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Dear Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation Advocacy Program:

This letter is on behalf of patient: D'Quan Brown, who is a twelve year old boy, diagnosed with Pre-B Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia. The Brown family is a family of five, who is originally from Nassau, Bahamas. The patient has received medical treatment at Miami Children's Hospital for several years since his diagnosis in 2012, and relapse in 2013. The patient also recently underwent a Bone Marrow Transplant at Miami Children's Hospital. It has been extremely difficult for the family to try to make ends meet since the time of diagnosis. Mr. Brown has accompanied the patient during most of his hospitalization, and Mrs. Brown takes care of their other children. Due to the patient's father being unable to work, they need assistance in trying to pay for their basic bills, such as utilities, medical bills, car expenses and lodging. I ask that you please assist this family with any financial assistance, due to the patient's diagnosis. I thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

Evelyn Gonzalez, MSW Pediatric Social Worker