Building Awareness and Sharing Our Story







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Focus of Today's Session

- A. Reaching out to build a stronger Crohn's and Colitis Canada community
- **B. Make it stop** in Crohn's and Colitis Awareness Month!
- C. Sharing Our Story



REACHING OUT TO BUILD OUR COMMUNITY





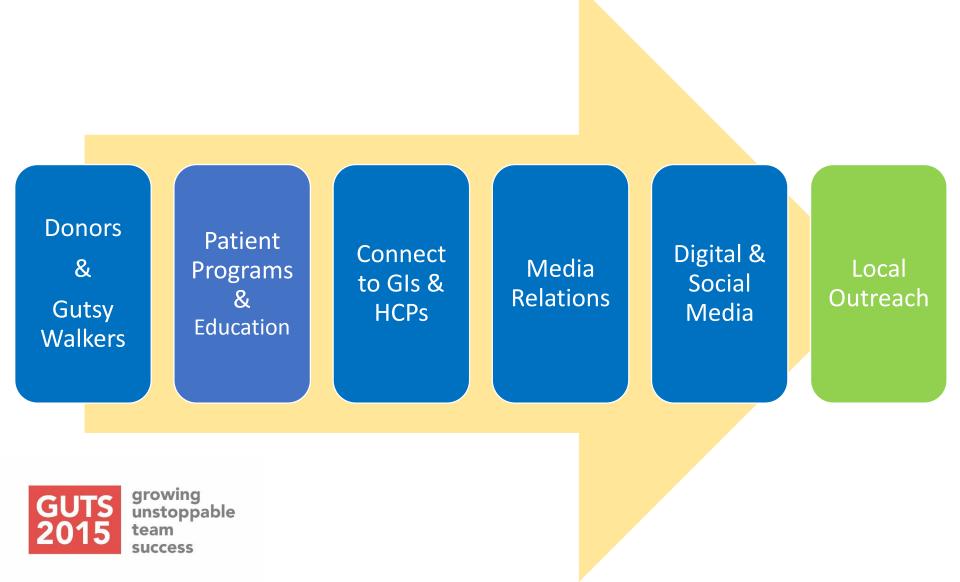
"Shouldn't we be doing this online?"

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WE ARE BUILDING OUR COMMUNITY



REACHING OUT TO BUILD OUR COMMUNITY

TABLE DISCUSSION: LOCAL OUTREACH

What are your ideas to expand OUR reach of people affected by Crohn's and colitis at the local level?



CROHN'S &COLITIS Make it stop. For life.



PAIN ISN'T THE ONLY THING KIDS WITH CROHN'S FEEL.

Kids living with Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis often face stigma and shame as they cope with painful, urgent and more frequent bowel movements. **It's time to make it stop**.



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ULCERATIVE COLITIS STRIKES PEOPLE IN THEIR 20S. HARD.

Dealing with the unrelenting pain of ulcerative colitis when you're in your 20s and facing life's other challenges can be especially hard. It's time to make it stop.



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CROHN'S COLLETIS

ALMOST HALF OF PEOPLE WITH CROHN'S WILL REQUIRE SURGERY.

After years of excruciating abdominal pain and chronic diarrhea, many people with Crohn's disease will require intestinal surgery. It's time to make it stop.



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4 EASY WAYS TO GO BIG IN AWARENESS MONTH

1. REACH OUT TO LOCAL MEDIA FOR PSA PLACEMENT

- 2. BE A LOCAL MEDIA SPOKESPERSON PITCH &/or DO INTERVIEWS
- 3. BE A SOCIAL MEDIA ACTIVIST
- 4. RAISE FUNDS

DO ONE – OR DO THEM ALL!



#1 – REACH OUT TO LOCAL MEDIA FOR PSA PLACEMENT

TRAINING WEBINAR:

Thursday, October 29 @ 7pm EDT

RESOURCES:

- Key messages
- Pitch script
- Media list
- Tips and secrets of the trade!



PSAs delivered this week to all outlets!



