

Thank you for being here!

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international
ACCESSIBILITY
CONFERENCE



Los Angeles
March 26-27, 2026

Raising Funds & Hope Since 1983

- **42 years** of service
- More than **\$193 million raised**
- Nearly **25,000 families** helped





Fundraising can be hard. We help make it simple.

How many of you have heard your patients say...

I'm uncomfortable asking for help.

I don't know where to start.

I'm afraid.

I don't have anyone that will help me.

I've missed my chance to start fundraising.

Verified Campaign Page



Our verified badges show anyone who shares or donates to a Help Hope Live campaign **3 important things:**



Funds are being raised in honor of a **real person** with a **real need**



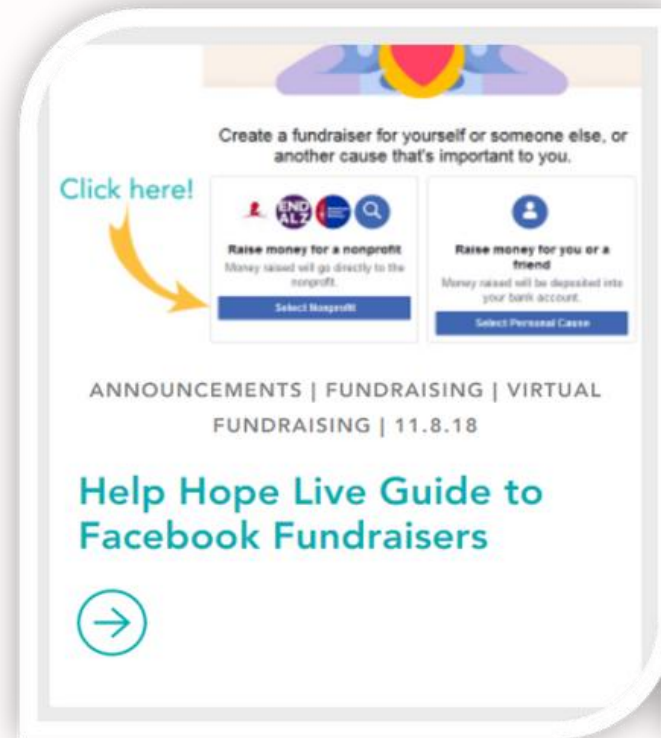
A medical professional has **confirmed this need**



