



What is the UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation?

The UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit charity dedicated to improving access to medical-related services, which have the potential to significantly enhance either the clinical condition or the quality of life of the child, that are not covered or not fully covered by the available commercial health benefit plan.

Our purpose

Children who have medical needs are sometimes not insured comprehensively and they may not have coverage for all of their medical treatments. There are few places for these families to turn to for funding medically necessary services for their children. Children may go without necessary treatment, or, they receive the care and families assume a large amount of debt. UHCCF understands these needs and is willing to help fill this void.

To learn more

Please visit our Web site at www.uhccf.org to learn more about the children we have helped or to submit a grant application.

What if I would like to make a contribution?

Your contribution directly funds children's medical grants in the region in which you reside, unless you specify that your contribution be used nationwide. Thanks to the strong financial support of UnitedHealthcare and UnitedHealth Group, 90 percent of your contribution will go toward funding children's medical grants.

You can donate online or donate through the mail using the form available on www.uhccf.org. To determine if your contribution is tax deductible, please seek guidance from your tax preparation specialist.



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A grant from UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation (UHCCF) provides financial relief for families who have children with medical needs not covered or not fully covered by their commercial health benefit plan. UHCCF aims to fill the gap between what medical services/items your child needs and what your commercial health benefit plan covers.



Who is eligible for a grant?

The full list of eligibility criteria is available on www.uhccf.org. Here are a few of the criteria:

- Families who have a child or children with medical needs that are not covered or not fully covered by their commercial health benefit plan.
- Financial need of the child's family will be a consideration.
- An application must be submitted prior to the child's 17th birthday.

For all additional eligibility requirements, please visit www.uhccf.org.

How does the grant work?

If a grant for your child is approved by the Regional Board of Directors, the grant will help pay for approved medical services/items after your commercial health benefit plan submits payment, if any. The grant funds are not paid to you or the child outright – you work with UHCCF to submit invoices/bills for approved medical services/ medical items after your commercial health benefit plan submits initial payment (if any) to the health care provider.

What is the process for applying?

For specific information about how to apply for a grant, please log onto www.uhccf.org. Once on the Web site:

1. Click on the "To Apply" menu item, then click on "Applicant."
2. Read through the information about the grants. Please be sure to look at the criteria and application checklist to see what information you may need to collect for the application (see sidebar). If you meet the criteria and have all the items listed in the checklist, then you can apply for a grant online.
3. As you enter the application process online (www.uhccf.org), you will be led through a pre-screening questionnaire to determine eligibility.
4. If you pass the pre-screening questions, you will be offered the full online grant application.
5. Please note that though the application is sent online, some required paperwork must be mailed to UHCCF.

How long does the application process take?

The online application itself will take approximately 15-20 minutes to complete. The entire application review process varies. If you apply on behalf of your child, meet the stated criteria and have the items in the checklist on hand, please submit an online application.

Overall Process

