Because Every Child Deserves a Healthier Tomorrow

UnityPoint Health - Cedar Rapids is where young patients get the special care they need, from a new life entering the world to an abused child or a teen struggling with depression. We’re here for families, too, with unique services like Eastern Iowa’s only Ronald McDonald Family Room.

When Madelyn, Reid, and Adriana Leuchs arrived in the world 10 weeks early, UnityPoint Health - Cedar Rapids was ready for them. Their mom, Emma, says their care was carefully coordinated, from her UnityPoint Clinic specialist to the team at St. Luke’s Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU).

“We are the only area provider of 17 vital children’s services.”

“Caring for very low birthweight infants and multiples requires the experience, equipment, and expertise only St. Luke’s provides in the Cedar Rapids area,” explains Dr. Andrew Nordine, St. Luke’s NICU medical director. “Our team works hard to be worthy of the trust this community puts in us.”
Four-year-old “Max” couldn’t enjoy mealtime because of pain from a mouth full of decayed teeth. His family simply couldn’t afford dental care. But thanks to the Dr. Rhys B. Jones Dental Health Center, “Max” got the treatment he needs to be happy and smiling again.

St. Luke’s Foundation depends on the generosity of people like you to support UnityPoint Health - Cedar Rapids in giving children and families the health care we’d like our loved ones to receive. Your contribution can put a smile on a child’s face, help a premature baby draw her first breath, or give a neglected child hope for the future.

**Children’s Services**
**Annual Visits/Admissions**

- **Level III NICU**
  300 admissions
- **Ronald McDonald Family Room**
  2,600 guests
  3,500 dinners
  20,000 family visits
- **Jones Dental Health Center**
  6,400 patient visits
- **Witwer Children’s Therapy**
  34,600 patient visits
- **Pediatric Services**
  1,500 admissions
- **TIES (Early Intervention Program)**
  1,500 patient visits
- **Child Protection Center**
  1,000 patient visits
- **Inpatient Child/Adolescent**
  1,000 patient visits
- **Children’s Specialty Services**
  3,300 patient visits

Medicaid reimburses only 1/3 of the cost to provide care for many young patients.