Dear Families and Friends,

As the nation and the state of New York struggle to cope with the COVID-19 pandemic, the staff of Cerebral Palsy of Westchester, its family members and others in our community work together each day to meet the needs and better the lives of the individuals we serve. Please help us to support our frontline staff—Direct Support Professionals, Residential Workers, Nurses, Family Care Providers and all of our frontline staff who are true healthcare heroes. These employees come to work ready to care for loved ones, despite personal hardships and the added stress of COVID-19. They go to great lengths to keep our participants safe and healthy, and we are extremely grateful.

How can you help?
Here are some simple ways you can let our frontline staff know that we genuinely appreciate their efforts.

**Lunch or Dinner for our Team**
Sign up for a time and date on CPW’s Give In-Kind Calendar, and sponsor a meal from a local restaurant that will be delivered directly to the staff at one of our residential homes. Follow this link to send a delicious meal to our heroes, while at the same time supporting our local restaurants.

**Donate Food Items**
Donations of canned or boxed food items are essential. These items will be distributed to CPW families in need. Click here for more information.

**Donate Arts & Crafts Supplies, Games & Puzzles**
Help keep our program participants and daycare students entertained indoors. Donations of construction paper, drawing pads, markers, colored pencils, stickers, puzzles and games are all appreciated. Choose an item from our wish list. Click here for more information.

**CPW’s Go-Fund-Me Emergency Fundraiser**
Your direct financial support will help us address increasing demands, stabilize losses from program suspensions, and retain our dedicated front line staff. And, donations received through the first week of May will be matched one-to-one by Gofundme. All donations are appreciated! Donate now!

**Hearts Full of Thanks Project**
To honor and thank our amazing healthcare heroes, simply cut out a large paper heart, and write a creative thank-you messages or phrases to our front line workers. Messages can include drawings, or hashtags or whatever inspires you. Email, mail in or drop off your hearts to us, and we will deliver them to our workers. Click here for more information.

Any donation will make a great difference in the lives of our healthcare heroes, and to our organization as a whole. We are grateful for your generosity and support, especially at this time. Thank you in advance and stay safe.

All the best,

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