ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

TOGETHER WITH AUDITOR'S REPORT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Angelman Syndrome Foundation, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Angelman Syndrome Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation) (a non-profit organization) which comprise the statement of financial position as of September 30, 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of activities, cash flows and functional expenses for the years then ended and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



To the Board of Directors of Angelman Syndrome Foundation, Inc. Page two

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Angelman Syndrome Foundation, Inc. as of September 30, 2016, and 2015, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The schedule of expenditures by program services is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

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Wheaton, Illinois December 15, 2016

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

	2016	2015
<u>ASSETS</u>		
CURRENT ASSETS: Cash and cash equivalents Investments Prepaid expenses	\$ 1,070,243 681,557 37,312	\$ 1,358,472 642,711 13,640
Total current assets	1,789,112	2,014,823
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, at cost: Office furniture, fixtures, and equipment Display equipment Computer hardware Software Website Leasehold improvements Less - Accumulated depreciation Net property and equipment	19,307 234 26,218 53,316 24,000 4,039 (99,959) 27,155	19,307 234 20,314 49,420 11,000 4,039 (87,365)
OTHER ASSETS		
Security deposit	1,539	1,539
Total assets	\$ 1,817,806	\$ 2,033,311
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
CURRENT LIABILITIES: Grants payable Accounts payable Accrued payroll expenses	\$ 199,825 19,968 24,165	\$ 294,387 16,406 23,447
Total liabilities	243,958	334,240
COMMITMENTS		
NET ASSETS: Unrestricted Temporarily restricted	1,392,158 181,690	1,428,093 270,978
Total net assets	1,573,848	1,699,071
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 1,817,806	\$ 2,033,311

FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015 ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

		2016			2015	
	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total
PUBLIC SUPPORT AND REVENUE:						
Contributions	\$ 387,954	\$ 725	\$ 388,679	\$ 493,518	\$ 61,000	\$ 554,518
Donated professional services	147,000	1	147,000	147,000	1	147,000
Biennial conference	17,144	1	17,144	42,131	•	42,131
Special events, net of related expenses	1,198,045	•	1,198,045	1,051,925	1	1,051,925
Net investment return	45,209	1	45,209	(4,945)	j	(4,945)
Other income	6,048	ľ	6,048	2,616	ı	2,616
Net assets released from restrictions - satisfaction of program restrictions	90,013	(90,013)	1	23,000	(23,000)	1
Total public support and revenue	1,891,413	(89,288)	1,802,125	1,755,245	38,000	1,793,245
FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES:						
Program services -			1			!
Family Support	337,053	1	337,053	302,970	1	302,970
Education	3,485	1	3,485	•	1	•
Research	1,006,791	1	1,006,791	690,468	1	690,468
Biennial Conference and Symposium	83,768	1	83,768	235,324	1	235,324
Total program services	1,431,097	I	1,431,097	1,228,762	ľ	1,228,762
Management and general	139,482	1	139,482	130,589	ı	130,589
Fundraising	356,769	1	356,769	339,866	1	339,866
Total functional expenses	1,927,348	1	1,927,348	1,699,217	1	1,699,217
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(35,935)	(89,288)	(125,223)	56,028	38,000	94,028
NET ASSETS, Beginning of year	1,428,093	270,978	1,699,071	1,372,065	232,978	1,605,043
NET ASSETS, End of year	\$ 1,392,158	\$ 181,690	\$ 1,573,848	\$ 1,428,093	\$ 270,978	\$ 1,699,071

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

	 2016		2015
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Change in total net assets	\$ (125,223)	\$	94,028
Adjustments to reconcile change in total net assets	 3 7 7		
to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:			15.604
Depreciation	12,594		15,624
Net unrealized/realized investment (gain) loss	(28,241)		18,020
Change in assets and liabilities:			
(Increase) decrease in prepaid expenses	(23,672)		14,865
Decrease in security deposits	-		3,254
(Decrease) in grants payable	(94,562)		(89,373)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	3,562		(34,793)
Increase (decrease) in accrued payroll expenses	 718		(3,388)
Net adjustments	 (129,601)		(75,791)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	 (254,824)	DA11	18,237
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:			
Purchases of investments	(18,482)		(106,076)
Proceeds from sale of investments	7,877		65,940
Purchase of property and equipment	 (22,800)		(7,677)
Net cash (used in) investing activities	 (33,405)		(47,813)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(288,229)		(29,576)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, Beginning of year	1,358,472		1,388,048
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, End of year	\$ 1,070,243	\$	1,358,472

