



Every Wish Experience Begins with a Referral

Children who may be eligible to receive a wish can be referred by:

- Medical Professionals such as providers (doctor, nurse practitioner or physician assistant), nurses, social workers or child-life specialists.
- Parents or legal guardians. Family members with detailed knowledge of the child's current medical condition.
- Children being treated for a critical illness may also refer themselves if they are capable of doing so.

Why Do Wishes Matter?

Make-A-Wish has the unique ability to transform a child and family's life during some of their most difficult times. A wish helps a child look past his or her illness, helps a family overcome anxiety and brings entire communities together in an experience of hope and joy.

In the fight against a critical illness, a wish can serve as a spark for renewed strength and encouragement for every child and family on their journey.

☆ Who Is Eligible?

Children must meet these criteria at the time of referral:

- Diagnosed with a critical illness (i.e. a progressive, degenerative or malignant condition) that, despite adherence to the treatment plan, is currently placing the child's life in jeopardy.
- Older than 2½ years and younger than 18
- Has not received a wish from another wish-granting organization

Start The Referral Process Here:

wish.org/refer-a-child



wish.org/nm

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Albuquerque, NM 87109

(505) 888-9474



Inicia El Proceso Aquí:

wish.org/spanish-referral-inquiry-form



Our Mission

*Together, we create life-
changing wishes for
children with critical illnesses.*

