

# Champions for NephCure

## Frequently Asked Questions



### Who are Champions for NephCure?

Our Nephcure Champions are our supporters who are not part of a planning committee for a large NephCure branded fundraising event, but who still want to raise funds to support NephCure's mission, whether it's through hosting their own community fundraising event, asking for donations online, or individually fundraising for a Nephcure event, like our Pig Jigs of Countdowns.

### How do I become a Champion for NephCure?

There are a few ways.

You can find an existing group who are supporting a ticketed event in your region at [give.nephcure.org](http://give.nephcure.org) and join them. OR you can go to our rebranded community fundraiser/Nephlete page and start your own team or individual fundraising effort there. [give.nephcure.org/Champions](http://give.nephcure.org/Champions)

### What type of fundraising event can I hold to benefit NephCure?

We welcome new and classic ideas alike. Think about hosting a fun event— perhaps one you have organized in the past— to raise money for NephCure. The possibilities are endless. Whether you run, bowl, golf, bake, dress down, dine out, wash cars or host a bingo, poker or cocktail party, you are a Champion for Nephcure!

### Can I use NephCure Kidney International's name and logo?

We can provide you with our “Benefiting NephCure Kidney International logo” for your promotional materials. Please work with your staff partner to ensure the proper use of our logo on all promotional materials.



### Can NephCure help me promote my event to their database of contacts in my area?

We are unable to share lists of patient information with our volunteers. However, please work with your NephCure staff partner to advertise your event to our database of contacts from your local area and/or share information about your event on the NephCure facebook page or in regional NephCure facebook groups.

### Can I ask for donations for NephCure for my birthday instead of gifts?

Absolutely! Go to [give.nephcure.org/Champions](http://give.nephcure.org/Champions) and register for your own donation page. There you can tell your personal story of why you are raising money for NephCure. Share the link via email or social media platforms and donations will start rolling in! You are also welcome to set up a Facebook fundraiser to benefit NephCure Kidney International. 100% of the donations made to your Facebook fundraiser go directly to us. Unfortunately, NephCure is unable to send receipts to donors for donations made through Facebook.

## **Can my NephCure staff partner help me run my fundraiser?**

NephCure's development staff will be able to provide guidance but we are not able to manage your fundraiser for you. We can provide you with a donation webpage, educational material about NephCure and Nephrotic Syndrome, and small NephCure branded giveaways.

Please consider forming a committee for your fundraiser. Committee members play an important role in providing support during the planning and execution of your event.

## **Can NephCure Kidney International issue tax receipts to my donors?**

NephCure can issue IRS compliant charitable-tax receipts only if the donation is made payable directly to NephCure along with the donor's detailed contact information. We cannot provide gift acknowledgements to donors who made gifts to you or any other organization. There are complex regulations around the distribution of charitable-tax receipts. This includes donations of money, in-kind items and services. Issuing an inappropriate receipt can put our charitable-tax status in jeopardy.

## **Who do I or my donors make checks payable to?**

Please make checks payable to NephCure Kidney International.

*Send check to:*

NephCure Kidney International  
Attn: Champions  
150 S. Warner Road, Suite 402 King of Prussia, PA 19406

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