

HYDROCEPHALUS IN NEBRASKA

HYDROCEPHALUS IS A CHRONIC NEUROLOGICAL CONDITION THAT HAS NO CURE. ANYONE AT ANY TIME CAN DEVELOP HYDROCEPHALUS, FROM INFANTS TO SENIORS. THE ONLY TREATMENT REQUIRES BRAIN SURGERY.



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2 Clinical Research Networks

1 Basic & Translational Research Network
2 Biobanks

1 Hydrocephalus Patient-Powered Registry
36% Decrease in Shunt Infection Rates
11 Preclinical Drug Therapies in testing
1 New Patent for a Drug Target
1 FDA Investigational New Drug Application

OMAHA WALK TO END HYDROCEPHALUS

Chalco Hills Recreation Area Sunday, October 6, 2024 omahawalk@hydroassoc.org hydroassoc.org/omahawalk





COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP

Omaha Community Network State-wide Online Facebook Group One-on-one Peer Support Volunteers