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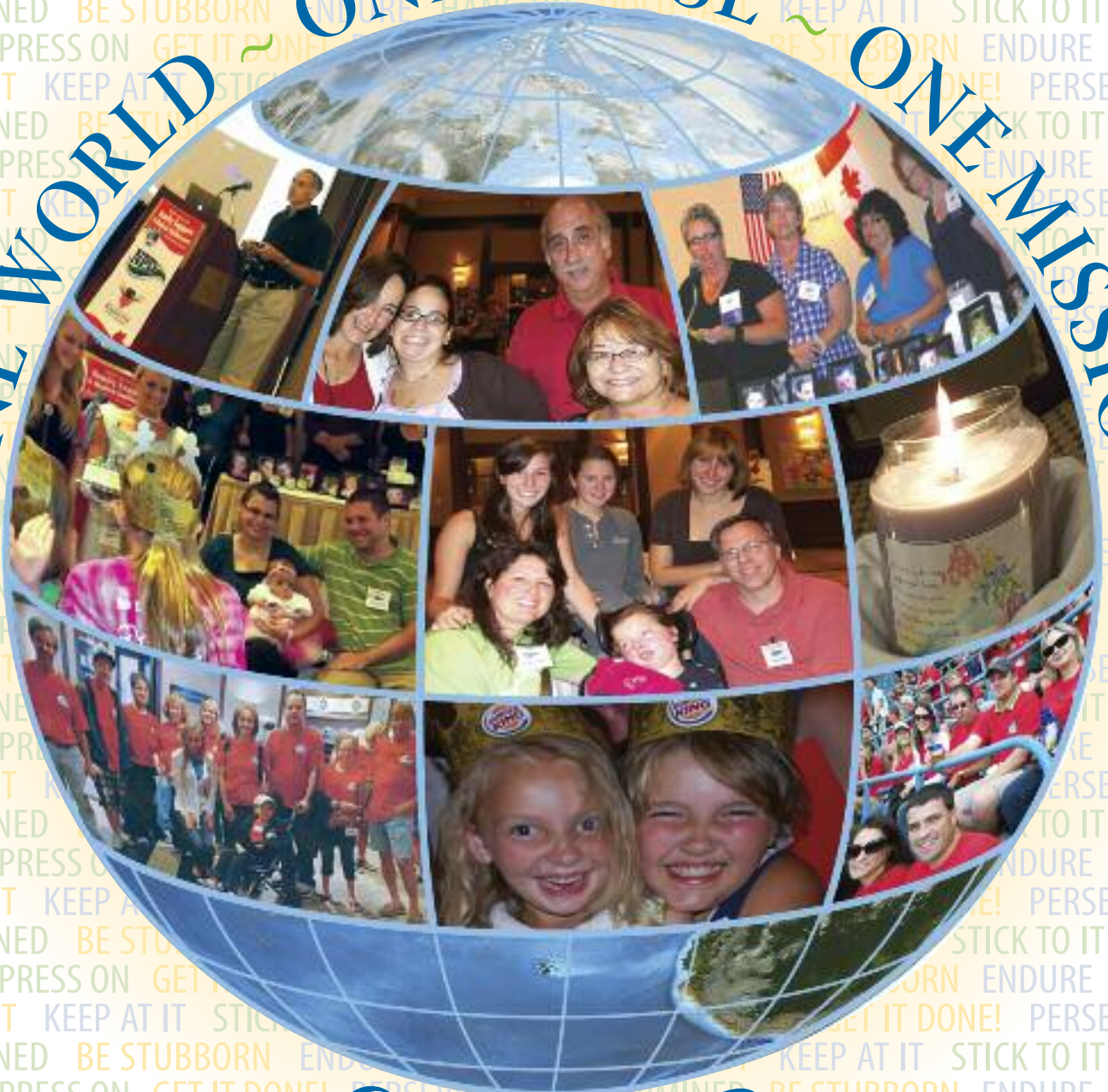
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"Foundation Updates"



Karen Quandt | NNPDF Board Chair

As we near the end of 2010, it's time to take stock of all the National Niemann-Pick Disease Foundation (NNPDF) has accomplished in the year past and to marshal our resources for the work of the year to come. The NNPDF has had a year of

continued growth with many successes to celebrate, raising funds for essential research into treatments and a cure for all of types of Niemann-Pick Disease (NPD) and providing much-needed support services for families grappling with NPD.

