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**B BRAVE FOUNDATION**

Dear Friends,

The B Brave Foundation is deeply grateful to each of you for your support over what's been a remarkably productive and busy 2019. You've helped us further our mission of supporting patients, families and caregivers affected by rare fatal childhood neurological diseases and helping people have BRAVE and difficult conversations. As we pause for the holidays and look back on the year, we'd like to share some of what we accomplished with your help.

- Had another [record-setting fundraiser](#).
- Celebrated [Christmas in July](#) at Cleveland Clinic Children's in collaboration with Tree Classics and Jen Lutz.
- Helped many BRAVE families as part of our family support program. Assistance ranged from meals, groceries and gift cards all the way to a new refrigerator for a family in need.
- Collaborated with National Tay Sachs and Allied Diseases Association (NTSAD) and the Cure GM-1 Foundation to help facilitate and pay for annual family meetings and conferences.
- Joined our partner organization, NTSAD, for its annual [Imagine & Believe](#) event.



Without you, none of this important work can happen. We're deeply thankful for your help. As recently as last month, many of you supported our Comfort Cart, which helped spread some holiday cheer at Cleveland Clinic Children's.

As we turn toward 2020, we are eager to keep the momentum going. Here's some of what the new year will bring to B Brave:

- Continue fundraising for [Project Rare](#), a professional documentary that gives voice to children, families and friends affected by rare fatal pediatric neurological diseases.
- Planning our March 2020 fundraiser – stay tuned for more details!
- Working with you support to move the needle when it comes to cures! The [first clinical trials for these insidious diseases are showing real promise](#).

The end of the year is a great time to wrap up your annual giving. If there's room in your budget to support our vital work, please [consider donating](#).

The end of the year, of course, also means it's the holiday season, which can be especially trying for affected families, friends and caregivers. [This article](#) offers some tips for coping, but we encourage you to reach out to us or someone else if you need support!

We wish you and yours all the best in 2020. We look forward to another great year together.





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