

# Attachment #8

## NCGS



### National Cooperative Growth Study

- NCGS houses the largest observational database of children with growth disorders in the world - with more than 30,000 patients enrolled at more than 400 research centers in the U.S. and Canada.
- More than 12 years of outcomes data have been collected by more than 600 participating investigators, encompassing more than 90,000 patient-years of experience.
- To date, nine separate NCGS substudies have been undertaken, investigating specific issues or patient populations, such as the role of growth hormone binding protein (NCGS VI) and the treatment of short stature associated with Turner syndrome (NCGS IX).
- NCGS investigators have 40 publications to their credit in peer-reviewed journals, including the *Journal of Pediatrics* and the *Journal of Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism*.
- Representing an unparalleled commitment to the pediatric endocrinology community, NCGS continues to evaluate growth disorders and growth hormone therapy.

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