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2016

			Ma	nagement				
		rogram		and				
	S	ervices		General	Fu	ndraising		Total
Salaries and related benefits:								
Salaries and wages	\$	120,606	\$	65,396	\$	100,009	\$	286,011
Employee benefits and related taxes		16,114		7,143		10,766		34,023
Total salaries and related benefits		136,720		72,539		110,775		320,034
Other expenses:								
Grants awarded and related expenses		956,966		_		-		956,966
Biennial conference and symposium		35,026		-		-		35,026
Professional fees		30,970		43,256		10,449		84,675
Donated professional services		91,861		-		24,237		116,098
Program expenses		70,166		-		-		70,166
Marketing and promotions		61,267		1,444		25,927		88,638
Website		10,486		2,407		8,546		21,439
Postage and printing		1,774		1,843		12,125		15,742
Supplies		2,407		977		2,262		5,646
Equipment rental		1,754		919		1,503		4,176
Rent and utilities		6,699		4,211		8,231		19,141
Telephone		3,378		1,783		2,881		8,042
Insurance		3,586		3,391		487	*	7,464
Walk				-		130,991		130,991
Travel		3,197		-		3,752		6,949
Board of directors		· •		1,799		-		1,799
Fees		7,766		1,661		10,295		19,722
Miscellaneous				1,145		895		2,040
Depreciation		7,074		2,107		3,413		12,594
Total other expenses		1,294,377		66,943		245,994		1,607,314
Total functional expenses	\$	1,431,097	\$	139,482	\$	356,769	\$	1,927,348

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

	rogram ervices	and eneral	_Fu	ndraising_	 Total
Salaries and related benefits:					
Salaries and wages	\$ 106,247	\$ 56,758	\$	92,228	\$ 255,233
Employee benefits and related taxes	13,840	 6,810		11,445	 32,095
Total salaries and related benefits	120,087	 63,568		103,673	 287,328
Other expenses:					
Grants awarded and related expenses	598,805	-		-	598,805
Biennial conference and symposium	194,176	-		-	194,176
Professional fees	37,350	43,193		10,440	90,983
Donated professional services	97,816	-		19,341	117,157
Program expenses	63,530	· -		-	63,530
Marketing and promotions	65,409	(839)		24,918	89,488
Website	15,158	2,712		4,312	22,182
Postage and printing	3,114	3,027		10,895	17,036
Supplies	1,355	424		694	2,473
Equipment rental	1,644	979		1,371	3,994
Rent and utilities	7,616	4,802		9,367	21,785
Telephone	2,577	1,587		2,013	6,177
Insurance	2,965	4,307		2,613	9,885
Walk	-	-		132,486	132,486
Travel	1,360	-		3,551	4,911
Board of directors	-	1,246		-	1,246
Fees	8,098	1,275		8,358	17,731
Miscellaneous	-	1,300		920	2,220
Depreciation	 7,702	 3,008		4,914	 15,624
Total other expenses	 1,108,675	 67,021		236,193	 1,411,889
Total functional expenses	\$ 1,228,762	\$ 130,589	\$	339,866	\$ 1,699,217

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2016 AND 2015

(1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND PRACTICES:

Angelman Syndrome Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation) was incorporated as a not-for-profit organization in 1990, under the laws of the State of Florida. Its mission is to advance the awareness and treatment of Angelman Syndrome through education and information, research, advocacy, and support for individuals with Angelman Syndrome, their families, and other concerned parties.

The financial statements were available to be issued December 15, 2016, with subsequent events being evaluated through this date.

The following summarizes the significant accounting policies and practices reflected in the accompanying financial statements:

Basis of Presentation -

The Foundation reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted, temporarily restricted, and permanently restricted net assets, as required by generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

Basis of Accounting -

The accounting records of the Foundation are maintained on the accrual basis which recognizes revenue as earned and expenses as they are incurred.

Cash and Cash Equivalents -

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Foundation considers all highly liquid instruments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Concentrations of Credit Risk -

Financial instruments which potentially subject the Foundation to concentrations of credit risk consist principally of cash. The Foundation places its cash and deposits with high credit quality financial institutions; however, deposits exceeded the federally insured limits at September 30, 2016.

