

# Cards for Hospitalized Kids

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Dear FRIEND,

Thank you so much for the beautiful cards.

Hospitalized kids often feel scared, lonely, isolated, different; they also often miss out on simple joys of childhood, such as attending school regularly. Receiving a card helps by brightening their day, making them feel special and showing them they aren't forgotten.

I know about the impact of cards not just from giving, but also from receiving. I underwent 20+ surgeries throughout my childhood. Receiving a handmade card gave me hope during my toughest hospital stay.

The cards are especially meaningful to our regular card-receiving kids, who endure frequent hospital stays due to chronic, life-threatening and/or terminal condition(s).

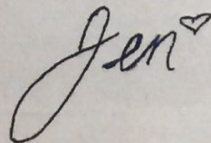
It also means a lot to the child's family, to know someone is wishing them well during the hardest time of their lives. The family of Ariel, who passed away from cancer, even chose to bury the cards with Ariel.

Thanks to people like you, kids at hospitals and Ronald McDonald Houses (RMHs) in all 50 states have received our cards. I hope you will continue making cards to help continue this impact.

I also encourage you to connect with us via social media, where you can view photos of patients with the cards, media articles, updates and more.

On behalf of our card-receiving patients around the country, I would like say thank you once again for helping us spread hope, joy & magic to sick kids!

Sincerely,



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