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***The RYR-1 Foundation Announces Live-Streaming of
the 2018 RYR-1 International Family Conference***



Group photo from the 2016 RYR-1 International Family Conference

July 5, 2018 - The RYR-1 Foundation, the only organization in the world that exists exclusively to serve the needs of and advocate for individuals with RYR-1 muscle diseases, is excited to announce that it will be **live-streaming** the upcoming 2nd RYR-1 International Family Conference. This conference will feature many world-renowned experts in RYR-1-related diseases, and through live-streaming, the RYR-1 Foundation hopes that these speakers can

reach a much larger, world-wide audience. For more information on the Conference and to register, please click [here](#).

"We are pleased to be able to live-stream many of this year's conference seminars through Facebook, allowing us to bring the conference to any affected individuals, family members, and medical professionals around the world who are unable to attend," said Jason Kaminsky, videographer of this year's conference and President of Kaminsky Productions.

To access the live-streaming, please go to: www.facebook.com/ryr1foundation beginning at 8:00 am EST on Saturday, July 14, 2018.

"For many people, attending our Family Conference is not possible--whether it's due to physical disability, financial limitations, or geographic considerations," said Jennifer Ryan, Trustee of the RYR-1 Foundation and Conference Committee Chair. "Because of this, we are very excited to offer the live streaming capability and, hopefully, provide a service to as many people as possible."

RYR-1-related diseases include, central core disease (CCD), centronuclear myopathy (CNM), multiminicore disease (MMD), malignant hyperthermia susceptibility (MHS), congenital fiber-type disproportion (CFTD), and other forms of muscle disease.

About the RYR-1 Foundation

The Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania-based 501(c)(3) public charity was launched in October 2014 by members of the Goldberg family, who have been affected by RYR-1 muscle disease. It is currently the only organization that exists solely to advocate for and serve the needs of patients with RYR-1 myopathy, the most common cause of congenital myopathy. The mission of the RYR-1 Foundation is to support research leading to effective treatment or a cure for RYR-1 related diseases, to educate physicians about these diseases, and to provide patient/family support and advocacy. To learn more about the RYR-1 Foundation, please go to: www.RYR1.org.