

CORE PURPOSE

To empower those impacted by hydrocephalus and/or spina bifida to experience the best life possible.

VISION

To establish an environment that protects, supports and enhances the lives of those living with, or at risk of developing, these conditions.

MISSION

We are leading the efforts to:

- increase awareness
- prevent hydrocephalus and spina bifida
- facilitate early, accurate diagnosis and access to safe, effective and appropriate treatments
- support efforts to discover new treatments and optimize outcomes
- develop education resources and support tools for patients, caregivers and healthcare professionals
- establish supportive communities that encourage inclusive, proactive conversations and activities
- fund meaningful, impactful research

VALUES

We believe everyone affected by hydrocephalus and/or spina bifida:

- has the right to our attention, compassion and commitment
- has value and deserves to be treated with dignity
- requires access to timely, safe and effective care
- benefits from, and offers benefit to, collaborative communities
- has the responsibility to help others understand what it means to live with the conditions

POSITION

We initiate, facilitate and collaborate on awareness, education, support and research initiatives to help those impacted by hydrocephalus and/or spina bifida thrive.

POSITION STATEMENT

We are the voice of Canadians living with hydrocephalus and spina bifida.

Bridging Awareness, Research & Innovation
With Advocacy, Education & Support