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TCS NEW YORK CITY MARATHON

Meet our amazing 2022 NYC Marathon PA runners. For more about their stories, check their fundraising pages.



Cody Hicks, New York, USA. "This will be my 10th marathon milestone. I'm raising money to help fund research to find a cure for Propionic Acidemia. My friend and team leader Marisa's son Gabriel has this rare serious genetic disorder. Please support my fundraising efforts for the 2022 TCS New York City Marathon Fundraising."

<https://fundraisers.hakuapp.com/fundraisers/ca12ec11df6aa6a6a3ab>

Caroline J Biega, Vancouver, CANADA. "Why PAF? I met Aubrey Delima and her husband in May 2019. At this time, I learned that they had two daughters born with this rare, inherited metabolic disorder. Left undiagnosed and treated, it is often fatal. One daughter, Lauren, passed away in 2010 at the age of 9. Their other daughter, Jenna, is stable and now 23. I am aware of the challenges and obstacles necessary to overcome and successfully complete the 42.2 Km/26.2 Miles. These challenges are nothing in comparison to the challenges and obstacles families with members affected by PA deal with on a day-to-day basis for life. "

<https://fundraisers.hakuapp.com/fundraisers/cf2f063c009dbec45ed7>



Evelyn Baert, New York, USA. "I am running this race for my mother's nephew, Juanito, who lives in Ecuador and has PA. His father, Sebastian, asked me if I would run on their behalf and I could not be more honored to run this race for them and for all the families who are battling PA."

<https://fundraisers.hakuapp.com/fundraisers/d91e4015ec4d9c48d467>

Aubrey Delima, Vancouver, CANADA. "Our daughters, Jenna and Lauren were born with Propionic Acidemia. Lauren passed away at the age of 9 (in 2010) due to complications of this disease. By the grace of God, Jenna is stable and is now 23 years old! I will run the New York City Marathon on Nov. 6, 2022, with a small group fundraising for the Propionic Acidemia Foundation (PAF). We are the PA-runners! Please, help us by making a small donation for this very worthy cause. The money raised will go towards funding research and improved treatment of those living with this metabolic disorder."

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/aubrey-runs-ny-marathon-for-paf>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8WWWEwhfAOg>





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Deborah Slipetz, New York, USA. "This year I will be running the 51st Edition of the New York City Marathon, raising funds in support of the Propionic Acidemia Foundation (PAF). Running for PAF is really close to my heart, as this disease affects Gabriel, son of my colleague Juan Carlos Lopez and his wife, Marisa Cotrina. We're closer than ever to a cure for PA, and your generous support will make it possible to find it and help kids like Gabriel. Thank you very much!"

<https://fundraisers.hakuapp.com/fundraisers/beffb108c940a5eab39e>



John Moss, St Louis-Missouri, USA. "I am running to raise money for the PAF. There are many reasons to support PAF such as funding research for a cure, formulas, treatments and helping get the registry going. When our twins Grant and Sebastian were born with PA, we were fortunate to be in a hospital with a university geneticist and insurance coverage. But as they started to crash, even their doctors had very little information about what they had, just a lot of scrambling to try and save them. So, I feel raising money for PAF is helping every parent that has a child with PA to get the information they need and desperately want."

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/john-moss-tcs-2022-marathon>

Joseph Suarez, Vancouver, CANADA. "My nieces, Jenna and Lauren, were diagnosed with Propionic Acidemia. My family and I have witnessed the devastating and bold truths that accompany this disease. In order to raise awareness, I will be running the New York Marathon on Nov 6, 2022, with my cousin Aubrey (Mother of Jenna and Lauren) and a small group fighting for the same goal and fundraising for the Propionic Acidemia Foundation (PAF).

We hope to continue with the intention of increasing education and helping those living with this metabolic disorder now and in the future."

<https://gofund.me/af2c2dc5>

Wesley Scott, Vancouver, CANADA. "My good friend Aubrey Delima's daughters, Jenna and Lauren, were both diagnosed with Propionic Acidemia. I will be running in the New York Marathon on Nov 6, 2022 with my good friend Aubrey fundraising for the Propionic Acidemia Foundation (PAF).

Please help us achieve our goal and make a mark in helping improve the lives of those living with Propionic Acidemia and their families."

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/raising-awareness-for-propionic-acidemia>



Owen Staiger, New York, USA. "Your contribution means a lot to me as a runner but also to the Propionic Acidemia families and everyone in the Propionic Acidemia community!"

<https://fundraisers.hakuapp.com/fundraisers/34aee9d9c8781ac3d160>