During the years ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, the Foundation received approximately 66% and 58%, respectively, of its non-investment income from the annual fundraising walk held nationally to show the commitment to making a difference in the lives of Angelman Syndrome individuals and their families. This source of revenue is contingent upon the continued success of this event and may cause disruption in program activities if not conducted or successful.

Property and Equipment -

Property and equipment are stated at cost. It is the Foundation's policy to capitalize expenditures for items in excess of \$1,000. Lesser amounts are expensed. Depreciation is provided on the double declining balance method at rates designed to depreciate the costs of assets over estimated useful lives ranging from three to seven years.

(1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND PRACTICES: (Continued)

Investments -

Investments are carried at fair value. Net realized and unrealized gains and losses are reflected in the statement of activities.

Support and Revenue -

The Foundation reports gifts of cash and other assets as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. If a restriction is fulfilled in the same time period in which the contribution is received, the Foundation reports the support as unrestricted.

Grant Award Recognition -

As a function of fulfilling its mission, the Foundation awards research grants. These disbursements may be conditional upon certain requirements that are to be fulfilled after the year ended September 30, 2016. Given the Foundation believes the possibility that such requirements for the current year of the award will not be met is remote, it records the full dollar amount of the portion of the current year awards as expense in that year.

Functional Allocation of Expenses -

The costs of providing various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of functional expenses. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.

In-Kind Contributions -

In addition to receiving cash contributions, the Foundation receives in-kind contributions from various donors. It is the policy of the Foundation to record the estimated fair value of certain in-kind donations as an expense in its financial statements, and similarly increase donations by a like amount. For the years ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, the value of in-kind donations totaled \$138,427 and \$110,742, respectively. Of the in-kind donations, \$138,427 and \$110,742 are included in the direct benefit to walkers in 2016 and 2015, respectively.

Donated Services -

Contributions of services are required to be recognized if the services received (a) create or enhance non-financial assets or (b) require specialized skills, are provided by individuals possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation. During the years ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, the Foundation received \$147,000, of donated services meeting these criteria. Throughout the year, a substantial number of volunteers donated their time toward the activities of the Foundation, the value of which was not required to be included in the financial statements.

(1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND PRACTICES: (Continued)

Estimates -

The Foundation prepares its financial statements according to generally accepted accounting principles that require the use of estimates and assumptions that affect reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

(2) INCOME TAXES:

The Foundation has been determined by the Internal Revenue Service to be exempt from income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, no provision for income tax has been established.

The Foundation files informational returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and various states. With few exceptions, the Foundation is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state and local, or non-U.S. income tax examinations by tax authorities for years before 2012. The Foundation does not expect a material net change in unrecognized tax benefits in the next twelve months.

(3) INVESTMENTS:

The market value of investments for the years ended September 30 is as follows:

	2016	2015
Mutual funds	<u>\$ 681,557</u>	\$ 642,711
Investment return consists of the following:	·	
	2016	2015
Interest and dividends Net realized/unrealized gain (loss)	\$ 16,968 28,241	\$ 13,075 (18,020)
	<u>\$ 45,209</u>	\$ (4,945)

(4) FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS:

The Accounting Standards Codification for Fair Value Measurements, established a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

(4) FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS: (Continued)

Level 1:

Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets.

Level 2:

Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3:

Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at September 30, 2016 and 2015.

<u>Mutual Funds</u>: Valued at the net asset value (NAV) of shares held by the Foundation at year end.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Foundation believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

(4) FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS: (Continued)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Foundation's assets at fair value:

Description		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Mutual funds:								
Bond funds	\$	384,075	\$		- \$	_	\$	384,075
International funds		107,715			-	_		107,715
Large cap blended funds		69,045			_	-		69,045
Large cap value funds		59,077			-	-		59,077
Real estate funds		24,322			-	-		24,322
Small cap blended funds		37,323	_					37,323
Total investments	<u>\$</u>	681,557	<u>\$</u>		<u>- \$</u>		<u>\$</u>	681,557
		Asset	s at	Fair Value	as o	f September 3	30, 2	015
Description		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
)								
Mutual funds: Bond funds	\$	379,418	\$		- \$		\$	379,418
International funds	Ψ	99,073	Ψ		- ψ -		Ψ	99,073
Large cap blended funds		59,825			_	_		59,825
Large cap value funds		51,334			_	_		51,334
Real estate funds		20,270			_	_		20,270
Small cap blended funds		32,791			<u>-</u>	<u> </u>		32,791
Total investments	<u>\$</u>	642,711	<u>\$</u>		<u>- \$</u>		<u>\$</u>	642,711
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSI	<u>ETS</u> :							
Unrestricted net assets for the	years o	ended Septer	nbe	r 30 consist	of th	e following:		
						2016		2015
Board Designated -								
Operating and strategic rese	rves				\$	420,000	\$	420,000
Clinics						49,000		49,000
Research						850,000		747,312
						1,319,000		1,216,312
Undesignated						73,158		211,781
					\$	1,392,158	\$	1,428,093

