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SUPPORTING DIPG RESEARCH AND PATIENTS

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2025 ANNUAL FUNDRAISING GALA FOR DIPG*

SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION

* Diffuse Intrinsic Pontine Glioma (DIPG) - A deadly pediatric brain tumor, terminal upon diagnosis.

MITHIL & DIPG



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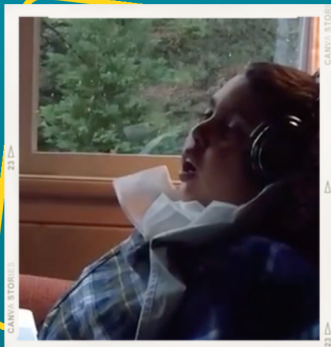
Mithil was a bright, joyful eleven-year-old when his world and our world were forever changed by a diagnosis of Diffuse Intrinsic Pontine Glioma (DIPG) in August 2015.

DIPG is the deadliest childhood brain tumor, with a prognosis that has tragically remained unchanged for more than 60 years.



Each year, about 400 children in the U.S. and 10,000 worldwide are diagnosed with DIPG and most will not live to celebrate their next birthday.

In the U.S. alone, more than one child dies every day from this inoperable brain tumor; this is not a 'rare' disease, but one that is tragically rarely talked about.



In just months, DIPG robs children of their ability to walk, talk, and eat- while leaving them fully aware, trapped in their own bodies. All too soon, it takes their lives.

Mithil passed away in November 2016, just one month shy of his 13th birthday.

IMPACT REPORT



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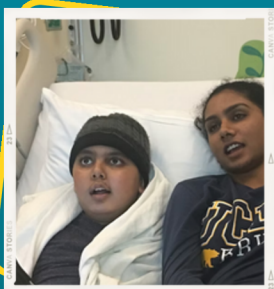
To date, we have raised over \$800,000 towards DIPG research and patient support.

Notable Updates from 2024 and 2025:



- MPF was an early believer and funder of PNOC-022, which generated pivotal data leading to the FDA approval of ONC201: the first-ever drug approved for H3K27M-mutant DMG/DIPG.
- We also supported DMG-ACT, a global adaptive trial platform accelerating therapies for DIPG/DMG.
- We have also funded innovative projects using AI to improve drug delivery, digital pathology to uncover biomarkers, next-generation CAR-T therapies to strengthen immunotherapy, and genetic mapping to tackle therapy-resistant tumors.

For details on all the research projects our foundation has supported visit mithilprasadfoundation.org/research-support



- Partnered with the Butterfly Fund, providing urgent financial relief to families with expenses like rent, utilities, travel, housing, meals, and funerals.
- Funded My DIPG Navigator, offering free, one-on-one nursing guidance for DIPG/DMG families.
- Funded National DIPG/DMG Brain Tumor Board, helping families access expert second opinions and trial options at no cost.
- Contributed to DIPG-OneLink, a comprehensive digital hub connecting families to trusted resources and support networks.

For details on all the patient resources visit mithilprasadfoundation.org/resources



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MESSAGE FROM MITHIL'S MOM

After Mithil's passing, his words "You have to help kids like me" became my guiding light. They continue to drive everything I do through the Mithil Prasad Foundation (MPF).

This past year has been one of both progress and urgency. I am proud that MPF played a role in the FDA approval of ONC201, the first-ever drug approved for H3K27M-mutant diffuse midline glioma (including DIPG). As one of the early funders of the PNOC-022 trial and expanded access programs, we helped generate real-world data that was instrumental in securing this historic approval. It is proof that when families and communities rally together, breakthroughs can happen.

On the advocacy front, I am grateful to share that our advocacy helped pass California Assembly Bill 703 (AB 703), which creates a sustainable Pediatric Cancer Research Voluntary Contribution Fund. I also serve on the subcommittee shaping California's Comprehensive Cancer Control Plan for 2026–2035, ensuring that childhood cancer has a permanent and prioritized place in the state's roadmap for the future.

While these achievements inspire hope, they also come at a time of deep concern. Federal funding for childhood cancer is facing severe cuts, with clinical trial infrastructure and grants at serious risk. Families cannot afford to wait. That is why your support is more important than ever. Every dollar raised throughout the year and at our annual gala helps sustain research, advance treatments, and support families when other systems fall short.

This year's gala will take place on December 7th at the Corinthian Grand Ballroom in downtown San Jose, where we are expecting 250 believers in attendance. Our goal is to raise \$200,000+ for DIPG research and patient care in 2025. This gala is a chance to gather in hope, celebrate progress, and recommit ourselves to a future where no child has to endure what Mithil did.

Your support and sponsorship has the power to continue the progress we have made to see breakthroughs sooner and save precious lives.

With deepest gratitude,

SARVA CHANNARAJURS

Mithil's Mom, President & Co-Founder

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"Amma (mom), Appa (dad) you have to do more for kids like me"

-Mithil while he was going through DIPG



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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

	\$25,000 Premier Supporter	\$10,000 Elite Supporter	\$5,000 Prominent Supporter	\$2,500 Community Supporter	\$1,000 Gala Supporter
Representative from your company/family recognized on-stage at the gala	X	X			
Name and/or logo incorporated on all event placement on social media	X	X	X	X	X
Name and/or logo placement on website gala page	X	X	X	X	X
Name and/or logo included in rolling video presentation at the gala	X	X	X	X	X
Independent sponsor's table at reception	X	X	X		
Shared sponsor's table at reception				X	X
Complementary tickets to the gala	20 Seats	10 Seats	6 Seats	4 Seats	2 Seats

SPONSORSHIP FORM



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Please indicate your preferred sponsorship level & information below.

You may mail the completed form to events@mithilprasadfoundation.org. We will follow up with next steps.

Thank you for your generosity and making a difference!

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MODE OF PAYMENT

- ☐ Check (preferred) Mail it to - Mithil Prasad Foundation, 3085 Lismore Ct, San Jose, CA 95135
- ☐ Online at <https://paypal.com/us/fundraiser/charity/3110403>