



A Foundation for the Future...

THE VANNIE E. COOK JR. CANCER FOUNDATION, INC.

has earned a reputation for excellence in South Texas with its long history of serving the community through numerous cancer-related programs and services. Since 2000, the Foundation's mission and sole purpose is to help support the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Children's Cancer and Hematology Clinic and the thousands of local children with cancer and serious blood disorders the Clinic serves each year.

Your support through a Planned Gift provides security for the future of the Foundation so that every child seen at the Vannie Cook Clinic receives the chance for a healthy and happy life.

How Can I Become a Member of the Saving our Children Society?

JOINING THE SOCIETY IS EASY.

Simply communicate your intention by completing and signing the attached reply form. For more information, you may contact Laura Martinez Ilgun, Executive Director, to discuss your specific estate planning needs and opportunities. It is advised that you consult with your legal and financial advisors when making a planned gift.

What are the benefits of becoming a Member?

AS A MEMBER, THE VANNIE E. COOK JR. CANCER FOUNDATION WILL PROVIDE YOU THE FOLLOWING:

- A welcome letter and a gold childhood cancer awareness lapel pin
- Inclusion of your name on the Society Recognition Wall in the Vannie Cook Clinic
 - Invitation to the annual Saving Our Children Society reception
 - Invitations to all Vannie Cook Cancer Foundation and Clinic events
- Recognition in Foundation and Clinic mailings and newsletters
- Recognition on the Foundation website

**When you join the Society,
you embrace a leadership role in the
FIGHT AGAINST CHILDHOOD CANCER
and make a promise to ensure that
local children receive the finest
care and treatment available,
CLOSE TO HOME AND
REGARDLESS OF ABILITY TO PAY.**



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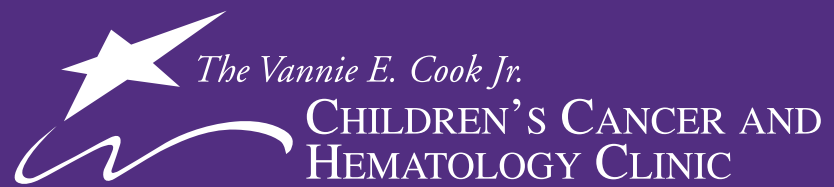
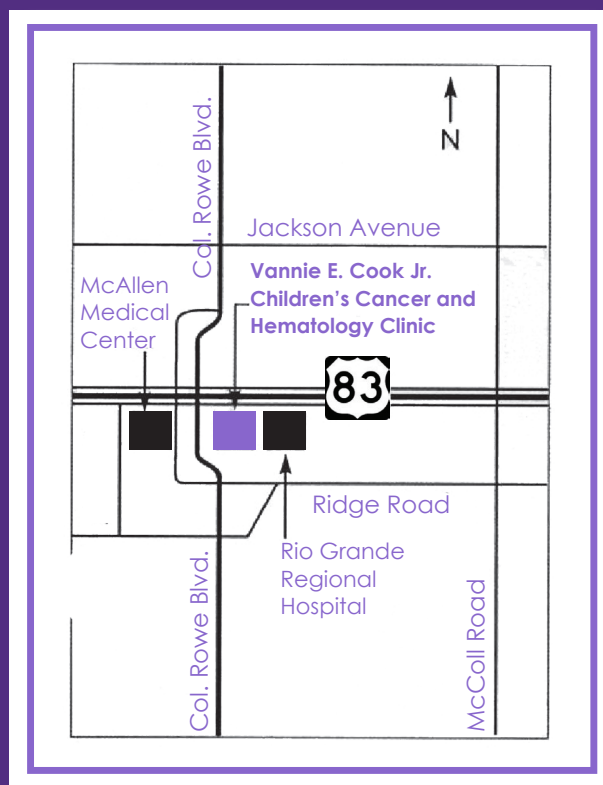
is an association of friends of the **Vannie E. Cook Jr. Cancer Foundation, Inc.** Like you, these individuals seek to ensure that the future needs of the children of South Texas are met by including the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Cancer Foundation in their estate plans. Some types of estate plans include a bequest under a will, retirement assets, charitable gift annuity, trusts, securities, real estate and life insurance.

PLANNED GIVING CAN IMPROVE YOUR OWN PERSONAL FINANCES WHILE **MAKING A TREMENDOUS DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF SERIOUSLY ILL CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES,** NOW AND FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.



The Vannie E. Cook Jr. Cancer Foundation, Inc. financially supports the work of the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Children's Cancer and Hematology Clinic in McAllen, Texas.

To learn more visit www.vanniecook.org and www.vanniecookchildrensclinic.org



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"My time served as Chairman of the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Cancer Foundation has been the most important and meaningful work of my life, and it brings me incredible joy knowing that I will leave a legacy of hope and support by providing for the future of the Foundation through a bequest under my Will."

- Dr. Ken Landrum