

## awareness + impact for people with Down syndrome

**Funding Futures Chicago** is an annual fundraiser dedicated to funding cognitive research aimed at improving, learning, memory, speech and ultimately independence for people with Down syndrome. We do this by raising money for the LuMind Foundation which uses these funds to stimulate biomedical research at preeminent institutions including the Stanford School of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, and Emory University.

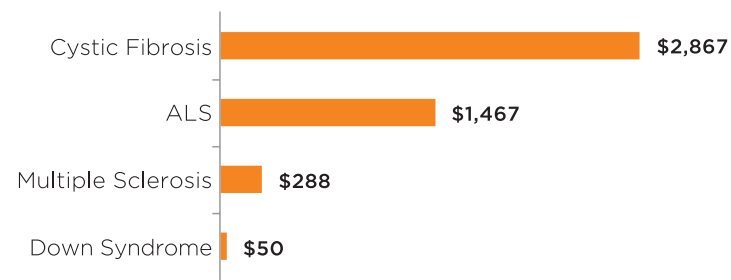
### 7th Annual Funding Futures Chicago

**Saturday, January 19, 2019, 7:00 pm at FitzGerald's** (just south of Oak Park)  
 Fabulous food, Goose Island craft beers, wine, spirits, live music, silent auction

#### Together we can make a real impact

- A **15% improvement in IQ for most people with Down syndrome** can mean the difference between living an independent life – or not.
- Researchers at leading universities are demonstrating that **with advances in genetic research a 15% IQ improvement is within reach.**
- Yet, **Down syndrome research is dramatically under-funded by the NIH,** making private support critically important.

#### NIH RESEARCH DOLLARS PER DIAGNOSED PERSON



Please **join us at the event** and **become a sponsor** (see next page for details)!

“We are on the verge of a revolution.”

**DR. ROGER REEVES**  
 JOHNS HOPKINS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE



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## Sponsorship Opportunities

BENEFIT	PRESENTING \$10,000	PLATINUM \$5,000	GOLD \$2,500	SILVER \$1,000	BRONZE \$500
Headline sponsor for <i>Big Dates 2019</i> featured annually in Crain's Chicago Business newspaper	●				
Company listed in LuMind national email sent to over 10,000 households	●	●			
Logo placement on event program cover and custom support recognition video	●	●	●		
VIP event tickets	8 tickets	6 tickets	4 tickets	2 tickets	
Logo placement on program and website	●	●	●	●	●
<b>Luminaries: "A person who inspires; a body that gives light"</b> . Honor someone with Down syndrome and/or who has impacted the Down syndrome community	6 luminaries	4 luminaries	2 luminaries	1 luminary	

- Band Sponsor** | \$2,000 (includes 2 event tickets)
  **Food Sponsor** | \$1,500 (includes 2 event tickets)
  **Coat Check Sponsor** | \$750

We sincerely appreciate your support!

Your contribution is tax deductible through LuMind Foundation - EIN#37-1483975.

## Company Sponsorship Agreement

SPONSORING ENTITY

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

CONTACT NAME

CONTACT PHONE

We request that each Sponsor provides the following no later than December 15, 2018:

- Entity name (as you would like it listed)
- High-resolution electronic file of entity logo (for website and printing)
- Sponsorship check payable to: LuMind Foundation (Tax ID #37-1483975)
- Luminary name, photo, age, and brief caption of how he/she inspires

Please send this form and all materials to:

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