Sunshine Foundation is a national children’s charity that answers the dreams of children, ages three to eighteen, who are chronically ill, seriously ill, physically challenged and abused, and whose families are unable to fulfill their requests due to the financial strain the child’s illness may cause.

**Mission Statement**

Sunshine Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization. We are required by law to fund programs that directly benefit children. Sunshine Foundation does not provide grants, cash, or financial assistance to organizations. The medical costs of children with chronic illnesses and disabilities must be paid in full by their insurance or by other means. The financial aid provided by Sunshine Foundation is given only to children who have the following medical diagnoses or injuries:

- **Chronic Health Diagnoses:**
  - Asthma
  - Autoimmune Diseases
  - Cardiac Conditions
  - Cerebral Palsy
  - Chronic Limb Girdle Paralysis
  - Chronic Lymphatic Leukemia
  - Chronic Pulmonary Disease
  - Congenital Heart Block
  - Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia
  - Congenital Heart Disease
  - Congenital Hypothyroidism
  - Congenital Limb Deficiencies
  - Congenital Lymphedema
  - Congenital Muscular Dystrophy
  - Congenital Hyperaldosteronism
  - Congenital Mitral Valve Prolapse
  - Congenital Pulmonary Hypertension
  - Congenital Thyroid Disease
  - Cystic Fibrosis
  - Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy
  - Epilepsy
  - Epidermolysis Bullosa
  - Erythroblastosis Fetalis
  - Gastroparesis
  - Growth Retardation
  - Hemophilia
  - Hypothyroidism
  - Hydrocephaly
  - Ichthyosis
  - Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis
  - Lymphoma
  - Malignant Disease
  - Multiple Sclerosis
  - Neurofibromatosis
  - Neurosis
  - Non-Hodgkin’s Lymphoma
  - Non-Neurological Cranial Trauma
  - Neurological Cranial Trauma
  - Oxygen Dependency
  - Partial Oxyhemoglobin
  - Polycystic Kidney Disease
  - Prader-Willi Syndrome
  - Progeria
  - Rabies
  - Retinopathy
  - Rubella
  - Scleroderma
  - Spina Bifida
  - Spina Bifida Aqulina
  - Subarachnoid Hemorrhage
  - Sudden Infant Death Syndrome
  - Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)
  - Syncope
  - Tuberous Sclerosis
  - Urinary Incontinence
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  - Von-Hippel-Lindau Syndrome
  - Wrinkle
  - Wysten Syndrome

- **Injuries:**
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**Over 45 Years of Making Dreams Come True**

From its humble beginnings, the Sunshine Foundation, founded in 1976 by Bill Sample, a Philly Cop, has remained a direct service 501c3 proudly expensing over 80% of dollars spent directly answering a child’s dream. Unlike other wish granting organizations, Sunshine Foundation continues to be the only nationally recognized non-profit that gives dreams to children who have the challenges of living with a lifelong, severe chronic health diagnoses. Unique to our mission, is working with families who have limited income to make their child’s once in a lifetime dream come true! Sunshine Spreads because of the generosity of so many who believe, as Bill Sample our Founder, that “every child should have at least one dream come true.”

**Sunshine Foundation Magical Dreams**

The most common dream request is for a Magical Dream to the Central Florida theme parks while staying at Sunshine Foundation Dream Village, an enchanted accommodation for children and their families that boasts nine fairytale themed cottages, a heated swimming pool, accessible playground and a putt-putt golf course! Dream Village, opened in 1990, relies heavily on volunteers, organizations and corporate groups to help keep the cottages and grounds maintained and welcoming. As the Dream Village ages, through much support, we continue to make improvements and updates to the cottages and amenities in order to ensure the dreamers have the most comfortable and enjoyable Dream Come True experience possible.

**Sunshine Foundation Special Dreams**

Sunshine Foundation also answers Special Dreams for very deserving children. These dreams can include: shopping sprees, special trips, cruises, iPads, computers, above ground swimming pools, outdoor playsets, celebrity meet & greets, adaptive tricycles and other special needs equipment, sensory rooms and bedroom makeovers, puppies, or anything the child can dream for!

**2021 Program Activities**

Since 1976... Sunshine Foundation has expended over $44.5 million in reaching out to over 41,600 deserving children.

**Lifetime Program Activities**

- Magical Dreams: 5,287
- Special Gifts: 6,253
- Special Trips: 1,196
- Dream Village Visits: 15,697
- Dreamlifts: 6,039
- Dream Assists: 83
- Holiday Gifts: 6,808
- Progeria: 166

**Total: 41,627**

*During this three year period dreams and wishes were not categorized*

**Expenditures**

- **2022-2021:**
  - **13%** Fundraising
  - **8%** Management & General
  - **79%** Program Services

**2021 Program Activities**

**Children Helped**

- Magical Dreams: 0
- Special Gifts: 58
- Special Trips: 19
- Dream Village Visits: 0
- Dreamlifts: 0
- Dream Assists: 0

**Family Included**

- 77

**During FYE 2021, Magical Dreams and Annual Dreamlift were postponed due to the COVID-19 pandemic**

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All-Volunteer Chapters

Sunshine Foundation has 9 All-Volunteer Chapters throughout the United States. The chapters are groups of volunteers who represent Sunshine Foundation, hold fundraisers and help identify children in their local area to help make dreams come true.

The All-Volunteer Cape Atlantic NJ Chapter raised funds for Jon, diagnosed with cerebral palsy. Jon had his Dream Come True of receiving a heated massage chair.

“Jon has had such a difficult time during covid with medical decline. This massage chair is truly a miracle at this stage of his life.” - Jon’s dad

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Where families stay while having child’s Magical Dream answered

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