



Mixed Marrow: Saving Our People



Athena Mari Asklipiadis founded Mixed Marrow in 2009 because of the struggle mixed race patients face when trying to find blood cell and bone marrow donors. Unfortunately, It is not common knowledge that if a multi-racial patient needs a transplant, their parents and relatives are not likely to be a match. The website describes that mixed race is one of the largest growing minorities but we have the smallest registered donor percentage. It also goes on to state "The odds of a mixed race patient finding a match is less than 2%". ...Less than 2%! These numbers break my heart. With numbers like this we should all be lining up to register. If anything this should bring the multicultural community together...to fight for each other and to save each others lives. I cannot stress how

important it is to spread the word and to register yourself. Visit www.mixedmarrow.org for more information on what you can do to help.

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This is whats real, this should make the President rethink his racial classification, he put black down when he needs a transplant, he ain't gonna find a match.

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