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# Blue Faery

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## Meet Blue Faery Award recipient Dr. Snorri S. Thorgeirsson



Blue Faery is thrilled to announce that [Dr. Snorri S. Thorgeirsson](#) is the first recipient of the [Blue Faery Award for Excellence in Liver Cancer Research](#). With the help of our supporters, Blue Faery donated \$3,000 toward Dr. Thorgeirsson's innovative research as well as presented him with a commemorative Blue Faery Award plaque to honor his achievement. Upon receiving the award, Dr. Thorgeirsson stated, "I am of course aware and deeply respectful of your untiring dedication to advance research in liver cancer. This award is certainly a stimulus to vigorously continue our quest to conquer this dreadful disease."

An esteemed doctor who has dedicated his professional life to fighting liver cancer, Dr. Thorgeirsson has been with the [National Cancer Institute](#) since 1976. He is currently the Chief of the Laboratory of Experimental Carcinogenesis—a position he has held since 1981. Between 2007 and 2008, Dr. Thorgeirsson published 13 articles on HCC-related topics. Dr. Thorgeirsson's findings could help doctors tailor their treatments to specific types of HCC to more effectively fight the disease.

The award was announced on April 8—Adrienne Wilson's birthday. She would have been 23 years old this year if she had survived her battle with HCC.

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### Request Blue Faery's FREE educational brochures

As a reminder, our [HCC Patient Education Brochure](#) is free of charge to all patients, their families and their healthcare providers. The brochure is currently available in English, Spanish and Chinese; however, we are considering other translations in the near future. To request FREE brochures for your patients, please contact Vice President and (current) chair of Medical Research [Sherri Rose](#), and the brochures will be shipped at no charge. If your patients need information right away, they may download the brochure from our website at <http://www.bluefaery.org>.

### Learn about the [Celsion HEAT study](#)

Celsion Corporation is an oncology drug development company that develops targeted chemotherapeutic treatments based on a unique heat-activated liposomal technology. Celsion is currently enrolling patients in a global Phase III clinical trial—the HEAT Study—which is designed to demonstrate the safety and efficacy of ThermoDox® in hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) patients. The HEAT study involves an investigational anti-cancer drug, called ThermoDox®, used in combination with an approved medical device for radiofrequency ablation (RFA) in the liver. The study will be the largest investigation of RFA in HCC and will involve approximately 600 patients in over 40 research institutions in seven countries and regions. Details regarding the HEAT Study can be found at [www.clinicaltrials.gov](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov).

### Do you have a liver cancer news story?

[Email Andrea](#) if you have a story that you think would be of interest for our quarterly newsletter. Put "**Blue Faery Newsletter**" in the subject line, and we will consider it for our next edition.

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