Funds will only be used to cover **medical and related expenses**



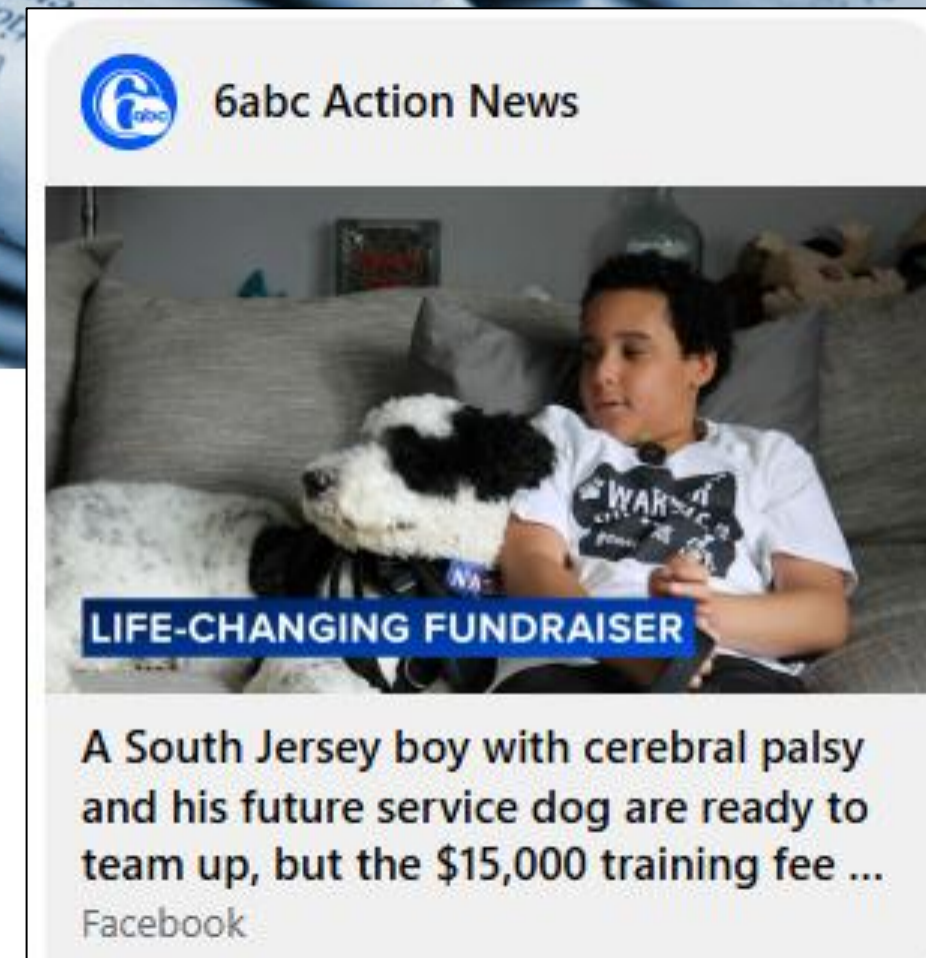
Custom Media Support



Over **\$1 million** raised through Facebook alone!



Custom *Media Support*



 **Raised over \$10,000 with the news coverage!**

Client Case Study

Drew Boniface



CAMPAIGN RESULTS



\$140,000

RAISED IN LESS THAN ONE YEAR.



FUNDED

IBOT AND ARC-EX.



EMPOWERED

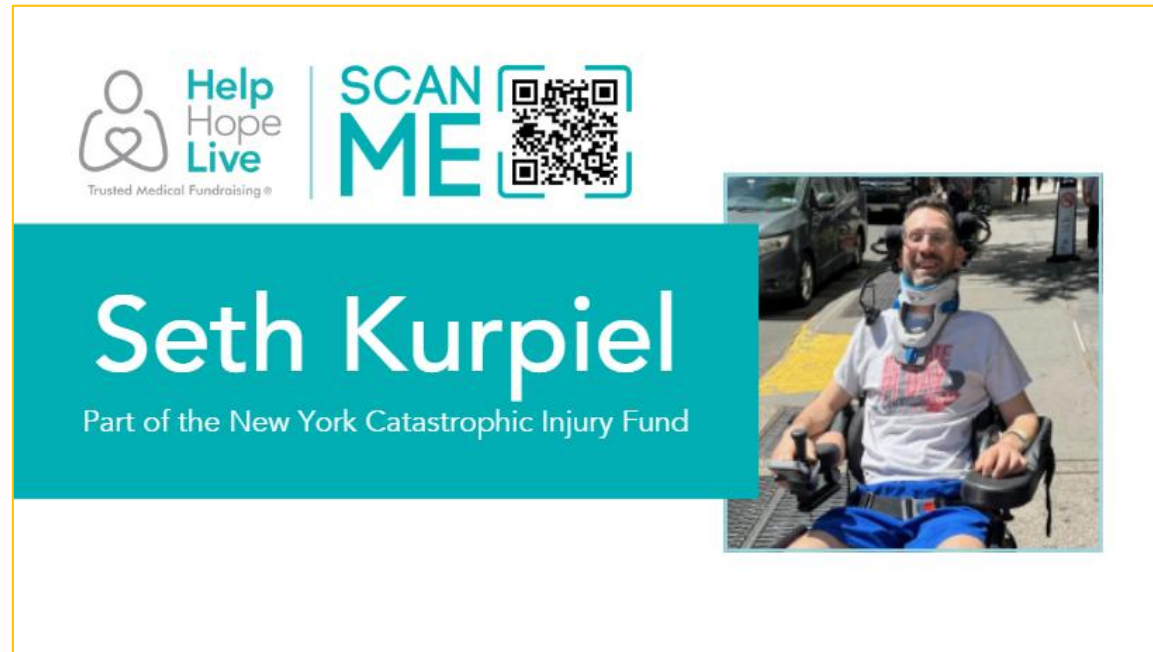
COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO FUNDRAISE.

Drew Boniface sustained a life-altering spinal cord injury in March 2025. Drew's family found Help Hope Live just 2 months after his injury.

