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Research: Gene Silencing, Advancing pre-symptomatic treatments for HD, Reversing the effects of HD by developing promising new medicines

Family Services: Identify and fill gaps to reach the maximum number of families who need help; Reach families in rural and remote communities, Enhance our youth network so they can connect, learn and support each other; Establish protection for all Canadians regarding the use of personal DNA information. Click [here](#) to read more.

Risk beyond the risk?

Genetic testing may provide pertinent information but result in employment discrimination and difficulties obtaining life and health insurance, says the Canadian Coalition for Genetic Fairness.

19-year-old Bailee Richardson has a 50/50 chance of carrying the BRCA1 gene that led Angelina Jolie to have a double mastectomy to reduce her risk of cancer. Click [here](#) to read more.



Canadians lack protection against genetic discrimination

The Honourable James S. Cowan moved the second reading of Bill S-218 in the senate at the end of April. This is the most comprehensive non-discrimination Bill to date. Canada is the only G8 country that does not protect genetic information of its citizens. Call your Senator to show support for Bill S-218. Find who your Senator is [here](#). You can view Bill S-218 [here](#).



IN THE NEWS!

New Stampede breakfast, The Barn Party

The Calgary Sun - June 8/13
The Barn Party serves up aid for a trio of Calgary charities including HSC by taking a Stampede breakfast to the next level. Check out the story [here](#).

Country versus City

The Daily Herald Tribune - June 4/13
Last year Peace Country Chapter of HSC raised \$80,000 at their trail ride and Toronto Chapter raise \$78,000 at their run. This year they are going head-to-head to see who can raise the most. Read the full article [here](#).

P.E.I. premier signs proclamation marking May as Huntington Disease Awareness Month

The Guardian - May 28/13
On May 1, 2013, P.E.I. Premier Robert Ghiz signed a proclamation officially declaring May as Huntington Disease Awareness Month on Prince Edward Island. Read more [here](#).



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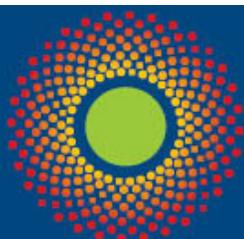
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