Services Available

Education- Teach those who work with children, including professionals and parents, to recognize the early signs of growth failure.

Information- We offer multiple brochures which explain various medical problems that affect a child's growth. The information is written by medical professionals in easy-to-understand terminology.

Newsletter- MAGIC publishes a quarterly newsletter for parents of affected children and a second newsletter for adults with growth hormone deficiency, hypopituitarism and Cushing Syndrome.

Friday Email- Each Friday members who sign up, receive an e-mail with links to recently published medical articles on the medical conditions we serve.

Annual Educational Conventions-Two conventions are held each year, one for parents and the other for affected adults. The focus is on education with presentations from some of the world's foremost medical authorities. Great activities are offered for children while parents learn, and "field trips" and other fun family friendly parties are held at night.

Social Networking- MAGIC hosts more than two dozen private Facebook pages where adults can share experiences and learn from each other.

Patient Advocacy- Increasing public awareness of patient concerns at the government and corporate levels.

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Scan for more information!



Supporting families of children with medical conditions impacting their physical growth and affected adults.



Who We Serve

Patients with growth disabilities due to:

- Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia
- Cushing Syndrome
- Growth Hormone Deficiency in Children and Adults
- Hypophosphatasia
- Idiopathic Short Stature
- Insulin-like Growth Factor Deficiency
- McCune-Albright Syndrome/Fibrous Dysplasia
- Optic Nerve Hypoplasia/Septo Optic Dysplasia
- Panhypopituitarism
- Precocious Puberty
- Russell-Silver Syndrome
- Small for Gestational Age
- Thyroid Disorders
- Turner Syndrome

And others...

Major

Aspects of

Growth

In

Children

Who We Are

We are the Canadian division of the MAGIC Foundation, a team made up of current and former patients, family, and friends who aim to provide support services for those afflicted with a wide variety of chronic and/or critical disorders, syndromes and diseases that affect a child's growth.

We understand the unique and often misunderstood situations patients face, and the need for reliable resources that are not intimidating.

In cooperation with endocrinologists we aspire to bring out the quality of life every patient deserves.

We are available as a bridge between patients and pharmaceutical companies, prioritizing the patients' best interests.

Our team represents patients from across Canada, as unified patient group, striving to navigate provincial, territorial, and federal health policies.

Our History

The MAGIC Foundation is now the largest international non-profit organization and leader in endocrine support for families of patients affected with endocrine disorders.

The Canadian Division of the MAGIC Foundation was established in November 2013 in order to let patients coordinate with each other, following in the footsteps of the original organisation incorporated in Chicago Illinois on October 29th 1989 by five families of affected children.

MAGIC's Motto

"Children have a short time to grow and a lifetime to live with the results." ©

Become a Member

Membership entitles a family to all the benefits and services of the foundation. Your support will enable MAGIC Canada to continue these services and implement new programs.

If you have any questions regarding membership or services please contact us. Registration is available through our website.

Thank-you for your interest and support. You are providing a brighter future for many patients with growth disorders.

Remember...together we are

