

Form **990**

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**  
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2014**

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Internal Revenue Service

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**A For the 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable:  <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL SOCIETY</b> Doing business as <b>FSH SOCIETY</b> Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>450 BEDFORD STREET</b> City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code <b>LEXINGTON, MA 02420</b> <b>F</b> Name and address of principal officer: <b>DANIEL P. PEREZ</b> <b>SAME AS C ABOVE</b>	<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>52-1762747</b> <b>E</b> Telephone number <b>(781) 301-6060</b> <b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ <b>2,090,387.</b> <b>H(a)</b> Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>H(b)</b> Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) <b>H(c)</b> Group exemption number ▶
<b>I</b> Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( ) ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		
<b>J</b> Website: ▶ <b>WWW.FSHSOCIETY.ORG</b>		
<b>K</b> Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶		
<b>L</b> Year of formation: <b>1991</b>		<b>M</b> State of legal domicile: <b>DC</b>

**Part I Summary**

<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>1</b> Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>INCREASE AWARENESS, UNDERSTANDING OF AND CONDUCT RESEARCH ON FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL</b> <b>2</b> Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets. <b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) ..... <b>3</b> <b>19</b> <b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) ..... <b>4</b> <b>19</b> <b>5</b> Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2014 (Part V, line 2a) ..... <b>5</b> <b>4</b> <b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) ..... <b>6</b> <b>125</b> <b>7a</b> Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 ..... <b>7a</b> <b>0.</b> <b>7b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 ..... <b>7b</b> <b>0.</b>	
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) ..... <b>1,686,658.</b> <b>Prior Year</b> <b>1,982,674.</b> <b>Current Year</b> <b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) ..... <b>0.</b> <b>0.</b> <b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) ..... <b>27,518.</b> <b>46,663.</b> <b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) ..... <b>-41,429.</b> <b>-82,876.</b> <b>12</b> Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) ..... <b>1,672,747.</b> <b>1,946,461.</b>	
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) ..... <b>661,585.</b> <b>819,261.</b> <b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) ..... <b>0.</b> <b>0.</b> <b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10) ..... <b>380,802.</b> <b>354,577.</b> <b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) ..... <b>0.</b> <b>0.</b> <b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ <b>56,945.</b> <b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) ..... <b>267,358.</b> <b>389,805.</b> <b>18</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) ..... <b>1,309,745.</b> <b>1,563,643.</b> <b>19</b> Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12 ..... <b>363,002.</b> <b>382,818.</b>	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16) ..... <b>2,508,982.</b> <b>Beginning of Current Year</b> <b>3,066,846.</b> <b>End of Year</b> <b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) ..... <b>141,407.</b> <b>322,961.</b> <b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20 ..... <b>2,367,575.</b> <b>2,743,885.</b>	

**Part II Signature Block**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer <b>DANIEL P. PEREZ, PRESIDENT &amp; CEO</b> Type or print name and title	Date _____		
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name <b>MAUREEN L. SULLIVAN, CPA</b>	Preparer's signature _____	Date <b>04/30/15</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed PTIN <b>P00296843</b>
	Firm's name ▶ <b>SMITH, SULLIVAN &amp; BROWN, P.C.</b> Firm's address ▶ <b>80 FLANDERS ROAD - SUITE #200 WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581</b>	Firm's EIN ▶ <b>43-1985162</b> Phone no. (508) <b>871-7178</b>		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)  Yes  No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: TO INCREASE AWARENESS, UNDERSTANDING, AND CONDUCT RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ON THE MUSCULAR DISORDER, FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY (FSHD). FSHD IS THE MOST PREVALENT FORM OF MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY AFFECTING MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [ ] Yes [X] No

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [ ] Yes [X] No

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 963,978. including grants of \$ 819,261. ) (Revenue \$ ) RESEARCH

THE FSH SOCIETY IS A WORLD LEADER IN COMBATING FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ALSO KNOWN AS FSH MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY AND FSHD. THE FSH SOCIETY'S PURPOSE IS TO CONDUCT RESEARCH, INCREASE AWARENESS, UNDERSTANDING AND EDUCATION ON FSHD.

FSHD IS THE MOST COMMON ADULT MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY WITH A PREVALENCE OF 1:8,333 (IT IS THE THIRD MOST COMMON MUSCLE DISEASE BY INCIDENCE). FSHD IS RECOGNIZABLE INITIALLY BY MUSCLE WASTING AND WEAKNESS IN PARTICULAR MUSCLE GROUPS E.G. (FACE - FACIO, SHOULDERS - SCAPULA, AND UPPER ARMS - HUMERUS), AND SUBSEQUENTLY MAY CAUSE ATROPHY AND WASTING

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 206,296. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ ) MEETINGS, SYMPOSIUMS AND WORKSHOPS

THE FSH SOCIETY ORGANIZES MEETINGS, SYMPOSIUMS AND WORKSHOPS. THE SOCIETY'S ANNUAL FSHD INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONSORTIUM SYMPOSIUM FOR RESEARCHERS WORLDWIDE YIELDS IMMEASURABLE GAINS IN OUR UNDERSTANDING OF FSHD. THE 2014, FSH SOCIETY FSHD INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONSORTIUM WAS HELD IN SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA AS AN ANCILLARY MEETING TO THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HUMAN GENETICS AND WAS ATTENDED BY 85 SCIENTISTS, CLINICIANS, RESEARCHERS WORKING ON FSHD AND FSHD PATIENTS. THIS MEETING IS A KEY MEETING FOR THE INTERNATIONAL AND WORLDWIDE RESEARCH COMMUNITY FOR FOCUSING ON ISSUES, COLLABORATING, NETWORKING, AND FOR FILLING IN MISSING GAPS IN THE RESEARCH. CONTINUED AND SIGNIFICANT

4c (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 263,271. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ ) EDUCATION, ADVOCACY AND COMMUNITY ACTION

THROUGH THE FSH SOCIETY STAFF AND ITS WEB SITE PORTAL AT WWW.FSHSOCIETY.ORG, FACEBOOK PAGE, TWITTER ACCOUNT, YAHOO! GROUPS BULLETIN BOARD, E-MAIL LISTSERV (VERTICAL RESPONSE), AND TRIANNUALLY NEWSLETTER THE "FSH WATCH," FSHD PATIENTS HAVE FOUND WAYS TO BE USEFUL TO ONE ANOTHER AND TO BASIC AND CLINICAL RESEARCHERS WORKING ON THEIR DISEASE. THE SUPPORT PATIENTS RECEIVE FROM ONE ANOTHER THROUGH SHARING THEIR COMMON EXPERIENCE IS INVALUABLE AND IMMEASURABLE. THE FSH SOCIETY ACTS AS A CLEARINGHOUSE FOR INFORMATION ON THE FSHD DISORDER AND ON POTENTIAL DRUGS AND DEVICES DESIGNED TO ALLEVIATE THE EFFECTS OF THE DISEASE. IT FOSTERS COMMUNICATION AMONG FSHD PATIENTS, THEIR

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses 1,433,545.

