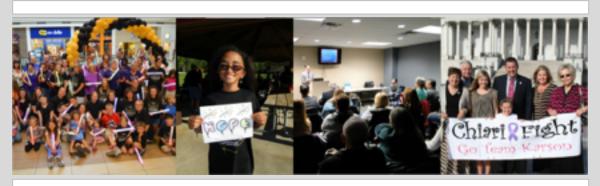
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CSF and Brown University will offer CME credits to medical professionals that attend an educational event on June 25, 2016!

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AWARENESS

September 19, 2015 - Nick & Mackenzie Spencer, CSF Chapter Coordinator Cathy Poznik and Program Assistant Kaitlyn Esposito led the charge up Capitol Hill for our annual **unite@thehill** event. Dr. Fraser Henderson, Executive Committee Member, inspired the group with a recap of the important work of the Scientific, Education and Advisory Board and research initiatives of CSF.

Check out Dr. Henderson's lecture here.

RESEARCH

September 25, 2015 - The **CSF International Patient**Registry committee met to work on Common Data Elements (CDE),
Common Data Instruments (CDI) and Clinical Research Forms (CRF).
These standardized elements are the building blocks for research work and CSF is leading the charge to completely change and improve the way research is done! The National Library of Medicine,
The National Institute of Health and the National Institute of
Neurological Disorders and Stroke will be posting these for consensus. This means that all organizations, medical institutions, physicians and scientists will be able to review and make comments on these elements before they are accepted. Once accepted, the way scientists research Chiari and related disorders will be infinitely more accurate, precise and helpful!

EDUCATION

September 26, 2015 - CSF hosts the annual **Research Colloquium** in New Orleans! Over 30 physicians participated in the educational day of lectures. The Topic: Mechanisms and Pathophysiology of Headache in the Population of Patients with Chiari Malformation and Hypermobility Connective Tissue Disorders.

To read the abstracts click **here**.