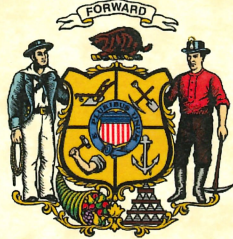


STATE *of* WISCONSIN



OFFICE *of the* GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; 4p- syndrome is a genetic disorder, with Wolf-Hirschhorn as the main syndrome; and

WHEREAS; children with 4p- syndrome are usually born with low birth weight, develop slowly compared to their same-age peers, both cognitively and physically, and experience medical complications; and

WHEREAS; dedicated professionals across our country are working to develop research that explores new therapies and diagnostic tools, and to offer hope to persons with 4p- syndrome; and

WHEREAS; the United States National Library of Medicine estimates the prevalence of Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome is one in 50,000 births, though it is possible some individuals living with the condition remain undiagnosed; and

WHEREAS; this 4P/Wolf-Hirschhorn Syndrome Awareness Day, the State of Wisconsin joins patients and advocates across our state in raising awareness about this condition so as to encourage research into understanding the syndrome, to advocate for effective diagnostic screenings, to support the development of improved therapies for early intervention and other necessary and critical treatments, and to recognize and applaud the valuable role families and advocates play in helping our medical community to advance the knowledge and awareness of this syndrome;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim April 16, 2020, as

4P/WOLF-HIRSCHHORN SYNDROME AWARENESS DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to
all of our state's residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and caused the Great
Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed.
Done at the Capitol in the city of Madison this
30th day of March 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tony Evers".

TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

the Governor

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Doug La Follette".
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State