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Setting and reaching goals is a proven path to success.

Polio survivors, some of whom spent months in a respiratory ward, practiced this truth relentlessly during their rehabilitation years ago. Now many of us have needed to set new goals as we adjust to living with the late effects of polio.

Well-run organizations have goals also, and Post-Polio Health International (PHI) is no exception. This is nothing unusual. But the current economic situation *is* something unusual.

With your continued support, PHI is determined to stay on course.

PHI and International Ventilators Users Network (IVUN) have always functioned on a tight budget and, like most of you, we have reduced expenses. Like you, we are determined to fulfill important commitments and weather this economic downturn.

The path we chose is to set a goal and to ask you to help us reach it. We are simply asking our Members and long-time friends to make a small, additional contribution of \$10 this year.

We can achieve our goal of raising \$17,000 if we each contribute at least an additional \$10 and renew our membership when the time comes in 2009.

Our ultimate goal is to continue to provide all of the services you find so worthy of support – comprehensive websites, authoritative newsletters, phone and email answer lines, support for medical research, constant advocacy, and periodic international conferences.

Do you know that behind the scenes we network extensively to bridge the gap between people with disabilities and healthcare professionals and that we provide informational support to many groups and individuals? We consistently receive feedback from polio survivors and ventilator users that both of these activities greatly improve their lives and independence.

Please help us reach our goal once again as we continue this important work.

With thanks,

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