

# AAKP Pediatric Kidney Pals Initiative

As part of the American Association of Kidney Patients (AAKP) Pediatric Kidney Pals Initiative, please find a list of summer camps below by state.

If you would like to submit a camp or need to submit a change to this list, please contact AAKP at [depelaez@aakp.org](mailto:depelaez@aakp.org).



## **ALABAMA**

Camp Bridges Foundation

Family Camp: June 20-23

Teen Camp: June 23-27

Young Adult Camp: June 20-23

Free of charge

Birmingham, AL

Email: [info@campbridges.org](mailto:info@campbridges.org)

<http://www.campbridges.org>

## **ARKANSAS**

Camp Aldersgate

July 22-26

Tuition assistance and scholarship opportunities are available for all Camp sessions.

No campers pay full price.

Little Rock, Arkansas

Phone: 501-225-1444

Email: [info@campaldersgate.net](mailto:info@campaldersgate.net)

<http://www.campaldersgate.net/>

## **ARIZONA**

Dream Street Foundation

Tucson, Arizona

June 2-9, 2019 and August 4-11, 2019

Learn more: <https://georgelopezfoundation.org/upcoming-events>

## **CALIFORNIA**

George Lopez Foundation

Kidney Disease and Transplant Summer Camp

June 23, 2019 – June 28, 2019

Learn more: <https://georgelopezfoundation.org/upcoming-events>

St. Dorothy's Transplant Camp

July 22 - 27

Free of charge

Camp Meeker, California

Contact: Kirsten Cotten CCLS, CTRS

Phone number: (650) 497-8336

Email: [Kcotten@stanfordchildrens.org](mailto:Kcotten@stanfordchildrens.org)

<http://stdorothysrest.org/camp/camp-st-dorothys/>

The Painted Turtle

Summer Camp: June 23-26

Kidney Disease and Transplant Family Weekend: October 18-20

Free of charge

Lake Hughes, California

Phone: (866) 451-5367

<http://thepaintedturtle.org>

## **COLORADO**

Roundup River Ranch

Summer camp: July 26-31

Family camp: September 20-22

Free of charge

Gypsum, Colorado

Phone: 970-748-9983

Email: [info@roundupriverranch.org](mailto:info@roundupriverranch.org)

<https://www.roundupriverranch.org>

Vacation Kidney Camp

(Contact camp for dates)

Granby, Colorado

Contact: Terri Bisio

Phone: 720-777-8544

[www.campchiefouray.org](http://www.campchiefouray.org)

## **FLORIDA**

Camp Boggy Creek

August 4-9

Free of charge

Eustis, Florida

Phone: 866-462-6449

Email: [info@campboggycreek.org](mailto:info@campboggycreek.org)

<http://www.boggycreek.org/>

## **GEORGIA**

Camp Independence

July 14-19

Second Chance Family Camp

Contact camp for 2019 dates

Second Chance Teen Retreat

Contact camp for 2019 dates

Rutledge, Georgia

Phone: 404-785-0631

Email: [campindependence@choa.org](mailto:campindependence@choa.org) or [secondchance@choa.org](mailto:secondchance@choa.org)

<https://www.choa.org/camps/camp-independence>

## **ILLINOIS**

Kidney Camp – The National Kidney Foundation of Illinois

July 14-19

Free of charge

At YMCA Camp Duncan

Ingleside, Illinois

Phone: 312-321-1500

Email: [kidney@nkfi.org](mailto:kidney@nkfi.org)

<http://www.nkfi.org/events/kidsprograms>

## **INDIANA**

National Kidney Foundation of Indiana Kidney Camp

May 31-June 4

Free of charge

Brookstone, Indiana at Camp Tecumseh

Contact: Ashley Blankenship, Program Manager

Phone: 800.382.9971 or 317-722-5640

Email: [ablankenship@kidneyindiana.org](mailto:ablankenship@kidneyindiana.org)

[www.kidneyindiana.org](http://www.kidneyindiana.org)

<https://www.camptecumseh.org/>

## **MAINE**

Camp Sunshine

August 11-16

Free of charge

Casco, Maine

Phone: 207-655-3800

Email [events@campsunshine.org](mailto:events@campsunshine.org)

[www.campsunshine.org](http://www.campsunshine.org)

## **MICHIGAN**

Camp Copneconic

July 21-26

Free of charge

Fenton Township, Michigan

Contact:

Phone: 810-629-9622

<https://www.nkfm.org/kids-teens/kids-camp>

<http://www.campcopneconic.org/>

Camp Michitanki (Michigan Transplant Kids)

June 17-22

Free of charge

Pinckney, Michigan

Phone: 734-680-8744

<https://umtransplantevents.org/events/camp-michitanki>

## **MISSOURI**

Camp ChiMer

July 27-31

Free of charge

Kansas City, MO

Contact: [Janice.Perez@kidney.org](mailto:Janice.Perez@kidney.org)

Phone: 913-262-1551 ext 475

Email: [CampChiMer@rmhckc.org](mailto:CampChiMer@rmhckc.org)