This newsletter will update you on many of the foundation's activities including research, Family Support Services, international collaborations, and the wide variety of awareness and fundraising events hosted by our member families across the continent.

2010 marked my first year as the volunteer board chair of the NNPDF, and, like all things associated with Niemann-Pick Disease, it has proven to be an opportunity for learning and growth. As parents of a child with Niemann-Pick Disease Type C (NPC), my husband, Gene, and I had to carefully consider the ramifications of taking on the chairmanship of this busy organization. Our son, Ty (age 14), is active and energetic like most teenagers. At the same time, his NPC creates changing care needs and challenges for family life.

In this first year as NNPDF board chair, I have made some observations about how a diagnosis of NPD affects a family such as ours. While the diagnosis is undeniably devastating, dropping the oppressive weight of an indescribable grief on a family, there is another aspect of how NPD "changes everything."

Learning about a disease you wish you'd never heard of and mounting the battle against it forces a family to expand its frontiers, and its definitions of "family" and "community." With a rare disease such as NPD, you must move out of your comfort zone to search for help and answers and hope, wherever they may be found. As a result, your personal universe expands from your familiar neighborhood and town to encompass all others with NPD (and those who are knowledgeable about NPD), whether they are across the country or across the globe.

Fortunately, we live in an era when communication technologies allow us to share information widely and quickly. When we recently received an announcement that medical professionals may soon be able to diagnose NPC with a simple blood test, we were able to share that news around the world in a matter of minutes.

The sharing of information was also the focus of the NNPDF's 2010 Family Support and Medical Conference held in August in Canada. Co-hosted by our sister-chapter, the Canadian Chapter of the NNPDF (CCNNPDF), and welcoming over 200 attendees including families, clinicians and researchers from around the world, it was the first international conference of its type. The meaningful graphic on the cover of this newsletter illustrates the many faces of NPD, including some of the families in attendance at the conference.

The Family Conference also marked the selection of two new postdoctoral research fellows, bringing the number of research projects currently being funded by the NNPDF to four. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) continues work on the Natural History Study and maintains an emphasis on clinical care for those with NPC. Further, the International Niemann-Pick Disease Alliance (INPDA) continues to build as a worldwide resource to facilitate collaboration and to accelerate advances in research.

In addition to the benefits realized through global sharing and support, we are ever conscious and grateful for the grassroots support shown our families in their day-to-day challenges with Niemann-Pick Disease. It is the generosity of individuals like you that allows us to maintain and broaden our services year after year in support of the families affected by NPD. We hope you enjoy reading about and seeing the photos of our families in the center of this newsletter, as they have worked hard in their communities to raise funds and awareness for NPD.

New brochures about Niemann-Pick Disease Type C (NPC) and Niemann-Pick Disease Types A and B (ASMD) were developed in 2010 and are now available, in both NNPDF and CCNNPDF versions. Families may request brochures for use at their fundraising and awareness events by emailing nnpdf@nnpdf.org.

With your love and encouragement, we have made great progress during 2010, but our job is not done. We will continue to forge ahead until we have locked down effective treatments or a cure for all with Niemann-Pick Disease.

We thank you for your dedicated support in this endeavor, now and through 2011! Together, we will

PERSEVERE in our Quest for a Cure!

With deepest gratitude,
Karen R. Quandt, R.N., M.S.N.
NNPDF Board Chair



The 2011 NNPDF Annual Meeting will be held in Milwaukee from Friday, February 4th through Sunday, February 6th. The Foundation's annual board meetings are open to all members of the NNPDF. Please refer to the Web site (www.nnpdf.org) for more details or contact the NNPDF Central Office if you are interested in attending.

