

Ronald McDonald House at Stanford

Donor Bill of Rights

PHILANTHROPY is based on voluntary action for the common good. It is a tradition of giving and sharing that is primary to the quality of life. To assure that philanthropy merits the respect and trust of the general public, and that donors and prospective donors can have full confidence in Ronald McDonald House at Stanford, we declare that all donors have these rights:

I.

To be informed of Ronald McDonald House at Stanford's mission, of the way the House intends to use donated resources, and of its capacity to use donations effectively for their intended purposes.

II.

To be informed of the identity of those serving on Ronald McDonald House at Stanford's governing board, and to expect the board to exercise prudent judgement in its stewardship responsibilities.

III.

To have access to Ronald McDonald House at Stanford's most recent financial statements.

IV.

To be assured their gifts will be used for the purposes for which they were given.

V.

To receive appropriate acknowledgement and recognition.

VI.

To be assured that information about their donations is handled with respect and confidentiality.

VII.

To expect that all relationships with individuals representing Ronald McDonald House at Stanford will be professional in nature.

VIII.

To be informed whether those seeking donations are volunteers or employees of Ronald McDonald House at Stanford. The House never uses hired solicitors.

IX.

To be assured that Ronald McDonald House at Stanford will never share their information with another organization.

X.

To feel free to ask questions when making a donation and to receive prompt, truthful and forthright answers.

