



6th Annual North Carolina Monster Madness for MPS 5K Run and 1 Mile Woof Walk

Run for Rare Diseases!

October 29, 2017

Please join the National MPS Society as we raise money to support MPS & ML research.

Our daughter Jennifer is 25 years old and suffers from Mucopolysaccharidosis III. This disease is a genetic lysosomal storage disease (LSD) caused by the body's inability to process waste properly due to enzyme deficiency. Normally, the body uses enzymes to break down and recycle materials in cells. In individuals with MPS and ML the missing or insufficient enzyme prevents the proper recycling process, resulting in the storage of materials in virtually every cell of the body. As a result, cells do not perform properly and may cause progressive damage throughout the body, including the heart, bones, joints, respiratory system and central nervous system.

While the disease may not be apparent at birth, signs and symptoms develop with age as more cells become damaged by the accumulation of cell materials. There is an estimate in the United States that 1 in 500,000 births will result in some form of ML and 1:25,000 births result in MPS.

At the present time, there is no cure for this deadly disease. However, promising treatments and therapies are just around the corner. Money is needed to continue to fund the research to find a cure for MPS and ML.

The National MPS Society is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of children and families who are impacted by these genetic diseases and to help fund research for a cure. The Society is hosting a series of 5K Run/Walks across the country to raise money for research.

We are hosting the inaugural Columbus Crush MPS 5K Run/Walk with 100% of the proceeds benefit research to find a cure or, our family support programs.

Jennifer's motto has always been, "No isn't an option". Please take a few hours out of your day and join us and give strength to Jennifer and kids like her suffering from these diseases. You can go online and make a donation as well. It will be worth it!

You can visit <https://support.mpssocietygive.org/ncrarerun> for more information or contact Terri Klein at terri@mpssociety.org.

Enclosed is information about Sponsorship for the Columbus Crush 5K. If you are interested in helping us make a difference, please make a donation to:

National MPS Society
P.O. Box 14686
Durham, NC 27709



5th NC Run for MPS and ML 5K Run/1 Mile Walk Bond Park, Cary, NC

Corporate Sponsorship Choices

1. Corporate Sponsorship

Platinum Sponsor: \$1,500.00 Corporate Name on T Shirt Back, Premium Logo, event/website sponsor recognition, billboard presence at event

Gold Sponsor: \$1,000.00. Corporate Name on T Shirt Back , Premium Logo, event/website sponsor recognition

2. Team Sponsorship/Participation

Sign up a team of employees from your company to participate in the 5K Run/1 Mile Walk. One race registration form is enclosed. Please make copies for participants to complete to Pre-register for the event.

\$500.00 . . . for up to 50 participants. Corp. Name on T Shirt Back plus event/website recognition.

\$250.00 . . . for up to 25 participants. Corp. Name on T Shirt Back plus event/website recognition.

3. Donation of Merchandise such as Water/Food for Picnic

\$500.00 worth of merchandise . . . Corp. Name on T Shirt Back plus event/website recognition.

\$250.00 worth of merchandise . . . Corp. Name on T Shirt Back plus event/website recognition.

Less than **\$250.00** worth of merchandise . . . Corporate Name – event/website recognition.

For more information on MPS and ML visit:

www.mpssrunnc.com

Yes, I would love to sign up as a sponsor!

Company Name: _____ Contact: _____

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Corporate Sponsorship \$1,500 \$1,000 Other \$ _____

Team Sponsorship \$500 \$250 Other \$ _____

Merchandise Donation Item: _____ Value \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to National MPS Society and mail to; P.O. Box 14686, Durham, NC 27709.

The National MPS Society has been awarded a 4-Star Rating from Charity Navigator. You can be assured your donation will service our Research and Family Support Programs and help save a child. The National MPS Society continuously receives 3 or 4 star ratings, meaning we outperform most charities for sound fiscal responsibility in the U.S.!

