



**FIREFIGHTERS**  
FOR HEALING

## HEROES TOGETHER CAMPAIGN

SUPPORT NEEDED FOR MINNESOTA FIRST RESPONDERS

*From Vision To Reality*

### FF4H MISSION:

To support hero first responders, burn and trauma survivors and their families through transitional care housing support at the time they most need it. We advocate for...

**The Child...**Through our kids burn camp, Camp RED;

**The Family...**with education, emotional and financial support; and

**The First Responder...**through our transitional Healing center.



### THE REQUEST:

Firefighters For Healing (FF4H) is seeking \$3.5 million in one-time funding for the construction of a Transitional Healing Center for our hero first responders and burn survivors from throughout MN. While the total project is \$7.5 Million, half of that has already been raised through private sources and fundraising efforts. We would appreciate your help to finish strong.

### THE PROJECT:

FF4H has partnered with Sherman Associates and Kraus Anderson to develop a 'first of its kind' Transitional Healing Center. The facility located at 650 Portland Ave in Minneapolis, MN is just 1 block away from our level one burn and trauma center Hennepin Healthcare and will be skyway connected to the hospital. The Firefighters For Healing Transitional Healing Center will include:

- Twelve fully-furnished suites, including several fully-accessible units, studio and two-bedroom units for larger families;
- Space for education, SOAR programs and services from statewide non-profits that complement/support families, caregivers and discharged patients.
- The Healing Center will support patients of HCMC, the University of Minnesota Children's Hospital, Gillette Children's Hospital, Regions Hospital, Phillips Northwestern Hospital and others
- Social and gathering space for family members of patients, allowing them to engage in needed downtime and relaxation activities;
- Therapy pods for a variety of services that promote recovery and healing

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