

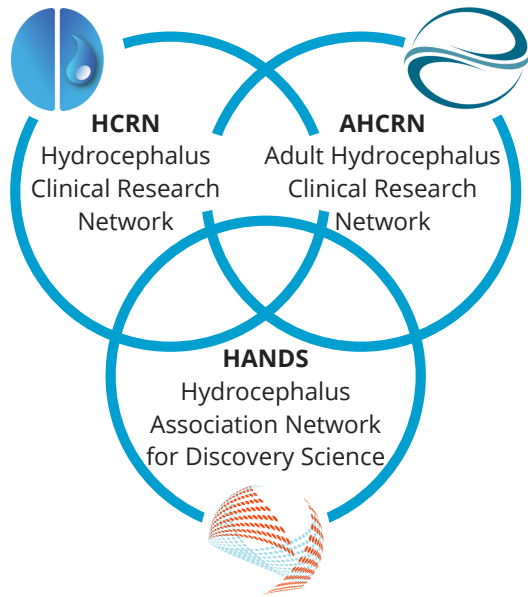


# HYDROCEPHALUS IN WISCONSIN

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.

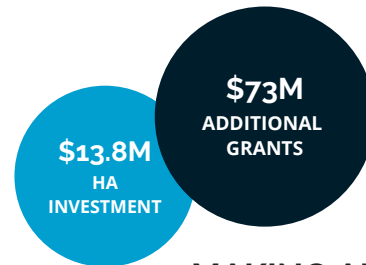


## TOGETHER TOWARDS A CURE



### UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

2018 Hydrocephalus Association **\$1,500**  
Anti-Siphon Devices decrease the rate of proximal  
shunt obstruction surgery. Travel Award. Koueik, Joyce



## MAKING AN IMPACT

### The Big Picture

- 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

## WISCONSIN WALK TO END HYDROCEPHALUS

Southern WI, Hamilton High School, 2024 Date TBD  
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## COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUPS

- Milwaukee Community Network
- La Crosse Community Network
- State-wide Online Facebook Group
- National Online NPH Facebook Group
- One-on-one Peer Support Volunteers