



STATE *of* MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation (CDG) are serious, life-threatening, and rare diseases; and
- WHEREAS: Overall, 1 in every 20,000 births are impacted by the most common form of CDG, though there are more than 100 less-common forms; and
- WHEREAS: Patients and family members suffer the consequences of living with CDG, including disability and even death; and
- WHEREAS: CDG remains frequently misdiagnosed, undiagnosed, and undertreated due to the lack of awareness of these disorders; and
- WHEREAS: Many CDG patients experience difficulties in accessing specialized services and proper support; and
- WHEREAS: Early diagnosis of CDG is important for several reasons, including the timely management of clinical problems, access to genetic counseling, and opportunities for available treatment; and
- WHEREAS: Public awareness of this health issue is imperative, and more must be done to increase awareness at local, state, and national levels.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, May 16, 2018, as:

CONGENITAL DISORDERS OF
GLYCOSYLATION AWARENESS DAY

in the State of Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 11th day of May.


GOVERNOR





SECRETARY OF STATE