

Kingsley (written by his mom, Summer)

Kingsley Larsen was born on September 17th, 2008 and had a seizure nine hours after birth. He spent 48 days in the NICU at Children's Hospital Colorado and was diagnosed with a severe form of epilepsy and developmental delays. He is still undiagnosed to this day. Many doctors along our journey were not confident Kingsley would live to the age of one. We just recently celebrated his 9th birthday, a milestone we never dreamed would occur.

Our family was introduced to CFCE in November 2012, and it has made such an immense difference in our family's life! Kingsley started doing things we never thought we would see him do. Simple things like raising his arms and head on command were the moments we will never forget seeing for the first time. Kingsley has made great strides in his development; he has gained a lot of strength, which has led to him being able to eat a modified oral diet without the risk of aspiration. He absolutely LOVES his CFCE teachers, especially when they sing him songs and teach him arts and crafts so he can bring them home and see them on the refrigerator. We as a family, have been introduced to many new activities we can now do with him at home in our spare time and he loves to show off! We are so grateful for CFCE and are so proud to be a part of such an amazing organization!

