SUDC Foundation’s Stakeholder Survey
March 2018
We asked our stakeholders to rank our direct family services and our community services. The results are helping us to strategically drive resources for the best impact for our community.

336 respondents from the SUDC Foundation community, the National Association of Medical Examiners, the American Board of Medicolegal Death Investigators and the International Association of Coroners and Medical Examiners.

Thank you for your participation!
What are the Most Important SUDC Foundation Community Services to SUDC Stakeholders? (N=336)

- Assisting ME/Coroner Offices with resources to assist investigations.
- Supporting SUDC medical research grants
- Assisting ME/Coroner offices as communication liaison with families
- SUDC.org Website: Online Resources
- Research Opportunities: SUDCRRC
- Advocacy in public policy and legislation
- Improving Awareness of SUDC at conferences
- Literature: "Help for Families" brochure
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- Information on Impact of donation
- Event Planning Resources
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What are the most important SUDC Foundation community services to ME/C Professionals and SUDC Families?

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![Bar chart showing the most important SUDC Foundation community services to ME/C Professionals and SUDC Families, with Family (N=172) and MDI (N=140) data.](chart.png)
What are the most important Family Services to SUDC stakeholders? (N=336)

- Family advocacy (Including navigating the death investigation process)
- SUDC.org: Information and Resources on the SUDC website
- Bereavement Support by Licensed Clinical Social Workers
- Providing DNA banking assistance for future genetic testing
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Conclusions

- Family advocacy services, our website at sudc.org and the support of families for SUDC social workers are the Foundation’s most valued direct family services.

- Assisting ME/C offices with resources to assist their investigations, providing SUDC medical research grants and assisting ME/C offices as a family liaison are the Foundation’s most valued community services.

- ME/C Professionals and bereaved families were in more agreement with their rankings for community services than direct family services.
Thank you again for helping the SUDC Foundation support families and create a brighter future for all children.

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