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Dear Rett Community,

Every day, families navigating Rett syndrome face unique challenges, and yet, they continue to reimagine what's possible. Building on that spirit, Acadia created Rett-Ventures – community-driven experiences designed to bring meaningful, joyful, and empowering activities directly to families.

Inspired by *Magnolia's Guide to Adventuring*, Rett-Ventures celebrate what individuals with Rett syndrome can do, emphasizing inclusion, connection, and discovery. As you know, adventure isn't measured by distance, it's measured by possibility. From a stroll in the park or a visit to a splash pad, to swimming, horseback riding, or hiking, every Rett-Venture reminds us that the community's "can" is stronger than its "can't."

In collaboration with the YMCA, Acadia is launching Rett-Ventures open swim events in communities across the U.S. in 2025–2026. Each event will feature swimming, arts & crafts, and opportunities for families to connect, all in welcoming, trusted spaces families already know.

Acadia selected the YMCA because of their shared commitment to improving lives and promoting inclusive wellness. The Y's national reach and expertise in inclusivity make them an ideal partner to support families impacted by Rett syndrome.

As Rett-Ventures grow, so will the opportunities for your community to share experiences that empower, inspire, and celebrate what's possible for those living with Rett syndrome.

To learn more about Rett-Ventures, see the full list of events, and register for an event in your area, please visit <u>rettrevealed.com/events</u>.

As always, thank you for all you do.

Sincerely, The Acadia Rett Team