

The Michael-Ryan Pattison Foundation

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OUR MISSION

To increase the level of awareness and support for those living with paralysis while enabling access to a range of specialized therapies focused on improving their overall quality of life.

VISION, PURPOSE & GOAL

Our immediate goal is to help as many people living with paralysis as possible through our equipment program which is designed to get necessary rehabilitation equipment in these individuals' homes. The Foundation was organized to establish a world renowned, state-of-the-art, specialized restorative therapy center in King County where those with spinal cord injuries and paralysis have access to the best therapies – specialized equipment, exercise techniques and palliative treatment. As well as:

- Inspiring hope & providing opportunities for those living with paralysis to achieve a better quality of life.
- Raise awareness through education of the therapeutic needs of individuals with spinal cord injuries and paralysis.
- Aid in the ongoing administration and operation of the therapy center.
- Establish Foundation funding for other charitable, scientific, and educational purposes related to spinal cord injury, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.



HISTORY

In 2005, Michael-Ryan Pattison (MR), a 20 year old student at Washington State University, was involved in a diving accident that left him a quadriplegic. After dealing with multiple surgeries, months and months of grueling stages of rehabilitation, and enduring the emotional struggles, MR began to realize there was a shortfall in the support system available for people with paralysis. In 2006, with the support of their friends and colleagues, MR and his parents established the Michael-Ryan Pattison Foundation (MRPF), with the core purpose to advocate for access to care that would recover the greatest degree of functional independence and highest quality of life possible – inspiring potential.

In 2009, the MRPF developed a 5-year strategic plan to address the fact that throughout the Northwest there are minimal outpatient facilities providing therapy for specialized spinal cord injury care in the chronic setting beyond the self-paid. The rapid growth in the acute medical system has outstripped the availability of long-term therapy outpatient centers along with access to specialized rehabilitation.

WHAT WE'VE DONE

Since incorporating the Foundation in 2006, we have continued to refine and expand the structure and activities of the organization in order to meet our primary focus – raising funds to open the first free standing, comprehensive rehabilitation Continuum of Care facility, to bring an extensive therapy program that provides chronic neuro-rehabilitation to the northwest.

To date, the foundation has raised over \$2.1 million. Our largest source of unrestricted funding event is our annual auction and dinner held for the past 10 years. This exciting event is held in autumn and gathers civic & business leaders and hundreds of community members for an evening of silent and live auctions as well as a chance to mix and mingle with the Foundation's supporters over delectable hors d'oeuvres, cocktails and a delicious dinner.

With the generous donations received, the Foundation has been able to contribute to the support of rehabilitation, education and research to the following organizations: Determind2Heal, Spinal Cord Association of Washington, Sunshine Physically Challenged Foundation, Pushing Boundaries, Kennedy Krieger Institute, International Spinal Cord Injury Center at Kennedy Krieger Institute and Next Steps Northwest Inc.

In 2014 we started a new equipment program to get essential rehabilitation equipment in the homes of qualified individuals. Since our auction in October of 2014 we have donated 7 standing frames (\$35,000) to qualified individuals. While this is a great accomplishment and has tremendously improved the lives of these individuals, we would like to do more. **Our goal for 2015 is to donate 15 standing frames (\$75,000)** to qualified individuals. In order to do this we need your help in making this the most successful event so far.

Join us by supporting our "A Cure is Coming" Dinner and Auction. Your donation is tax-deductible and will go towards a great cause striving to improve the lives of those living with paralysis.



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October 15, 2015- Meydenbauer Center, Bellevue WA

11th Annual

"A Cure Is Coming"

Dinner &
Auction

Sponsorship Opportunities

- PLATINUM Sponsorship- \$10,000**
 - Two tables of 10 at the Dinner & Auction
 - Name recognition as Platinum sponsor on all event materials*
 - Signage at Dinner & Auction
 - Prominent positioning and display on red carpet photo backdrop
 - Complimentary parking for all guests
 - Full front page & centerfold ads in event program
 - Table Signage at Dinner & Auction
 - On screen recognition during Dinner & Auction
 - Recognition and link on website forever

- GOLD Sponsorship- \$5,000**
 - One table of 10 at the Dinner & Auction
 - Signage at Dinner & Auction
 - Display on red carpet photo backdrop
 - Complimentary parking for all guests
 - Name recognition as sponsor in event program
 - On screen recognition during Dinner & Auction
 - Half page ad in the event program
 - Table signage at Dinner & Auction
 - Recognition and link on website for 3 years

- SILVER Sponsorship- \$2,500**
 - One table of 10 at Dinner & Auction
 - Display on red carpet photo backdrop
 - Complimentary parking for all guests
 - Name recognition as sponsor in event program
 - Half page ad in the event program
 - Table signage at Dinner & Auction
 - Recognition and link on website for 1 year

- TABLE Sponsorship- \$1,500**
 - One table of 10 at Dinner & Auction
 - Complimentary parking for all guests
 - Name recognition as sponsor in event program
 - Table signage at Dinner & Auction
 - Recognition on website for 1 year

- BENEFACTOR Package- \$500**
 - Two tickets to the Dinner & Auction
 - Complimentary Parking
 - Recognition as sponsor in event program

Advertising Rates

- Centerfold left full-page 7 ½" h x 4 ½" w \$1,000
- Centerfold right full-page 7 ½" h x 4 ½" w \$1,000
- Inside Front Page 7 ½" h x 4 ½" w \$1,000
- Full-Page Ad (Back) 7 ½" h x 4 ½" w \$500
- Half-Page Ad (Back) 3 ½" h x 4 ½" w \$250
- Business Card Ad (Back) 1 ¾" h x 4" w \$150

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| Business/Group |
| Contact Name & Title |
| Address |
| City, State, Zip |
| Phone |
| Email |
| Amount Due: \$ _____ |
| Please return this form with your check made out to the Michael-Ryan Pattison Foundation, 15600 NE 8 th St, Ste B1 #532, Bellevue, WA 98008. The Michael-Ryan Pattison Foundation also accepts Visa and Mastercard. |
| Cardholder Name _____ |
| Card Number _____ Exp. _____ |
| Signature _____ Sec. Code _____ |

*To receive recognition on the all event materials sponsorship must be confirmed by June 1, 2015; must be confirmed by July 15 for inclusion on invitation.

Questions? Please contact Jeff Gilchrist at 425-466-3030 or email him at Jeff@acureiscoming.org

Thank you for your support!