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Supporting those affected by VHL, BHD and HLRCC



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Our mission

VHL UK/Ireland aims to raise funds via fundraising and donations for **research**, provide **information and support** for those affected and **raise awareness**.

Our milestones

- **Autumn 2012 –** previous charity closes down
- **March 2013 –** VHL UK/Ireland re-opened
- **March 2014** - the charity has a balance of £135
- **May 2014** – Re-launch: new website, social media pages and group, pin badges & merchandise introduced
- **September 2014** – Masquerade Ball raises £3,000





Our milestones

- **March 2015 –** Kathryn Samuel raises £5,000
- **March 2015** – registered charity status gained, enrol full charity board and trustees
- **May 2015 –** VHL Awareness Month
- **May 2015 –** Claire Hobson climbs Ben Nevis, raises £10,000
- **July 2015 –** Glitz and Glamour Ball
- **November 2015 –** featured in Waitrose





Today

- Target of **£30,000** raised broken!
- Funding for research
- Contact cards and information packs to every genetic centre for patients
- Handbooks for patients
- Support groups & opportunities to connect with other patients



Fundraising













Our fundraisers





























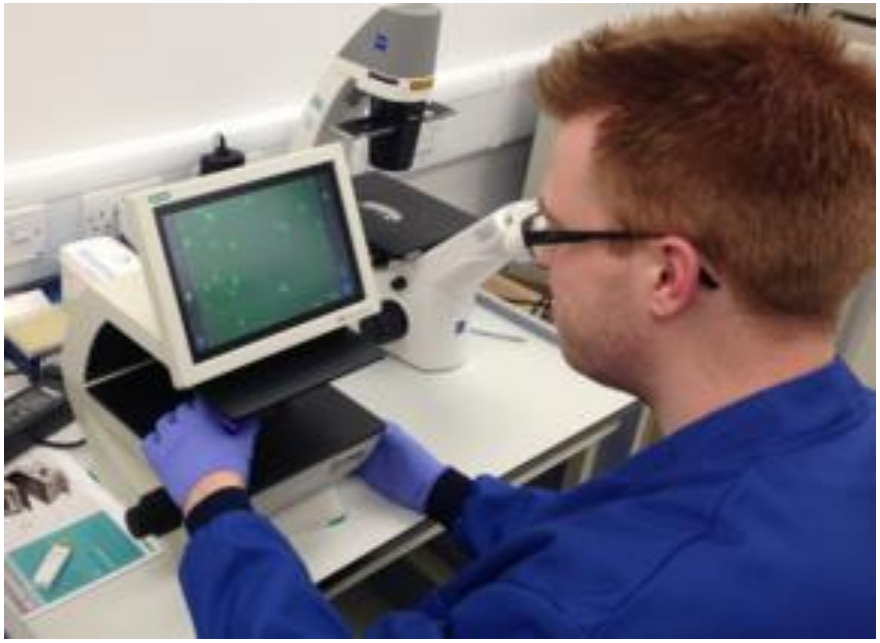




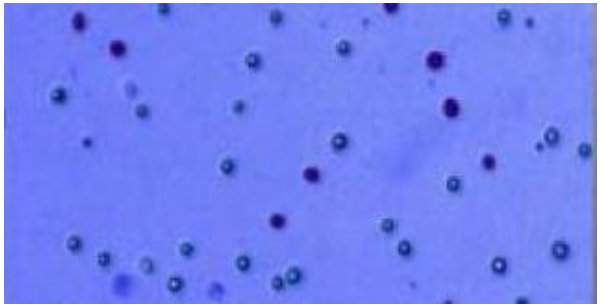
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Research

- Donated to Eammon Maher's research team at Addenbrooke's:
  - Biorad Zoe Fluorescent imager
  - L20001 Luna FL Automated Florescence Cell Counter



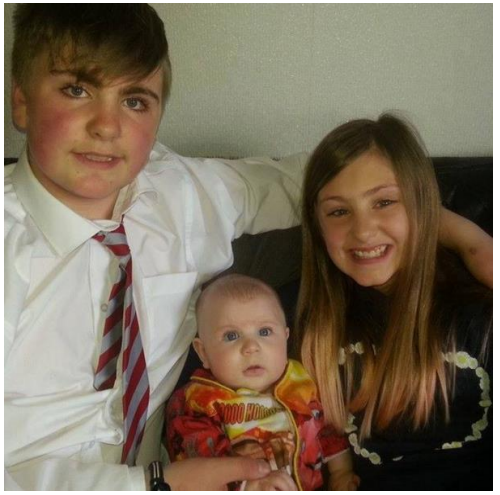




The future – our mission

- Support **groups**, throughout UK
- Support **research**
- Raise **awareness** locally, within UK and beyond
- Provide **support** for patients, families and newly diagnosed patients
- Encourage **fundraising**
- Keep **growing**!





Join us

- Join our Facebook group ‘VHL UK/Ireland’
- Help with Support Groups in your local area
- Local events – from balls to bake sales
- Pin badges, collection buckets and pots available
- VHL UK/Ireland Blog – share your story
- **Share your ideas & feedback for the charity**

