The Martin Rajkovich Children’s Fund
Eligibility Requirements

The Community Foundation for San Benito County is pleased to announce available grants through the Martin Rajkovich Children’s Fund. This bequeathed fund is permanently endowed through the Community Foundation and designated to benefit critically or chronically ill children living in San Benito County.

The grants will be used to enhance the quality of life and well-being of a child by providing extra support that is not available or open to the family. It is the lasting wish of the donor that this special fund brings joy and comfort to the sick child and their family.

The criteria for eligible children:

- Must be under 19 years of age
- The child must live in San Benito County
- Must be under doctor’s care with a critical or chronic illness
- Repeat applicant if last grant was received at a minimum of 5 years from current application.
- Family must demonstrate financial need

The fund will consider support including but not limited to the following areas:

- Equipment and accessories to enhance quality of life
- Special therapeutic treatments outside of the medical field
- Transportation, respite care, family counseling
- Special recreational travel arrangements

The fund will NOT be used for the following areas:

- Medical Expenses
- Hospital Stays
- Doctor Bills
- Medicine
- ADA modifications inside or outside of the home

If you would like to refer a child for grant consideration from this special fund, please visit our website at givesanbenito.org to download our child referral form, or contact us directly at 630-1924. The Community Foundation respects the privacy of all children and families we serve. All medical information is confidential and is not disclosed with outside parties unless we have the consent of the child’s parent(s) or guardian(s).