

About us

acorns
children's hospice

No parent ever imagines their child will be diagnosed with a life-limiting or life-threatening condition. When the unimaginable happens, Acorns is here – helping families cope at every stage of their child's life and beyond, wherever and whenever they need it.

We understand the emotional highs and lows families face. We share the laughter, celebrate the milestones, and stand alongside them through the darkest times. Our dedicated teams work tirelessly to positively impact children with short lives, providing highly-specialist clinical care and expert psychosocial support for the whole family – from rehabilitative respite stays and emergency care to end-of-life care, after-death care and bereavement support.

From our three hospices in **Birmingham, Walsall** and **Worcester**, children can enjoy fun and therapeutic activities, from arts and crafts and sensory play to physiotherapy and hydrotherapy. Care extends beyond our hospices, reaching families in their homes and across the community throughout the West Midlands and Gloucestershire.

In the past year, we have cared for more than **800 children** and supported over **1,100 families**, including those who are bereaved.

Every day, we need **£40,000** to deliver these vital services, with **more than 75%** coming from fundraising, donations and income from our charity shops.

To find out more about Acorns, please visit:
acorns.org.uk