While they had first turned to GoFundMe, Drew's sister soon discovered the potential drawbacks of using GoFundMe for fundraising and suggested Help Hope Live. Drew's rehab team at Shepherd Center confirmed that we were the strongest and safest choice for medical fundraising.




Business Cards



Help Hope Live | SCAN ME 

Seth Kurpiel
Part of the New York Catastrophic Injury Fund




Help Hope Live | For **Tommy Gonzalez**
Trusted Medical Fundraising®

TO BENEFIT THE MID-ATLANTIC CATASTROPHIC INJURY FUND

Share the **LOVE** Fundraiser

SCAN TO DONATE TO TOMMY'S CAMPAIGN  



Help Hope Live | SCAN ME 

Aly Corvin
Part of the Southwest Catastrophic Illness Fund

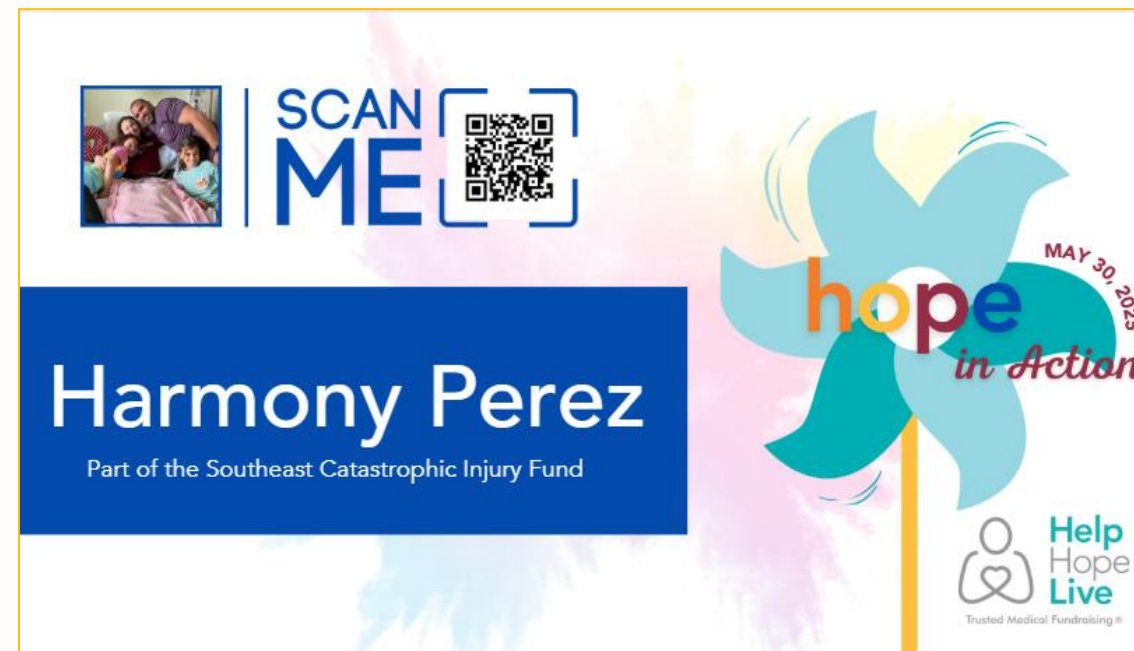





Help Hope Live | For **Ron Norvell**
Trusted Medical Fundraising®

Trick or Treat Fundraiser
TO BENEFIT THE SOUTH-CENTRAL TRANSPLANT FUND


SCAN TO DONATE TO RON'S CAMPAIGN  

Halloween 2024



 | SCAN ME 

Harmony Perez
Part of the Southeast Catastrophic Injury Fund

hope in Action MAY 30, 2025 

Help Hope Live
Trusted Medical Fundraising®



Help Hope Live | For **Jake Lipponer**
Trusted Medical Fundraising®

To Benefit the New York Catastrophic Injury Fund

Scan to donate to Jake's campaign.  

