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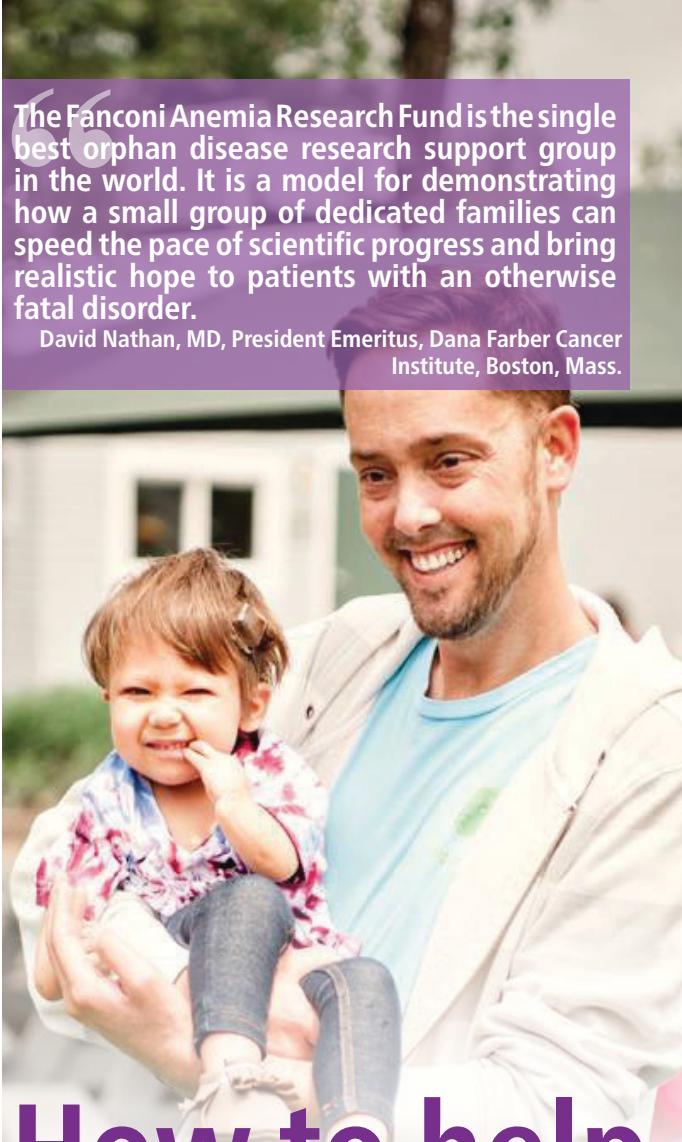
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Send to:

Fanconi Anemia Research Fund  
1801 Willamette Street, Suite 200  
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To donate online, visit [www.fanconi.org](http://www.fanconi.org)



The Fanconi Anemia Research Fund is the single best orphan disease research support group in the world. It is a model for demonstrating how a small group of dedicated families can speed the pace of scientific progress and bring realistic hope to patients with an otherwise fatal disorder.

David Nathan, MD, President Emeritus, Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, Mass.

## How to help

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# FANCONI ANEMIA RESEARCH FUND

Advancing Research. Supporting Families.



\$20 million  
in research  
grants  
awarded



\$35 million  
raised

## Our impact Since 1989

219 grants  
awarded  
to 110  
investigators  
worldwide



1,280 people  
with FA  
registered  
with FARF

## What is Fanconi anemia?

An inherited  
disease that can  
lead to bone marrow  
failure, leukemia,  
and cancer

Caused by one  
of 21 genes  
and considered  
primarily a blood  
disease, FA may  
affect all systems  
of the body

It is a complex  
and chronic  
disorder that is  
psychologically  
demanding

FA is a cancer-  
prone disease, with  
various cancers  
affecting people with  
FA decades earlier  
than the general  
population



## What is FARF?

Our mission is to find effective  
treatments and a cure for Fanconi  
anemia and to provide education and  
support services to affected families  
worldwide.

The Fanconi Anemia Research Fund  
(FARF) was started in 1989 by David and  
Lynn Frohnmayer to facilitate advances  
in FA research.

Together, the FA community -  
people with FA, families and  
friends, clinicians, researchers,  
donors, and staff - is making a  
difference!



## What do we do?

It's right in the name: we fund research!  
More than 70% of our expenses go  
toward research grants and scientific  
meetings, like our Scientific  
Symposium every year.

We also provide family  
support services, like our  
annual Family Meeting  
at Camp Sunshine, our  
Meeting for Adults  
with FA, and of course,  
vital publications  
and educational  
materials.

The tireless efforts of the Fanconi Anemia Research Fund have demonstrated that a rare genetic disorder can provide a vital key to understanding the basic biological process of cancer itself. The importance of these efforts to the advancement of medical science cannot be overstated.

Lee Hartwall, PhD, President and Director Emeritus, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, Seattle, Wash. Winner, 2001 Nobel Prize