

# COMMUNITY BENEFIT OVERVIEW



In 2022, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta provided **\$301 million** to the community through benefits to our patients and their families. The services and programs offered can be broken down into seven areas:



**\$196.2 million**

## Unreimbursed clinical care

While the delivery of unreimbursed care is one way that we meet our community's needs, we also offer extensive programs and subsidized health services to augment care. In 2022, approximately 58% of our unique patients or more than 250,000 kids were on Medicaid, PeachCare for Kids or unable to cover the cost of their care.



**\$34.6 million**

## Subsidized health services

In an effort to ensure quality care for children of all ages in Georgia, we provided \$34.6 million in subsidized health services despite a financial loss to our organization. These services include, among others, the Trauma Program, Stephanie V. Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children, Center for Cleft and Craniofacial Disorders, Marcus Autism Center and our clinical behavioral and mental health programs. Without Children's, these services would be unavailable in the community, the community's capacity to provide these services would be below the community's need, or they likely would become the responsibility of the government or another tax-exempt organization.



**\$27.6 million**

## Lifesaving research

We collaborate with Emory University School of Medicine, Georgia Institute of Technology and other academic institutions to advance pediatric medicine and pursue answers to perplexing medical conditions. In 2022, Children's managed more than 600 active clinical trials and more than 2,000 patients enrolled in clinical research. Throughout 2022, Children's provided \$27.6 million for lifesaving research in pediatric diseases and tracked more than 2,281 visit hours in the Children's Pediatric Research Unit.



**\$19.2 million**

## Specialty pediatric services

Our healthcare system goes well beyond traditional medicine to create healing environments specially designed for kids. In 2022, Children's provided \$19.2 million in special pediatric services, including child life specialists, chaplains, facility dogs, music therapy, family libraries, play areas and hospital-based classrooms that are important components to the care and healing of kids and their families.



**\$11.8 million**

## Wellness programs

Since Strong4Life was created in 2011 to fight childhood obesity, we've expanded our mission for child advocacy to include injury and illness prevention, child protection and preventative behavioral and mental health programs. We committed \$11.8 million to support children's wellness in Georgia. In 2022, we reached and served more than 813,000 Georgia children and worked with more than 825 schools and early childhood education centers. We trained more than 400 providers in 2022.



**\$10.8 million**

## Physician training programs

As the primary pediatric teaching site for Emory University School of Medicine and Morehouse School of Medicine, we provided \$10.8 million to train the next generation of caregivers, which included 539 residents and 216 fellows during the 2022-2023 academic year. There is a growing shortage of pediatric physicians and by training more in Georgia, more will likely stay in the state to practice and care for our growing needs.



**\$800,000**

## Cash and in-kind donations

The life-changing care provided at Children's is not limited to an exam room. In 2022, we committed \$800,000 in cash and in-kind donations to the community. These represent contributions, supplies and compensation paid to our employees away from normal job duties at Children's. This included time spent volunteering as camp counselors, logistics staff and medical providers at Camp Twin Lakes, which offers overnight summer camps for children facing serious illnesses, challenges and disabilities.