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i> .....	<b>1</b> X	
<b>2</b> Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ? .....	<b>2</b> X	
<b>3</b> Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> .....	<b>3</b>	X
<b>4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i> .....	<b>4</b>	X
<b>5</b> Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> .....	<b>5</b>	X
<b>6</b> Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> .....	<b>6</b>	X
<b>7</b> Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> .....	<b>7</b>	X
<b>8</b> Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> .....	<b>8</b>	X
<b>9</b> Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> .....	<b>9</b>	X
<b>10</b> Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> .....	<b>10</b> X	
<b>11</b> If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
<b>a</b> Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> .....	<b>11a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i> .....	<b>11b</b>	X
<b>c</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i> .....	<b>11c</b>	X
<b>d</b> Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i> .....	<b>11d</b>	X
<b>e</b> Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> .....	<b>11e</b>	X
<b>f</b> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> .....	<b>11f</b> X	
<b>12a</b> Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> .....	<b>12a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> .....	<b>12b</b>	X
<b>13</b> Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i> .....	<b>13</b>	X
<b>14a</b> Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? .....	<b>14a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i> .....	<b>14b</b> X	
<b>15</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i> .....	<b>15</b> X	
<b>16</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i> .....	<b>16</b>	X
<b>17</b> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> .....	<b>17</b>	X
<b>18</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i> .....	<b>18</b> X	
<b>19</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i> .....	<b>19</b>	X
<b>20a</b> Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i> .....	<b>20a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? .....	<b>20b</b>	

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>21</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> .....	X	
<b>22</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> .....		X
<b>23</b> Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> .....		X
<b>24a</b> Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> .....		X
<b>b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? .....		
<b>c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? .....		
<b>d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? .....		
<b>25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>b</b> Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>26</b> Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>27</b> Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> .....		X
<b>28</b> Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
<b>a</b> A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>b</b> A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>c</b> An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> .....		X
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....		X
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> .....		X
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> .....		X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> .....		X
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> .....		X
<b>35a</b> Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? .....		X
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		
<b>36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> .....		X
<b>37</b> Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> .....		X
<b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? .....	X	

**Note.** All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O .....

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

Input box for Schedule O check

Main table with columns for question number, description, and Yes/No checkboxes. Includes rows 1a-14b with various tax-related questions.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year (19); 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent (19); 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? (X); 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? (X); 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? (X); 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? (X); 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders? (X); 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? (X); 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? (X); 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: a The governing body? (X); b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? (X); 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O (X).

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? (X); 10b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? (X); 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 (X); 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? (X); 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done (X); 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? (X); 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? (X); 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision? a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official (X); b Other officers or key employees of the organization (X); If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).; 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? (X); 16b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed MA, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply. [X] Own website [X] Another's website [X] Upon request [ ] Other (explain in Schedule O)
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: DANIEL P. PEREZ - (781) 301-6060 450 BEDFORD STREET, LEXINGTON, MA 02420

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

**1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) WILLIAM R. LEWIS, SR, M.D. CHAIRMAN	10.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(2) HOWARD L. CHABNER, J.D. VICE CHAIRMAN	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(3) BETH E. JOHNSTON, M.B.A. SECRETARY	6.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(4) CHRISTOPHER STENMON, C.P.A. TREASURER	6.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(5) E. ANN BIGGS-WILLIAMS BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(6) CAROL S. BIRNBAUM, M.D. BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) JAMES A. CHIN, SR. VICE CHAIRMAN	8.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(8) AMY Z. BEKIER, M.A. BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(9) DAVID J. GLASS, M.D. BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(10) WILLIAM STEVEN HERZBERG BOARD MEMBER (RET. 5/2014)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) LOUIS M. KUNKEL, PH.D. BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(12) IDA LAURELLO BOARD MEMBER (RET. 12/2014)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(13) WILLIAM R. LEWIS, III, M.D. BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(14) MICHELLE HELEN MACKAY, M.A. BOARD MEMBER	6.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(15) JUDITH SESLOWE, M.A. BOARD MEMBER (RET. 12/2014)	6.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(16) ROBERT F. SMITH, ESQ. BOARD MEMBER	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(17) L. FRANK KOLAKOWSKI, PH.D. BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.

**Part VII** Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) LINDA M. LAURELLO-BAMBERGER, M. BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(19) ELLEN HANNAN BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(20) DANIEL P. PEREZ PRESIDENT & CEO	40.00			X			125,949.	0.	3,876.	
(21) JUNE KINOSHITA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	40.00			X			128,758.	0.	3,407.	
<b>1b Sub-total</b>							254,707.	0.	7,283.	
<b>c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A</b>							0.	0.	0.	
<b>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</b>							254,707.	0.	7,283.	

**2** Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **2**

	Yes	No
<b>3</b> Did the organization list any <b>former</b> officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		X
<b>4</b> For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		X
<b>5</b> Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		X

