

MISSION

Isabella Santos Foundation, ISF, is dedicated to improving rare pediatric cancer treatment options in an effort to increase the survival rates of kids with cancer. Over the course of fifteen years, ISF has funded **\$7 million** toward expanding the scope of research and treatment and supporting families dealing with cancer in a variety of ways. In 2022, ISF gave \$1,425,190 to support its mission for pediatric cancer.

\$1,425,190

Total Donated

MISSION CATEGORIES

It was Isabella's wish to BEAT Cancer, GROW Hair, and LIVE Her Dreams. The foundation's mission is to fulfill these wishes in three giving categories.



Investing in Pediatric Cancer Research



Strengthening Pediatric Cancer Trials



Supporting Families Affected by Cancer

ISF RARE & SOLID TUMOR PROGRAM

The ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program at Levine Children's provides the most comprehensive care and treatments for pediatric cancer in our community and across the globe. This clinic offers the most advanced clinical treatments, including precision medicine and novel clinical trials, to bring forward the newest therapies and improve outcomes in childhood cancer. The program opened in July 2020 with the arrival of world-renowned research oncologist, Dr. Giselle Sholler.

GIVE BACK PARTNERS

Last year local Charlotte businesses showed up yet again and gave back to ISF and cancer families in need. They were an integral factor in us being able to give away over \$1.4 million to our mission.

33Partner Events Raised

\$338,008

For Pediatric Cancer

MONTHLY DONORS

Monthly donors make it easier for ISF to plan long-term, budget more efficiently, and create more life-changing outcomes for kids fighting cancer.



\$64 Average Monthly Donation

\$85,408Annual Impact



BEAT CANCER I INVESTING IN PEDIATRIC CANCER RESEARCH

Funded research is the only way to create change in the outcomes for kids fighting rare pediatric cancer. The **Beat Cancer** giving program is the heart and soul of our organization, and 70% of our mission focus. It's why we exist. Funds through **Beat Cancer** are granted to Levine Children's to help build the Isabella Santos Foundation Rare & Solid Tumor Program supporting rare pediatric cancer research. Over the course of the foundation, ISF has donated \$4,551,942 to our Beat Cancer giving mission support pediatric cancer research.

\$1,026,087

Donated Through Beat Cancer Mission

2022 IMPACT

Funded roles & structure vital to the success of the program

- ✓ Solid Tumor Physician
- ✓ Advanced Care Practitioner
- ✓Sarcoma Physician
- **✓** Nutritionist
- ✓Clinical Research Associate ✓Social Worker
- ✓ Clinical Research Nurse

Total of \$1,425,190 granted to Levine Children's in 2022. Portion of donation falls under ISF LIVE giving category.

ISF RARE & SOLID TUMOR PROGRAM

The Isabella Santos Foundation funds the creation of the ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program, a comprehensive team of providers and researchers uniquely positioned to advance care and research for rare and solid tumors at Levine Children's. This program begin with the arrival of world-renowned cancer researcher, Dr. Giselle Sholler, and has rapidly grown.

The growth that has occurred in Charlotte for Pediatric Oncology has largely been due to the partnership and generosity of the Isabella Santos Foundation. The clinic will grow to become an international and national destination healthcare for children with solid tumors, brain cancers, and rare cancers. In collaboration with the Levine Cancer Institute, we envision that every child diagnosed with a solid tumor here at Levine Children's will have their tumor collected, banked, sequenced, and created into cell lines for research. This is so important for us to learn all that we can about each child to help them as well as to perform research in our laboratory to help us create better treatments and new clinical trials.

Dr. Sholler, Director, ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program Director at Levine Children's

The ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program is exceeding expectations as kids fighting rare cancers flood to Charlotte for treatment. Families looking for options have traveled from dozens of countries. Along with Dr. Sholler's arrival came a pediatric cancer research lab where dozens of clinical trials have opened and more are on the horizon. This program is reaching new heights and is becoming exactly what we set out to do... provide HOPE for kids fighting cancer around the region, country, and the world.



GROW HAIR I IMPROVING PEDIATRIC CANCER TRIALS & STUDIES

Kids fighting cancer desperately need safer and more effective cancer treatments. The funds raised through the **Grow Hair** giving program is 20% of our mission focus and will be granted to national institutions, supporting clinical trials. The goal is to provide more options for those fighting. Over the course of the foundation, ISF has donated **\$1,953,635** to fund national trials and studies focused on rare childhood cancers.



2022 IMPACT

Funded two national childhood cancer trials

✓ Levine Children's P.E.A.C.H. Protocol, Osteosarcoma Arm

NATIONAL CLINICAL TRIALS & STUDIES

Our goal is to fund national clinical trials and studies to help provide more options and strengthen treatments for rare pediatric cancers. Over the course of the foundation, ISF has funded trials at Memorial Sloan Kettering, Nationwide Children's, Levine Children's, and through the Children's Oncology Group. ISF looks to impact trials and studies which will impact patients nationwide.

LEVINE CHILDREN'S, P.E.A.C.H. PROTOCOL

The P.E.A.C.H. Protocol is a Phase I, multicenter study, currently open and enrolling patients. The purpose of this trial is to evaluate treating children with recurrent neuroblastoma and newly diagnosed DIPG with molecular targeted therapy in combination with an anti-cancer immunotherapy vaccine. In addition, this trial will study the activity of the patients' immune system and determine if it is affected by this therapy. Patient tumor cell lines and Xenograft models will be established & characterized. These will be used for future research and evaluated for drug response. The trial consists of two arms: neuroblastoma or DIPG.

ISF funding will help support the advancement of adding the osteosarcoma arm to the clinical trial which will begin enrolling patients first quarter of 2023.



LIVE MY DREAMS I SUPPORTING FAMILIES AFFECTED BY CANCER

The cost of childhood cancer goes beyond hospital stays and chemotherapy. The **Live My Dreams** giving program is 10% of our mission focus. This program will help support the various struggles that come with a cancer diagnosis. In partnership with several local Charlotte organizations, over the course of the foundation, ISF has donated a total of **\$718,625** to support the success of families impacted by childhood cancer.

\$92,903
Donated Through
Live My Dreams
Mission

2022 IMPACT

Funded various organizations & direct family needs

- ✓ ISF LIVE Program, Levine Children's
- ✓ Ronald McDonald House of Charlotte
- ✓ Scholarship Grant, Kindermourn
- ✓ Financial Support to Local Charlotte Nonprofits
- ✓ Childhood Cancer Family Financial Support
- ✓ Isabella Santos Foundation Highschool Scholarship

As we saw the ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program move at lightning speed in 2020 and more and more patients traveling to Charlotte for cancer treatment, it was clear we needed to extend an additional kind of aid than what we traditionally provide. New in 2021, we are excited to establish the Levine Children's 'Live My Dreams' program to help with specific needs of families being treated under the ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program.

Since May of 2021, ISF has supported nearly **88 families** being treated under the ISF Rare & Solid Tumor Program.

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Thanks to the generosity of ISF, allowing him to stay in the hotel with home-cooked meals (and a pool!) allowed him to feel like a kid through this treatment.

5- year-old boy with relapsed neuroblastoma traveling from Virginia for Danyelza receives aid through 'Live My Dreams' Program

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