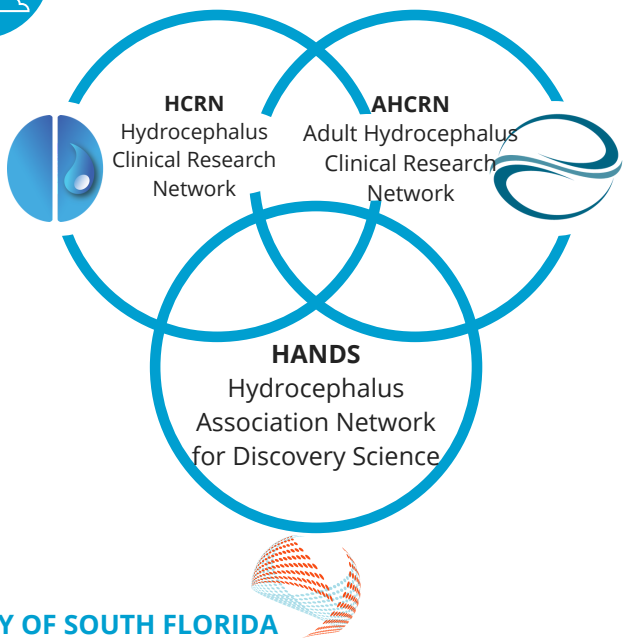
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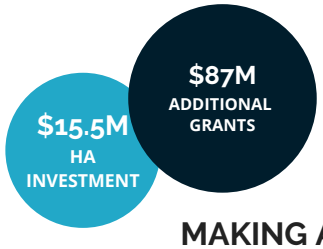
HYDROCEPHALUS IN **FLORIDA**

HYDROCEPHALUS IS A CHRONIC NEUROLOGICAL CONDITION THAT HAS NO CURE. ANYONE AT ANY TIME CAN DEVELOP HYDROCEPHALUS, FROM INFANTS TO SENIORS. THE ONLY TREATMENT REQUIRES BRAIN SURGERY.

TOGETHER TOWARDS A CURE



UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA
2021-2026 NIH NINDS Grant **$14,000,000**
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MAKING AN IMPACT

The Big Picture

2 Clinical Research Networks

1 Basic & Translational Research Network

2 Biobanks

1 Hydrocephalus Patient-Powered Registry

36% Decrease in Shunt Infection Rates

12 Preclinical Drug Therapies in testing

2 New Patent for a Drug Target

1 FDA Investigational New Drug Application

WALKS TO END HYDROCEPHALUS

South Florida GOLF & Celebrate
Jacaranda Golf Club, August 31, 2024
hydroassoc.org/southflwalk

St. Petersburg/Tampa Bay
Evla Rouse Park, Oct 26, 2024
hydroassoc.org/stpetewalk





COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUPS

South Florida Community Network | Central Florida Community Network | Miami Community Network
State-wide Online Facebook Group
One-on-one Peer Support Volunteers