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
NONE		

**2** Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **0**

**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514	
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1 a</b> Federated campaigns .....	<b>1a</b> 4,701.				
	<b>b</b> Membership dues .....	<b>1b</b>				
	<b>c</b> Fundraising events .....	<b>1c</b> 700,599.				
	<b>d</b> Related organizations .....	<b>1d</b>				
	<b>e</b> Government grants (contributions) .....	<b>1e</b>				
	<b>f</b> All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above .....	<b>1f</b> 1,277,374.				
	<b>g</b> Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$ .....					
	<b>h Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f .....		1,982,674.			
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2 a</b> _____	<b>Business Code</b>				
	<b>b</b> _____					
	<b>c</b> _____					
	<b>d</b> _____					
	<b>e</b> _____					
	<b>f</b> All other program service revenue .....					
	<b>g Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f .....					
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b> Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) .....		46,663.		46,663.	
	<b>4</b> Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds .....					
	<b>5</b> Royalties .....					
	<b>6 a</b> Gross rents .....	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		<b>b</b> Less: rental expenses .....				
		<b>c</b> Rental income or (loss) .....				
	<b>d</b> Net rental income or (loss) .....					
	<b>7 a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory .....	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		<b>b</b> Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses .....				
		<b>c</b> Gain or (loss) .....				
	<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss) .....					
	<b>8 a</b> Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 700,599. of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 .....	<b>a</b> 61,050.				
		<b>b</b> Less: direct expenses .....	<b>b</b> 143,926.			
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from fundraising events .....			-82,876.		-82,876.	
<b>9 a</b> Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 .....	<b>a</b>					
	<b>b</b> Less: direct expenses .....	<b>b</b>				
	<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from gaming activities .....					
<b>10 a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances .....	<b>a</b>					
	<b>b</b> Less: cost of goods sold .....	<b>b</b>				
	<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory .....					
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>		<b>Business Code</b>				
<b>11 a</b> _____						
	<b>b</b> _____					
	<b>c</b> _____					
	<b>d</b> All other revenue .....					
	<b>e Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d .....					
<b>12 Total revenue.</b> See instructions. ....		1,946,461.	0.	0.	-36,213.	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	485,355.	485,355.		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	333,906.	333,906.		
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	251,817.	214,866.	17,308.	19,643.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	59,696.	48,265.	8,488.	2,943.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits	20,155.	16,925.	1,977.	1,253.
10 Payroll taxes	22,909.	19,344.	1,918.	1,647.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	8,609.		8,609.	
c Accounting	18,353.		18,353.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	87,652.	68,262.	5,824.	13,566.
14 Information technology	17,666.	14,917.	1,479.	1,270.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	19,020.	16,060.	1,593.	1,367.
17 Travel	2,615.	2,615.		
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	178,350.	178,350.		
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	5,507.		5,507.	
23 Insurance	2,508.	372.	2,097.	39.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a <b>SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOA</b>	27,259.	27,259.		
b <b>FUNDRAISING EXPENSES</b>	15,217.			15,217.
c <b>DIRECTORS EXPENSES</b>	7,049.	7,049.		
d _____				
e All other expenses _____				
<b>25 Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	1,563,643.	1,433,545.	73,153.	56,945.
<b>26 Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.				

Check here  if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash - non-interest-bearing .....	527,899.	<b>1</b>	902,358.
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments .....	1,282,469.	<b>2</b>	1,311,111.
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net .....	25,000.	<b>3</b>	115,857.
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net .....		<b>4</b>	
	<b>5</b> Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L .....		<b>5</b>	
	<b>6</b> Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr). Complete Part II of Sch L .....		<b>6</b>	
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net .....		<b>7</b>	
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use .....		<b>8</b>	
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges .....	3,592.	<b>9</b>	4,807.
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D .....	<b>10a</b> 60,695.		
	<b>b</b> Less: accumulated depreciation .....	<b>10b</b> 51,701.	8,973.	<b>10c</b> 8,994.
	<b>11</b> Investments - publicly traded securities .....	661,049.	<b>11</b>	723,719.
	<b>12</b> Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 .....		<b>12</b>	
	<b>13</b> Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 .....		<b>13</b>	
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets .....		<b>14</b>	
	<b>15</b> Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 .....		<b>15</b>	
<b>16 Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) .....	2,508,982.	<b>16</b>	3,066,846.	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses .....	35,541.	<b>17</b>	36,321.
	<b>18</b> Grants payable .....	105,866.	<b>18</b>	286,640.
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue .....		<b>19</b>	
	<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities .....		<b>20</b>	
	<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D .....		<b>21</b>	
	<b>22</b> Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L .....		<b>22</b>	
	<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties .....		<b>23</b>	
	<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties .....		<b>24</b>	
	<b>25</b> Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D .....		<b>25</b>	
	<b>26 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 .....	141,407.	<b>26</b>	322,961.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Unrestricted net assets .....	1,355,585.	<b>27</b>	1,821,563.
	<b>28</b> Temporarily restricted net assets .....	938,090.	<b>28</b>	848,422.
	<b>29</b> Permanently restricted net assets .....	73,900.	<b>29</b>	73,900.
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	<b>30</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds .....		<b>30</b>	
	<b>31</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund .....		<b>31</b>	
	<b>32</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds .....		<b>32</b>	
<b>33</b> Total net assets or fund balances .....	2,367,575.	<b>33</b>	2,743,885.	
<b>34</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances .....	2,508,982.	<b>34</b>	3,066,846.	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,946,461.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	1,563,643.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	382,818.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	2,367,575.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	-6,508.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	2,743,885.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		X
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	X	
If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		
c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	X	
If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.		
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		X
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

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**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....	1093556.	1096414.	1401134.	1686658.	1879797.	7157559.
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf .....						
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge .....						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 .....	1093556.	1096414.	1401134.	1686658.	1879797.	7157559.
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) .....						747,149.
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						6410410.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4 .....	1093556.	1096414.	1401134.	1686658.	1879797.	7157559.
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources .....	10,554.	10,643.	14,457.	29,090.	46,663.	111,407.
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on .....						
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) .....						
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10						7268966.
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) .....					12	94,875.
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> .....						<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2014 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) .....	<b>14</b>	88.19 %
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 .....	<b>15</b>	88.19 %
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test - 2014.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>b 33 1/3% support test - 2013.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2014.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2013.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 .....						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf .....						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge ...						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 .....						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year .....						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b .....						
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6 .....						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources ...						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 .....						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b .....						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on .....						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.) .....						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

**14 First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** ..... ►

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2014 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	<b>15</b>	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2013 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 .....	<b>16</b>	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for <b>2014</b> (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	<b>17</b>	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from <b>2013</b> Schedule A, Part III, line 17 .....	<b>18</b>	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2014.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ..... ►

**b 33 1/3% support tests - 2013.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ..... ►

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ..... ►

**Part IV Supporting Organizations**

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 11 of Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

**Section A. All Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No" describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
<b>2</b> Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
<b>3a</b> Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2) (B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
<b>4a</b> Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes" and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
<b>5a</b> Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action, and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
<b>b Type I or Type II only.</b> Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
<b>c Substitutions only.</b> Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
<b>6</b> Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (a) its supported organizations; (b) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations; or (c) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>7</b> Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in IRC 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35-percent controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
<b>8</b> Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
<b>9a</b> Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9(a)) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>c</b> Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9(a)) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
<b>10a</b> Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of IRC 4943 because of IRC 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) below.</i>		
<b>b</b> Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

**Part IV Supporting Organizations** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>11</b> Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
<b>a</b> A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
<b>b</b> A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
<b>c</b> A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in <b>Part VI</b> .		

**Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
<b>2</b> Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.		

**Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in <b>Part VI</b> how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		

**Section D. Type III Supporting Organizations**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (1) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (2) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (3) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
<b>2</b> Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in <b>Part VI</b> how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
<b>3</b> By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		

**Section E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations**

<b>1</b> Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions):		
<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete <b>line 2</b> below.		
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete <b>line 3</b> below.		
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in <b>Part VI</b> how you supported a government entity (see instructions).		
<b>2</b> Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
<b>a</b> Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in <b>Part VI</b> identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.		
<b>b</b> Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in <b>Part VI</b> the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.		
<b>3</b> Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.		
<b>a</b> Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in <b>Part VI</b> .		
<b>b</b> Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in <b>Part VI</b> the role played by the organization in this regard.		

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations**

**1**  Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970. **See instructions.** All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

<b>Section A - Adjusted Net Income</b>		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
<b>1</b>	Net short-term capital gain	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Other gross income (see instructions)	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Add lines 1 through 3	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Depreciation and depletion	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Other expenses (see instructions)	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b> (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line 4)	<b>8</b>	

<b>Section B - Minimum Asset Amount</b>		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
<b>1</b>	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly value of securities	<b>1a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Average monthly cash balances	<b>1b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	<b>1c</b>	
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	<b>1d</b>	
<b>e</b>	<b>Discount</b> claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in <b>Part VI</b> ):		
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Multiply line 5 by .035	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	<b>Minimum Asset Amount</b> (add line 7 to line 6)	<b>8</b>	

<b>Section C - Distributable Amount</b>			Current Year
<b>1</b>	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	Enter 85% of line 1	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Income tax imposed in prior year	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	<b>Distributable Amount.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally-integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

**Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations** (continued)

Section D - Distributions	Current Year
<b>1</b> Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
<b>2</b> Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
<b>3</b> Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
<b>4</b> Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
<b>5</b> Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
<b>6</b> Other distributions (describe in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.	
<b>7 Total annual distributions.</b> Add lines 1 through 6.	
<b>8</b> Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in <b>Part VI</b> ). See instructions.	
<b>9</b> Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6	
<b>10</b> Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2014	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2014
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6			
<b>2</b> Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2014 (reasonable cause required-see instructions)			
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014:			
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b> From 2013			
<b>f Total</b> of lines 3a through e			
<b>g</b> Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
<b>h</b> Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
<b>i</b> Carryover from 2009 not applied (see instructions)			
<b>j</b> Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
<b>4</b> Distributions for 2014 from Section D, line 7: \$			
<b>a</b> Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
<b>b</b> Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
<b>c</b> Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
<b>5</b> Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2014, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
<b>6</b> Remaining underdistributions for 2014. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see instructions).			
<b>7 Excess distributions carryover to 2015.</b> Add lines 3j and 4c.			
<b>8</b> Breakdown of line 7:			
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b> Excess from 2013			
<b>e</b> Excess from 2014			

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014



**SCHEDULE D**  
**(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

▶ **Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).**

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**Open to Public Inspection**

**Name of the organization** **FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL SOCIETY** **Employer identification number** **52-1762747**

**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year .....		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year) .....		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year) .....		
4 Aggregate value at end of year .....		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? .....		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? .....		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

- Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	
- Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.
 

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements .....	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements .....	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) .....	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register .....	2d
- Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? .....
- Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? .....
- In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

- If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.
- If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:
 

(i) Revenue included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .....	▶ \$ _____
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X .....	▶ \$ _____
- If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items:
 

a Revenue included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 .....	▶ \$ _____
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X .....	▶ \$ _____

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** (continued)

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a  Public exhibition
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1c
d Additions during the year	1d
e Distributions during the year	1e
f Ending balance	1f

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	87,915.	83,041.	63,188.		
b Contributions		150.	11,900.	62,000.	
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	6,144.	8,324.	7,953.	1,188.	
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	4,400.	3,600.			
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	89,659.	87,915.	83,041.	63,188.	

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  \_\_\_\_\_ %
- b Permanent endowment  83.00 %
- c Temporarily restricted endowment  17.00 %

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations		X
(ii) related organizations		X
b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b	

4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		60,695.	51,701.	8,994.
e Other				
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				8,994.

**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives .....		
(2) Closely-held equity interests .....		
(3) Other .....		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶		

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶		

**Part IX Other Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

**Part X Other Liabilities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	2,173,744.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	-6,508.	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	233,791.	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	227,283.	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	1,946,461.	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.	
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	1,946,461.	

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	1,797,434.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	233,791.	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	233,791.	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	1,563,643.	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.	
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	1,563,643.	

**Part XIII Supplemental Information.**

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART X, LINE 2:

TAX POSITION:

THE ORGANIZATION CURRENTLY EVALUATES ALL TAX POSITIONS, AND MAKES A DETERMINATION REGARDING THE LIKELIHOOD OF THOSE POSITIONS BEING UPHELD UNDER REVIEW. THE PRIMARY TAX POSITIONS MADE BY THE ORGANIZATION ARE THE NONEXISTENCE OF UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME TAX AND THE ORGANIZATION'S STATUS AS A TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATION UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE. FOR THE YEARS PRESENTED, THE ORGANIZATION HAS NOT RECOGNIZED ANY TAX BENEFITS OR LOSS CONTINGENCIES FOR UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS BASED ON THIS EVALUATION. ALL TAX PERIODS PRIOR TO 2011 ARE NO LONGER SUBJECT TO EXAMINATION BY TAX AUTHORITIES.





