

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PROCLAMATION CONGENITAL DISORDERS OF GLYCOSYLATION AWARENESS DAY MAY 16, 2024

WHEREAS, Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation (CDGs) are a group of rare metabolic disorders that affect normal organ development and the neurological system, leaving children, adolescents and adults impaired with significant physical and developmental disability; and

WHEREAS, CDGs are severely under-diagnosed and misdiagnosed with only approximately 1,800 cases diagnosed with CDG globally, and only approximately 350 cases currently reported in the United States; and

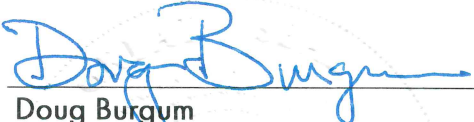
WHEREAS, lack of public awareness and visibility of CDGs contribute to under-diagnosis and difficulties in accessing specialized services and proper rehabilitation and support; and

WHEREAS, early diagnosis of CDGs is important to ensure timely management of clinical complications, genetic counseling and, when available, treatment and therapeutic remedies; and

WHEREAS, the goal is to raise awareness and increase the accurate and timely diagnosis of this rare group of inherited metabolic disorders known as CDGs.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim
May 16, 2024, CONGENITAL DISORDERS OF GLYCOSYLATION
AWARENESS DAY in the State of North Dakota.




Doug Burgum
GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 
Michael Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE