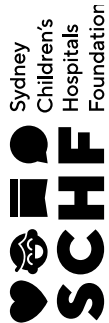


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Did You Know?



Brain Tumours are the primary form of solid tumours among children and young adults. Tragically Brain Cancer kills more children than any other disease in Australia and has accounted for the largest number of cancer deaths among children under 15 years in Australia at a massive 42% of all childhood cancer deaths.

(Australian Childhood Cancer Registry, 2020)



Each year an average of 2000 people are diagnosed with brain cancer in Australia. Sadly, six people are diagnosed every day and four will die, that means one person will die every six hours and could be a precious child.



The five-year survival rate for brain cancer has increased from 21.2% in 1986, to only 22.3% today. Whilst other cancer survival rates are sitting at 90% and above.

(Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2021. Cancer data in Australia. Cat. no. CAN 122. Canberra: AIHW.)



Treatment is challenging because it affects our most vital organ. Surgical removal of tumours is often inaccessible or would cause too much damage to surrounding tissue.



There are no risk factors or lifestyle changes, that we know of. This makes screening for the disease unrealistic, at present.



An estimated \$50 billion is needed over the next 30 to 50 years to research the causes and outcomes of brain tumours and perhaps find a cure for brain cancer.



We'd love you to join our team!

We invite you to take action, give hope and create change. Your generous contribution will help to spread awareness of paediatric brain tumours and support Dainere's Rainbow Brain Tumour Research Fund.

One hundred percent of all funds raised go directly towards the research of children's brain tumours at The Sydney Children's Hospitals Kid's Cancer Centre.

To join Team Dainere's Rainbow and become a regular giver, please fully complete the form overleaf, carefully cut and glue and kindly mail postage free to The Sydney Children's Hospitals Foundation.



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"My little voice could only make a small difference, but together, many voices could create change."

Dainere

(Dainere Anthoney 1998-2013)



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Dainere's Story

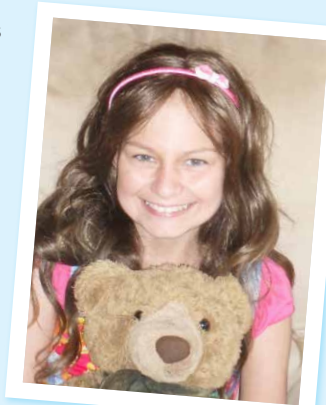
Dainere Monique Anthoney was diagnosed with High Risk Medulloblastoma in March 2009. She fought courageously, enduring a 10-hour surgery, high dose radiation and chemotherapy treatments with autologous stem cell transplants.

Following her diagnosis, Dainere worked passionately and tirelessly to raise awareness and funds for paediatric brain tumour research. It was her greatest wish that no children in the future would have to suffer as she did. Dainere hoped that one day a cure for this horrendous disease would be found.

At age 12, when Dainere was granted a Starlight Foundation wish, she requested that her book and personal account of her courageous battle, *You Have To Go Through A Storm To Get To A Rainbow*, be published. Soon after, Dainere published her second book, *Theodore and Friends: Theodore is Left Out*. All proceeds from the sale of both books went directly to fund paediatric brain tumour research.

In February 2012, Dainere suffered an inoperable and incurable recurrence of the disease in her spine and began palliative care. Tragically at 7.25pm on 24th June 2013, at 15 years of age, Dainere's life was stolen by the horrific disease.

Dainere was posthumously named as *The Young Canberra Citizen of the Year 2013* with her sibling Jarrett Anthoney in recognition for her leadership, courage and determination to raise awareness of paediatric brain tumours in the community.



Help Create Change

Become a regular giver today and make amazing things happen every day!

Your monthly gift will work hard all year round, helping to invest in brilliant people, high-tech equipment, world-class care and life-changing research.

\$25 Supplements to keep brain cancer cells growing in the test tube

\$50 Cost of imaging tumour growth for 10 laboratory brain tumour models

\$100 Evaluate effect of new drugs for their ability to kill brain tumour cells

\$500 Will buy an Electric Stadiometer

Chemotherapy dosing in children is dependent on body surface area. This requires accurate calculation of the height of the child. An electric Stadiometer can be brought to a sick patient's bedside and used to assess height.

\$1,000 Contribution to high cost cancer drugs

Many oncology drugs are very high cost and almost no chemotherapy drugs are marketed for use in paediatric patients meaning the PBS or government pharmaceutical schemes do not cover the cost of drugs and this falls to families and community fundraising.



About Us

The Dainere's Rainbow Brain Tumour Research Fund was established in February 2014 with the objective to take action, give hope and create a change for children diagnosed with paediatric brain tumours.

In conjunction with The Sydney Children's Hospitals Foundation and the research of the devoted Associate Professor David Ziegler, we are working towards improving the outcomes for all children diagnosed with brain tumours.

Ziegler's team is investigating the basic biology and genetics of childhood brain tumours in the laboratory. Their work aims to identify agents that induce a profound anti-tumour effect. They are currently working towards the implementation of novel treatment strategies in state-of-the-art clinical trials.



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Yes, I would like to join Team Dainere's Rainbow and improve the lives of ill children.

Please debit my credit card each month. I want to make a regular monthly gift of:

☐ \$25 per month ☐ \$50 per month ☐ \$100 per month ☐ My choice of \$_____ per month

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