#2 – BE A MEDIA SPOKESPERSON

TRAINING WEBINAR:

Thursday, October 29 @ 7pm EDT

RESOURCES:

- Key messages
- Pitch script
- Spokesperson training
- Fact sheets
- Questions for interviewers



Make a connection with others!



#3 – BE A SOCIAL MEDIA ACTIVIST

RESOURCES:

- Twibbons and banners to be shared
 - Eblast to be sent this week
 - Talk About Guts e-newsletter Nov 2 for all
- Watch all our channels
 through November!



MAKE IT VIRAL!

Share on Facebook / Re-Tweet on Twitter Share your spokesperson's story! Call for other stories on your pages



Twibbon







Banners







#4 – RAISE FUNDS

- If you have a chapter event planned, make the most of it!
- Raise funds workplace or school or encourage others to do so!
- Create a personal fundraising page

RESOURCES:

- Online tip sheet with easy fundraising ideas
- Stickers
- Personal Fundraising Pages for you to run with / personalize in minutes!





RAISE FUNDS!



Let's Make it Stop. during Crohn's and Colitis Awareness Month

Here at AnyCrop. we want to show our dedication to the community and our employees. We are aware that Crohn's and Colitis touches many of our employees so we've decided to raise money in support of Crohn's and Colitis Canada.

We will be matching every dollar that comes in through these pages and hope that we will double the goal of \$2,000!

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DONATE NOW



DISCUSSION: YOUR IDEAS!

HOW CAN YOU MAKE THE MOST OF CROHN'S & COLITIS AWARENESS MONTH IN YOUR

COMMUNITY??



GET GUTSY FOR AWARENESS MONTH * * CONTEST * *

- Community volunteer team that does the most to make it stop in awareness month
- Judging based on success in spreading the word, raising funds, and creativity/innovation

WINS A GUTSY GUY COSTUME!!!!



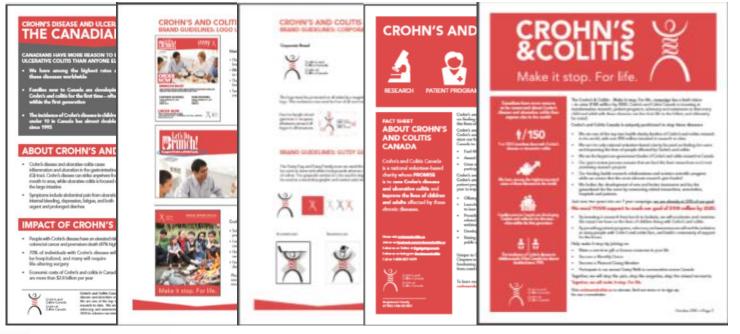
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WHY IT MATTERS



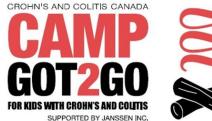
Be informed and know the facts

BE CONSISTENT in words & looks



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At An Education Event Near You!









WHY IT MATTERS

The Importance of Personal Stories





"Before Camp Got2Go, I had never met anyone else my age with Crohn's. It was a place where everyone understood me and it made me less afraid."

> Seraphina, 13 Cargi Got2Go Campar



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3 Tips for sharing your story with Crohn's or colitis

- 1. Tell highlights of your journey (ex. diagnosis, family impact, where you are now)
- 2. What was/is your biggest challenge?
- 3. What are your sources of help & hope? Weave in Crohn's and Colitis Canada

TIP: Use make it stop. For life. language



C. SHARING OUR STORY – SHARING YOUR STORY

Know your audience!

- IQ vs. EQ Know the right balance
- Know your facts & Share the emotive story

IDEAS:

- Local patient stories tent cards / posters
- Researcher stories
- National program stories Camp Got2Go video



I'VE LEARNED THAT PEOPLE WILL FORGET WHAT YOU SAID **PEOPLE WILL FORGET** WHAT YOU DID **BUT PEOPLE WILL** NEVER FORGET **HOW YOU MADE THEM FEEL**





WHAT ARE THE MOST POWERFUL STORIES THAT CROHN'S AND COLITIS CANADA HAS TO TELL?

WHAT DO WE NEED TO MAKE MORE NOISE ABOUT TO BUILD OUR BRAND?



Questions?





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