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Dear Colleagues and Friends

Our employee, colleague and friend, Dr Cyprian Kozyra, needs help.

In 2019, he was diagnosed with a very rare, malignant brain tumour, anaplastic meningioma. Unfortunately, the tumour tends to recur. In a short period, Cyprian has already undergone four surgeries. A complication after the third of these was a stroke, resulting in Cyprian losing his ability to speak. Thanks to rehabilitation, neurologists' help and hard work, he could communicate again. In November 2022, after another surgery, his language skills regressed again, and on top of that, he suffered right-sided paralysis, unable to move his right arm and leg.

At this point, Cyprian is struggling to regain his independence, which involves intensive motor and speech therapy rehabilitation.

Cyprian's family and friends are fighting to ensure that another surgery is unnecessary. The only hope is a targeted therapy. After consultations with Prof. Dr Cezary Szczylik, a world-class oncologist at the European Health Center in Otwock, Cyprian needs genetic testing to identify specific targets for the therapy. If a suitable drug can be selected (usually monoclonal antibodies or kinase inhibitors - not covered by reimbursement from the National Health Fund), this costs tens of thousands of zlotys.

We ask for your help in offering Cyprian the opportunity to return to relative fitness and dignified life and hope for a cure for the disease.

Contributions can be made to the account of the Foundation for the Development of the Wroclaw University of Economics (with the note: Donation for Cyprian Kozyra)

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