

PROPIONIC ACIDEMIA FOUNDATION FY 2007-2008 ANNUAL REPORT

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PROPIONIC ACIDEMIA FOUNDATION

MISSION: The Propionic Acidemia Foundation is dedicated to finding improved treatments and a cure for Propionic Acidemia by funding research and providing information and support to families and medical professionals.

VISION: To create a future where Propionic Acidemia can be prevented and any affected individual can be cured and live a productive life.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Revenue:

Contributions	\$92,269
Interest Income	\$ 2,102
Total revenue	\$94,371

Expenses:

Research Grants /Exp.	\$82,404
Programs & Outreach	\$ 3,605
Fundraising	\$ 233
Operational Expenses	\$ 1,196
Total Expenses	\$87,438

Cash Assets 8/01/08	\$66,872
Cash Assets 7/31/07	\$59,939

BOARD OF DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

Jill Chertow Franks, President
Brittany Smith, Secretary, Treasurer
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Michael Rosenson

Board disclosure: Jill Chertow Franks is the sister-in-law of Michael Rosenson.
Donations made by board members totaled \$2801.

PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

RESEARCH: 16 samples from affected individuals and 23 from carriers have been submitted to the DNA Repository at Coriell Institute for Medical Research in Camden, NJ.

Grant Disbursements:

\$30,000 - Jan P. Kraus, Ph.D., University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center (UCDHSC) Denver, CO: "Crystallization and structure determination of human propionyl-CoA carboxylase"

\$40,000 - Jan P. Kraus, Ph.D., UCDHSC Denver, CO: "Genotype -phenotype correlations in PA"

\$12,500 - Dr. Michael Barry, Ph.D., Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN: "Gene Therapy for Propionyl CoA Carboxylase Deficiency"

OUTREACH:

Conferences: PAF attended and exhibited at 2 conferences, Society for Inherited Metabolic Disorders and Genetic Metabolic Dietitians International, at which we were able to network with metabolic doctors, dietitians and researchers and share information about PAF.

PA Family Day: This year's event was held at the beautiful Harding Home in Lexington, Kentucky. We were thrilled to have over 55 people in attendance including 12 families affected by PA from Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio and Washington