



"Where Kids Come First"

About The Foundation

A Child's Voice Foundation™ is a national not-for-profit organization dedicated to creating and managing programs that provide tangible help and will make a real difference in the lives of financially disadvantaged children in Canada. Our mission is to support and enhance the physical and emotional well-being of these children by providing products and services not otherwise provided by levels of government, insurance or other organizations. We strive to fill in the cracks, bridge the gap and open a door when all others have closed.

For over 13 years, the foundation has worked to improve the lives of children across Canada through its programs, Angel Hair for Kid's™, Kids Life Line and Kid's Nutrition and Life Skills Club.

A Child's Voice Foundation works directly with health and social care professionals to reach children who are falling between the cracks. These children are in need of products, services and support that their families are unable to afford and are not funded or provided elsewhere. Our focus is to enhance the quality of a child's life with assistance that will have a lasting, long term effect. By listening to the needs of children we are able to operate a foundation "Where Kids Come First".

Currently, the foundation and its programs rely solely on the generosity of public and corporate donors and the fundraiser it holds annually. We do not receive any funding from the government or any other charitable organization.

Our Vision

Our vision is for every child in Canada to receive the assistance that they need to improve their quality of life.

Our Values

We are committed to conduct ourselves with compassion, integrity and respect working in harmony with our community to fulfill our mission and vision.



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About the Angel Hair for Kids Program

Angel Hair for Kids is a program of a Child's Voice Foundation that provides wigs and hair loss solutions to financially disadvantaged children who have lost their hair due to a medical condition or treatment. Using hair that is generously donated to the program, Angel Hair for Kids can create wigs and hair systems and provide them to children in need at no cost to their families. Since its inception three years ago the program has provided wig systems at no charge to over 150 children and the demand is steadily increasing

Every year thousands of children in Canada will lose their hair due to conditions such as cancer treatments, alopecia and even burns. We believe that providing a wig or hair loss solution will increase self esteem and improve self image, helping them to feel more like themselves again during a very difficult, upsetting and sometimes painful time in their lives, we hope that they will be able to face their condition and daily life with a greater confidence.

This special program is unlike any other and is the only one of its kind in Canada. Every Angel Hair for Kids recipient is given a personal appointment at a salon that specializes in wigs and hair loss. These salons have been pre selected by the foundation due to their experience, ability and desire to work with children in need. Each professional generously donates their time and service as part of the program. With care and compassion the experts walk the child and their family through the process of selecting a wig or hair loss solution that meets their needs. Once selected, the hair prosthesis is fitted and styled especially for that child making it their very own. In addition, the child will receive a kit that includes a wig stand, shampoo, hair brush and care instructions. If a child is too ill to come in to the salon Angel Hair for Kids will arrange for a salon professional to come to them.

It takes 10-12 donated ponytails to make one wig or hair prosthesis and \$800.00 per system is budgeted by the foundation to cover manufacturing costs. Angel Hair for Kids welcomes both hair and financial donations so that the necessary resources are available to provide children with this much needed service.

A Child's Voice Foundation is committed to understanding the needs of children and celebrating their diversity. Research is conducting regularly to better understand hair loss conditions and the children affected by it as well as to gain a greater understanding of how best to help those children and their families through the process and difficult time in their lives.



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Angel Hair for Kids Fact Sheet

- ✂ Angel Hair for Kids™ is a program of A Child's Voice Foundation™, a national not-for-profit organization founded in 1995 with the mission to create and manage programs that provide tangible help that will make a real difference in the lives of financially disadvantaged children.
- ✂ The three programs of a Child's Voice Foundation are Angel Hair for Kids™, Kid's Life-Line and Kid's Nutrition & Life-Skills Club.
- ✂ Children's' hair loss is a growing epidemic in Canada, and thousands are affected each year. Angel Hair for Kids™ is the only program of its kind in Canada that provides human or synthetic hair wigs or specialized hair system for children from financially disadvantaged families who have lost their hair as a result of medical conditions or treatment such as Alopecia, Burns and Cancer chemotherapy and radiation treatments.
- ✂ It takes 10-12 donated ponytails to make one wig or hair prosthesis and \$800.00 per system is budgeted by the foundation to cover manufacturing costs and related services.
- ✂ Angel Hair for Kids™ accepts hair donations under the following guidelines:
 - Hair must be at least 10 inches/25cm (pull curly hair straight before cutting).
 - Hair must be clean and completely dry.
 - Braid hair and secure at both ends, cut above the elastic. Use as many ponytails or braids as necessary for haircut.
 - Wrap hair in tissue and place in a bag; include contact information for a certificate of appreciation.
- ✂ Currently, the program does not receive funding from the government or any other external organization. Fundraising is conducted year round through community events as well as our annual fundraiser.
- ✂ Angel Hair for Kids welcomes both hair and financial donations so that the necessary resources are available to provide children with this much needed service. If you are interested in making a donation or hosting a fundraiser please visit www.achildsvoicefoundation.ca or contact us Toll Free at 1-888-837-3354