



# family advisory council

Building bridges between patients, families and the healthcare team.

The Family Advisory Council (FAC) focuses on improving the care of the patient by encouraging open communication between families and staff. This council offers an opportunity to advocate for each child within the hospital and to connect with other who may share a similar story to yours. If this is something that appeals to you, please apply to join us!

## goals

- Increase collaboration between families and the hospital staff
- Implement new strategies for improvement
- Improve the flow of transitions throughout the patient's stay
- Give patients and families a voice in their care and an opportunity to express their individual identity



## who can be a member

- Family members of current and former patients (two-year discharge status limit)
- Current employees of Bethany Children's Health Center
- Former patients/siblings who are 18 years or older

## responsibilities of members

- Values teamwork and feedback of others
- Provides honest feedback
- Enjoys working on project development
- Educates others about his/her experiences
- Good communication skills
- Passionate about the advancement of the hospital and the care staff provides

## time commitment

The FAC meets regularly year-round (excluding June and July). Members serve one to two year commitments.

For more information, please call 405.789.6711 x1300 or email [fac@bethanychildrens.org](mailto:fac@bethanychildrens.org).



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