

A YEAR OF INNOVATION

Make-A-Wish Arizona is proud to have granted 363 wishes in Fiscal Year 2022 – working hard to return to pre-pandemic wish granting through the commitment of staff, volunteers, donors and supporters.

Our mission remains unchanged: together, we create life-changing wishes for children with critical illnesses. This year we saw an increase in the availability of safe local and national travel wishes. We continued to create fabulous playhouse and playset wishes for kids who wished to stay

close to home. Plus, we granted wishes for things that would make our wish kids' lives better, from intricate gaming computer setups to 4x4 wheelchairs.

We are proud we were able to thrive and grow as we recovered with our wish kids and families from pandemic precautions. We are excited to continue to reach more Arizona wish kids, transforming lives, one wish at a time.

363
Wishes

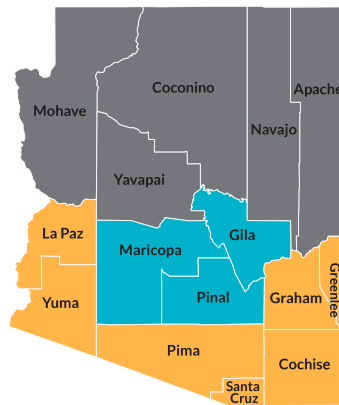
WHO DO WE SERVE?

WISHES BY REGION

Make-A-Wish Arizona serves all 15 counties of the state and is defined by three regions: Northern, Central and Southern.

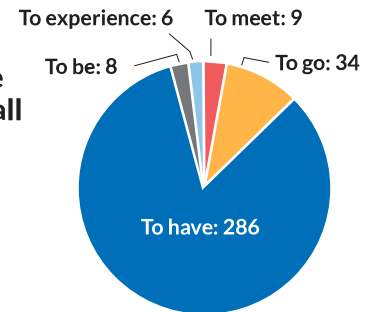
NORTHERN - 6%
CENTRAL - 75%
SOUTHERN - 14%

*numbers are rounded and do not total 100%



Wishes are as unique as the child making the request but typically fall within five categories:

- I wish to have
- I wish to meet
- I wish to go
- I wish to give
- I wish to experience



Medical Professionals know the impact of a wish!

In FY22, eligible referrals were up by 37 percent.

Doctors responded to requests for approval of wishes in an average of 13 days!

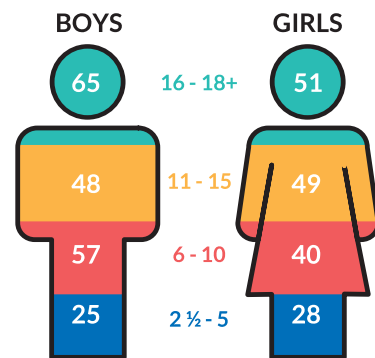
Diagnosis of Wish Kids

- Blood Disorders - 11
- Bone Marrow Transplant - 8
- Cancer - 133
- Cystic Fibrosis - 11
- Endocrine Disorder - 1
- End-stage Kidney Disease - 12
- Genetic Disorder - 5
- Heart Disease - 14
- Immune system disorder - 1
- Kidney disorders - 7
- Leukemia - 65
- Liver disorders - 6
- Lung disorders - 1
- Metabolic disorder - 3
- Nervous system disorder - 57
- Neuromuscular disorder - 12
- Respiratory failure - 16

WISHES BY AGE

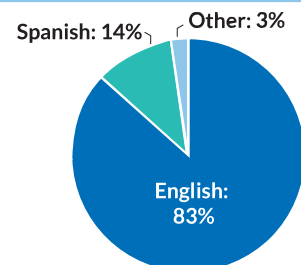
Wishes are granted for children between the ages of 2 ½ and 18* years of age when referred due to a critical illness.

**Some wishes are granted after the age of 18 due to medical holds or wish specificity.*



WISHES BY LANGUAGE

Make-A-Wish Arizona supports all cultures and languages in our state. Families who identify their preferred language advance our DEI initiatives.



Becoming Fundraising Experts

Make-A-Wish Arizona is funded 100 percent by donations from organizations, corporate partners, individuals and grants.

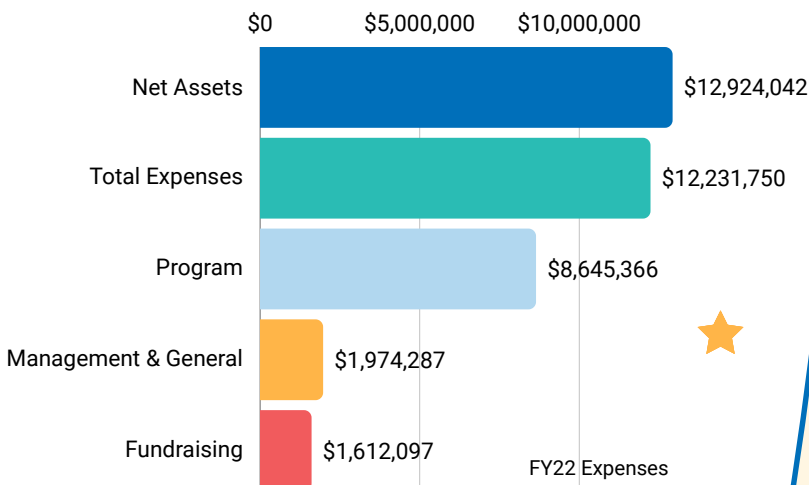
In Fiscal Year 2022, we raised a total revenue of **\$7.7 MILLION**



\$360,000
In-Kind Donations

\$7.6
Cash Donations

Financial Figures



Volunteers Have Impact

With the world slowly opening back up in FY22, volunteers and staff found themselves using hybrid models, including virtual visits, drop off wish reveals and small number in-person fun. Big thanks to the 555 total volunteers who stuck with us during pandemic changes!

WISH GRANTERS: 442

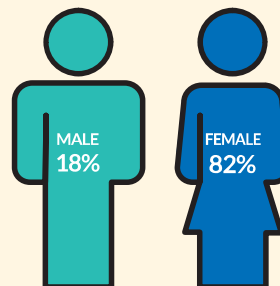
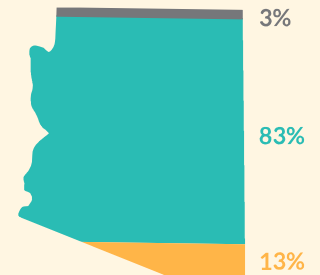
NON WISH-GRANTERS: 113

VOLUNTEERS AND LANGUAGES



WISH GRANTERS BY REGION

NORTHERN - 3%
CENTRAL - 84%
SOUTHERN - 13%



VOLUNTEERS BY GENDER

YOU LIKE A GOOD PARTY!

In a return to in-person events, our **2022 Wish Ball** raised a record **\$3.5 million** toward future wishes thanks to our amazing corporate partners, a stellar live auction total and generous Fund-A-Wish activities.

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