Fundraiser Examples



Cornhole
Tournament



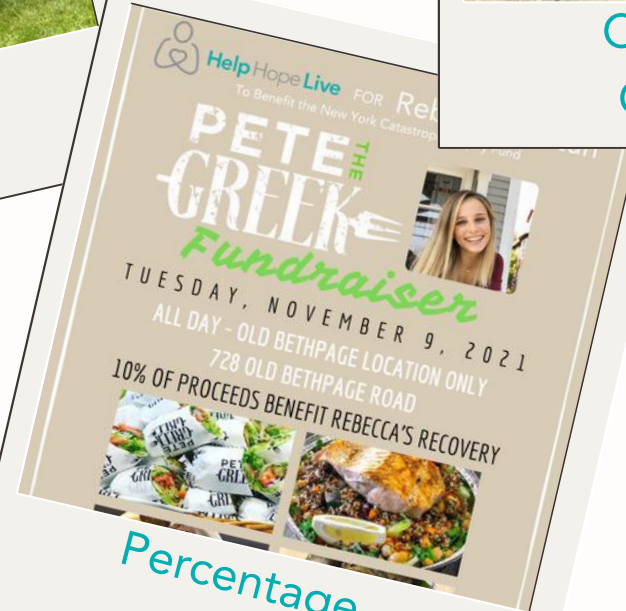
Community
Gathering



Bake Sale



T-shirt
Sales



Percentage
of Sales



Squash for
a Cause



Curling
Cup



White Out
Football Game

Cost of an Injury

Average Yearly Expenses¹

TYPE OF INJURY	1ST-YEAR	SUBSEQUENT YEARLY
High Tetraplegia (C1-C4)	\$1,410,163	\$244,879
Low Tetraplegia (C5-C8)	\$1,018,966	\$150,222
Paraplegia	\$687,262	\$91,042

Lifetime SCI costs can range from \$3.1 million to over \$6.3 million for a 25-year-old, depending on the severity of the injury.

Average Costs for Specific Items²



Minor Home Modification Projects	\$5,000–\$15,000
Major Home Modification Projects	\$50,000–\$380,000
A Vehicle Modified with Adaptive Equipment	\$29,000–\$68,000



One Year of Physical Rehabilitation	\$10,000–\$45,000
One Year of Home Health Care	\$45,000
One Year of Home Medical Supplies	\$2,500



Specialized Equipment	
Standing Frame	\$2,300–\$5,200
Power Wheelchair	\$20,000
Functional Electrical Stimulation (FES) Bike	\$15,000
Customizable Bed	\$8,000

(1) UAB National Spinal Cord Injury Statistical Center; (2) Average client expenses paid by Help Hope Live.



What Do We Pay For?

