



FREQUENTLY ANSWERED QUESTIONS REGARDING OUR 2021 PATIENT AND FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

What is the schedule for the 2021 Living Rare, Living Stronger NORD Patient and Family Forum?

Living Rare, Living Stronger will take place the weekend of June 26 and 27 right in your own home. The agenda is still being developed so please check back regularly for updates.

Is there a detailed agenda available?

Yes, you may view the latest version of the agenda [here](#). Please note that you will be asked for basic contact information before downloading the agenda.

What are the criteria needed to apply?

- Individuals must be either a patient or caregiver living with rare disease.
- Individuals should have a financial need to attend.
- Families need to apply as individual members.

How do I apply for a scholarship award?

- Each applicant must complete the entire application form – [Patient Scholarship Application](#)
- Applications are accepted on a rolling basis through June 11, 2021.
- Questions should be directed to the NORD Scholarship team at scholarship@rarediseases.org.

When will I be notified?

- All applicants will be notified of their determination on a first come, first serve rolling basis.
- Applicants must register for the program, using a discount code that will be provided upon acceptance one week of notification. A date will be mentioned in your acceptance email.

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How will the scholarships be awarded?

- Scholarships are awarded on a rolling admission basis thru Friday, June 11, 2021.
- Recipients are patients and caregivers who need financial assistance to attend.
- Each scholarship recipient will receive an award letter via email specifying his or her award details. The letter will include instructions for accepting your award.
- Registration: Once an award is accepted, you will be given instructions on how to register to attend the Living Rare Forum.

I have additional questions. Whom may I contact?

You may contact the NORD Scholarship team via email at scholarship@rarediseases.org or by calling Jaime Pacheco, Development & Events Associate, at 475.289.6850.