QUESTIONS TO ASK
IF YOU SUSPECT AN HH

Hope for HH has created a list of questions to help guide your conversation with your medical provider. These conversations can feel overwhelming and confusing. To maximize the time with your provider, we recommend you identify which questions best apply to your situation and use them as a starting point for the discussion. Being prepared can lessen the fear and improve collaboration.

1. Have you ever treated anyone with a hypothalamic hamartoma?
2. Are you familiar with gelastic or dacrystic seizures?
3. Why does my child laugh at inappropriate times?
4. Why does the laughter not seem genuine or occur while they are sleeping?
5. Why does my child get a funny look in their eyes and then attack a sibling without provocation?