

Celebrating Our Volunteers

Our Mission is Stronger Because of You

Volunteers are the heartbeat of Ronald McDonald House Charities of Denver, bringing comfort and stability to families when they need it most. Their service reduces costs and allows more funding to go directly to our programs. From preparing meals and greeting guests to offering pet therapy and caring for our spaces, volunteers strengthen every part of our mission. With opportunities for both individuals and groups, our volunteer program ensures everyone can make a meaningful difference. Come volunteer with us.



3,698
Dedicated
Volunteers



26,148
Volunteer Hours
Contributed



524
Hours of Family
Programing



\$1,012,974
Value of
Volunteer Services
↑43% from 2024

On a bad day, the meals provided by volunteers offer comfort and nutrition. It's one less thing to have to think about. It's a moment of normalcy, especially for a patient's healthy sibling."

- Stephanie, mom of twins



IMPACT REPORT 2025



"Our newly renovated Aurora Ronald McDonald House gives families greater comfort and support during their child's medical journey. With six new guest rooms and refreshed spaces for connection, we created a place that feels like home for even more families. Healing happens when families stay close and that is only possible because of our caring and committed community. Thank you."

- Laura Cordes, CEO



" I truly do not know what we would have done without Ronald McDonald House-Denver. Absolutely life changing. "

When Gladys and Casey arrived in Denver, they were carrying fear, hope and the weight of not knowing what their son Forest would face. What they believed would be a brief stay became six months of surgeries, fragile milestones and long days spent at the hospital. Because of the support of donors like you, Ronald McDonald House-Denver became the place where they could rest, gather strength and experience the first moments of parenthood with comfort and stability during an overwhelming time.

Nearly nine years later, the Kanode family returned to the House that once held their world together and walked back through the doors with a thriving and adventurous boy who now calls Colorado home. Their story is a powerful reminder that every gift helps families stay close to their child's care while receiving the support that sustains them.

Watch their full story in our latest video. →



You Helped Keep Families Close in 2025



Ronald McDonald Houses - Denver and Aurora

Families find strength and stability at Ronald McDonald House Charities of Denver because, together, we care for them with a community of support. Because of your generosity, families have a place that feels safe and steady during their child's medical journey. The expansion of our renovated Aurora Ronald McDonald House added six new guest rooms and refreshed spaces for rest and play. We can now serve 124 families each night across our Denver and Aurora Houses at no cost to them. You ensure families never face their child's medical crisis alone.

Nourishing Families

A warm meal does more than feed the body. It brings comfort to families who spend long days caring for their child. In 2025, our culinary team and volunteers served 45,988 meals at our two Houses. Parents need a strong start to their day and we were able to offer our breakfast cart service one day a week at each House. Your support also helped us offer fresh meals in our Ronald McDonald Family Room at HCA HealthONE Rocky Mountain Children's at PSL. The Family Room gives families a place to find respite while staying just steps from their child's hospital room.

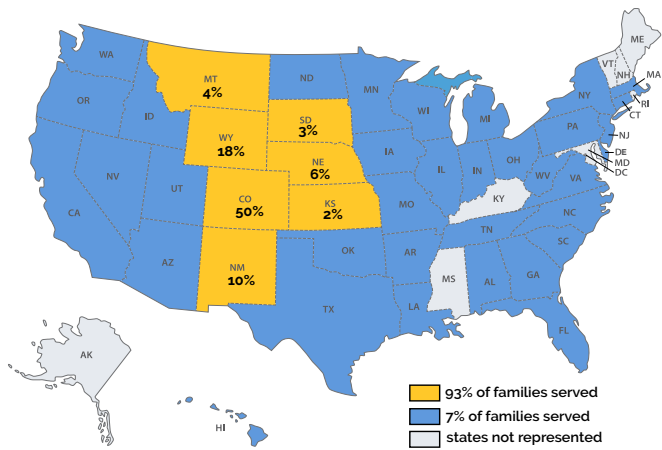
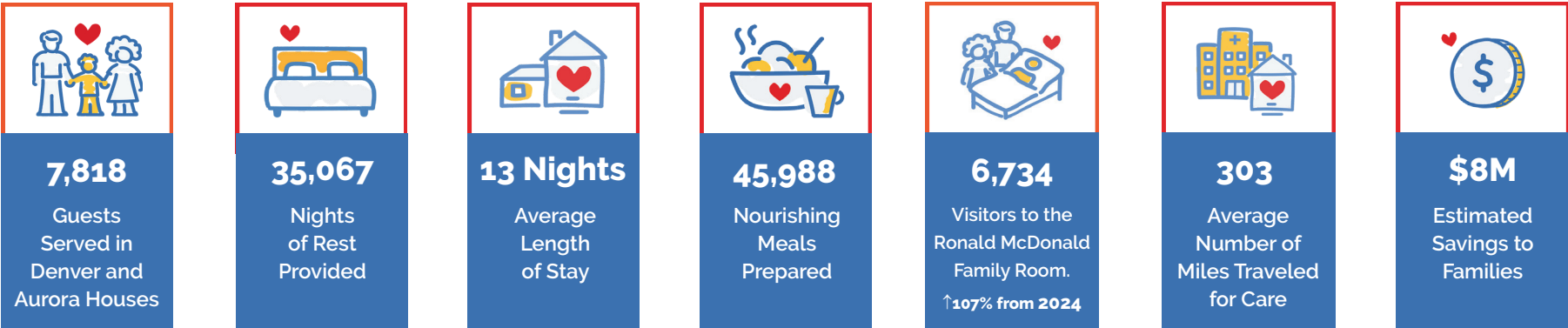
Audrey Evans Society of Hope