MEMORIALS

- Richard Joseph Carpenter (NPC) ~ 40 years
- Joseph James Colton (NPA/B) ~ 5 years
- Aaditya Michael Dasgupta (NPC) ~ 9 years
- Christopher Lee Fox (NPC) ~ 21 years
- Sarah Elisabeth Glassman (NPA/B) ~ 3 years
- Caileen Harley Harrison (NPA/B) ~ 23 months

- Emily Jane Hrbacek (NPC) ~ 10 years
- Karlyne Ann Jones (NPC) ~ 11 years
- Brianna Michele Patterson (NPC) ~ 6 years
- Cassandra Phillipa Stallard (NPC) ~ 21 years
- Brooke Lynn Thomas (NPC) ~ 9 years
- Deborah Pleasant Williford (NPD type unknown) ~ 61 years

When someone you love becomes a memory, the memory becomes a treasure.

~ Author Unknown

Please take a moment to remember those we have lost recently to Niemann-Pick Disease. Our hearts go out to their families and friends.

NATIONAL NIEMANN-PICK DISEASE FOUNDATION

"Our Quest for a Cure"

2010 NNPDF Family Support and Medical Conference

The 18th Annual NNPDF Family Support and Medical Conference was held August 5 - 8, at the beautiful Delta Chelsea Hotel in downtown Toronto. With the largest attendance at any Family Conference to date, the conference was a great success! Families in attendance benefited from an array of sessions with physicians, researchers, support professionals, and other families affected by NPD.

This conference was the first international conference of its kind, and was co-hosted by the Canadian Chapter of the National Niemann-Pick Disease Foundation (CCNNPDF), and the families of Sandra Cowie, Tammy and Allan Vaughan, and Lucy and Enio Liegghio, all of Canada.

One goal of the Family Conference is to maximize the opportunity to engage and educate the local medical community by sharing the expertise of the members of the NNPDF's Scientific Advisory Board. This year, Drs. Marc Patterson and Ed Schuchman, with the assistance of Dr. Julian Raiman of The Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto, were able to offer Grand Rounds lectures in their area of expertise - Niemann-Pick Disease Type C and

Niemann-Pick Disease Types A/B, respectively.

Conference attendees enjoyed the many amenities of the diverse city of Toronto. Friday evening the group was treated to a Toronto Blue Jays baseball game, and on Saturday evening, a family celebration banquet and dance, complete with a magician to entertain the kiddies. The photo collage on the newsletter cover depicts many of the activities that the families enjoyed while in Toronto.

Families traveled home in high spirits and with a new sense of energy to take on the challenges of NPD armed with information and support garnered from the conference. Visit the NNPDF Web site (www.nnpdf.org) for a recap of the meeting and photos highlighting the event.

Many thanks to our Family Conference sponsors - Genzyme, Actelion Canada, and Ducks for Bucks!



First-Time Fundraiser Winner



The winner of the 2010 First-Time Fundraiser contest was the marathon team "Running4Kelly," formed in honor of Kelly Thompson (NPC) of Bristol, Connecticut. The team competed in the Country Music Marathon in Nashville, Tennessee, on a very rainy day in April, raising \$10,000 for research and family support services!

The team included Kelly's cousin Rebecca McGuire and her husband, Brad McGuire; Kelly's brother, Jim Thompson; another cousin, Kate Carpenter; and good friends Kerry Benoit and Corey Kozuch.

The foundation is ever grateful for the fundraising efforts of the Thompsons and all the other families who work so hard to raise awareness and funding to advance our Quest for a Cure for Niemann-Pick Disease!



Kelly and Rebecca



October Marked 9th Annual National Niemann-Pick Disease Awareness Month

Annually, October is a time when the NNPDF and member families pull out all the stops to educate community members about NPD and to raise funds for essential research and valued family support services. As part of October Awareness Month, the foundation held a nationwide online auction, and we thank all those who donated items to the auction and those who

placed bids to benefit the NNPDF. Please see pages 4 and 5 of this newsletter for highlights of the many families who held fundraising and awareness events throughout the year. We are forever grateful. You inspire us all to

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in our Quest for a Cure.



Together we can make a difference!



PERSEVERING in Canada



Thumbs up for a cure!



