

Dravet Syndrome in Adults



Adults living with Dravet syndrome (DS) have complex medical needs and require comprehensive care.

MEDICAL NEEDS

- A correct diagnosis, at any age
- Knowledgeable adult neurologists who understand the complexities of care for older patients
- Pediatric-to-Adult Transition Clinics
- Comprehensive care for co-morbidities

GET INVOLVED

- Visit www.dravetfoundation.org/adults for information
- Sign up to receive notification of future educational events and collaborative opportunities
- Join our **Find a Doctor** locator on the DSF website if you are currently seeing DS patients

“Dravet syndrome is a disease that dramatically and permanently impacts patients, and their families, at every stage of life. As patients age, there is an even greater need for medical and community supports and resources to ensure a safe and meaningful quality of life for patients and those who care for them.” - Barbara, mother to Jake, age 23 with DS

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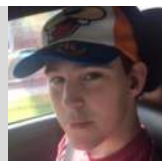
Top Reasons Adults with Dravet Syndrome Need Appropriate Care Management



80% of children with Dravet syndrome survive to adulthood

92%

of adult patients still experience frequent seizures



1/3

of patients were not correctly diagnosed until adulthood

Top Caregiver Concerns of Adult Patients

Cognitive Disabilities

Decreased Mobility

Seizures

GI Issues

Sleep Issues

Behavioral Challenges

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Source: Caregivers of Adults with DS, DSF 2018

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