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Welcoming Children and Teens to iConquerMS – Seeking your input!

iConquerMS (www.iConquerMS.org) is a virtual research community for people affected by MS, created and maintained by the nonprofit Accelerated Cure Project. Members of iConquerMS register on the iConquerMS.org website and participate in a variety of activities to shape and support research.

iConquerMS currently has over 7,500 members worldwide, all of whom are adults 21 years of age or older. We are in the process of expanding the initiative to include children and adolescents.
as well as their parents and guardians as iConquerMS members. This project is being guided by a multi-stakeholder steering committee that includes adolescents with MS, parents of children with MS, advocacy groups, healthcare providers, and researchers.

When finished, iConquerMS membership will be opened up to younger people with MS and their parents/guardians. We will also seek to partner with pediatric MS researchers to support their work, and will look for ways to support pediatric MS healthcare providers and their needs for information and resources.

We are looking for feedback from those who were diagnosed with MS as a child or teen, their parents and guardians, healthcare providers and researchers as we design and implement support for pediatric MS within iConquerMS. Those interested in sharing their perspectives can complete the appropriate surveys below (each should take about 10 minutes to complete):

At the end of the survey children and teens, their parents and guardians be invited to go to another form where you can provide your contact information if you'd like to be sent a $5 gift code for completing the survey and/or be kept informed about iConquerMS.
Thank you, in advance, for sharing your insights and helping us to make the iConquerMS initiative inclusive of this very important age group!