

The Diann Shaddox Foundation for Essential Tremor is dedicated to finding a cure for ET, educate, and increase awareness about people afflicted with Essential Tremors. DSF is a National Non-Profit public organization 501 c(3) and is adamant to advance treatments that can slow, stop, or reverse the progression of Essential Tremors.

Essential Tremors (ET) is a progressive neurological condition that causes a rhythmic trembling of the hands, head, voice, legs, or body. Over 42 million people worldwide including children have ET, the largest movement disorder in the world. Recent research indicates that 5 out of every 100 children under the age of 20 has Essential Tremor. DSF works with people worldwide to show that ET is an international progressive disorder. We are unwavering to assist families with our Programs to find a cause and cure. ET can begin at any age, from birth to 100 and doesn't discriminate with age, race, sex, or national origin.

Your tax-deductible donation to DSF supports all the DSF Programs

- **GLOBAL ESSENTIAL TREMOR AWARENESS PROGRAM:** Team DSF Global ET Awareness Program will bring the term Essential Tremor along with education and awareness to the world.
- **FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM:** The Family Assistance Program is a short-term program that will assist families in finding new jobs, learn new skills, feed their families, pay their mortgage/rent and medical bills, The Program is designed to help people who lose their jobs or have a hardship because they have uncontrollable tremors. The DSF Family Assistance Program, which is the first of its kind for families suffering from hardships related to Essential Tremor, is designed as a short-term assistance program while families reestablish their income and health needs.
- **ET MEDICAL RESEARCH PROGRAM:** Team DSF Medical Research Program is set-up to reveal the latest treatments for Essential Tremor whether it is the cutting-edge medications or surgeries and to find a cure for ET. DSF is determined to advance treatments that can slow, stop, or reverse the progression of Essential Tremor.
- **DSF NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVE PROGRAM for CHILDREN:** DSF Educational Initiative includes educating our school systems about Essential Tremor. Team DSF is working with Legislators and Educators on a pilot program to inform Principals, Teachers, and school Nurses about Essential Tremor. Helping them to identify and become aware of symptoms of ET in Children in their classrooms. Recent research indicates that 5 out of every 100 children under the age of 20 has Essential Tremor. That number is staggering, and represents a significant increase in the incidence of ET in children from even ten years ago.
- **STOP ET BULLYING PROGRAM:** Team DSF is adamant to stop the bullying of people afflicted with ET, not only children but people of all ages. ET is disability and the world needs to be educated. Most people don't understand ET so it brings on bullying because of ignorance.
- **SUICIDE AWARENESS ET PROGRAM:** Find Hope & Recovery You aren't alone. DSF is committed to help people who live each day with tremors find hope and recovery in their lives

DSF's Mission: Our mission is clear to find a cure for Essential Tremors

- **DSF is working with people of all ages, all genders, and all ethnic groups.**
- **DSF cares:** We will make a difference since Diann Shaddox/Founder has ET.
- We want to show that Essential Tremors isn't just for the elderly, but children of all ages have ET. We can bring people out of hiding and educate teachers so children and teens aren't bullied about their tremors. The stories are endless from people struggling with depression living with ET.
- We at DSF will make a difference in millions of people's lives and directly change the future for everyone who will inherit or develop Essential Tremors, but we can't do this without you.

Because of you, DSF will lead the way on how the world understands ET and find a cure through new research. Together we can make a difference. Please Donate