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The CP Family Newsletter is Back (and we missed you!)

At CPFN we are committed to our community, and the community has spoken. It's been a long time in the making, but we're starting up our newsletter again and we're thrilled! We've got lots of great things coming your way including inspirational stories, informational articles, helpful guides, and more.

We also want to hear from YOU! If you have a story you'd like to share, a question you'd like answered, or an idea for an article you'd like to read, make sure to email us at <u>Lee@cpfamilynetwork.org</u>.

Know somebody who should join the CPFN community? Invite a friend to join our mailing list and 'like' us on Facebook!

FEATURE STORY

Summer Sun Safety Tips

Keep It Fun, Keep It Safe! With COVID-19 making summer plans uncertain, two things that are certain are outdoor activities and plenty of time in the sun! Check out our suggestions and recommendations on protecting your child from the risks of summer heat and have a safe, enjoyable season.





COMMUNITY

Heroes Helping Heroes

HEROES with different abilities are working behind the scenes in support of healthcare and front line workers in the fight against this world-wide pandemic. Check out these inspiring stories of the positive impact their contributions are making in their communities and around the world!

MEET THE HEROES



LEGAL

Medical Malpractice and Preventable Cerebral Palsy

Estimates are that 20% of cerebral palsy cases are caused by a lack of oxygen during the birthing process. Many of these cases are caused by medical negligence or malpractice, and hospitals probably will not inform parents that their child's cerebral palsy was caused by medical error.

LEARN MORE



JUNE CP HERO

Say Hi to Tony

Meet #CPHero, Tony, who recently survived COVID-19. Tony has lissencephaly and cerebral palsy, and doctors said he wouldn't live past age 2, but he's now 26 and thriving. When he contracted the coronavirus, doctors again warned he may not make it, but he's been beating the odds his entire life and wasn't going to stop now!

SHARE YOUR CP HERO



Got a Story Idea?

Some of our most popular blogs and articles have come straight from the CPFN community. Travel tips, new therapies, inspiring people... whatever you want to see on our pages. After all, this is your newsletter!

TELL US WHAT YOU WANT TO READ



"There are only two ways to live your life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as though everything is a miracle." —Albert Einstein

We love celebrating amazing kids and helpers in the CP community, so if you want to see your child or loved one featured on our page and newsletter, we want to hear from you! Send us a photo, a short bio, and tell us why they're your CP Hero.

SHARE YOUR HERO



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