Karen and Gene paint D.C.



Stylin' in the workplace



I got all my sisters 'n me



We are family

Too cool for school



Pretty in Pink

Research Is Our Only Hope

"The NNPDF ~ Where Success Begins with You!"

Run for the Angel Twins
In memory of
Cathryn and Corynne Bouchard (NPC)
Frisco, Texas

Ryan's Ride Poker Run
In memory of Ryan Richardson (NPC)
Crestview, Florida

Our Quest for a Cure ~ Families Unite to Host Niemann-Pick Disease Awareness Events and Activities Across the United States and Canada

Awareness Video
St. Teresa's School Memorial Event
Scentsy Candle Fundraiser
Facebook Awareness Page
In memory of Damon Cardinal (NPA)
Edmonton, Alberta Canada

Living Hope Baptist Church Dinner
In honor of Rachel Palmiter (NPC)
Portland, Oregon

**Marcello and Matthew Perugini
Memorial Walk**
In memory of
Marcello and Matthew Perugini (NPC)
Waterbury, Connecticut

Causes on Facebook
In honor of
Johnathan Spencer (NPC)
Gilroy, California

Bowl for a Cure
In honor of
Andy Wood (NPC)
Windham,
New Hampshire

Hanover 5K Road Race
In memory of Erin Roberts (NPC)
Hanover, Massachusetts

**Cruise for Adam
Ride for Adam
Race for Adam
Adam's Family Benefit Concert**
In honor of Adam Recke (NPC)
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

**NNPDF Direct
Mail Appeal
Family and
Friends Letter**
In honor of
Monica Taillefer (NPC)
Herouxville,
Quebec Canada

Family and Friends Letter
In honor of Nikki Wiley (NPC)
Monteagle, Tennessee

**Big House Big Heart
Run/Walk**
In memory of
John B. and Kathryn Taft (NPA)
Monroe, Michigan

**Alex and Laura
Vaughan Memorial
Golf Tournament**
In memory of
Alex and Laura
Vaughan (NPC)
Durham,
Ontario Canada

**Golf "FORE" Stacey
Governor's Proclamation**
In memory of Stacey Vorpahl (NPC)
Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin

**Persevere Wear and Product Sales
2011 Wall Calendars
Oravec Twins Birthday Party
Bowl-a-Thon**
In honor of Naomi Tyrrell (NPC)
Shelton, Connecticut

**Support the Cause
Sales Promotion
Harvest of Hope Dinner**
In honor of
Peyton and Kayla Hadley (NPC)
Medford, Oregon

**Tacoma School of the Arts Walk-a-Thon
Mad Hatter's Tea Party
Night of Musical Theater
LoganFest Basketball Tournament
March Gladness Project**
In honor of Ty Quandt (NPC)
Edgewood, Washington

**Katlyn Sumbad
Memorial Golf
Tournament**
In memory of
Katlyn Sumbad (NPA)
Modesto, California

**Ride4Tylor RAGBRAI Team
Dubuque Bruisers Football
Hair Cut-a-Thon
Governor's and Mayor's
Proclamations**
In honor of Tylor White-Richardson (NPC)
Dubuque, Iowa and Galena, Illinois

**Don's Seafood
Restaurants
Fundraiser**
In memory of
Michael Landry (NPC)
Gonzales, Louisiana

**Hometown
Heroes Parade
Popcorn Sale
Vinyl Banners
Sales Donations**
In memory of
Emily Hrbacek (NPC)
Eureka, Missouri

**A Day Out Against Niemann-Pick
Boston Marathon - Genzyme Team
Maine Vacation Package Raffle
Governor's & Mayor's Proclamations**
In honor of Collin and Cohen Parody (NPB)
Dexter, New York

**Fishin' for the Mission Fishing
Team/Tournaments**
In honor of Raiden Linkous (NPC)
Dublin, Virginia

**Facebook
Awareness Page**
In honor of
Tehyez Minde (NPA)
Hobbema, Alberta Canada

**Vericrest Financial Popcorn,
Bake Sale and Penny War**
In memory of
Bailey and Brianna Patterson (NPC)
El Centro, California