(6) TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS:

Temporarily restricted net assets for the years ended September 30 are available for the following purposes:

		2016		2015
Conference and symposium scholarships	\$	625	\$	_
Education		18,719		22,204
Communication		11,346		47,774
Clinic grant		151,000		201,000
	<u>\$</u>	181,690	<u>\$</u>	270,978

(7) EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN:

The Foundation has a 403(b) plan for all of its eligible employees that matches up to six percent of the participating employee's contribution. The Foundation contributed \$6,088 and \$6,534 for the years ended September 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

(8) LEASE COMMITMENTS:

The Foundation leases an operating facility under a non-cancellable operating lease arrangement that expires in October, 2017. The Foundation also leases office equipment on a quarter-to-quarter basis and a copier under a lease agreement that expires in February, 2018 with payments ranging from \$217 to \$297. Rental expense for the years ended September 30, 2016 and 2015 was \$23,317 and \$25,721, respectively.

Future minimum rental commitments as of September 30, 2016 for all noncancelable leases are as follows:

2017	\$ 20,713
2018	2,516

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC.
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES BY PROGRAM SERVICES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2016

Biennial Conference

	F_{ϵ}	Family						and		
	Su	Support	Edu	Education	Re	Research	Syn	Symposium		Total
Salaries and wages	↔	79,800	∽	ı	\$	15,096	↔	25,710	↔	120,606
Employee benefits and related taxes		8,898		t		3,667		3,549		16,114
Grants awarded and related expenses		1		ı		996,956		ı		996,956
Biennial conference and symposium		ı		ı		1		35,026		35,026
Professional fees		27,066		•		2,366		1,538		30,970
Donated professional services		66,441		•		10,061		15,359		91,861
Program expenses		56,920		3,485		9,761		ı		70,166
Marketing and promotions		61,267		1		t		ı		61,267
Website		8,036		•		2,391		59		10,486
Postage and printing		1,700		•		74				1,774
Supplies		1,874		1		311		222		2,407
Equipment rental		1,253		1		292		500		1,754
Rent and utilities		5,742		1		•		957		669'9
Telephone		2,413		ı		563		402		3,378
Insurance		2,291		•		1,113		182		3,586
Travel		3,197		•				1		3,197
Fees		5,505		•		2,211		20		7,766
Depreciation		4,650		1		1,919		505		7,074
Total program expenses	↔	337,053	8	3,485	⇔	\$ 1,006,791	↔	83,768	\$	\$ 1,431,097

ANGELMAN SYNDROME FOUNDATION, INC.
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES BY PROGRAM SERVICES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

		Family			Cor	Biennial Conference		
		Support	Re	Research	Syn	Symposium		Total
Safaries and wages	⊗	70,523	↔	15,346	↔	20,378	↔	106,247
Employee benefits and related taxes		7,400		3,737		2,703		13,840
Grants awarded and related expenses		1		508,865		1		508,865
Biennial conference and symposium		1		1		194,176		194,176
Professional fees		25,844		9,916		1,590		37,350
Donated professional services		59,573		24,699		13,544		91,816
Program expenses		37,813		25,717		ı		63,530
Marketing and promotions		65,409		1		1		65,409
Website		10,772		4,310		9/		15,158
Postage and printing		3,006		108		1		3,114
Supplies		1,053		168		134		1,355
Equipment rental		1,087		285		272		1,644
Rent and utilities		6,528		1		1,088		7,616
Telephone		1,642		639		296		2,577
Insurance		2,118		497		350		2,965
Travel		742		819		ı		1,360
Fees		4,215		3,868		15		8,008
Depreciation		5,245		1,755		702		7,702

Total program expenses

235,324

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690,468

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