**Part II** Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
		FRANCE	FOR PROJECT: "GENE SURGERY USING TALEN TECHNOLOGY: A THERAPY FOR FSHD"	117,500.	CHECK	0.	N/A	
		ENGLAND	FOR PROJECT: "DYNAMIC MAPPING OF PERTURBED SIGNALING UNDERLYING FSHD"	137,798.	CHECK	0.	N/A	
		ITALY	FOR PROJECT: "MICRODIALYSIS FOR THE STUDY OF INFLAMMATORY FEATURES"	70,000.	CHECK	0.	N/A	

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ..... **3**

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities ..... **0**

SEE PART V FOR COLUMN (D) DESCRIPTIONS



Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1 Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* .....  Yes  No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; do not file with Form 990)* .....  Yes  No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)* .....  Yes  No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)* .....  Yes  No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)* .....  Yes  No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; do not file with Form 990)* .....  Yes  No

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

**PART I, LINE 2:**

THE SOCIETY MAKES GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS AFTER REQUESTS FOR RESEARCH FUNDING HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY THE SOCIETY'S SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD ("SAB").

**PART II, COLUMN (D):**

REGION: ITALY

(D) PURPOSE OF GRANT: FOR PROJECT: "MICRODIALYSIS FOR THE STUDY OF INFLAMMATORY FEATURES IN FACIOSCAPULOHUMERAL MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY"



**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events (add col. (a) through col. (c))	
		FESTIVAL OF SONG (event type)	FSH AT THE LAKE (event type)	7 (total number)		
Revenue	1	Gross receipts	267,794.	152,363.	341,492.	761,649.
	2	Less: Contributions	236,544.	146,713.	317,342.	700,599.
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	31,250.	5,650.	24,150.	61,050.
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes				
	5	Noncash prizes				
	6	Rent/facility costs	1,356.		6,490.	7,846.
	7	Food and beverages	16,460.	0.	19,974.	36,434.
	8	Entertainment	4,500.		4,020.	8,520.
	9	Other direct expenses	22,495.	101.	68,530.	91,126.
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				143,926.
11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				-82,876.	

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Revenue	1	Gross revenue			
	2	Cash prizes			
Direct Expenses	3	Noncash prizes			
	4	Rent/facility costs			
	5	Other direct expenses			
6	Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				
8	Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d)				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
 a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states?  Yes  No  
 b If "No," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?  Yes  No  
 b If "Yes," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

- 11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?  Yes  No
- 12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?  Yes  No
- 13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:
 

a The organization's facility	<b>13a</b>	%
b An outside facility	<b>13b</b>	%
- 14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

- 15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description of services provided ▶ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Director/officer       Employee       Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

- a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?  Yes  No
- b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).

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**Part IV** Supplemental Information (continued)

Multiple horizontal lines for supplemental information.

**SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

▶ Information about Schedule I (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance**

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?  Yes  No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

**Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
CHILDREN'S RESEARCH INSTITUTE 111 MICHIGAN AVENUE, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20010		501(C)(3)	89,267.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "INVESTIGATING THE EFFECTS OF PARP1 INHIBITORS IN DUX4 FSHD
UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL SCHOOL - ATTN: SCHOOL BURSAR, 55 LAKE AVENUE NORTH - WORCESTER, MA 01655		501(C)(3)	5,958.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "FSH SOCIETY KIICHI ARAHATA, M.D. MEMORIAL TRAVEL FELLOWSHIP FUNDS FOR
UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER 601 ELMWOOD AVENUE, BOX 673 ROCHESTER, NY 14642-8673		501(C)(3)	25,000.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "EVALUATION OF AN FSHD-SPECIFIC PATIENT REPORTED OUTCOME MEASURE AND A DISEASE
FRED HUTCHINSON CANCER RESEARCH CENTER - 100 FAIRVIEW AVENUE NORTH, M/S: M1-B514 - SEATTLE, WA 98109		501(C)(3)	116,725.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "NOVEL ROLE FOR REDUCED RNA QUALITY CONTROL IN FSHD PATHOGENESIS" AND
SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY, CENTER FOR WORLD HEALTH & MEDICINE - DOISY RESEARCH CENTER, RM 331, 1100 S. GRAND BLVD - SAINT LOUIS, MO 63104		501(C)(3)	51,425.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "BET PROTEINS AS THERAPEUTIC TARGETS IN FSHD"
THE RESEARCH INSTITUTE AT NATIONWIDE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL - 700 CHILDREN'S DRIVE, ROOM WA2101 - COLUMBUS, OH 43205		501(C)(3)	70,000.	0.		N/A	FOR PROJECT: "PROTEIN CHEMISTRY AND PROTEIN-PROTEIN INTERACTIONS OF DUX4"

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table **7.**

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table **0.**

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Schedule I (Form 990) (2014)

SEE PART IV FOR COLUMN (H) DESCRIPTIONS



**Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.  
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance

**Part IV Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

PART I, LINE 2:

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PART II, LINE 1, COLUMN (H):

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: CHILDREN'S RESEARCH INSTITUTE

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FOR PROJECT: "INVESTIGATING THE EFFECTS OF PARP1 INHIBITORS IN DUX4 FSHD EXPRESSION"

**Part IV** Supplemental Information

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT:

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL SCHOOL

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FOR PROJECT: "FSH SOCIETY KIICHI ARAHATA, M.D. MEMORIAL TRAVEL FELLOWSHIP FUNDS FOR TRAVEL TO 2014 INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON NEUROMUSCULAR DISEASES IN NICE, FRANCE RUNNING JULY 5-10"

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT: UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FOR PROJECT: "EVALUATION OF AN FSHD-SPECIFIC PATIENT REPORTED OUTCOME MEASURE AND A DISEASE SPECIFIC FUNCTIONAL RATING SCALE" AND PROJECT: "FSHD CLINICAL TRIALS NETWORK"

NAME OF ORGANIZATION OR GOVERNMENT:

FRED HUTCHINSON CANCER RESEARCH CENTER

(H) PURPOSE OF GRANT OR ASSISTANCE: FOR PROJECT: "NOVEL ROLE FOR REDUCED RNA QUALITY CONTROL IN FSHD PATHOGENESIS" AND PROJECT: "FSH SOCIETY EDWARD SCHECHTER MEMORIAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP FUNDS FOR TRAVEL/REGISTRATION TO JOIN THE 2014 COLD SPRING HARBOR GERM CELL AND SYSTEM BIOLOGY CONFERENCES, HELD OCTOBER 7-11, 2014"

