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## LIGHT IT UP 4 HD - LIGHTING UP THE UNIVERSITY OF CYPRUS FOR HUNTINGTON DISEASE (HD) AWARENESS MONTH

The University of Cyprus participates in the international move entitled "Light it Up 4 HD", in the framework of the Huntington's Disease (HD) Awareness month in May 2021. The University House "Anastasios G. Leventis" is lighted up in blue between Friday 21st and Sunday 30th May 2021.



Amongst other events, significant buildings and monuments

worldwide will be lighted up in purple and blue (purple for Juvenile Huntington disease and blue for Huntington disease – HD), in several cities across Europe, the United States, Canada and Australia. In the context of this event, the Archaeological Research Unit of the University of Cyprus, the Cyprus Museum, the medieval castles of Larnaka and Paphos, and other public buildings throughout Cyprus will also be lighted up in purple and blue.

For further information, please visit:

https://www.huntingtonsociety.ca/lightitup4hd/

The University of Cyprus supports the efforts of the Huntington's Disease Association of Cyprus, which, in collaboration with the Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics, is dedicated to informing the general public and supporting individuals and families affected directly or indirectly by HD.





Through this move, the academic personnel and the administration of the University of Cyprus declare their dedication to the people of Cyprus and their wish to support efforts towards the promotion of a healthier and more humanistic society.

For further information regarding the Huntington's Disease (HD), click on the following link: <a href="http://www.hda.com.cy/">http://www.hda.com.cy/</a>

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