

# Join the *Fight* for every child.



**Colton, Age 11**  
*Hodgkin lymphoma*

## YOUNG PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

CURE Childhood Cancer is looking for passionate, next-generation leaders to serve on its Young Professional Leadership Council (YPLC). YPLC members are hands-on fundraisers, advocates, and ambassadors for CURE, willing and eager to roll up their sleeves and make a difference for children fighting cancer.

This is a great opportunity to grow as a leader, network with like-minded professionals, and play a direct role in the fight against childhood cancer. Members commit to a two-year term, with the option to renew. Requirements for service include:

**PERSONAL DONATION:** Minimum of \$250 personal contribution to CURE each year.

**FUNDRAISING:** Because we all share a passion for advancing research and treatments for children with cancer, fundraising for that purpose is a big part of YPLC service at CURE. All YPLC members are expected to support our annual fundraising event, Cocktails & CURE, a casino-themed night held in June. The following are ways to support:

- Participate in the planning and execution, as well as attend the event.
- Secure sponsorships, donations, and in-kind support (each member is expected to procure a minimum of \$3,500 in sponsorships or in-kind support).
- Promote the event and aid in ticket sales.

**MEETINGS:** The YPLC meets monthly. Members are expected to attend no fewer than 75% of these meetings, either virtually or in person. Additionally, members are expected to attend the annual YPLC kick-off event.

**CURE EVENTS:** YPLC members are expected to attend and support *Lauren's Run & Picnic* in April. Additionally, we encourage members to participate in CURE's two other signature events: *Believe Ball* on October 3, 2026, and *Quiet Heroes* on March 13, 2027.

**FAMILY SUPPORT:** While not a strict requirement, YPLC service will be much more fulfilling if members engage in some of our patient and family support programs, such as serving meals to hospitalized children and family members, volunteering at our Summer and/or Holiday Party, participating in our Holiday Angels program, etc.

*\*Note that the YPLC does not have governance responsibilities.*

Sophia, Age 6  
leukemia

CURE fuels lifesaving research and critical support – bringing hope to brave families facing childhood cancer.

## About CURE Childhood Cancer

### Our History

Since our establishment in 1975, CURE has focused our efforts on improving the care, quality of life, and outcomes for children with cancer. The founders, parents, and a dedicated pediatric oncologist, joined forces to support laboratory research that would translate into immediate care for children with cancer.

Since that time, CURE has raised millions of dollars to fund innovative research at the Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, Emory University School of Medicine, and other prominent institutions nationwide. CURE also provides support for families battling childhood cancer aimed at addressing their critical and urgent needs.



Ava, Age 5  
medulloblastoma



Romeo, Age 21  
leukemia

### Our Annual Budget

CURE's annual budget is more than \$14.5 million. Ninety percent of funds raised go directly to research, patient and family services, and education, with only 10% going to administration and fundraising.

For the 17<sup>th</sup> consecutive year, CURE proudly received the highest rating from charity watchdog Charity Navigator. According to Charity Navigator's CEO, "CURE outperforms most other charities in America."