Ford IronMan Triathlon
In honor of
Anne Marie OConnor-Smith (NPB)
Malabar, Florida

**Hunter's Hope Memorial
Golf Tournament
and Auction**
In memory of
Hunter Ozmer (NPC)
Roanoke, Virginia

**Dillon Papier Charity Golf Tournament
Frederick Keys and Bowie Baysox
Baseball Benefits
Foster's Grille Monthly Family Night
Massanutten Resort Raffle**
In honor of Dillon Papier (NPC)
Frederick, Maryland

**Quassy Amusement Park Event
Yankee Candle Fundraiser
Yearbook Dedication**
In memory of Bryanna DeSouza (NPC)
Naugatuck, Connecticut

**Life for Luke Dance and Dinner Gala
Evening of Jazz**
In memory of
Luke Liegghio (NPC)
Vaughan,
Ontario Canada

**Niemann-Pick
Type A
Walk-a-Thon**
In honor of
Gregorio Martinez,
III (NPA)
Temple, Texas

**Family Fun Event
Governor's Proclamation
Wristband Sales**
In memory of
Tristian Norton-Rogers (NPA)
Salem, South Dakota

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Golf Tournament
and Auction**
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Frederick, Maryland

**Ducks for
Bucks
Willowicks
Candle Sales**
In memory of
Breann Chavez (NPC)
Farmington, New Mexico

**October Awareness
Community Group Talks**
In memory of
Danny and Lisa Clark (NPC)
Mount Pleasant, Iowa

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We, the families of the children and young adults affected by Niemann-Pick Disease, thank you for joining us as we PERSEVERE in our Quest for A Cure!

2010 Peter G. Pentchev Research Fellowships Awarded ~ NNPDF Funds Two Postdoctoral Research Projects

One of the key programs of the NNPDF is the continued funding of research into NPD. We are pleased to announce the recipients of the 2010 Peter G. Pentchev Postdoctoral Research Fellowships!

The research projects of Dr. Nicholas Cianciola of Case Western Reserve University, and Dr. Dorothea Maetzel of the Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, were selected through an application process which included reviews by the members of the NNPDF's Scientific Advisory Board (SAB).

Dr. Dan Ory, Chair of the NNPDF's Scientific Advisory Board summarized the two selected projects:

1. Nicholas Cianciola - "Activation of an alternative cholesterol homeostatic mechanism in NPC"

Dr. Cianciola's project builds upon an exciting observation he made while a graduate student and will explore the role of a viral protein in facilitating movement of cholesterol from lysosomes. The research has the potential to identify new therapeutic targets to stimulate release of cholesterol from lysosomes in the absence of a functional NPC1 protein.



2. Dorothea Maetzel - "In Vitro modelling of Niemann-Pick type C Disease Using Patient-Specific Induced Pluripotent Stem Cells"

Dr. Maetzel's project will lead to development of pluripotent stem cells from human NPC mutant fibroblasts. The stem cells will then be used for high throughput assays to identify small molecules that can correct the cholesterol accumulation in the NPC cells. Development of these cell lines will allow testing of whether the genetic defect can be corrected in the stem cells, which could have therapeutic potential.

The NNPDF also continues to support the research projects of the 2009 Peter G. Pentchev Fellows, Dr. Ian Williams ("**Neurobiology of Purkinje Cells in NPC1**"), and Dr. Fabrizio Vacca ("**Analysis of cholesterol export from purified endosomes in NPC cellular models**").

For more details, including links to all four researchers' Lay Summaries, please visit the NNPDF Web site's "The Latest Research" page at: http://www.nnpdf.org/npdisease_14.html

Promising Therapies for Niemann-Pick Type C Disease

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke Meeting ~ June 2010

Representatives from the NNPDF attended the "Promising Therapies for Niemann-Pick Type C Disease" meeting sponsored by the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (a division of the U.S. National Institutes of Health) in Rockville, Maryland, June 3-4.

