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CCI EUROPE MEMBERSHIP DECLARATION

To reach its vision, CCI Europe is working in close collaboration with the medical and psychosocial professionals, academia, scientists, the civil society and private organisations all over Europe.

a. Childhood Cancer International (CCI)

CCI Europe is the European branch of <u>Childhood Cancer International (CCI)</u>, the world's largest childhood cancer patient-support organisation with currently 182 childhood cancer parent organisations in 94 countries on 6 continents (Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America/Caribbean, North America and Oceania), uniting local, regional and national childhood cancer organisations. Therefore, CCI Europe's involvement in projects, initiatives and activities on the European level will always also reflect and impact beyond Europe's borders.

b. Partnership with SIOP Europe

CCI Europe's strong partnership with the <u>European Society for Paediatric Oncology</u> (SIOP Europe) ensures continuous collaboration and links to the scientific community, together driving forward joint conferences, working groups and policy initiatives on the EU level. Amongst others, CCI Europe's patient advocates are active members of several of SIOP Europe's working groups, e. g. the SIOP Europe Palliative Care Working Group and SIOPE Europe Psychosocial Working Group.

c. Relations with other organisations

Besides, Childhood Cancer International - Europe collaborates with and contributes to the work of the following organisations:

- <u>PanCare</u>, Pan-European Network for Care of Survivors after Children and Adolescent Cancer



- <u>ACCELERATE</u> platform
- EURORDIS, Rare Diseases Europe
- <u>ECO</u>, the European Cancer Organisation (member of the <u>Patient Advisory Committee</u> (PAC))
- <u>WECAN</u>, the Workgroup of European Patient Advocacy Networks
- <u>TRANSFORM Alliance</u>, European Alliance for Transformative Therapies (member)

More information can be found on <u>CCI Europe's website</u>.