



## **WINNING WITH WYATT JOINS ADVISORY COUNCIL OF CHILDREN'S BRAIN TUMOR TISSUE CONSORTIUM**

CHICAGO, June 18, 2019 – Winning With Wyatt announced that it has joined the Children's Brain Tumor Tissue Consortium (CBTTC) Advisory Council. The Advisory Council is a collaborative group of childhood brain tumor foundations with a shared goal to advise, advocate and provide financial resources for research and information sharing around the world to discover cures.

“Brain tumors are the leading cause of cancer-related death in children, yet research for pediatric brain tumor research is drastically underfunded,” said Dan Hare, a co-founder of Winning With Wyatt. “We are pleased to join other foundations in supporting the researchers’ mission to find better treatments and cures.”

Beyond its involvement with CBTTC, Winning With Wyatt independently advocates and fundraises with proceeds benefiting the Brain Tumor Research Program at Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital in Chicago and other leading research institutions.

### **About Winning With Wyatt**

Winning With Wyatt supports pediatric brain tumor research at leading institutions to find a cure for the disease that is the leading cause of cancer deaths in children. The foundation is also dedicated to building awareness of the impact brain tumors have on children and advocating for more advanced treatment. To date, the foundation has donated more than \$325,000 for brain tumor research and is part of the Advisory Council for The Children Brain Tumor Tissue Consortium (CBTTC), a collaborative childhood brain tumor research program. Winning With Wyatt was established after a child, family and community experienced the impact of pediatric brain tumors in multiple children, including Wyatt. For more information about Winning With Wyatt, visit [winningwithwyatt.org](http://winningwithwyatt.org).

### **About the Children's Brain Tumor Tissue Consortium**

The Children's Brain Tumor Tissue Consortium (CBTTC) is a collaborative, multi-institutional research program dedicated to the study and treatment of childhood brain tumors. The CBTTC supports the research of new prognostic biomarkers and therapies for children with pediatric brain tumors. As part of this research effort, the CBTTC has developed a network of informatics and data applications which allow researchers from across the world to work together to discover cures. “Innovation through collaboration” is made possible by the CBTTC’s state-of-the-art biorepository as well as expertise of leaders in the field of biomedicine. For more information about CBTTC or how to request data access, visit [cbttc.org](http://cbttc.org) or email [research@cbttc.org](mailto:research@cbttc.org).

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