**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

IN MULTIPLE MUSCLE GROUPS SUCH AS LOWER BODY, LEGS AND TORSO AND ALL SKELETAL MUSCLES LATER IN THE DISEASE. THE DISEASE HAS A HIGH BURDEN OF DISEASE AND BRINGS WITH IT SIGNIFICANT DISABILITY AND EVEN PREMATURE DEATH IN AFFECTED INDIVIDUALS. FOR APPROXIMATELY 860,000 MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN WORLDWIDE THE MAJOR CONSEQUENCE OF INHERITING THIS GENETIC FORM OF MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY MAY BE A LIFELONG PROGRESSIVE LOSS OF ALL SKELETAL MUSCLES. FSHD CAN BE A CRIPPLING AND LIFE SHORTENING DISEASE. FSHD IS AN AUTOSOMAL DOMINANT MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY. IT IS BOTH GENETICALLY AND SPONTANEOUSLY TRANSMITTED TO CHILDREN. IT CAN AFFECT MULTIPLE GENERATIONS AND ENTIRE FAMILIES. WITH FSHD THERE IS A LOSS OF MUSCLE STRENGTH THAT RANGES BETWEEN ONE AND FOUR PERCENT A YEAR DURING A LIFETIME. IN TERMS OF FUNCTIONAL IMPAIRMENT, 20 PERCENT OF FSHD-AFFECTED INDIVIDUALS WILL REQUIRE THE USE OF A WHEELCHAIR. FSHD ALSO HAS VERY SPECIFIC NON-MUSCULAR MANIFESTATIONS; HEARING-LOSS, VISION ISSUES, RETINAL VASCULOPATHY, RESPIRATORY INSUFFICIENCY/ISSUES AND SLEEP DISORDERED BREATHING, SUPRAVENTRICULAR ARRHYTHMIAS (RARE), AND CARDIAC RIGHT BRANCH BUNDLE BLOCK. 95% OF INDIVIDUALS WITH FSHD HAVE THE FSHD1 (FSHD1A) GENETIC VARIATION - CAUSED BY THE CONTRACTION OF DNA MACROSATELLITE REPEAT UNITS, TERMED D4Z4 REPEATS, ON CHROMOSOME 4, LEADING TO THE RELEASE OF TRANSCRIPTIONAL REPRESSION OF A RETROGENE (DUX4) BELIEVED TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH THE CAUSE OF DISEASE. OF THE 5% OF FSHD INDIVIDUALS REMAINING, 80% OF THOSE ARE THE FSHD2 (FSHD1B)

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GENETIC VARIATION - CAUSED BY MUTATIONS IN THE SMCHD1 GENE ON CHROMOSOME 18 THAT HELPS TO MAINTAIN THE STRUCTURE OF THE D4Z4 REPEATS ON THE LONG ARM OF CHROMOSOME 4. FSHD GENERALLY PRESENTS OUTWARD SIGNS IN 95% OF AFFECTED INDIVIDUALS BY THE SECOND DECADE OF LIFE FOR MEN AND THE THIRD DECADE OF LIFE FOR WOMEN. THE SEVERITY OF FSHD IS VARIABLE AND CAN RANGE FROM NON-MANIFESTING/ASYMPTOMATIC, TO MILD IN PRESENTATION IN SOME INDIVIDUALS, TO SEVERELY CRIPPLING AND LIFE SHORTENING IN INDIVIDUALS WITH THE GENETIC DIAGNOSIS OF FSHD.

AS OF MARCH 2015, THE FSH SOCIETY HAS PROVIDED APPROXIMATELY 5.4 MILLION DOLLARS, SINCE THE INCEPTION OF ITS RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS PROGRAM IN SEED FUNDS AND GRANTS TO PIONEERING FSHD RESEARCH AREAS AND EDUCATION WORLDWIDE AND CREATED AN INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIVE NETWORK OF PATIENTS AND RESEARCHERS. THE FSH SOCIETY OFFERS BASIC RESEARCH GRANTS, CLINICAL RESEARCH, RESEARCH, PRE-DOCTORAL, AND POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS TO SUPPORT RESEARCH RELEVANT TO UNDERSTANDING THE MOLECULAR GENETICS AND CAUSES OF FSHD ON AN ONGOING AND AD-HOC BASIS. THE FSH SOCIETY SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD (SAB) DILIGENTLY CARRIES OUT ITS MISSION OF PROVIDING STRATEGY FOR FSHD RESEARCH, THERAPEUTICS AND CLINICAL TRIALS READINESS, RECRUITING AND ATTRACTING QUALIFIED RESEARCHERS AND CLINICIAN-RESEARCHERS, SELECTING RESEARCH PROPOSALS, EVALUATING RESEARCH PROPOSALS, GRANTING FELLOWSHIPS AND MONITORING ONGOING PROJECTS AND RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES. SINCE 1997, THE FSH SOCIETY HAS FUNDED FELLOWSHIPS TO NEARLY ONE HUNDRED JUNIOR AND SENIOR LEVEL RESEARCHERS, LEADING TO HUNDREDS OF PUBLICATIONS ACKNOWLEDGING SOCIETY SUPPORT IN TOP-TIER SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS. RECENT ADVANCES IN UNDERSTANDING THE MOLECULAR GENETICS AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY OF FSHD HAVE LED TO THE IDENTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL

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THERAPEUTIC TARGETS. IMPRESSIVE SCIENTIFIC PROGRESS WAS AGAIN ACHIEVED IN 2014 IN OUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE DISEASE LARGELY DUE TO SOCIETY FUNDING OF RESEARCH. THE SOCIETY MADE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS USING GENOMIC-ENGINEERING TECHNIQUES AND FUNDED TWO PROJECTS USING CRISPR/CAS9 AND TALEN WITH THE AIM OF TREATING THE DISEASE. A SIGNIFICANT ADVANCE IN 2014, WAS THAT THE SOCIETY ALONG WITH TWO OTHER INTERNATIONAL FSHD-FUNDING AGENCIES CO-FUNDED A "CLINICAL TRIALS READINESS" WORKSHOP TO BE HELD IN MAY 2015 A HARBINGER THAT THE CLINICAL COMMUNITY IS BECOMING MORE SERIOUS ABOUT ASSETS FOR AND CONDUCTING CLINICAL TRIALS. GRANT MAKING TO FSHD RESEARCHERS AND CLINICIANS LOCATED BOTH DOMESTICALLY IN THE UNITED STATES AND OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES IS ONE OF THE LARGEST PROGRAMMATIC COMPONENTS OF THE FSH SOCIETY.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

