

For Immediate Release
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THE WHITE HOUSE
OFFICE OF THE PRESS SECRETARY TO MRS. FORD

Mrs. Ford will drop-by a benefit for the Hospital for Sick Children at the Kennedy Center's Concert Hall April 6, 11 AM.

The proceeds from the sale of tickets to the rehearsal of the National Symphony Orchestra will go to the Hospital for their new recreation center for handicapped children (ages 3-16 years). The facility is the first of its kind and free to children from this area with physical handicaps.

Mrs. Ford is Honorary Chairman of the Benefit. She will be joined in the Presidential Box by: Mrs. Antal Dorati; Mrs. Robert Merrill; Mrs. Walter Washington; Reverend Arthur A. Azlein, President of the Board of Trustees for the Hospital; Mrs. Warren T. Rockwell, Co-Chairman of Benefit; and Mrs. Barrington Parker, Co-Chairman of Benefit.

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Press pickup at 10:45AM

NOTE: Press wishing to cover this event, please contact
Mrs. Ford's press office: 456-2164

