



At Work in Indiana

NMDP is a leader in cell therapy, helping to find cures and save lives for patients with blood cancers, disorders and beyond. We're expanding access so that every patient can receive their life-saving cell therapy. Here's what our work looks like in your state:

2023 State Impact



317 searching patients

from 2019-23



498 transplants

from 2019-23



246 donors

answered the call from 2019-23



98,190 residents

willing to donate

Your support helps push the boundaries of what's possible.

From the moment a patient is diagnosed, we're there every step of the way. We create more opportunities for better outcomes. One way we do this is by providing patient assistance grants to help families cover out-of-pocket expenses related to transplant.

Since these grants became available, **141 patients in Indiana** have received financial assistance totaling **\$333,885 to help more patients** go through the transplant process. Of these patients, **12% were children.**

NMDP Network Partners in Indiana

TRANSPLANT CENTER

- Indiana Blood & Marrow Transplantation, Franciscan Health
- IU Health Blood and Bone Marrow Stem Cell Transplant and Immune Cell Therapy Program

APHERESIS CENTER

- IU Health Simon Cancer Center
- Franciscan Health Indianapolis

COLLECTION CENTER

- Franciscan Health Indianapolis



2023 National Impact

- Since 1987, NMDP has facilitated more than **125,000 transplants**. In 2023, NMDP **impacted 7,435 lives** through cell therapy.
- Today, patients have access to more than **41 million** potential donors worldwide.
- In 2023, NMDP provided **\$5.5 million** in patient assistance grants to more than **2,600 families**.

World-Class Partner

With the help of blood cell and marrow donors from the world's most diverse registry and our extensive network of transplant partners, physicians and caregivers, we're expanding access to treatment so every patient can receive their life-saving cell therapy. We strive to deliver the best experiences and services as the essential partner in cell therapy and remove the barriers to equitable access at all our locations.

4 Domestic Donor Centers

59 Domestic Collection Centers

73 Domestic Apheresis Centers

156 Domestic Transplant Centers

48 International Cooperative Registries

NMDP is a global leader in cell therapy.

- **Entrusted by Congress for 35+ years:** Since the inception of the C.W. Bill Young Cell Transplantation Program (the national registry), Congress has authorized NMDP to oversee the program.
- **NMDP finds cures and saves lives.** NMDP manages the most diverse listing of potential donors in the world (the national registry).
- **We treat and cure over 75 diseases** through cell therapy.
- **Accelerating Progress:** Underscoring NMDP's commitment to expanding access to cell therapy, we recently published findings showing that using expanded matching criteria could result in a nearly three-fold increase in the likelihood of securing a suitable donor. This breakthrough dramatically increases the chances of finding a match on the national registry, offering cell transplantation as a viable, life-saving therapy, regardless of ancestry.



Michael
Recipient, Indiana

For Michael, blood disease and blood cancer have been a part of his life since 1995. Diagnosed with myelodysplastic syndrome (MDS), Michael was given only a 20 percent chance of survival if his MDS developed into acute myeloid leukemia (AML), a rapidly progressing cancer of the blood and bone marrow.

Regular treatments kept Michael's blood disease at bay until 2003 when his condition caused him to develop AML. Fortunately, innovative research advanced the science of bone marrow transplant since the time of his diagnosis. These advancements allowed Michael to receive his life-saving bone marrow transplant at Indiana University in 2004.

"A treatment change made transplant possible for me," said Michael. "I took a chance, and it has worked out well."

Fast forward to 2023 – Michael celebrated 19 years post-transplant, during which he witnessed his first grandchild get married and the birth of his great-grandson. Today, Michael serves as an NMDP Peer Connect volunteer and shares his experience with patients just starting their own cell therapy journeys.

Reflecting on his journey, he says, "All these things would not have been possible without the help of NMDP and my donor. I will be eternally grateful for the tremendous gift from my donor and others who give of themselves."

"After having been told at the time of my diagnosis that I probably had about 18 months to live, every day became very precious."