

**COE, International Hyperinsulinism Center  
Hans Christian Andersen Children's Hospital  
Odense University Hospital, Denmark  
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Why COE  
designation  
matters

# Reputation

- Referral of patients
- Grant applications
- Attracts new staff members and young researchers
- Strengthens CHI center priorities at the department and hospital
- Attractive as study site for medical companies

# Collaboration

- Strengthens bonds to Congenital Hyperinsulinism International
  - Core Research Network
    - Top focus to avoid brain damage inspires to research in universal screening
    - Other research in collab. with CHI CRN
  - HI registry

# Future

- Next generation staff
- More research (genetics, screening, imaging, surgery ...)
- Implementation of newest knowledge in patient care
- Referrals