

ABOUT US

Camp Kudzu is a non-profit organization for Georgia's children living with type1 (insulin dependent) diabetes. Led by volunteers, medical professionals, and a small staff, Camp Kudzu provides education, recreation, and peer-networking for its campers. Camp Kudzu was founded in 1999 in hopes to provide a program in Georgia that would support the needs of children living with diabetes. It was created by parents, doctors, and community leaders who came together with these kids in mind. Camp Kudzu offers week-long overnight Summer Camps, Family Camps and many other programs each year.



“DIABETES IS A DISEASE THAT NO CHILD SHOULD HAVE TO FACE. BUT ‘TILL THERE’S A CURE...THERE’S CAMP KUDZU.”

VOLUNTEER



“CAMP WAS THE BEST WEEK OF MY LIFE”

-12 YEAR-OLD WITH JUVENILE DIABETES

Anyone interested can become a Camp Kudzu volunteer. Our volunteers come from all over the United States, from all different backgrounds, from college kids to adults. Volunteers do not need to know anything about diabetes, Camp Kudzu will teach you everything you need to know. Therefore, staff training is very important and training and orientation take place preceding camp. Staff are to remain at camp for the entire week of their choice. If you are ready for an amazing week, not to mention the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of very special children, join us at Camp Kudzu!

SUMMER CAMP



SUMMER CAMP ACTIVITIES:

- horseback riding
- water skiing
- canoeing
- kayaking
- water luge
- fishing
- hiking
- swimming
- climbing wall
- sailing
- mini golf
- archery

WE’VE GOT
DIABETES
COVERED!

CAMP KUDZU

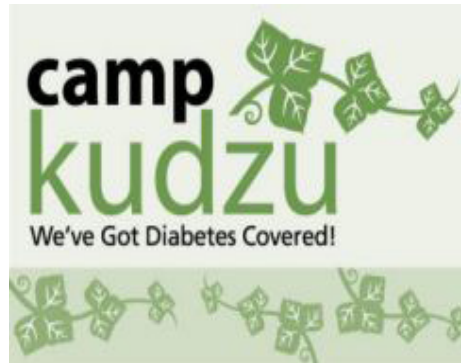


FAMILY CAMP

Camp Kudzu also offers our Family Camp programs. This is a great opportunity for families who have children too young to attend camp or for those recently diagnosed. Family Camp programs are offered in the Spring and Fall and allow families to come together and share common experiences. Programs include activities such as workshops on diabetes, parent education, and other activities for the entire family. Diabetes affects the entire family and Family Camp allows children to understand they are not alone and give their parents the chance to learn more about the disease that affects their child.

“IT WAS NICE BEING AROUND OTHER FAMILIES DEALING WITH THE SAME ISSUES.”

-PREVIOUS FAMILY CAMP PARTICIPANT



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YOUNG PEOPLE NEED TWO THINGS TO DEAL WITH DIABETES: KNOWLEDGE TO CONTROL THEIR CHRONIC DISEASE AND HOPE FOR TOMORROW, CAMP KUDZU PROVIDES BOTH”