

## Urgent Need For A Cancer Protocol

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Barcelo and Keep Dx 12-23-15.pdf; Dr. Bastian report 3-12-19.pdf; Dr. Bastian CV.pdf; Dr. Dhir Final Signed report 6-9-20.pdf; Dr. Rajiv Dhir CV.pdf;

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My daughter had no skin lesions and no history of melanoma. We were misled to believe, by all her doctors, only that she simply had malignant melanoma (MM) and not any rare MUP. I did not discover the truth about the outrageous incompetence of these pathologists and the unnecessary death of my daughter until four years later, when I donated what I believed was her melanoma biopsy to nationally known cancer researcher Dr. Boris Bastian of UCSF on behalf of my daughter's skin cancer foundation, [larscaf.org](http://larscaf.org) (see her website for details). Dr. Bastian's analysis (attached) confirmed that Lori Ann Reigert died from untreated CCS, not melanoma.

On obtaining her medical records and the pathology report of Barcelo and Keep it was shocking and upsetting to see such an unprofessional and incoherent document (attached). In a matter of her life and death, they clearly failed their responsibility to the patient to provide a definitive diagnosis and, instead, speculated on a very rare MUP diagnosis or an ultra rare primary pleural melanoma **without FISH a test for the well known melanoma mimic, CCS, or an expert cancer pathologist second opinion.**

Subsequently, Dr. Rajiv Dhir was asked to perform an expert pathology peer review of all of Lori Ann Reigert's medical records. His report (attached) absolutely confirmed her CCS, both microscopically and through a molecular FISH test of her biopsy. Furthermore, he specifically determined that Barcelo and Keep were not only incompetent and careless but that they had also committed medical malpractice by failing the minimal standards of medical care for Lori Ann Reigert.

It is very likely that many past MUP deaths have actually been untreated CCS. Please consider if this had happened your son/daughter and urgently add the protocol mandate of a FISH test to rule out CCS

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whenever rare, internal melanomas are suspected/possible so that CCS patients have a chance to live and there can be a true accounting and more understanding of CCS.

Sincerely,  
John Reigert, father