



Dear Church of Christ in Roxbury,

Every day, the Emergency Room staff at Mass General prepare to serve as first responders: training, educating and delivering a marathon of care at a moment's notice. Their compassion and dedication has inspired me to join the Mass General Emergency Response Marathon Team, *Ready When Seconds Count*. I am very excited to share that I will be running in the 124<sup>th</sup> Boston Marathon® on April 20, and my goal is to raise money in support of Emergency Medicine programs at Mass General.

I am in the midst of a challenging training regimen to prepare for the race, and I need your help. In order to assist Mass General patients and the community in an emergency, I am committed to raising **\$10,000**. I hope I can count on your support to help Mass General be *Ready When Seconds Count!*

The funds raised by the Mass General Marathon Team go directly to the MGH Emergency Medicine fund, which supports emergency preparedness activities, including training and research, in order to be ready for the next disaster, no matter if it's natural or manmade.

Please consider contributing to this very special program. This year will mark Boston's 7<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the tragic Boston Marathon bombings. Your donation will help advance the work of those individuals who dedicate their lives to protecting others and responding to our calls for help at a moment's notice.

If you would prefer to make an online donation, you can visit my personal fundraising page below.

[\*\*\(CLICK HERE: Support Me and the Mass General Response Team\)\*\*](#).

Checks should be made payable to Massachusetts General Hospital and should include my name in the memo section or in an attached note. They can be mailed to:

**Attn: Stephanie Martin  
Mass General Development Office  
125 Nashua Street, Suite 540  
Boston, MA 02114**

Thank you in advance for your support. Together we can make a difference in ensuring that first responders can be *Ready When Seconds Count!*

Sincerely,

Sis. Chardria Trotter  
Daughter of Bro. Charles and Sis. Debra Trotter



**Ready When  
Seconds Count**



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