

PH: CHANGE THE HISTORY OF AN ILLNESS (60 seconds)

If you could change the history of an illness, would you? 21 years ago, there were one-hundred eighty-seven identified pulmonary hypertension patients in the U.S. They were typically young women in their childbearing years. There were no treatments. Survival for fifty percent was 2.8 years. Now, there are six FDA-approved treatments. These treatments are being provided to over thirty-thousand patients. Best of all, there are thousands of people working hard to change the history of pulmonary hypertension. I know, because I'm one of them. My name is Steve Van Wormer and my little boy has pulmonary hypertension. Please, take a look at our stories and simple ways you can help make a difference. Visit our stories at www.PHAssociation.org/our_journeys. Phenomenal hope, looking towards a phenomenal cure.