Detailed discussion and presentations surrounding new and promising therapies for NPD type C were offered to 150 attendees of this conference. Organizers Dr. Danilo A. Tagle and Dr. Steven U. Walkley gathered the leading experts and researchers from around the world to take part in this "first of its kind" meeting on NPC.

The NNPDF has compiled a summary of the presentation abstracts from the meeting, available on the NNPDF Web site "The Latest Research" page at: http://www.nnpdf.org/npdisease_14.html

Gordon Conference on Lysosomal Diseases

The Gordon Research Conference on Lysosomal Diseases will take place in Galveston, Texas, January 23-28, 2011. This scientific conference, being organized by Drs. Fran Platt, Steve Walkley and Tony Futerman, will offer sessions on topics such as the basic science of lysosomal biology and function, relationships of lysosomal diseases to other neurological diseases, pathogenic cascades, biomarkers, recent advances in therapy, clinical trials and design, and much more. Niemann-Pick Disease is one of over 40 Lysosomal Storage Diseases.

The Gordon Research Conferences promote discussions and the free exchange of ideas at the research frontiers of the biological, chemical and physical sciences. Scientists with common professional interests come together for a full week of intense discussion and examination of the most advanced aspects of their field. The NNPDF is proud to be a sponsor of this conference. For more information, visit www.grc.org.

Diagnosis of NPC May Soon be Possible via Blood Test

Niemann-Pick Disease Type C (NPC) may soon be diagnosed with a simple blood test, according to a report from the Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri, published recently in Science Translational Medicine.

Dr. Dan Ory of Washington University, and the chair of the NNPDF's Scientific Advisory Board (SAB), is one of the report's authors, along with Dr. Forbes "Denny" Porter, of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), also

on the NNPDF's SAB; and Nicole Yanjanin, R.N., NIH, and on the NNPDF's Board of Directors; and others.

Visit the NNPDF's Web site NewsLine page for a link to the complete story and a video clip, featuring Dr. Ory, along with Nancy and Art Sullivan, parents of Karen Sullivan, who passed away from NPC in 2004, at the age of 33.



Update from Genzyme on Enzyme Therapy Trial

Genzyme completed a Phase 1 clinical trial in 2009 that was designed to evaluate the safety of single-dose administration of recombinant human acid sphingomyelinase (rhASM) as a potential treatment for ASMD (also known as Niemann-Pick Disease Types A and B). We are conducting further preclinical research and engaging regulatory agencies in discussion about the available preclinical and clinical data, as well as preliminary plans for the Phase 2 trial.

The Phase 1 clinical trial results were presented publicly at two scientific meetings last year and are being prepared for publication. We are also planning to publish results from an international, retrospective natural history study of ASMD.

We want to once again thank the participants of the Phase 1 trial for their contribution to our understanding of rhASM and acknowledge the ongoing support of the patient community. We will keep the community updated as our development plan continues.

Genzyme Corporation



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"Research Updates"

Niemann-Pick Disease Research – History and Future Directions

Niemann-Pick Disease (NPD) was first documented in 1914. Since then, much has been learned about the disease, including the fact that NPD can be categorized into three general types - Types A and B (also known as Acid Sphingomyelinase Deficiency or ASMD), and Type C.

Today's research has broadened to include the development of treatments for NPD. Clinical trials of miglustat (Zavesca) suggest that it may slow the progression of NPD Type C and may help maintain neurological function. Cyclodextrin is currently being studied to develop an understanding of the mechanisms behind the proposed therapeutic effect on NPC, as well as long-term safety and side effects. Enzyme therapy is being tested for use in patients with NPD ASMD. http://www.nnpdf.org/npdisease_14.html

Research at the National Institutes of Health

The National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) began conducting research on Niemann-Pick Disease Type C (NPC) in the early 1970's. Currently, the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) at NIH is conducting an observational study of the natural progression of NPC under the direction of Dr. Forbes D. Porter.

The observational trial or "natural history study" began in August 2006, designed to describe the progression of the disease and to form a clinical picture of the "typical" NPC patient, as well as to identify clinical and biological markers of the disease process. Currently, the natural history study has enrolled 53 NPC patients from around the world, and their participation has contributed to presentations at the national and international level.

