Save a Life by Helping to Diversify the National Bone Marrow Donor Registry

6000 Americans are in Need - Only 30% will find a match in time

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Testing is pain free and consists of 4 cheek swabs

ASIAN ETHNICITY DONORS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED

About Janet On August 24, 2009, 22 year old Janet was diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukemia, a form of blood cancer. In May of 2010 she attained remission after undergoing extensive chemotherapy. Her remission lasted until Dec. of 2011 when she relapsed. She is now undergoing chemotherapy again in the hopes that she can attain a successful remission and receive a bone marrow transplant. Now comes the daunting task of locating a marrow match from the national or international registries after tests revealed that her only sibling is not a match. It could be you. Processing new donor samples can take up to 2 months or more so it is crucial for people to be tested asap before her need becomes more critical.

Join the National Marrow Donor Program. Order a mail-in test kit online or by phone.

Please Don't Wait to Register:

Testing takes 10 minutes (a short form and 4 cheek swabs) and an additional 8-10 weeks for your test to be processed to be added to the National Registry. The tissue typing to see if you are a match can take an additional 2-3 months.

You could be the one to save Janet's life!

Ethnicity is a Key Factor

For patients of all minority ethnicities the simple truth is that anyone in need of a life saving bone marrow transplant is most likely to find their match within their own ethnic group. There is a crucial need for people of ethnically diverse backgrounds including African American, Asian, Pacific Islander, Hispanic, Latino, Native American and Multi-Racial individuals in the national registry.

About Being Tested

- Testing is painless, just a simple mouth swab
- You must be between 18-60 years of age
- You must be in good general health
- Testing is free
- Donating is relatively pain free as 70% of all stem cell donations are now given through blood collection.

For more information please visit http://HelpingJanet.com or call Stacie Tamaki at 408-338-9970