PROGRESS WAS MADE AT THE 2014 RESEARCH CONSORTIUM AND RESEARCH PLANNING MEETING - PRIORITIES WERE SET AND PLANNING DOCUMENTS AGAIN DISSEMINATED. IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS PRIMARY PURPOSE OF SERVING THE FSHD COMMUNITY IN THE UNITED STATES AND ABROAD, THE FSH SOCIETY HAS BROUGHT TOGETHER THROUGH EDUCATION, PATIENT NETWORK MEETINGS, SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS, PEER-SUPPORT, AND ADVOCACY TO MORE THAN 7,500 FSHD-AFFECTED FAMILIES COMMITTED TO WORKING COOPERATIVELY. IN AUGUST 2014, THE BIENNIAL FSH SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL PATIENT RESEARCHER NETWORK DAY WAS HELD IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS. MORE THAN 200 FSHD PATIENTS, FAMILIES, FRIENDS, SCIENTISTS AND RESEARCHERS GATHERED AT THE NEWLY RENAMED "FSHD CONNECT" MEETING TO LISTEN TO THE LATEST FINDINGS IN MOLECULAR GENETICS RESEARCH AND TESTING AND THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN CLINICAL MANAGEMENT AND THERAPEUTICS OF FSHD. THE MAIN FOCUS IS FOR

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MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS AND PATIENTS TO BE ABLE TO SHARE IDEAS ON THE DISEASE IN A COLLEGIAL SETTING. THE FSHD CONNECT MEETING WAS IMPROVED WITH SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT OVER THE PREVIOUS 2012 MEETING AND THE FACULTY AND TALKS WERE GREATLY EXPANDED. SEVERAL NOTEWORTHY POINTS WERE A VIDEO KEYNOTE BY U.S. SENATOR ELIZABETH WARREN, A PROFESSIONAL FILM DOCUMENTARY CREW DOING A DOCUMENTARY, A PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER PHOTOGRAPHING STUDIO QUALITY PHOTOS OF FSHD, LIVE VIDEO-BROADCAST OF THE MEETING TO THE PATIENTS WHO COULD NOT ATTEND, AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE EVALUATED AND GIVE BIO-SAMPLES TO RESEARCH STUDIES ONSITE AT THE MEETING. THE MEETING AND FSHD RECEIVED STRONG MEDIA-EXPOSURE. THE FSH SOCIETY ALSO WORKS WITH THE COMMUNITY TO FOSTER RESEARCH PLANNING MEETINGS, RESEARCH EDUCATION MEETINGS AND PATIENT SUPPORT GROUPS. IN 2014, THE FSH SOCIETY CONTINUED EFFORTS TO ORGANIZE THROUGH ITS "FSHD CHAMPIONS" WORK TO BRING TOGETHER FSHD-FUNDING AGENCIES WORLDWIDE TO BETTER WORK TOGETHER TO SOLVE FSHD AND TO INCREASE RIGOR, OBJECTIVITY AND TRANSPARENCY IN PRECLINICAL RESEARCH TO INCREASE THE LIKELY OF SUCCESS WITH CLINICAL TRIALS ON FSHD. A NOTED ADVANCEMENT OVER THE PRIOR YEAR'S MEETING WAS CHAMPIONS AGREEING THAT THE ANNUAL RESEARCH WORKSHOP SHOULD BE CONSIDERED THE FOCAL POINT FOR ORGANIZING THE RESEARCH MEETING. MEETINGS, SYMPOSIA, WORKSHOPS AND NETWORKING ACTIVITIES ARE ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL PROGRAMMATIC COMPONENTS OF THE FSH SOCIETY.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

FAMILIES AND CAREGIVERS, CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS, GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, INDUSTRY, SCIENTIFIC RESEARCHERS, AND ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS. THE FSH SOCIETY ALSO PROVIDES DEDICATED SUPPORT, EDUCATION AND OUTREACH SERVICES TO PATIENTS, PROFESSIONALS, RESEARCHERS AND FAMILIES IN NEED

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OF ASSISTANCE. THE SOCIETY RESPONDS TO NUMEROUS INQUIRIES BY PHONE, WEB AND E-MAIL FROM NEWLY DIAGNOSED PATIENTS, PATIENTS, FAMILY MEMBERS AND SPOUSES OF FSHD PATIENTS AND PROFESSIONALS EACH WEEK. IN 2014, THE SOCIETY ADDED ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO HELP GROW IN-PERSON SUPPORT GROUP AND EDUCATIONAL DAYS ASSOCIATED WITH MAJOR CLINICAL AND RESEARCH CENTERS AROUND THE UNITED STATES AND MANY OF THESE MEETINGS WERE BROADCAST VIA INTERNET VIDEO-STREAMING FOR THOSE HAVING DIFFICULTY GETTING TO MEETINGS IN PERSON. THE SOCIETY CONTINUED TO DEVELOP MATERIALS AND ASSETS DEPICTING WHAT FSHD IS AND WHAT IT IS TO LIVE WITH THE DISEASE IN WRITING, PHOTOGRAPHS AND VIDEOS. THE SOCIETY CONTINUED TO RAISE VISIBILITY FOR FSHD THROUGH PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS ON THE DISEASE AND INCREASED EXPOSURE TO PSAS WERE BROADCAST ON 18 STATIONS FOR A TOTAL OF 1,821 BROADCASTS WITH OVER 555,000 AUDIENCE IMPRESSIONS.

THROUGH THE FSH SOCIETY STAFF AND ITS WEB SITE PORTAL AT WWW.FSHSOCIETY.ORG, ELECTRONIC YAHOO! BULLETIN BOARD (31,055 MESSAGES, 1,052 MEMBERS), FACEBOOK PAGES (2,009 FACEBOOK FOLLOWERS), TWITTER, E-MAIL LISTSERV (VERTICAL RESPONSE), AND NEWSLETTER THE "FSH WATCH," FSHD PATIENTS HAVE FOUND WAYS TO BE USEFUL TO BASIC AND CLINICAL RESEARCHERS WORKING ON THEIR DISEASE. IN 2015, THE FSH SOCIETY ADDED TWO FULL-TIME STAFF MEMBERS, AN INCREASE FROM THREE, TO HELP WITH RESPONSES TO INQUIRIES AND REQUESTS THAT WE RECEIVE. THE SUPPORT PATIENTS RECEIVE FROM ONE ANOTHER THROUGH SHARING THEIR COMMON EXPERIENCE IS INVALUABLE AND IMMEASURABLE. IN 2014, THE SOCIETY COMPLETED ITS NEW WEB SITE WITH NEW ARCHITECTURE; MIGRATION AND UPDATING OF CONTENT; CREATION OF NEW FORMS; TESTING OF E-COMMERCE. THE NEW SITE WAS LAUNCHED ON JANUARY 10, 2015. THE SOCIETY CONTINUES TO