Equipment



Care



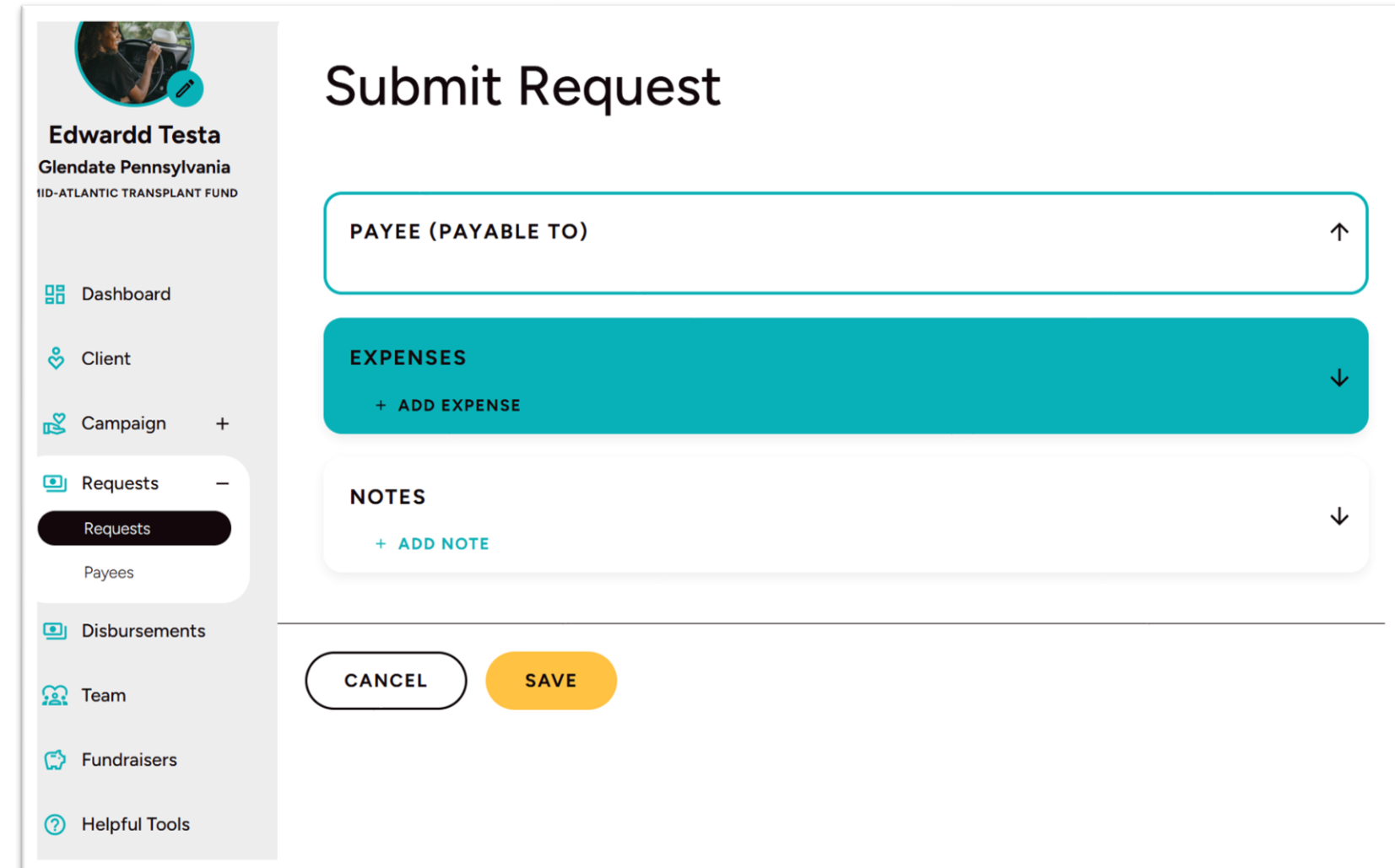
Quality of Life



New Fund Request Portal

Submit bills and fund requests online through our new password-protected portal:

- ✓ Secure submissions
- ✓ Track requests
- ✓ Easy access to status updates



Submit Request

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Dashboard
Client
Campaign +
Requests -
Requests
Payees
Disbursements
Team
Fundraisers
Helpful Tools

