

Invent Idaho touches hundreds of students' lives every year, but let me take a moment to share with you the significant impact the Invent Idaho program had on one special little boy's life. Carson Magee found out that he had Type I diabetes—a devastating revelation, especially for a nine-year-old boy. Yet Carson chose to make the best of a difficult situation by entering the Invent Idaho competition with his invention called “Swipe and Wipe”, which is an improvement on the way diabetics give themselves injections. Little did Carson and his family know where this invention would take him! Because of the media coverage for his Best of Show win at the Invent Idaho State competition, Carson was selected to appear on the Nickelodeon Television Show “Figure It Out”, for which he and his family received an all-expenses-paid trip to Hollywood for the filming. In addition, Carson was selected as the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation's Ambassador and poster child. Invent Idaho is changing lives!



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