CF is a multi-system disease that affects the lungs, gastrointestinal tract, pancreas and other organs.

75,000 PEOPLE
in North America, Europe and Australia have CF.

+1,000 new CF cases are diagnosed in the U.S. each year.

20 DAYS
per year

In 2014, people with CF in the U.S. spent an average of 20 days in the hospital.

2 to 3 HOURS

Number of hours each day people with CF spend on treatments and therapies.

AGE 2
75% of people with CF in the U.S. receive a diagnosis by age 2.

39 YEARS
Predicted lifespan for people with CF born in 2014.

Lung disease is the leading cause of death for people with CF.

Number of years by which predicted lifespan of a person living with CF in the U.S. has increased since 1999.

+10 years