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Ronald McDonald House Charities of Oregon and Southwest Washington Welcomes Mady Murrey to Board of Trustees

PORTLAND, ORE. April 15, 2015—Ronald McDonald House Charities® of Oregon and Southwest Washington (RMHC®), a non-profit organization that provides a “home away from home” for families with seriously ill children, elected Mady Murrey, M.N., BSN to serve on its board of trustees. In her role as Chief Administrative Officer of [Randall Children's Hospital at Legacy Emanuel](#), Mady brings a wealth of healthcare and leadership experience to the board.

“Mady is an energetic and passionate advocate for seriously ill children and their families. Portland is very lucky to have her at the helm of Randall Children’s Hospital, and Ronald McDonald House Charities is thrilled to have her leadership and support on our board of trustees.” said Jessica Jarratt Miller, Chief Executive Officer of RMHC of Oregon and Southwest Washington. “In her new role, I know she will provide tremendous benefits to the board and the thousands of families we serve each year.”

For more than 30 years, RMHC has served more than 30,000 families out of its two Portland-based Ronald McDonald Houses. The East House, located steps away from Randall Children’s Hospital on the campus of Legacy Emanuel Medical Center, provided housing for nearly 1,800 seriously ill children and their families in 2014, hosting families for 7,443 night stays.

Mady Murrey, M.N., BSN, is the Chief Administrative Officer of [Randall Children's Hospital at Legacy Emanuel](#) in Portland, Oregon. Mady has over 30 years of children’s healthcare experience, starting her career as a pediatric nurse in Seattle, Washington. Mady embarked on her career in children’s hospital administration after 15 years of nursing and has been the leader of Randall Children’s Hospital since 2013. In the past two years her transformative and effective leadership has significantly enhanced the hospital’s culture of family centered care.

“Randall Children’s Hospital is grateful for the warmth, security and community Ronald McDonald House provides our families when they are away from home. It is my pleasure to serve on the Ronald McDonald House board of trustees to strengthen the partnership amongst Randall Children’s Hospital, Ronald McDonald House and the many organizations in our community that support this vital organization,” says Mady Murrey, Chief Administrative Officer of Randall Children’s Hospital.

About RMHC

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Oregon and Southwest Washington® provides a “home away from home” for families with seriously ill children, and supports initiatives to improve pediatric health. For more than three decades, our dedicated staff and volunteers have offered comfort and support, a well-stocked kitchen and a warm bed to more than 30,000 families. To accomplish this, we rely on the generosity of donors, community partners and the hundreds of volunteers who selflessly give to our organization every year. For more information, visit www.rmhcoregon.org.

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