

# Julie Ferguson New Jersey

## Who's In Your Family?

Jonathan- our 13 year old son with CHARGE Syndrome, me, and my husband, Scott.



## What do you want people to know about your family?

We live in Flanders, NJ. Jonathan currently attends a nearby school that specializes in alternative learning styles and is loved, happy, and growing. Julie is a PreK teacher at Far Hills Country Day School. Scott works part-time (as Jonathan's health allows) as a handyman/ jack-of-all-trades.

## Why do you Volunteer with the Foundation?

I volunteer because we love this community and I want to give something back! When Jonathan was first diagnosed with CHARGE as an infant, we didn't know who to turn to for answers and support and finding the Foundation was an absolute God-send. I want everyone to have an opportunity to feel as connected and supported.



## What activities do you like to do?

We like to play games, read books, make music, watch movies, spend time outside in our yard playing on Jonathan's Make-A-Wish playset or in his inflatable pool, and going for walks at nearby parks. We also LOVE to spend time with Grandma & Grandpa Kulp, Aunt Penny, and Grandma Big-Water. Now that Jonathan is back in school and has made some new friends, we look forward to having playdates! =)