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IN 2014, THE SOCIETY WORKED WITH PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES COMMENCING  
CLINICAL TRIALS IN EUROPE AND POTENTIALLY THE U.S. IN 2015, AND MET  
WITH VENTURE CAPITAL COMPANIES TO PROVIDE BACKGROUND AND EDUCATE ON THE  
DISEASE. IN 2014, AND CONTINUING IN 2015, THE FSH SOCIETY HELPS  
EDUCATE AND RECRUIT PATIENTS INTO RESEARCH STUDIES HEADQUARTERED AT THE  
U.S. NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL  
SCHOOL SENATOR PAUL D. WELLSTONE MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY COOPERATIVE  
RESEARCH CENTER FOR FSHD, IN WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS. THE FSH SOCIETY  
HAS HELPED FACILITATE THE PRODUCTION OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST RESOURCE  
FOR FSHD BIOMATERIALS THAT ARE BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL RESEARCHERS  
WORLDWIDE. THE SOCIETY HOPES THAT THIS STRATEGY WILL HELP WITH BETTER  
REPRODUCTION, VALIDATION AND CORROBORATION OF RESEARCH RESULTS BY  
PROVIDING THE COMMUNITY WITH A HIGH QUALITY AND HIGH NUMBER OF WELL  
CONTROLLED FSHD CELL LINES THAT MULTIPLE RESEARCH GROUPS CAN  
INDEPENDENTLY ACCESS. THE FSH WATCH IS PUBLISHED THREE TIMES PER YEAR,  
INCLUDING A MORE TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC ANNUAL RESEARCH EDITION, AND  
IS DISTRIBUTED IN HARDCOPY BY U.S. POSTAL MAIL, ELECTRONICALLY BY  
E-MAIL AND ON-LINE AT THE SOCIETY WEB SITE AS ADOBE PDF FILES. THE FSH  
SOCIETY ALSO DESIGNS, DEVELOPS, PUBLISHES AND DISTRIBUTES BROCHURES ON  
FSHD AND ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH FSHD FOR PATIENTS, FAMILIES, FRIENDS  
AND PROFESSIONALS INVOLVED WITH FSHD. IN 2014, THE FSH SOCIETY BEGAN  
TO DISTRIBUTE ITS PUBLICATION TITLED "A GUIDE FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY"  
TO HELP FRIENDS AND FAMILY AFFECTED WITH FSHD BETTER NAVIGATE THE  
ISSUES OF FSHD. PUBLICATIONS, LITERATURE, EDUCATION, PATIENT SUPPORT,  
SOCIAL NETWORKING AND RESEARCH NETWORKING COMBINED ARE THE MOST

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SIGNIFICANT AND CORE PROGRAMMATIC COMPONENTS OF THE FSH SOCIETY.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

WILLIAM R. LEWIS MD, CHAIRMAN, IS THE FATHER OF WILLIAM R. LEWIS III MD, BOARD MEMBER.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

LINDA LAURELLO-BAMBERGER, BOARD MEMBER, IS BOARD MEMBER IDA LAURELLO'S GRANDDAUGHTER.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6:

PER THE ORGANIZATION'S BY-LAWS THERE SHALL BE ONE CLASS OF MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION, WHICH CLASS SHALL CONSIST OF INDIVIDUALS AND ENTITIES WHO ACCEPT THE GOALS AND PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION, HAVE PAID ANY DUES OR FEES AS ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AND HAVE MET ALL OTHER REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP, IF ANY, ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. MEMBERS, AS SUCH, SHALL HAVE NO RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY MATTER REGARDING THE CORPORATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11:

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REVIEWS AND APPROVES THE FORM 990 PRIOR TO ITS FILING. THE FORM 990 WAS THEN AUTHORIZED AND SIGNED BY THE ORGANIZATION'S PRESIDENT.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REQUIRES AN ANNUAL DECLARATION FROM ALL BOARD MEMBERS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT AS TO THE EXISTENCE AND DISCLOSURE OF ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. THE BOARD MEMBERS SIGN A DISCLOSURE

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STATEMENT. ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ARE DISCUSSED BY THE DIS-INTERESTED BOARD MEMBERS, WHILE THE PARTY IN POTENTIAL CONFLICT IS REQUIRED TO LEAVE THE ROOM. BOARD MEETING MINUTES WILL DOCUMENT THE DISCUSSION AND DECISION MAKING PROCESS. IN THE EVENT OF A POTENTIAL CONFLICT, PROCEDURES TO OBTAIN COMPETITIVE BIDS AND DILIGENCE ON FAIR MARKET VALUE WILL BE ESTABLISHED.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:

FSH SOCIETY'S EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PROGRAM IS ADMINISTERED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE BOARD IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ESTABLISHING AND MAINTAINING A COMPETITIVE COMPENSATION PROGRAM FOR THE KEY EXECUTIVES OF THE ORGANIZATION. THE BOARD MEETS AS NEEDED TO REVIEW THE COMPENSATION PROGRAM AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ANY CHANGES, AS APPROPRIATE. A PERFORMANCE EVALUATION IS CONDUCTED AND REVIEWED EACH YEAR AND IS INTENDED TO ENSURE THAT THE COMPENSATION PROGRAM FALLS WITHIN A REASONABLE RANGE OF COMPETITIVE PRACTICES FOR COMPARABLE POSITIONS AMONG SIMILARLY SITUATED ORGANIZATIONS. FOLLOWING THIS REVIEW, THE BOARD REVIEWS AND APPROVES, FOR SELECTED KEY EXECUTIVES, BASE SALARIES AND ANNUAL INCENTIVE OPPORTUNITY ADJUSTMENTS, AND OBJECTIVES AND GOALS FORTH-UPCOMING YEAR'S ANNUAL INCENTIVE PLAN. THE BOARD REVIEWS AND RECOMMENDS TO THE BOARD SALARY APPROVAL AND INCENTIVE AWARDS FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND SELECTED KEY SENIOR STAFF.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

MA, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, NH, NJ, NV, NC, ND, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WI, WV, AL

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

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