<https://www.kidney.org/events/program-event/camp-chimer>

## **NEW YORK**

Ruth Carol Gottscho Kidney Camp

Session 1: June 30-July12

Session 2: July 14-26

Free of charge

Claryville, NY

Phone: 845-985-2291

Email: [info@frostvalley.org](mailto:info@frostvalley.org)

<https://frostvalley.org/camp/specialty-camps/kidney-camp/>

## **NORTH CAROLINA**

Victory Junction

July 14-18

Randleman, North Carolina

Contact: Amy Jo Nicholson

Phone: 336.498.9055

Email: [amyjo@victoryjunction.org](mailto:amyjo@victoryjunction.org)

<https://victoryjunction.org/camp/>

## **OHIO**

Camp Joy

Clarksville, Ohio

Specialty Camps

Learn More: <https://camp-joy.org/camps/specialty-camps/>

Kappa Kidney Camp

July 14-19

Free of charge

Bellefontaine, Ohio

Contact:

Melissa Stacy-Cull, RN

Phone: (614) 395 - 5192

<https://www.nchpad.org/Directories/Programs/9499/Kappa~Kidney~Camp>

<https://www.facebook.com/KappaKidneyCamp/>

## **OKLAHOMA**

Camp Cavett

July 31 - August 4

Free of charge

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Phone: 405.271.2271 ext 2

Email: [info@cavettkids.org](mailto:info@cavettkids.org)

<http://www.cavettkids.org/camps/>

## **OREGON**

Northwest Kidney Kids Annual Camp

Youth Camp: July 29- August 2

Family Camp: August 2-4

Free of charge for people living in Oregon & Southwest Washington; refundable deposit required for people outside that area

Portland, Oregon

Phone: 503-893-5671

Email: [info@nwkidneykids.org](mailto:info@nwkidneykids.org)

<https://www.nwkidneykids.org/>

## **PENNSYLVANIA**

Camp Jeremy

July 15-19

Free of charge

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Contact: Karen Keener

Phone: (215) 557-8090 x1128

Email: [kkeener@donors1.org](mailto:kkeener@donors1.org)

<https://www.donors1.org/patients/resources-for-transplant-patients/scholarships-and-camps/camp-jeremy/>

Camp Kydnie

First week of July

Millville, Pennsylvania

Phone: 1-800-765-6202

<http://www.kfcp.org/services/camp-kydnie/>

Western PA Kidney Camp

July 28 - August 2

Ligonier, Pennsylvania

Contact: Allison Discello

Email: [allison.discello@dciinc.org](mailto:allison.discello@dciinc.org)



Phone: 724-339-1772

<http://www.chp.edu/our-services/nephrology/programs-services/kidney-kamp>

<https://www.dciinc.org/pa-kidney-kamp/>

## **TENNESSEE**

Camp Okawehna

June 8-14

Free of charge

Nashville, Tennessee

Contact: Andy Parker

Phone: (615) 327-3061

Email: [CampO@dciinc.org](mailto:CampO@dciinc.org)

<http://www.dciinc.org/campo/>

## **TEXAS**

Camp For All / Kidney Kamp

Burton, Texas

Learn more: <https://med.uth.edu/pediatrics/nephrology-hypertension/kidney-kamp/>

Camp Reynal

May 26 -31

Meridian, Texas

Contact: Amanda Crowley

Phone: 214-351-2393

<https://www.campreynal.org/>

## **UTAH**

Youth Transplant Kamp

Youth Camp: August 5-9

Salt Lake City, Utah

Family Camp: Sept. 6-8

Provo, Utah

Free of charge

Contact: your transplant social worker at Primary Children's

Phone: (801) 226-5111

<https://www.kidneyut.org/services/#tab-id-3>

## **VIRGINIA**

Camp Holiday Trails

Session 1: June 16-21

Session 2: June 23-July 5

Session 3: July 14-26

Free of charge

Charlottesville, Virginia

Phone: 434.977.3781

Email: [info@campholidaytrails.org](mailto:info@campholidaytrails.org)

<http://www.campholidaytrails.org/>

## **WASHINGTON**

Camp Korey

July 22 - 26

Free of charge

Mount Vernon, Washington

Contact:

Phone: 425-440-0850

Email: [info@campkorey.org](mailto:info@campkorey.org)

<http://campkorey.org/camper-programs/>

## **MULTI – STATE OR INTERNATIONAL CAMPS**

Serious Fun Children's Network

Camps in multiple states and abroad

Learn More: <https://seriousfunnetwork.org/camps-and-programs/>

## **OTHER CAMP LISTS**

Needy Meds list of Retreats, Camps & Recreational Programs

Learn More:

[https://www.needymeds.org/camps.taf?function=list\\_disease&disease\\_id=345&disease=Chronic/Serious/Life%20Threatening%20Illnesses-Children](https://www.needymeds.org/camps.taf?function=list_disease&disease_id=345&disease=Chronic/Serious/Life%20Threatening%20Illnesses-Children)

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