In collaboration with Dr. Dan Ory of Washington University, Dr. Porter proposed the use of an over-the-counter drug known as NAC for NPC. The NAC trial was begun in September 2009, and finished in August 2010. Quality of life, fatigue, liver enzymes, vitamin A and E levels, and Co-enzyme Q10 levels were evaluated. Information about the drug's effectiveness will be available following complete review and analysis of the data. Data from this trial are also being analyzed to validate potential blood markers in NPC patients, as well as to evaluate whether NAC could be useful in treating oxidative stress in NPC.

Though research takes time, the study of NPD has made remarkable progress over the years. Researchers continue to work to expand the understanding of this devastating disease and to find means of early identification and treatment.

Canadian Chapter Update

The Canadian Chapter of the National Niemann-Pick Disease Foundation (CCNNPDF) has had a busy year, with many members conducting events to raise awareness of Niemann-Pick Disease and funds for research.

The CCNNPDF is a sister chapter to the National Niemann-Pick Disease Foundation (NNPDF) (U.S.) and through a collaborative relationship participates with the NNPDF in the funding of NPD research and provision of family support services to members.

Money raised through the CCNNPDF is invested in Niemann-Pick Disease research via the NNPDF's research program with guidance from the NNPDF's Scientific Advisory Board (SAB), Board of Directors, and Research Committee. This partnership helps eliminate redundancy and maximizes the impact of research dollars. In 2010, the CCNNPDF contributed \$85,000 CAN toward Niemann-Pick Disease research initiatives.

Tammy Vaughan and Sandra Cowie serve as representatives of the CCNNPDF on the NNPDF Board of Directors and are both active members of the foundation's Research Committee.

As part of the implementation of program services for families in Canada, the CCNNPDF rolled out its redesigned Web site earlier this year and it has quickly become a valuable resource for Canadian families affected by NPD. www.nnpdf.ca

Also during 2010, Health Canada announced approval of the drug

Zavesca® (miglustat) as the first authorized treatment for neurological symptoms of Niemann-Pick Disease Type C (NPC). Zavesca® is not a cure for NPC, but it has shown promise in treating symptoms related to NPC and in slowing the progression of the disease for some patients.

In addition to Canada, Zavesca® has been approved for use in NPC in the European Union, South Korea, Brazil, Russia and Australia. Currently, in the United States, Zavesca® can only be prescribed "off-label" for use in NPC. Produced by Actelion Pharmaceuticals, Zavesca® is also used for treatment of patients with Type 1 Gaucher Disease, another Lysosomal Storage Disease.

Even more recently, Zavesca® received approval for reimbursement under the Ontario Public Drug Program. Reimbursement will be considered under Canada's Exceptional Access Program, according to specific clinical criteria.

Tammy Vaughan, Chair of the CCNNPDF, commented, "Including Zavesca® within the remit of Ontario's governmental reimbursement policy is a tremendous step forward in helping NPC patients and families who are desperate to increase life expectancy and improve the quality of their lives. ...we hope other provinces might come to the same decision."



The CCNNPDF was proud to act as co-host for the first international NNPDF Family Support and Medical Conference held in Toronto, Ontario Canada in August of 2010. Lucy Liegghio, Tammy Vaughan and Sandra Cowie (respectively), of the CCNNPDF Board of Directors, along with their families, were key players in the overall success of the conference!



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2010 YEAR-END GIFT IDEAS

Each year, hundreds of families around the world depend on the NNPDF for medical information, research updates and emotional support as they struggle to care for a terminally ill child or young adult. We, in turn, depend on those with compassion and the financial resources to make a difference in the lives of those who are suffering.

As you consider your year-end tax planning, we at the NNPDF hope you will consider making good use of the income tax charitable deduction. Your 2010 year-end gift can significantly reduce your income taxes, while providing meaningful support for the work of the NNPDF.

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Stick To It
Pursue
Persist
Press On
Persevere
Get It Done

Keep At It
Hang On

Your charitable gifts make an important difference in what we are able to accomplish. Thank you for your consideration and generosity to the NNPDF.



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