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Finding cures. Saving Children

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the first institution established for the sole purpose of conducting basic and clinical research into catastrophic childhood diseases, mainly cancer, and is the largest childhood research center in the world in terms of the number of patients enrolled on research study protocols and successfully treated.

St. Jude research in acute lymphoblastic leukemia, Hodgkin disease, neuroblastoma and other illnesses have already resulted in new treatment procedures which are now standard.

ALSAC, the fund-raising arm, covers all costs not covered by insurance for medical treatment rendered at St. Jude. **Families without insurance are never asked to pay.**



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ST. JUDE HOSPITAL COST SHEET

The following are costs from the Insurance and Purchasing department of St. Jude.

Average cost for treating acute lymphoblastic leukemia per patient	\$566,247
Average cost of bone marrow transplants	
• Autologous (using patient's own bone marrow)	\$120,006
• Allogeneic matched (using related donor bone marrow)	\$220,517
• Allogeneic matched (using unrelated donor bone marrow)	\$470,265
Radiotherapy (avg. course of treatment for brain tumor patients)	\$44,000 to \$90,000
Major surgical procedures (physician fee)	up to \$24,576
Spinal tap (includes physicians fee)	\$274
Physical therapy per hour	\$360
One day of oxygen	\$435
Average cost per impatient per day	\$5,593
ICU daily room rate (room only)	\$2,950
Average cost per outpatient visit per day	\$2,446
Platelet count test	\$44
Complete blood count test	\$55
Chest X-ray, one view	\$136
Blood transfusion	
• Red blood cell transfusion	\$241/unit
• Platelet transfusion	\$520/unit
• Fresh frozen plasma transfusion	\$65/unit
• Cryoprecipitate transfusion	\$55/unit
One day of chemotherapy administered intravenously to leukemia or solid tumor patients	avg. \$771
An ultrasound study	avg. \$1,236
CT scan	avg. \$4,987
Above-knee prosthesis (estimated)	\$36,643