

WHEREAS; according to the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, corticobasal degeneration is a progressive neurological disorder characterized by nerve cell loss and atrophy of multiple areas of the brain, including the cerebral cortex and the basal ganglia; and

WHEREAS; symptoms of corticobasal degeneration include poor coordination, akinesia, rigidity, imbalance, limb dystonia, and alien limb syndrome, as well as cognitive and visual impairments, apraxia, challenges with speech, muscular jerks, and difficulty swallowing; and

WHEREAS; there are currently no known treatments to slow the progression of corticobasal degeneration, and the symptoms of the disease are often therapy-resistant; and

WHEREAS; raising awareness of corticobasal degeneration can result in earlier diagnoses, improved medical treatments, increased research, and more widespread access to quality healthcare for affected individuals; and

WHEREAS; this month, the state of Wisconsin joins affected individuals, families, and dedicated advocates and organizations across our state and country in raising awareness of corticobasal degeneration and embracing hope that advancements in research and medicine will soon lead to improved treatments and a cure;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim Month June 2022 as

## **CORTICOBASAL DEGENERATION AWARENESS MONTH**

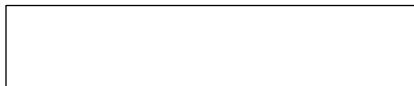
throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance  
to all our state's residents.

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 10 day of June 2022.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State