



Pediatric Heart Transplant Society  
**NEWSLETTER**

SEPTEMBER 2018

## MESSAGE FROM THE DCC

The votes are in and the PHTS membership has selected its new logo. Thank you to everyone that participated in submitting their logo ideas. The selected logo was designed by Dr. William “Jeff” Dreyer of Texas Children’s Hospital. We have a busy upcoming third quarter so keep an eye out in your emails for more information about all the events below.

- On October 11, we will host the third annual Hearts After Dark event in Birmingham, Alabama.
- During the month of October, centers will be able to vote for a new Vice Chair of the PHTS Foundation who will progress to the role of Chair in November 2020.
- The next Quality Assurance report including events through June 2018 will be available in December.
- One abstract was accepted as a Poster Presentation at the upcoming AHA meeting in Chicago, Illinois where we will also hold our annual fall meeting.
- Don’t forget those third quarter forms! As today closes out the end of the third quarter, all forms for events that occurred in June, July, or August are due by October 31.
- Lastly, we hope to see all of you at the PHTS Annual Fall Meeting on Sunday, November 11. The meeting will be held at and sponsored by Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children’s Hospital of Chicago.

## KEY DATES

### September 2018

- Annual Meeting Registration opens

### September 14, 2018

- Proposal Submission Opens

### October 15, 2018

- Proposal Submission closes

### October 31, 2018

- Third Quarter Forms Due

### October 31, 2018

- Annual Meeting Registration closes

### November 11, 2018

- Annual Membership Meeting



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**REGISTRATION NOW OPEN**

PHTS Annual Fall Meeting  
**Sunday, November 11, 2018**

**Location**  
Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children’s Hospital of Chicago  
Chicago, IL  
7:30pm

**Host Sponsor**



## Upcoming Membership Meetings



Orlando, FL  
April 3, 2019  
25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala

Philadelphia, PA  
November 17, 2019  
AHA 2019



## Recent Publications

### ♥ Ventricular Assist Device Support as a Bridge to Pediatric Heart Transplantation: A Quarter Century of Evolution

Anne I Dipchand, Richard Kirk, David C Naftel, Elizabeth Pruitt, Elizabeth D. Blume, Robert Morrow, David Rosenthal, Scott Auerbach, Marc E. Richmond, James K. Kirklin for the Pediatric Heart Transplant Study Investigators. Journal of the American College of Cardiology. 2018 July, 72 (4) 402-415

## AHA 2018 Accepted Abstracts

### ♥ Educational and Learning Morbidity in Pediatric Heart Transplant Recipients: A Pediatric Heart Transplant Society Study – Poster Presentation

Micah S Brosbe, Lydia Wright, Elizabeth Pruitt, William J Dreyer, Sonya Kirmani, Margaret Knight, Stephanie Nakano, Steven J Kindel, Thomas D Ryan, James K Kirklin, Shriprasad R Deshpande

- **Session:** Congenital Heart Disease Outcomes
- **When:** Saturday, November 10, 2018 (11:30-12:45)
- **Location:** Science and Technology Hall, South Bldg, Halls A1 & A2, Level 3, Zone 3, Science and Technology Hall

## Fall Call for Proposals

Interested in submitting a research proposal? On the PHTS website, you can find a complete list of abstracts and publications that have been recently presented or published. For reference, you can also find the current data collection forms to help guide your proposal. Members interested in submitting proposals are encouraged to submit a feasibility request through the PHTS website. Feasibility requests can be completed through the link below:

<http://www.uab.edu/medicine/phts/research/request-form-data>

**September 14 - October 15**  
Call for proposals opens

**October/November**  
Proposals reviewed by  
Scientific Committee

**December**  
Submitting authors will be  
notified of decision

# Coordinator's Corner

## Web Based Data Entry System (WBDE) and Data Submission

### Version 1.1.7 (Coming Soon)

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There are a number of changes included in the next release of the web based data entry system.

#### The biggest changes included are:

1. The Screening Log and Demographics form will now be combined into one form. The new form will be called 'Patient Enrollment Form'. Once a patient is added through the Patient Enrollment Form, the system will automatically generate a listing form or relisting form for the patient.
2. A grid displaying which blood types are compatible and which are not will be displayed above the donor and recipient blood type questions and the listing and transplant ABO incompatible questions. *(We will begin data clean up on inconsistencies between blood types and whether the transplant was ABO incompatible or not once this release goes live.)*
3. Patient summaries will have 'Expand' and 'Collapse' buttons at the top of the summary to expand or collapse the whole summary. Individual years will also be able to be expanded or collapsed.

### Upcoming Releases

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- Listing and transplant reconciliation tracking within WBDE application
- Data download
- Clinical Summary Report
- Site Analytics and Cohort Comparisons

### Web Based Data Entry System Training

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 Have questions about the web based data entry system? A number of training guides are now available on the PHTS website (<http://www.uab.edu/medicine/phts/forms-and-manuals/training-guides>).

### Form Submission Deadlines

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Event Occurrence	Months	Absolute Submission Deadline
1st Quarter	January February March	April 30th
2nd Quarter	April May June	July 31st
<b>3rd Quarter</b>	<b>July August September</b>	<b>October 31st</b>
4th Quarter	October November December	January 31st



Pediatric Heart Transplant Society Foundation

## Hearts after Dark

The Pediatric Heart Transplant Society Foundations is gearing up for their 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Hearts after Dark benefit event, taking place October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at Vulcan Park & Museum in Birmingham, Alabama.

Please consider supporting this event by donating an item for our live auction or by making a monetary donation.

To learn more about Hearts after Dark or to make a donation, please visit: [www.phtsfoundation.org](http://www.phtsfoundation.org)



## HEARTS AFTER DARK

benefiting  PHTS FOUNDATION  
Pediatric Heart Transplant Society

Thursday, October 11, 2018  
From 6 to 9 pm  
Vulcan Park & Museum

*tickets & tables available at*  
[www.phtsfoundation.org](http://www.phtsfoundation.org)



## PHTS 25th Anniversary Gala

CELEBRATE

**25 Years of PHTS**

SAVE THE DATE

*Wednesday, April 3, 2019*

Howl At The Moon  
Orlando, Florida

Mark your calendars NOW for the PHTS 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala!

We are so excited to announce that Loma Linda Children's Health has come on as an event sponsor for the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala!

Sponsorship opportunities are available! Please see Gala Sponsorship Packet, attached this email, for more information!



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# PHTS Foundation Patient Guidebooks

Less than 100 printed guidebooks remaining. Guidebooks are \$10/book. Click the button below to order:

  
  
***Pediatric Heart Transplant:  
A Guide for Patients and Families***  
**Now Available!**  
**Order Here**

## PHTS Foundation Fundraising

**Remember the PHTS Foundation when you shop online!**

Amazon Smile is the same great Amazon you know and love – same products, same Amazon Prime benefits, and same convenience. But when you shop through Amazon Smile, your shopping can also help children who needs a heart transplant as Amazon will donate a % of your total to the PHTS Foundation!



1. Click this link: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-4436351>
2. Sign in using your Amazon account
3. You shop, and Amazon gives!

This year, we have a goal to raise \$30,000! Help support our fundraising efforts by making a tax-deductible donation today! There are many ways to support PHTS – make a one-time donation using a credit card or PayPal, sign up to be a monthly donor, make a Tribute donation in honor of someone special, or send a check to the mailing address below. Your financial support, at any amount, is appreciated and is important to improving the outcomes for children who need a heart transplant.

### Donate online

Click the 'donate' button below to make a one-time donation via PayPal



### Donate by Check

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Birmingham, AL 35255