

Working in Harmony Putting Shrine Kids First



Welcome to the El Zaribah Shrine website. It is my distinct honor and privilege to have the opportunity to serve El Zaribah Shriners as our 113th Potentate. Shriners International is a fraternity with the purpose of "Fun and Fellowship" and the cause of supporting our **Shriners Hospitals for Children**. This is a network of hospitals across North America specializing in Orthopedic, Burn, Spinal Cord Injury and Cleft Lip and Palate Treatment. This care is provided at no charge to our patients or their families. We affectionately refer to our hospitals as the "Worlds Greatest Philanthropy."

Shriners are part of the Masonic Order in that the prerequisite for Shrine membership is that of being a Master Mason. One of the primary tenants of Masonry is being charitable and giving back to our community; thus our passion in supporting Shriners Hospitals for Children.



Currently, El Zaribah Shriners support over 2,000 children in our hospital system.



Shriners Hospitals
for Children™

Admission to a Shriners Hospital is based on medical need. All children, up to the age of 18, are eligible for admission if they can benefit from the specialized services available at Shriners Hospitals. If you know of a child

that might benefit from our hospitals, please contact us.



Yes, we are the ones that wear the funny red hats and participate in numerous parades with our little cars, our motorcycles, as clowns and with other toys to promote our cause. While the Fez might appear to some as unusual, we proudly wear it as a constant reminder that while having a lot of fun; we have an important cause in supporting our Shriners Hospitals for Children.

While Shriners International is a fraternity, our Ladies play an integral part. We are a family that works together to have fun and fellowship in supporting our cause. If you are interested in membership or just want to help our cause, please contact us. The more the merrier!

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