10 Years of uncommon progress

1. PERSONALIZED PATIENT SERVICES
- "Chordoma.org" requests over 750 support requests since 2015.
- "Request Help" designed to help individuals affected by chordoma navigate medical, emotional, and practical challenges.

2. STRONG CONSENSUS GUIDELINES
- "Consensus Guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of chordoma"
- Published in The Lancet Oncology by a group of 40 doctors specializing in chordoma care.

3. NO WAY FOR PATIENTS TO FIND EXPERIENCED DOCTORS
- "158 doctors in 20 countries"
- Research indicates the lack of consensus on how to diagnose and treat chordoma.

4. VIRTUALLY NO DISEASE MODELS
- First genetically engineered mouse model of chordoma.
- No abundant source of tumor tissue from nearly 200 patients.

5. CHORDOMA BIOBANK
- 200 tissue samples housing chordoma.

6. NO WAY TO EFFICIENTLY VET POTENTIAL TREATMENTS
- Only one biopharma company interested in chordoma.
- 12 industry partners investing in chordoma.

7. CHORDOMA CLINICAL TRIALS
- 2 new clinical trials ever with a goal of 7 new clinical trials by 2020.

8. DRUG SCREENING PIPELINE
- Enables fast and cost-efficient evaluation of drugs in preclinical models of chordoma, greatly speeding the process of moving discoveries from lab to clinic.

9. CHORDOMA PATIENT SERVICES
- "Robust set of personalized patient services" developed to help individuals affected by chordoma navigate medical, emotional, and practical challenges.

10. LONELY & BEWILDERING JOURNEY FOR PATIENTS
- "No clinical best practices".
- "Patients frequently misdiagnosed and mistreated due to limited awareness of the disease, and lack of clinical best practices."