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Discuss merger

Michelle Slape, 2/2/2021

About LuMind IDSC Foundation

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LuMind and IDSC merged in 2019, bringing the research and the community together in one strong organization and creating a symbiotic relationship of the research and community informing each other.

 \mbox{myDSC} is a natural extension of this merger where we can bring the community and the research onto one platform.

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A free, online library of trusted resources and useful tools for people with Down syndrome and their families that can be personalized to the member's interests

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MS17 This is a very general overview of the benefits. The following slides will go into more detail about the benefits. Michelle Slape, 1/25/2021







Ask Dr. Brian Chicoine

- Exclusive benefit for myDSC members
- Dr. Brian Chicoine, Advocate Medical Group Adult Down Syndrome Center
- Accessibility to Dr. Chicoine's expertise



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Down Syndrome Clinic to You (DSC2U) created by Dr. Brian Skotko from the MGH Down Syndrome Program

A personalized care plan for individuals with Down syndrome that can be shared with their primary care provider

- myDSC members receive a \$12 savings when they join myDSC + DSC2U
- OR We can help you offer free or discounted DSC2U access to your families















Join DSC

• myDSC = Free membership
• myDSC + DSC2U = \$37 (\$12 off DSC2U)

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Big Picture

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Why talk about research?





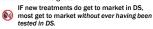
Why isn't there a drug for AD? Why don't they invent something?

They can't do anything without trial participation, without YOU, without the greater US.

Without participation in clinical trials \rightarrow







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Big Picture



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Ultimately, people want to make a difference.



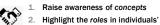
LuMind IDSC is dedicated to creating a patient-centric approach, facilitating an avenue for the DS community to impact research.

Increase the potency of collaborations in DS between academia, Industry, and individuals and caregivers with DS.

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Benefits as we raise awareness of clinical research:



3. Increase consideration of a trial when presented



Benefits by bringing the community into early conversations

An opportunity for the community to have a voice! offer individual DS perspective,

influence clinical trial protocol development Recent collaboration with Eli Lilly – Caregiver surveys and focus



Benefit to your families: Resource for your constituents



