

2012 Conference on Holoprosencephaly July 22 - 25, 2012 Concord, NC



'Share the HOPE' at the 4th Bi-Annual Families for HOPE Conference on Holoprosencephaly Sunday, July 22 through Wednesday, July 25 in Concord, North Carolina.

The conference is for families of persons who are affected by HPE, their extended families and care-givers. We also welcome those who have loved and lost someone affected by HPE.

The three days of conference sessions will provide you with information you need to help you better deal with the day-to-day life issues you and your family face when caring for or missing a child with HPE.

Your family will benefit in so many ways! You will:

- Learn you are NOT alone.
- Share personal connections with others who understand.
- Meet others to exchange ideas, support and advice.
- Learn from stimulating round-table discussions, hands-on therapy time, and physician led sessions.
- Gain knowledge of helpful products and resources.
- Participate in research studies to advance understanding of HPE.
- Make and renew friendships with other families affected by HPE.
- Have a great time together as a family with other families who truly understand what it is like to love a child with HPE!



About Concord, NC

Concord, NC is the heart of Motorsports country. The hotel where our attendees will be staying is just minutes from Charlotte Motor Speedway. Many NASCAR teams have their race team shops in Cabarrus County, most of which are open to the public for tours.

The hotel is also just a mile away from one of North Carolina's biggest tourist draws, the Concord Mills Outlet Mall. If you enjoy shopping, restaurants or entertainment, you can find something fun to do here!

Concord is less than a 20 minute drive from Charlotte, NC, home of the NASCAR Hall of Fame, the Mint Museum, Discovery Place Children's Museum and more.

We encourage you to stay a few extra days to see what the area has to offer.

Crossroads Church

The majority of the conference activities will be held at nearby



Crossroads United Methodist Church. The church is about an 8 minute drive from the hotel. Please note on your registration form if you will need transportation to and from the church. We plan to have a shuttle available for those who do not have personal vehicles.