

## Family Resources and Support Services

The Children's Cardiomyopathy Foundation (CCF) is a national nonprofit committed to helping families cope. For almost two decades, CCF has assisted families in search of information, guidance, and support.

CCF offers a wide-range of resources and services for patients and their families.

## **Connect**

CCF Connect is a **private online community** that provides emotional support and educational resources. CCF Connect is a free service for CCF members, and it offers:

- Online community & discussion forum
- · Family matching
- Parent ambassadors
- Online Q&A sessions with medical experts
- Profiles of Cardiomyopathy Centers of Care

To register with CCF and access additional services, visit www.childrenscardiomyopathy.org.



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## Learn

Through partnerships with medical experts and leading healthcare centers, CCF provides easy-to-understand educational resources such as:

- Understanding Pediatric Cardiomyopathy
- Cardio What? A Kids' Guide to Cardiomyopathy
- Ensuring a Good Learning Environment: A Cardiomyopathy School Resource Kit
- Pediatric Heart Failure: A Guide for Parents and Families
- Pediatric Heart Transplants: A Guide for Patients and Families
- Secrets of the Heart: Living with Pediatric Cardiomyopathy
- Know Your Heart: Genetic Testing for Cardiomyopathy Families

## **Engage**

CCF provides opportunities to interact with medical professionals and offers resources to help patients and families become better advocates. These resources include:

- Webinars and videos
- Guidebooks
- Fact sheets and daily living guides
- Facebook groups for teens and adults

In addition, CCF's **Family Assistance Program** helps qualifying families in need of financial support with cardiomyopathy-related medical and non-medical needs.

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