

Help Children Like Evelyn Stay Healthy

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futures for children in our
community.*



Building Healthier Futures: Evelyn's Story

Evelyn has been a patient of Ravenswood since birth. Her first visit was at just five days old, when her family brought her for her first pediatric appointment with Dr. Raney, her primary care provider.

During the first few months of her life, Evelyn was hospitalized multiple times for severe vomiting and diarrhea. The first time

she developed these symptoms, she was so dehydrated that she ended up in the ICU, and required nutrition through an IV as she recovered, which Dr. Raney noted was very concerning. By the time Evelyn was just over three months old, this pattern had happened three times.

Your support helps ensure children like Evelyn receive care when it matters most.

In between each trip to the hospital, Dr. Raney followed up with Evelyn and her parents. "My role was to help explain the lab results and decision-making to them and ultimately reassure them once we had a diagnosis that fit the clinical picture," stated Dr. Raney.

By the third hospital visit, the doctors diagnosed her with Food Protein-Induced Enterocolitis Syndrome, a type of food allergy that causes serious gastrointestinal symptoms. Having a diagnosis brought relief to Evelyn's parents. Dr. Raney saw

Evelyn gets her vitals checked before her visit with Dr. Raney.



Because of donors like you, families don't have to face moments like this alone.

At Ravenswood, families don't navigate complex health challenges alone. Our care teams coordinate across specialties, provide ongoing follow-up, and ensure every child receives the care they need.

Evelyn for her post-discharge visit and recommended dietary changes, while continuing breastfeeding. She also reinforced the importance of only giving her hypoallergenic formula. With these changes, the cycle was broken, and Evelyn did not go back to the hospital with vomiting.

She continued care with gastroenterology, allergy, and immunology specialists, while also seeing Dr. Raney for her well-child visits to ensure healthy growth and development. Every step of the way, Dr. Raney was there to monitor her progress, coordinate care, and support her health.

Today, Evelyn is healthy, growing, and thriving because she had access to the right care at the right time. Her story is possible because of supporters like you.

You can help more children like Evelyn access essential care in their community. Donate today at www.ravenswoodfhn.org/donate.



Dr. Raney explains Evelyn's lab results and walks through next-steps to support her healthy development.

Join us this spring season!

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• **Online:** www.ravenswoodfhn.org/donate

• **By Check:**

Attn: Finance Department
Ravenswood Family Health Network
1885 Bay Road
East Palo Alto, CA 94303



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Contact development@ravenswoodfhn.org

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Choose your impact and make your gift today to support Evelyn and the many patients we serve:

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Helps provide essential screenings to help detect health risks like Evelyn's early.

\$250 Provide a Comprehensive Medical Visit

Makes it possible for patients like Evelyn to receive a full medical exam, diagnostic screenings, and personalized follow-up care planning.

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