



WISH GRANTER NEWS

TRAVEL WISH EMERGENCE UPDATE **Vaccine Requirement Lifted**

Effective immediately, we are progressing to our next phase of travel wish emergence, replacing the vaccine requirement with enhanced safety precautions.

Wishes that involve domestic air travel or large gatherings are now possible for all families, regardless of COVID-19 vaccination status. Some exceptions may apply in cases where vaccination is required by individuals or businesses involved in the wish (e.g., movie studio hosting a celebrity meet-and-greet). Additionally, approval of a travel wish always has and will continue to depend on medical clearance from a child's healthcare provider.

Please read the FAQ document, which includes email messages that wish families will receive this week. If you have additional questions, please join "office hours" hosted this week by Bridget O'Connell, Vice President of Mission Delivery:

- **Thursday, June 30, 12:00-1:00 PM** | [click here to join](#) or call 312-626-6799; enter passcode: 828829
- **Friday, July 1, 8:30-9:30 AM** | [click here to join](#) or call 312-626-6799; enter passcode: 402832

OUTREACH VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Joe Granack, Wish Volunteer Manager, seeks one volunteer leader who can regularly dedicate at least 10 hours/week to outreach. This leader would call and email fellow volunteers across the state to understand volunteers' interest and availability to support local wish children and families. To learn more, please email wishassignments@illinois.wish.org. Thank you!

MAY WISHES

Special thanks to the incredible volunteers who helped make dreams come true for **47 children** in May!

Wish & Volunteer List