



The Coalition to Cure CHD2 (CCC)'s mission is to improve the lives of those affected by CHD2-related disorders by increasing education, building a community, and accelerating research to uncover a cure.

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## Support Coalition to Cure CHD2

Transparency and donor confidence are very important to us. When you make a donation to Coalition to Cure CHD2, you can be certain that your gift is carefully stewarded by the CCC board of directors. Please know that all contributions support our mission of improving the lives of those affected by CHD2-related disorders by increasing education, building a community, and accelerating research to uncover a cure.

Coalition to Cure CHD2 is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization recognized by the United States Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

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## About CHD2-related Disorders

- CHD2 is a gene located on the 15th chromosome at 15.q26.1
- A change in the CHD2 gene can cause epilepsy, autism, and/or developmental delay
- Seizure onset typically occurs between 6 months and 4 years of age
- CHD2 is a rare disorder; it likely affects only 1% of children with developmental and epileptic encephalopathy
- Symptoms of CHD2 vary from person to person; no two cases are exactly the same.

## Clinical Characteristics of CHD2 Include:

- Epilepsy that is often difficult-to-control
- Global developmental delays
- Photosensitivity
- Autism Spectrum Disorder or autistic features
- ADHD, hyperactive, or inattentive behavior
- Intellectual disability or learning disabilities
- Behavioral problems (some with aggression)
- Speech and motor delays
- Regression (loss of milestones)

## About Coalition to Cure CHD2

Coalition to Cure CHD2 is a parent-led non-profit organization fueled by our desire to help our children and others with a CHD2-related disorder.

**Our Mission** is to improve the lives of those affected by CHD2-related disorders by increasing education, building a community, and accelerating research to uncover a cure.

**Our Vision** is to find safe and effective treatments that will cure CHD2-related disorders.

## The Future of CHD2

Although there are currently no treatment options specifically approved for CHD2-related disorders, CCC remains hopeful. Research into the disorder has drastically increased over the past decade and there are many dedicated researchers who are working on, or investing in, the development of drugs or precision therapies that may improve the lives of those living with CHD2.

## Get Involved in CCC

In order to get closer to a cure for CHD2-related disorders, we need the support of you – our community! Whether you are someone diagnosed with CHD2, a family member, a friend, a researcher, or clinician, there are many opportunities to get involved. Here are some of the few ways you can help CCC:

- Host or attend a fundraiser
- Join our patient registry
- Participate in CHD2 awareness day on 2/2
- Connect with other families through our social media pages
- Share your story
- Volunteer
- Learn about and participate in CHD2 research

Learn more by visiting [www.curechd2.org/getinvolved](http://www.curechd2.org/getinvolved)

