

INSPIRE YOUR SCHOOL OR CLASSROOM TO SHOW UP FOR INFANTILE NEUROAXONAL DYSTROPHY (INAD)



Rare Disease Day is on February 28th (or 29th on Leap years). The icon to represent all rare diseases is a zebra. Focusing on INAD our colors that represent our foundation are blue and purple.






A simple way to bring awareness to your school community is to Color Burst it out our for Rare Disease Day.

Create a School Spirit Day and encourage students and staff to wear blue and purple.



SOME OTHER WAYS YOU CAN BRING AWARENESS TO INAD IS BY:

-  With family permission share the INAD slideshow in this toolkit.
-  Read aloud “I Love Lucy” by: Chuck Neighbors and discuss the similarities on noticing differences, but focusing on who the person is.
-  Allow students to use the coloring sheet in the toolkit to express themselves and then discuss how each sheet may be similar yet different than the other.

[iNADCURE.ORG/RDD25](https://inadcure.org/rdd25)

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WHAT IS INAD:

Infantile Neuroaxonal Dystrophy (INAD) is a rare, degenerative neurological condition that primarily affects young children. INAD is caused by genetic mutations and leads to severe physical and cognitive impairments. It's a life-limiting condition that affects families across the globe, yet it receives little attention or funding due to its rarity.

INADCURE FOUNDATION'S WORK



INADcure Foundation has already funded preclinical studies in an INAD mouse model to determine the potential for therapeutic efficacy. The gene therapy treatment extended the lifespan of the mice. This gave us 'proof of concept,' which forms the basis for seeking FDA approval. After completing a dosing study, an Investigational New Drug Application (IND) will be submitted to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for approval to conduct a clinical trial.

School Wide Fundraising

STUNT DAY:

Set a school wide donation goal and if it's met, the principal could wear a costume, get pined in the face, spray dye their hair etc.



_____-A-THON:

Dance, Run, Walk: Donors pledge to donate a specific amount of money based on the participants level of participation (minutes or laps).



COMMUNITY MOVIE NIGHT:

Host a movie night at the school with an entry fee. Sell snacks and drinks for extra fundraising.



Classroom/Grade Level Fundraising

PENNY WARS:



Classes collect spare change in jars. The class or grade level that raises the most money wins a reward such as an extra recess, dance party

READ - A - THON:



Students can ask family, friends, neighbors and/or community members to sponsor them for every book or chapter they read.

** These activities while great for a classroom or grade level can also be great to implement school wide as well!**