



Every has a *story.*

This is Allison's.

Allison was just 11 years old when doctors at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia's Cardiac Center gave her grim news: her heart was so damaged, she needed a transplant. But they also gave her hope, offering the most advanced pediatric cardiac care in the world to help her survive the wait for a donor heart — and thrive after receiving it.

Today, this exuberant six-grader glows with health, knowing that her Cardiac Center team will always be right by her side.

Allison, 11, heart transplant recipient

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