

## FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR CHILDREN IN MANITOBA

- Variety funds children living with many kinds of special needs including: Autism, ADHD, Cerebral Palsy, and Muscular Dystrophy, vision impairment, hearing loss, seizure disorder, developmental delays and more...
- Through **Variety's Special Needs Program** funding is available, up to \$5,000, to assist families in covering the cost of any of the following for their child:

**MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES** such as: **hearing aids and batteries**, artificial eyes, diabetic supplies, **eyeglasses**, feeding supplies for newborns, **medical equipment for home support**...

**SPECIALIZED PROGRAMMING AND THERAPY** such as: **speech and language therapy**, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, **music therapy**, hippotherapy...

**ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY** such as: **ipads**, computers, tablets, LeapPads, educational apps...

**MOBILITY EQUIPMENT** such as: **power and manual wheelchairs**, powered scooters, hippocamp beach and all terrain wheelchairs, **adaptive tricycles and bikes**, hand bikes, standing walkers, special needs strollers, custom orthotics, Chill-out chairs, freedom climber, crawler, stair glides/elevators and mechanical lifts and slings, **wheelchair ramps** and home modifications...

- If you know any children that are in need of assistance, please encourage their families to apply.

If you have any questions and/or would like more information about our Special Needs Program, please contact:

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**Variety the Children's Charity of Manitoba's** mission is to break down barriers to create equal opportunities, improve the quality of life and meet the tangible needs of children in Manitoba who are living with special needs and/or impacted by socioeconomic disadvantage.

