## Report for WFN Huntington Disease Research Group

After the very successful 2007 World Congress of Huntington's Disease in Dresden Germany, planning is well underway for the 2009 World Congress of Huntington Disease to be held in Vancouver September 12<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>.

The WCHD is the major congress in HD with presentations from scientists, neurologists and other clinicians as well as the wider HD community including HD family members and support groups.S

The Congress committee is headed by Dr Michael Hayden and Dr Blair Leavitt of University of British Columbia, Vancouver, a major centre for HD research.

The Congress, a combined initiative of the WFN HD Research group, the International HD association and the Huntington Society of Canada has implications for management of other inherited predominantly adult onset neurodegenerative disease.

Registration will soon be available by visiting the Congress web site at

http://www.worldcongress-hd.net/html/2009