

# ROAD MAP TO A CURE

**Emily Reagor lives in Leakey, Texas,  
and she has Rett Syndrome.**

Rett Syndrome is a genetic neurological disorder that almost exclusively affects girls.

It strikes randomly, typically at the age of 12 to 18 months, and is caused by random mutations of the *MECP2* gene on the X chromosome.

Rett Syndrome is devastating as it deprives young children of speech, hand use, normal movement often including the ability to walk.

Anxiety, seizures, tremors, breathing difficulties, severe gastrointestinal issues develop.

While their bodies suffer, it is believed that their cognitive abilities remain largely intact. Although most children survive to adulthood, they require total round-the-clock care.

Rett Syndrome Research Trust (RSRT) is a nonprofit organization with a mission to cure Rett Syndrome. 97% of all donations goes toward finding a cure.

By addressing the core cause of Rett, gene therapy has the potential to be a life-changer.

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