



Chicago Fire July 13, 2024

Transforming the lives of chronically ill children, and their families shifting all from surviving to thriving



BOUNCE

#### Bounce Bash® from every-day, to once-in-a-lifetime, family adventures



Distractions from day-to-day Burdens of Chronic Illness

A Chance to "Get Out of the House" for Fun, not Medical Care

Friendships at Both the Individual & Family Level

Confidence that Extends to Other Aspects of Life & Builds Resilience

Children's Foundatio

### Special Thanks to Our Sponsor....



# Let's See What Our Families Have to Say...

## Survey Says...



**100%** found the event *Very Enjoyable* or *Enjoyable* 



**100%** *Strongly Agreed or Agreed* that the event provided a positive contribution to their family's resilience and ability to cope



**100%** *Strongly Agreed or Agreed* that the event allowed them to do something their family wouldn't normally do

"My children **loved it,** and it definitely gave us a **distraction from the hardships in life**." ~ Ashley, Bounce Mom



"Such a fun family adventure. We felt safe and taken care of which allowed us to enjoy the event and each other so much more. The retired police officers working at Gate 14 made us feel so special and welcome!

And, the fire and celebration at kick-off definitely got Michael's attention!."

~ Patty, Bounce Mom









"We are **never able to do these kinds of things. Thank you Bounce and Chicago Fire for making this possible.** And thank you so much for saving us the hats!"

~ Karen, Bounce Mom





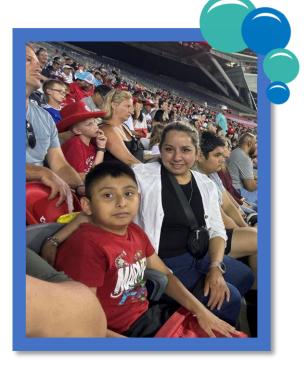
"Thank you for creating a community of togetherness for families that would otherwise be consumed with the daily challenges of living with debilitating illness."

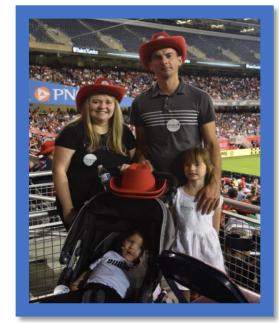
~ Chad, Bounce Mom

"We are grateful for all the *Bounce Bash* events and for always thinking about everything while doing so, like the stipend for parking, and the hats for all of us. *Bounce Bash* events truly impact us as it allows us to go and do fun things that we don't get to do. Thank you, Joan and Bounce for all that you do, and thank you Chicago Fire for making this possible."

~ Celeste, Bounce Mom













#### "This was our first soccer game!

Thank you Bounce & Chicago Fire for making this cool opportunity possible - so fun and such an amazing experience! It was the first time Danilo saw real fireworks... and he was in awe of the 'fire' (the pyrotechnics and the team!)

~ Alyssa, Bounce Mom













Thank you for transforming lives by helping our families 'bounce'!

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