Your help is needed



Contributions may be made to the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C. Endowment for Special Needs

Father Hesburgh is Founding Member of the Foundation's Board of Directors



You are the vital ingredient for continued success of this extraordinary program.

Funds are needed:

- To provide scholarships for those needing financial assistance.
- To provide specialized equipment to accommodate increasingly individualized needs.
- To provide for growth of facilities and teachers to meet rapidly expanding demand.
- To assist in the ongoing development of an infrastructure of clinical professionals to assure high quality of professional operation.



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Studios are located throughout northern Indiana and southwestern Michigan, although inquiries about Foundation services have been received from throughout the United States

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A Unique Opportunity

The Foundation



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Serving Exceptional People with Special Needs

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The Foundation for Music and Healing, Inc.

The Foundation for Music and Healing, Inc. The is a non-profit organization which seeks to provide the benefits of music and movement to those who never thought it possible.

The Foundation makes programs and services available to a wide range of people throughout the community who have challenging circumstances.

Its mission is to create a safe place where students and their families may experience the joy and comfort of music. This promotes mental and psychological well-being and physical wellness.

Students of all ages who have special needs ranging from mild to severe are assisted. Unique environments provided by studios maintained by the Foundation for Music and Healing, Inc. allow students to demonstrate their personal strengths and gifts in music and song.

Families are welcome to experience the fun and practical value of learning music-making techniques. Individuals are encouraged to expand their range of expression and to further develop their creative talents.

Clients come from a wide geographical area throughout northern Indiana and southwestern Michigan. Studios have broad community support from the Foundation's corporate sponsors, individual and institutional donors, and community organizations.

Clients are served without regard to race, religion, creed, ethnicity, gender, age or disability.

Making a difference in our community

Bringing the joy of music to people of various abilities requires an approach different from traditional music instruction

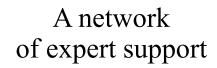
Offered are a variety of experiences designed to enhance music appreciation for students with special needs — piano, general music, singing, guitar, dance movement and drumming.

The Foundation for Music and Healing, Inc. m employs innovative techniques to facilitate the following activities:

- Answering inquiries from and providing free evaluations and orientation sessions to potential clients.
- Providing music lessons at reasonable costs for families already burdened with high medical expenses.
- Providing specialized equipment and facilities to accommodate special needs.
- Administration and coordination of ongoing activities to create an accepting environment for those with special needs.

Chris Robinson, Ph.D., is directing these efforts on behalf of the Foundation for Music and Healing, Inc. A long-time musician and educator, he has served in numerous managerial and administrative capacities in college, hospital, government and business settings.

Dr. Robinson and other associates provide instruction on a fee-for-service basis to clients of all ages from all walks of life.



Strengthening the work of the Foundation is input from professionals in the fields of neuropsychology, sociology, psychology, developmental pediatrics, education, physical and massage therapy, and nutrition. Experts assist with clinical consultations and preparation of specialty publications. These help the instructor develop productive techniques for delivering effective services and to help families create positive support for music and movement activities.

Connections with local, state and national music associations, in addition to professional college training programs in a number of specialty areas, keep the Foundation abreast of new developments.

Your inquiry is welcome

Contact us for more information and a free evaluation. A Foundation instructor will telephone you to set up an appointment. This is designed to help you consider whether a custom-tailored music program is in your best interests.

After reviewing this information, you are welcome to request a free evaluation. A Foundation instructor will meet with you to get more information and to further explore possibilities in music and movement. At that time you will have opportunities to ask questions and to share more information about your situation. There is no cost or obligation for this service.

