

# Eligibility Requirements

## Ronald McDonald House Akron



### General Requirements to 'Request a Stay':

- Minimum 3-night stay.
- Completed Room Request form (faxed, mailed, emailed, phoned in) see page 3.
  - Room Requests will only be accepted within 7 days of first night of stay. This does not confirm your reservation only that it will be entered into our system as a request. All requests will start on the Waiting List.
- Completed and approved Criminal History Background Check for each resident (18 years old and older). Link to [online submission](#).
- Only 2 primary caregivers (as identified at Akron Children's Hospital for stay duration) and patient are permitted to stay. Daily extended visits with your child in the hospital are required while they are admitted.
- Family understands that each guest **MUST** present daily health screening sticker provided by Akron Children's Hospital to a RMHA staff member between **9:30 am – 3:30 pm EACH DAY**. If a guest does not present their daily sticker confirmation by 3:30 pm their key will be deactivated, and they will be asked to leave for a minimum of 14 days. If that guest is found in the House during those 14 days the entire family will be asked to leave.
- On day of Check-In each guest **MUST** present health screening sticker provided by Akron Children's Hospital that day. If you are arriving that day you will need to go to the hospital first to be screened before being allowed into RMHA.

### Required Signed/Completed Documents to complete Check-In:

- RMHA Guest Guidelines agreement (see page 2).
- RMHA Waiver Release regarding COVID-19 (see page 4).
- HIPAA Authorization allowing communication between Akron Children's Hospital and Ronald McDonald House Akron (see page 5).
- Copy of patient's negative COVID-19 test performed by Akron Children's Hospital (copy of results or confirmation note from Doctor) if applicable.

*Once your request is approved and confirmed by a RMHA staff member a specific check-in day/time will be scheduled. Please note our reopening plan is occurring in phases so our occupancy will be slowly increasing. Each request will start on our waiting list and will only be accepted within 7 days of first night of stay.*