The Audrey Evans Society of Hope honors supporters who choose to make a lasting difference for families with seriously ill children. By including RMHC-Denver in your estate plans, you provide parents with comfort, stability and a place to stay while caring for a sick child. Your future gift creates a legacy of compassion that supports families for years to come.



"Being here is a huge relief. It's so much more than a place to sleep or eat. It truly feels like our home away from home."
- Shana

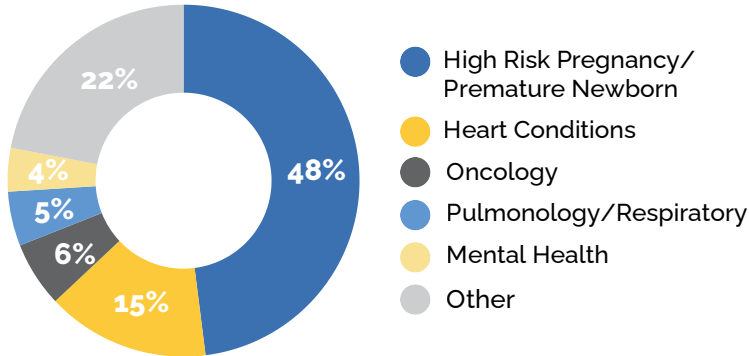
The Power of Your Impact
By the Numbers



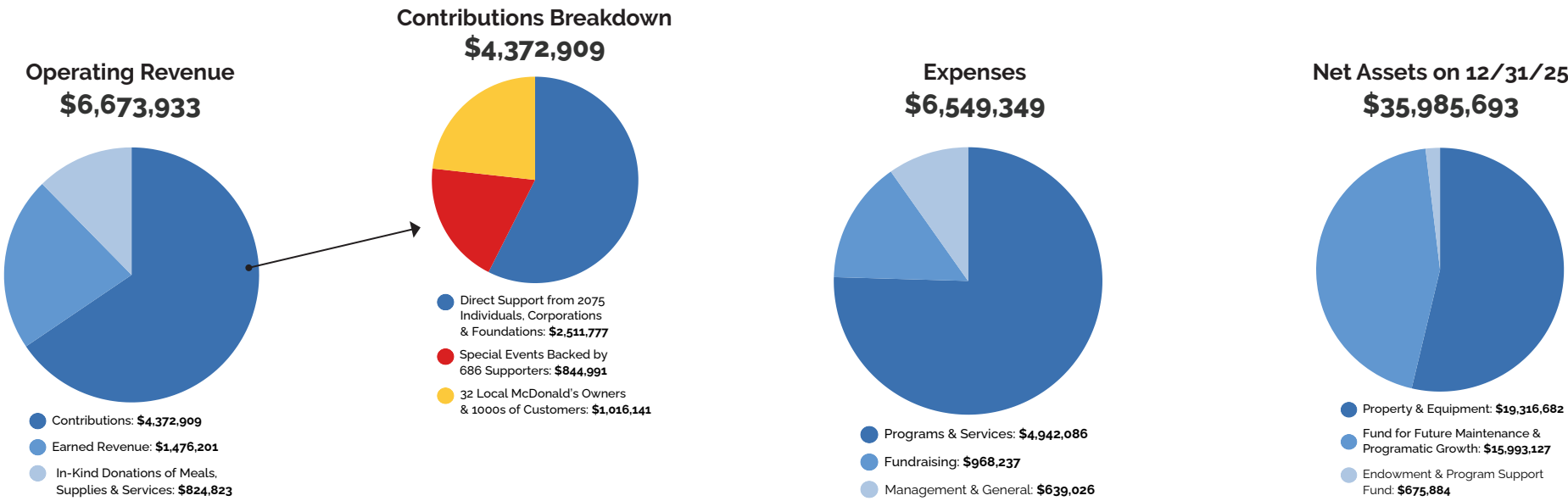
Families From Near and Far

We served families from **41 states**, with **93 percent** traveling from Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico, Montana, Nebraska, Kansas and South Dakota. Within Colorado, the counties we supported most often were **El Paso, Mesa, Weld, Pueblo, Garfield and Larimer**. Our reach extended far beyond the United States welcoming families from **seven countries**, including Afghanistan, Canada, Colombia, Croatia, Greece, Kyrgyzstan and Switzerland.

Medical Needs We Supported



Financial Highlights



Audited Financial Statements Available at [RMHC-Denver.org](https://www.rmhc-denver.org)

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