, your entire focus turns to getting your child the care they need to be healthy again.
- Yet, you can't just drop everything when you have bills to pay for things like the mortgage or rent, utilities, groceries and transportation.
- This is the dilemma many parents are facing right now across Central Florida: whether to be with their child in the hospital or keep working to make ends meet. But today, you can help these families and make a difference this holiday season.
- Your donation allows families to focus on what truly matters: helping their child get better.
- Think about hearing the four words: "Your child has cancer." It's unimaginable, you don't anticipate it and can't plan for anything like that to happen to a child.
- 42 children are diagnosed with cancer every day, and more than 40,000 children are treated for cancer each year. In those 40,000 lives, everything changes and for the parents, finding the best care to bring their child home is all that matters.
- AdventHealth for Children cares for approximately 100,000 children each year. Nearly 72 percent of these families have limited income and require assistance to meet basic needs.
- Every donation matters and 100% of your dollars will go straight to the families whose kids are in the hospital at AdventHealth for Children.
- Give the gift of hope this holiday season and donate now. [Give4KidsToday](https://Give4KidsToday.com).

## Donations Can Help:

- Donate **\$10** a day to help our littlest patients this holiday season.
  - Help us serve these families who desperately need a helping hand while their child is battling a devastating illness.
- **\$25** can provide a tank of gas for one family to drive their child to weekly doctors' appointments.
  - Help support patients and their moms, dads, brothers and sisters. While more and more hospital bills pile up, their child is fighting for their life.
- Put yourself in place of a family whose child was just diagnosed with cancer. You can ease this harsh reality by donating **\$50** to cover the cost of a family's water bill.
- **\$150** can pay for a family's electricity bill so they can focus on helping their child get better.
  - Donating **just \$150** to keeps the electricity on at these family's homes.
- **\$250** can buy one family groceries for a month while their child is receiving life-saving treatments.
  - Often older siblings are left to find or make dinner on their own while their parent is with their brother or sister in the hospital. Give \$250 and you can feed a family for a month.
- **\$500** can assist with car repairs for one family.
- **\$1,000** dollars can cover rent for a family who can't work because their time is spent at their child's bedside.
  - Give the gift of hope with a **\$1,000 donation today** and help cover the cost of rent for a parent who might have to miss work to be by their child's bedside.