

# State of South Carolina

## Governor's Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** 4p-/Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome is a rare genetic disorder characterized by atypical facial features, delayed physical and intellectual growth and development, and seizures; and

**WHEREAS,** while it is estimated that 4p-/Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome occurs in 1 in 50,000 births, the prevalence may be greater due to misdiagnosis or under-recognition, and the prognosis is dependent on case-specific features and severity; and

**WHEREAS,** there is no cure for the disorder which is generally managed through rehabilitation, communication therapy, and medication along with standard protocols for individual conditions.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim April 16, 2016, as**

### 4P-/WOLF-HIRSCHHORN SYNDROME AWARENESS DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to work together to raise awareness of this disease and to recognize the people it affects.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

**NIKKI R. HALEY**  
**GOVERNOR**  
**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**