Overview: Le Bonheur Children’s Hospital is committed to providing the best pediatric care, recognized numerous times to be among the best hospitals in the United States. More than half of the hospital beds are dedicated to intensive care units where children with complex needs can receive excellent care. Le Bonheur provides care in 45 subspecialties, pioneers new treatments with ongoing research, and works closely with patients and families to ensure the best experience possible for all.

Day-to-day: Service hours will be 9:00AM-4:00PM Monday-Friday, with a break for lunch. Students will be tasked with a variety of duties within the hospital. They may be interacting with patients and families by facilitating activities like playing games or reading or delivering carts of beverages and donuts around the hospital. As well, volunteers may bake goods for families staying on-site long-term, or assist staff, families, and patients in the emergency department with errands, cleaning, and sibling supervision.

The Nitty-Gritty Details: Participants will be staying in Memphis near the service site. Food is not provided by the service site but there is a cafeteria onsite where food can be purchased. The trip will also receive a small budget for groceries. Immunization records will be required to attend this trip, including a negative TB skin test (which can be done at Student Health Center).

Location: Memphis, TN
Price: $320

Trip Price includes:
- Transportation
- Housing
- Tools/supplies needed for service

Transportation: Participants will travel by van

Housing: Hostel

Meals: Meals not provided

Social Justice Issue:

Physicality Level: Low

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Serving children, families, and staff to support a positive experience during their time at the hospital

SPECIFICATIONS