



ISABELLA SANTOS
FOUNDATION

Beat Cancer. Grow Hair. Live My Dreams.



WHY ISF?

Isabella fought neuroblastoma, a form of rare cancer, for five years and ran out of treatment options. This is the case for many other children diagnosed with rare cancers. Pediatric cancer is not just one disease - it is made up of 12 major types and over 100 subtypes so it falls into its own category with little to no funding.

It's up to private foundations like the Isabella Santos Foundation (ISF) to raise essential funds for research and new treatment programs that will give the families affected a fighting chance.

OUR PROGRESS

- ✓ **Over \$7M** Raised to Support Our Mission
- ✓ Hired **Top Research Oncologists**
- ✓ Doubled the **Solid Tumor Patient Volume**
- ✓ Treated **Patients Traveling Worldwide** from 24+ Countries
- ✓ Opened **Pediatric Cancer Research Lab** at LCH
- ✓ **12 Clinical Trials** + Rare Cancer Studies Funded

In partnership with Atrium Health Levine Children's Hospital, ISF proudly announced the opening of the Isabella Santos Foundation Rare & Solid Tumor Program in July 2020, bringing world-class comprehensive care, access to the latest clinical trials and an exceptional patient experience to Charlotte, NC.



Our overarching mission is clear - to touch the lives of families battling rare pediatric cancer and significantly accelerate the pace at which life-changing questions are answered.

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2024 DONOR PROGRAMS

"Much of our research on rare cancers will be done solely using ISF donations for the rare and solid tumor program and we cannot be successful without your partnership. During this exciting time, it is more important than ever to have ISF support the growth of research and clinical operations for the children of Charlotte and beyond because, without that support, we will not be successful."

- Javier Oesterheld MD
Director of Pediatric Hematology,
Oncology & BMT
Levine Children's Hospital

ISF offers many opportunities for the community to join our mission, make a positive impact, gain valuable experience and foster a meaningful relationships with people like you.

**ANNUAL DONOR | THREE WISH DONOR | MONTHLY DONOR
VOLUNTEER | HOST FOR HOPE | PEER TO PEER
BENEFICIARY PARTNER | INTERN | AMBASSADOR**

Donor programs are a great way for individuals, community groups, local businesses, school programs to show your commitment to philanthropy.

CHILDHOOD CANCER BY THE NUMBERS

46 children are **diagnosed** in the U.S. each day

4% of the National Cancer Institute's **annual budget**

12 **major types and 100+ subtypes** exist - it's not just one disease

71 average **years of life** lost to different types

1:5 ratio of diagnosed children who **do not survive**

2X survivors are **twice as likely** to suffer chronic health problems

IMPACT TO DATE

\$7M

ISF has funded over \$7 million to expand the scope of rare pediatric cancer research and treatment options, improve survival rates and support thousands of families affected.



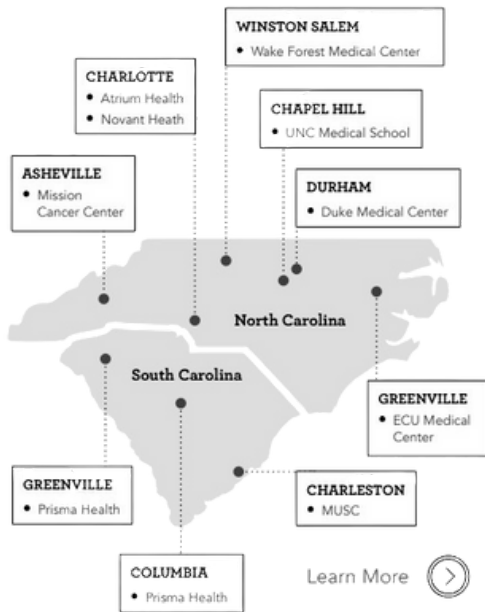
WHAT'S NEXT

In 2024, ISF is expanding across the Carolinas to unite every single children's hospital in North and South Carolina with a single mission:
to make a greater impact.

The Carolina Children's Cancer Coalition will identify and support 3-4 initiatives ranging from basic science and research, clinical trials and survivorship, in collaboration with Dr. Lars Wagner of Duke University and Dr. Javier Osterheld of Atrium Health, with an estimated annual funding requirement of \$2 million.



INTRODUCING THE CAROLINA CHILDREN'S CANCER COALITION



Through this collaborative effort among hospitals, we will expand our impact from 130 children at Levine Children's Hospital in Charlotte to **over 1000 children** spanning the Carolinas.

MAKE HISTORY WITH US BY JOINING A MOVEMENT WHERE GIVING TRULY MATTERS

This is a momentous step towards transforming the landscape of pediatric cancer research and providing hope to countless young lives worldwide.

For sponsorship opportunities, contact kmurphy@isabellasantosfoundation.com.



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2024 SIGNATURE EVENTS

ELEVATE PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY. BUILD A GLOBAL PROGRAM. BOOST SURVIVAL RATES. FUND RESEARCH. GIVE GREATER.



Every Experience Supports ISF's Mission

Community Events For A Cause

March 22 | A Speakeasy Soiree

TBD | Spring FamFest

June 24 | Birdies, Bourbon & Beer Golf Tournament

September 1-30 | September Supporter Campaign

September 30 | Brunch Festival

October 29-30 | Coffee at Carmel Fall Fundraiser

Sponsor-Specific Events + Networking Opportunities

Spring Networking | Sustaining Sponsors & Three Wish Society

Family Day with LCH | Volunteer Opportunity for Supporters

Fall Donor Acquisition Event

End of Year Celebration + Sponsor Appreciation

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For sponsorship opportunities, contact [Karen Murphy](#) at 704.281.3397