

In A Pickle Festival is a family-friendly festival that has teamed up with the Hunter Syndrome Foundation to raise awareness of a rare genetic disorder called Hunter Syndrome. My son Connor was diagnosed with Hunter Syndrome when he was 4 years old and <u>there is currently no cure</u>. Through this event, we hope to raise awareness about Hunter Syndrome and raise funds for medical research.



We are asking for your help with donations. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will be acknowledged. Specifically, we are looking for any pickle flavor food or snacks, pickle scented items or other pickle products for our booth. 100% of your donation will go directly to the **Hunter Syndrome Foundation.** Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will be acknowledged. We expect about 10,000 people at the event. The festival is September 18th, 2021 in Kingwood Texas.

Hunter Syndrome (MPS II) is a rare genetic disease that affects less than 500 boys in the United States. These boys are missing an enzyme used to break down cellular waste. When that waste builds up, it leads to progressive damage throughout their bodies. Some never develop speech, but some boys learn like a typical child then **begin losing skills and what they've learned at a young** age. They eventually lose the ability to walk, talk and eat. Most do not live to see their teen years.

The Hunter Syndrome Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation (IRS Tax ID# 46-4296623) with a mission to fund potential therapies that will ultimately find a cure for this disorder. Hunter Syndrome Foundation, PO Box 203, Prosper, TX 75078







If you have any questions, please contact.

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**In 2019 we had around 10,000 people attend our In A Pickle Festival and we were featured on Houston Life with our own televised segment. We also had our own segment with CW39 Maggie Flecknoe featuring our sponsors on our banner and T-shirts. KHOU was out filming the day of the festival and caught all the contests and entertainment as well! The festival was featured in all local news outlets, and as far as Austin and San Antonio. **