



Summit started in 2015
Seventh Summit

## What is NEON?

- Voluntary Regional (TX, OK) working group collaborating
- Goal: ensure that all NICU survivors maximize their potential
  - Quality, comprehensive developmental follow up care
  - Contribute to outcomes research
  - Track medical and neurodevelopmental outcomes: what is the trajectory?
  - Implement best evidence-based practices (Early CP diagnosis)
    - Dr. Nathalie Maitre and Dr. Andi Duncan
  - Advocate for continual care for survivors so they can cope with some of the longterm health and behavior impacts they may face
- http://neonatal-net.org/
  - Thanks to Judith Livingston, PhD, and her web-expert brother, Will Anglin, LLB, for being a part and helping NEON maintain and archive its history

Survival of the littlest: the long-term impacts of being born

extremely early: Beating the odds



Survivor born at 26 weeks gestation, now studying effects of prematurity for a PhD. "As a survivor of preterm birth, you beat so many odds."

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 Please use chat to let us know who you are and what you hoped to get from this Summit

• Please chat for questions or comments, we will be monitoring to assist with Q & A due to large numbers of registrants.