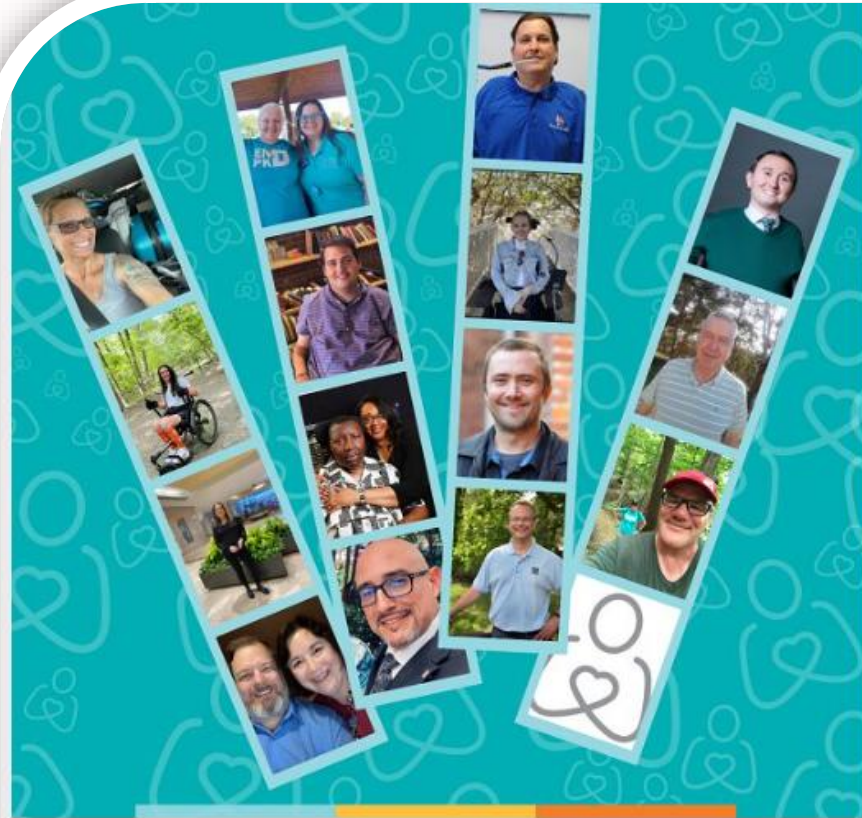
PAYEE (PAYABLE TO) ↑

EXPENSES ↓
+ ADD EXPENSE

NOTES ↓
+ ADD NOTE

CANCEL SAVE

Our Ambassadors



FUNDRAISING TIPS | 3.3.25

Fundraising Encouragement from Our Ambassadors

Get a boost of peer-to-peer fundraising encouragement from Help Hope Live Ambassadors.



Lauren Shevchek
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Pennsylvania)



Ian Burkhart
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Ohio)



Katrina Golden
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(North Carolina)



Ryan Gebauer
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Florida)



Dianne Vitkus
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(New York)



Kristen Sachs
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Nevada)



Rebecca Koltun
Spinal Cord Injury (New York)



Josh Basile, Esq.
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Maryland)



Dani Izzie
Spinal Cord Injury Ambassador
(Virginia)

More than Fundraising...



What is in a MyID Profile?

- ✓ Vital Conditions
- ✓ Medications
- ✓ Emergency Contacts
- ✓ Allergies
- ✓ Physicians*
- ✓ Insurance*
- ✓ Document Storage*

Comes with 1 year MyID Plus Service
Provided by Help Hope Live

Plus so much more!



MyID Sleeve

The perfect companion for your Apple Watch, Fitbit, Samsung Gear, Garmin and many other forms of wrist wear.

Keychain Pod Connector

Keychain connector that fits the MyID Pod.

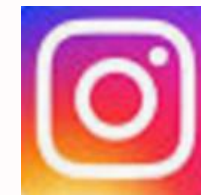
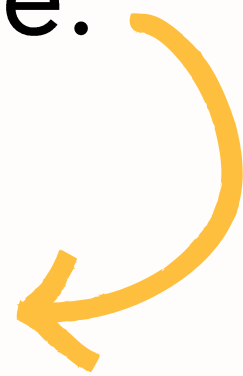


Wonder on Wheels

FREE!

4x per month

Register here:

