



# Lurie Children's Innovators

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Lurie Children's Innovators is an exclusive program that **channels the passions and energies of the next generation** of Chicago philanthropists in support of initiatives with the potential to change children's lives.

## IMPACT FOR GENERATIONS

Lurie Children's has emerged as a national leader in pediatric care and research, relentless in its drive to transform futures against often daunting odds. But progress doesn't happen on its own. **If you believe every child deserves a healthier future, share your strength and become an Innovator.**

The Innovators program brings together individuals who want to make change happen, and offers the opportunity to strategically leverage gifts for a major impact on high-priority needs at Lurie Children's.

## COMMIT TO PROGRESS

- 1** Commit a minimum **\$5,000 investment** that will be pooled with other Innovators for a collaborative impact
- 2** Learn about the high priority needs at Lurie Children's as you **meet leading-edge clinicians and researchers** who are shaping a healthier future for every child
- 3** **Help us choose:** Innovators convene to collectively select a project to fund

## CONVENE WITH PURPOSE

Four times during the year, Innovators will gather to be informed and empowered through conversations with caregivers, patients, physician-scientists and fellow philanthropists. Opportunities include:

- **Behind-the-scenes tours** of Lurie Children's state-of-the-art facility
- **Ability to brainstorm with medical leaders** on solutions to important issues
- **Connections to other thought-leaders and philanthropists** through networking and engagement opportunities

Visit us at [luriechildrens.org/innovators](http://luriechildrens.org/innovators)

Interested in learning more and becoming a Lurie Children's Innovator? Contact [innovators@luriechildrens.org](mailto:innovators@luriechildrens.org)

**2021  
EVENTS**

**FEBRUARY 17**  
Annual Launch  
Party (Virtual)

**APRIL\***  
Networking  
and Educational  
Opportunity

**SEPTEMBER\***  
Behind-the-  
Scenes Experience

**NOVEMBER\***  
Annual Project  
Selection Event

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\*Event dates will be confirmed after the Medical Center topic is selected at the Annual Launch Party. Event format subject to change based on in-person gathering restrictions due to the pandemic.



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## EXPECTATIONS

- I/we commit to a minimum investment of \$5,000.** All payments must be received in advance of the Annual Project Selection Event. Gifts will be allocated to the Lurie Children's Innovators Fund and combined with contributions from other Innovators for a collaborative investment recommended by the group each year.
  - Giving options include outright gift and/or outright gift with corporate or foundation match (*if applicable*).
  - Each commitment of \$5,000 will count as one vote in the selection of the collective investment.
- I/we would like to participate in engagement opportunities.** Participation in engagement opportunities is strongly encouraged in order to learn about the areas that are being considered for support and build connections with fellow Innovators.
- I/we understand there is an Annual Project Selection Event where votes will be cast.** If unable to attend, I/we will email a vote 24 hours in advance of the event to [innovators@luriechildrens.org](mailto:innovators@luriechildrens.org).
- I/we will serve as an ambassador for Lurie Children's Innovators** and encourage friends, peers, and colleagues to be a part of this opportunity each year.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- My contact information may be shared with fellow Innovators.

## RECOGNITION

- Where the opportunity for public recognition arises, I/we would like to be acknowledged as:

\_\_\_\_\_

- I/we would prefer to remain anonymous.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To register online, please visit [www.luriechildrens.org/innovatorsregister](http://www.luriechildrens.org/innovatorsregister)

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