

This student has been selected for an opportunity to attend Cheley Children's Hospital Burn Camp in Estes Park, CO from August 18-25, 2014. We understand that school is important and missing class can be viewed as a setback for students. Our camp program wants to part of the team helping each student be successful in both the classroom and their future. Set in the Rocky Mountains, our 7-day rehabilitative medical camp specializes in meeting each child where they are in their recovery process, helping them heal from the trauma experienced after a burn injury.

Camp provides children an opportunity to connect with other burn survivors in a supported environment where they are encouraged to challenge themselves. During camp, we directly address concerns about school – academics and social skills. With parental permission, we will share the student's progress regarding social skills, independence and risk taking with the school.

Children's Hospital Colorado Burn Camp provides intentional and individualized programming to address each child's goals while working collaboratively with families and referring burn units. We tailor a growth plan to the student's needs. We focus on social skill development, body image, challenging negative and limiting beliefs, appropriate risk-taking, overcoming challenges in a supportive community. Through guided reflection, campers translate these experiences into lifelong skills. The lessons learned at camp are unique and build lifelong bridges to future successes.

Learning outcomes:

- Empower students to be good decision makers
- More task- oriented
- Structure & Time Management Skills
- Confidence in interactions with new people and situations
- Increased independence

We hope that you will recognize the potential in the healing outcomes of the participation in this program and excuse the student from school. Our program lasts 7 days and the effects reach a lifetime.

Please reach out to me for more information about this life-changing opportunity.

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