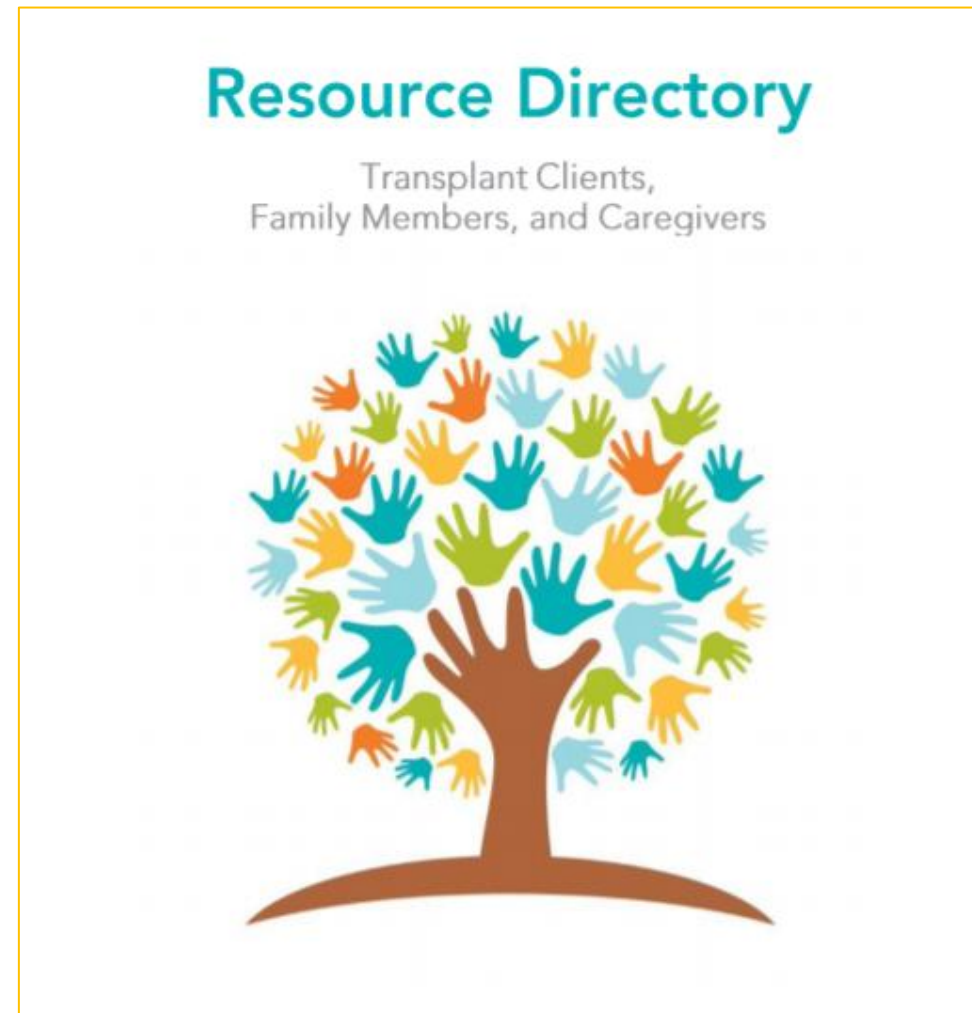


@wowwondersonwheels

"As a wheeler, I have a sense of belonging where I don't feel less than since nearly everything is tailored to non wheelers. It's something just for us!"



