

Uncertain Times. Unwavering Support.

For more than 100 years, we have supported young people in our communities through difficult times, and this crisis is no different. While we adapt to social distancing measures to slow the spread of disease, we cannot lose our focus on human connection. **Now more than ever we need to come together, while staying apart.**

We've modified how we do business during the COVID-19 crisis and our programs will look different for the time being. However, we remain committed to:

- Supporting vital mentoring relationships virtually through telephone, e-mail, and text
- Linking our families to urgently needed resources and services
- Providing professional support to our young people and their families in the face of quarantines

We will adapt to the challenges before us, but **we won't lose sight of our mission**—providing a caring adult mentor to every child who needs one.



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Coping with a crisis like this can be very challenging for our Littles, as they deal with uncertainty, isolation, and fear. But having their Big be there for them—even if it's not face-to-face—can make a huge impact. Mentoring means our Littles won't have to face these barriers alone; these positive relationships help build confidence and resilience.

With funding streams being compromised, we are projecting a substantial funding shortfall this quarter, putting a strain on our programs across all of our communities. **We have to act fast to bridge the gap**, so we are turning to you—our greatest heroes—who have already joined us as Defenders of Potential.

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Ways to Give

[Become a Monthly Donor](#) - Monthly giving is the easiest way to make a huge impact on our programs. Monthly gifts of all sizes help provide a reliable and consistent source of funding to create and sustain mentoring relationships throughout the year.

[Invest in our Future](#) - Make a one-time gift of any size today to ensure quality mentoring can continue despite these uncertain times.

Are you with us? In uncertain times, we need unwavering support. [Give NOW!](#)