

## JOIN ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN'S BIG HEARTS WALK FOR ST. MARYS KIDS.

Your decision to support St. Mary's Kids will help to ensure that over 2,000 Children with complex medical needs continue to receive world-class healthcare regardless of a family's ability to pay. Since 1870, St. Mary's team of dedicated professionals has been able to consistently deliver quality care to children with special healthcare needs and their families. Community events and fundraisers like this help in fulfilling our motto, Where Big Hearts Help Little Patients.

Participants are encouraged to maximize their impact by raising money online or collecting donations to turn in the day of the event.

Last year, we raised over \$100K for vital programs and services for St. Mary's Kids. With your help, this year we can raise even more and take steps towards a brighter future for St. Mary's Kids.

### **ABOUT ST. MARY'S**

St. Mary's a national leader in intensive rehabilitation, specialized care, and education for children with life-limiting conditions.

Our mission is to improve the health and quality of life for children and families with special needs. Following hospitalizations for injury, illness or complications of premature birth or when special services are needed, children and their families come to St. Mary's to receive exceptional care, learn to manage their condition, and achieve a better quality of life.

# HOW YOUR SUPPORT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

Thanks to your support of our Big Hearts Walk for St. Mary's Kids, we are able to provide vital programs & services to kids with special needs.

### **PIONEERS IN CARE**

St. Mary's Hospital for Children is the only postacute care hospital for children in NYC & the most technologically-advanced facility of its kind & is recognized for introducing innovative new treatment strategies that have revolutionized care for children:

#### **Pediatric Home Care**

The first in NY State & the only program designed specifically for children & young adults with medically complex conditions.

Pediatric Traumatic Brain Injury & Nero-Rehabilitation

The first in the NY Metropolitan area.

**Pediatric Palliative Care** The first of its kind in the U.S.

**Pediatric Feeding Disorders Program** The only program in NY State.