Hope Talks, Resources & 1-1 Outreach



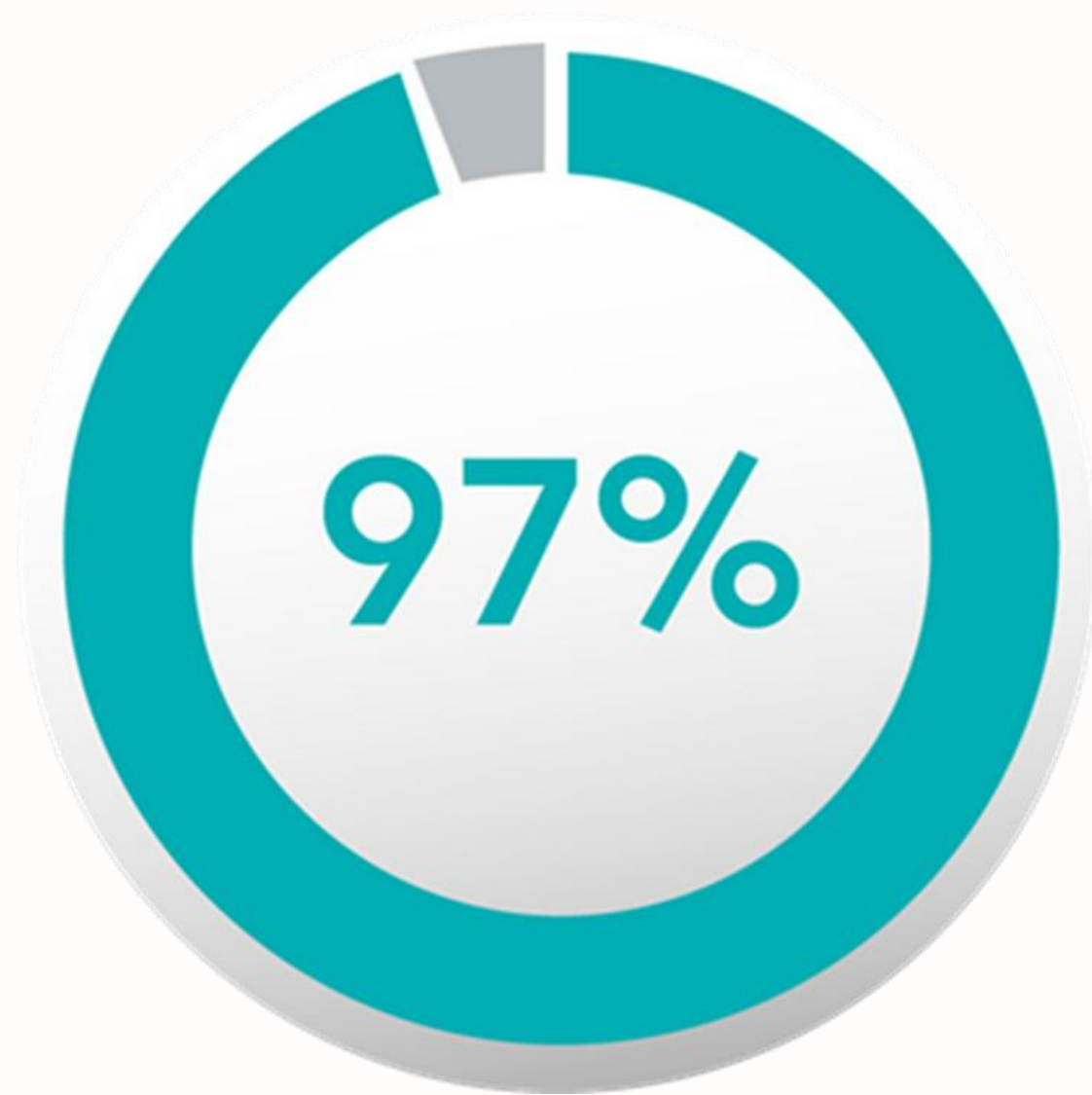
If you have **one takeaway today...**

Help Hope Live is a safer, more supportive option than GoFundMe.

****Check your seats for our GoFundMe comparison flyer!**
(Sorry, no car keys...we aren't Oprah.)



Low Cost. Big Impact.



3% admin fee on all donations



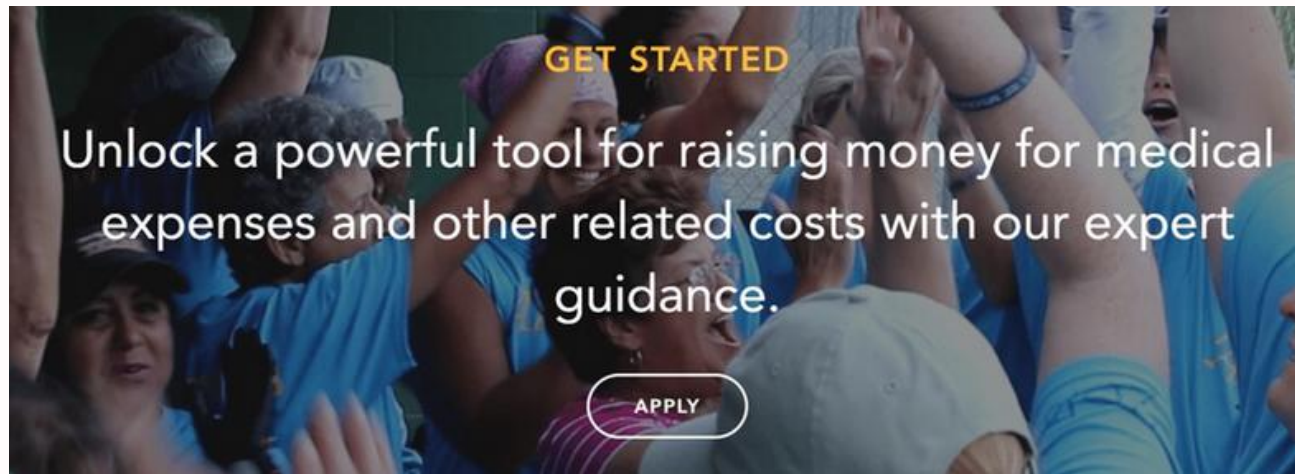
Credit card fees apply for online gifts



Majority of donors cover fees!!



Get Started



Get Started Today!

1

Submit an application

Submit your application to Help Hope Live to learn if our nonprofit fundraising model is right for you.

2

Receive Support

Receive tailored one-on-one support and exclusive resources from an expert fundraising coordinator.

3

Engage the community

Begin engaging your community online and offline with an effective and accountable fundraising campaign to get assistance for medical bills.



Thank you!



Kelly Green
Executive Director



Thank you!

Sonny Mullen
Director of Outreach

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