Pediatric Cardiomyopathy
Fast Facts

25 children are diagnosed with cardiomyopathy every week in the United States.

A LEADING CAUSE of SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST in the young.

Out-of-pocket treatment expenses can add up to $62,000 per year.

47 research studies on childhood cancer to 1 study on pediatric cardiomyopathy.

For every $100 of government spending on heart disease research, 65¢ goes to pediatric cardiomyopathy research.

2 out of 3 children do not have a known cause.

Mortality rate exceeds mortality of all childhood cancers combined.

40% of all diagnosed children will either receive a heart transplant or die.

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