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Mia

Survivor, Grade 2

Mia was born with hypoplastic left heart syndrome, meaning one side of her heart didn't fully develop. She spent her first five months in the hospital and two years on a feeding tube and has had multiple surgeries and treatments to help her heart work better.

Mia takes care of her heart by eating fruits and veggies and staying active. She loves dancing, gymnastics and playing at the park. While there is no cure for her condition, she continues to be brave and is proud to have a special heart. By sharing her story through Kids Heart Challenge/ American Heart Challenge, Mia hopes more kids and families will support the American Heart Association's mission to help people everywhere live longer, healthier lives.

The **Kids Heart Challenge** and **American Heart Challenge** funds research that helps kids have longer and stronger lives. Your support helps families have hope and for that they are so grateful.

Together, we are creating a world of longer, healthier lives.