

*HOOP-A-THON is a free throw basketball event to benefit HDSA. It brings together people of all ages to have fun and raise money to help find a cure for Huntington's Disease. Sponsored "Shooters" stand at the foul line and shoot free throws for 10 minutes, trying to sink as many baskets as they can.*

#### WHAT IS HUNTINGTON'S DISEASE?

Huntington's Disease is an inherited disorder resulting in slow and irreversible loss of both mental and physical capacity. There are 30,000 persons in the U.S. currently diagnosed with HD, and each of their siblings and children has a 50% chance of developing it. HD is a "family disease," not just because it profoundly affects the entire family emotionally, socially and financially. There are over 790,000 people in the U.S. impacted by the disease. HD, like Alzheimer's and Parkinson's, takes a person away from their loved ones and the rest of the world long before they die.

#### WHY HDSA?

The Huntington's Disease Society of America (HDSA) is a national not-for-profit voluntary health agency. The mission of HDSA is to promote and support research directed at discovering a treatment and ultimately a cure for HD; to help individuals affected by HD and their families through support and services; and to educate both public and health care professionals about HD.

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**DATE:** Sat. April 4, 2020

**TIME:** 10 A.M. – 3 P.M.

**LOCATION:** Fairfield Mercy  
Health Plex  
3050 Mack Road  
Fairfield, OH 45014

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