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Christine Dubois
Executive Director
European Cystic Fibrosis Society

Dear Christine,

It is my pleasure to nominate Professor Jane Davies for president of the European Cystic Fibrosis Society.

Jane is a recognised global leader in CF and has made significant contributions to CF clinical research. Her work has supported the development of new treatments in CF, including the validation of the endpoints to assess the effectiveness of those therapies. Jane is also dedicated to the development of the next generation of CF clinical teams, ensuring they are responsive to the changing CF population. She has supported the ECFS in multiple roles; I believe her appointment to this position will further strengthen the Society's aim of promoting high quality research, education and care.

I have no doubt that Jane will provide strong and inclusive European leadership and I fully support her application to be our next president.

With best wishes,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D Downey', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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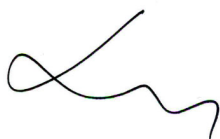
Nomination for European Cystic Fibrosis Society President

I would like to nominate Professor Jane Davies to serve as President of the European Cystic Fibrosis Society (ECFS).

Professor Jane Davies is a very well known and respected leader in the field of cystic fibrosis. She is a paediatrician who has devoted her career to the care of children with cystic fibrosis. She has led several research programmes and has a large knowledge on study design and outcome parameters for cystic fibrosis clinical trials.

She has been involved in ECFS projects for many years. She co-leads the London Center belonging to the ECFS-Clinical Trials Network. She leads the Lung Clearance Index Laboratory of the ECFS-CTN. She was a member of the Scientific Committee and the Steering Committee of the European Cystic Fibrosis Conference, and she was Conference President in 2019. She is Deputy Editor of the Journal of Cystic Fibrosis. She is also an ECFS Board member and ECFS Vice-President.

She is thoroughly committed to advance the understanding, the care and treatment of cystic fibrosis across Europe and beyond. She has a clear and balanced view, and she is inclusive. She has all the capacities to lead the European CF community forward and the CF community will be stronger with Professor Jane Davies as President of ECFS.



Professor Isabelle Fajac

March 23, 2023

Re: Letter of support for Jane Davies
Nomination for ECFS President

Dear ECFS,

It is my distinct pleasure to endorse Jane Davies and her candidacy for president of the ECFs. She is a well-respected leader of the CF community and currently serving as an elected member of the ECFS board. Her academic accomplishments are many; she has long been involved in CF clinical trials and her opinion is highly sought when it comes to trial design and interpretation of results. Her passion for CF is evidenced by her rigorous approach to research and education; she has made training the next generation of CF clinicians and investigators a focus of her career. I find Jane to be thoughtful and well-balanced in her approach to important issues; she is careful to understand a problem fully and engages others' opinions before offering judgment. It is because of these traits that I asked her to serve as Deputy Editor of the Journal of Cystic Fibrosis. I have no doubts about her commitment to CF, to the ECFS, and to the needs of the CF community, nor do I question her work ethic; she will get the tasks done. I hope that the ECFS community will also recognize the value that Jane will bring to the role in the upcoming election.

Sincerely,



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