



To Whom It May Concern,

The Children's Medical Nutrition Alliance (CMNuA), is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing food, related medical expenses and quality of life enhancing programs to families with children who have medical conditions that make them **deathly allergic to the protein in FOOD...ALL FOOD. These children need medical nutrition to thrive and even survive.** Their parents are hard working people like you and me. In our community and across the country, they hold down jobs, pay housing and utilities expenses and have health insurance. BUT, insurance doesn't cover the \$50+ PER CAN for the formula that their children need TO LIVE. **THEY DESPERATELY NEED OUR HELP!**

Thanks to the generosity of companies and individuals, this year CMNuA has been able to help **almost 50 families**, providing their children with the life-saving nutrition they need through our Funding Food and Families Program. We couldn't have done it without the incredible support of last year's Gala sponsors, silent auction donors, and attendees.

CMNuA's Fund for Food and Families is now its third year of providing special, life-sustaining formula, **FREE OF CHARGE** to area families, and those across the country, whose children will starve or suffer life altering severe reactions to the protein in food. Our list of recipients is growing daily but the need is far outpacing our ability to help everyone. We rely solely on donations to fund **this life-saving medical food campaign**, so CMNuA will be hosting our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Funding Food and Families Gala on Saturday, December 9, 2017 at the River Creek Club in Leesburg, VA.

This event is one of the main sources of fundraising for the Children's Medical Nutrition Alliance and our Fund for Food and Families, and we would like to **PROMOTE YOUR COMPANY** at our Gala.

**Will you please make a donation of product or services for our silent auction and raffle?** Or, you can make a financial contribution to the Fund in addition to, or in lieu of a product donation. It is a great opportunity to give back and show your business's commitment to the community. Every penny helps, and all monetary and product/service donations are 100% tax-deductible!

A donation form for raffle/silent auction items and/or financial contribution is attached. **Simply fill it out, then call or email this form by November 17 and we will be happy to pick up your donation personally.**

We will thank contributors at the event and share your support with the community. Thank you for considering our request to support the Funding Food and Families Gala, and the kids who desperately need our help.

Thank you in advance for supporting CMNuA helping these children!

PS. Please also join us at the Gala on Saturday, December 9 from 5:00-11pm at River Creek Club. Bring your friends and employees! Enjoy some good food, live and silent auctions, a keynote speaker, and dancing. Our honored guests include past recipients of The Fund, the Chairman of CMNuA's Board of Directors, and local officials.

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Please return to: Children's Medical Nutrition Alliance  
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2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Funding Food and Families Gala - Raffle/ Silent Auction Donation Form

Donor Rep. Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Description of Item or Service Being Donated:

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Approximate Retail Value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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I would like to make a cash donation of:

\$25     \$50 (one can of formula)     \$100     \$200 (One case of formula)     \$350

\$500     Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Form of payment:     In Cash     Check (made payable to Children's Medical Nutrition Alliance)

Credit Card (CMNuA will set a time to come to you and swipe your credit card for payment)

**Please return this form and your donation to Lisa Endress by November 17, 2017.**

For pickup, please email [lendress@cmnua.org](mailto:lendress@cmnua.org) or call (301) 803-9967.

Thank you for your support!

CMNuA's tax exempt # is 46-2535073. Should you have any questions or require a copy of our Federal Tax Group Exemption letter, which establishes that we are a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization, please feel free to contact us any time at (571) 216-7291.