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ON RARE DISEASE DAY®  
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# WELCOME TO RARE DISEASE DAY® TRIVIA!



[rarediseaseday.us](https://rarediseaseday.us)

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# ROUND 1



## Question 1:

How many rare diseases are there?

1,000

4,500

7,000+





## Question 2:

How many Americans live with a rare disease?

1 Million

25-30 Million

10 Billion





## Question 3:

What day is Rare Disease Day this year?

February 1, 2020

February 29, 2020

March 1, 2020



## Question 4:

In what year did NORD introduce Rare Disease Day in the US?

1802

1995

2009



## Question 5:

How many countries participate in Rare Disease Day?

80+

2

65





## Question 6:

# What is NORD's tagline?

Let's fight rare together.

Alone we are rare. Together we are strong.

Be rare, be ready.





## Question 7:

What is the NORD website?

[rarediseases.org](http://rarediseases.org)

[raredisorders.org](http://raredisorders.org)

[rd.org](http://rd.org)



## Question 8:

# What is considered a rare disease in the United States?

A disease that affects fewer than 200,000 people.

A disease that affects less than one in a million people.

A disease without a cure.



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# ROUND 2

## Question 9:

What is another term used for a rare disease?

Unusual illness

All by myself sickness

Orphan disease





## Question 10:

When was a rare disease last discovered?

2014

2015

New rare diseases are discovered every year.



## Question 11:

What are most rare diseases caused by?

Skateboarding

Accidents

Genes





## Question 12:

How long does it take many people living with a rare disease to get a diagnosis?

One day

One month

A year to five years





## Question 13:

Some rare diseases may seem more familiar than others. Which of the following is NOT a rare disease?

Cystic fibrosis

Lou Gehrig's disease

Alzheimer's disease



## Question 14:

While cancer may seem like a common disease, there are actually many rare cancers. Which of these is rare?

Skin

Lung

All pediatric cancers





## Question 15:

Which cuddly name is given to a very not-cuddly rare disease?

Teddy Bears

PANDAS

Kitty Cats



## Question 16:

What does the acronym NORD stand for?

National Organization for Rare Disorders

National Organization for Rare Dinosaurs

National Association of Rare Disorders



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# ROUND 3

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Europa Cares

EURORDIS

European Disease Group



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## Question 18:

What is the mascot of rare diseases?

Elephant

Zebra

Tiger





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## Question 19:

How many species of zebras are there?

3

4

6



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## Question 20:

# Zebras travel together as...

Packs

Herds

Alone



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## Question 21:

### Zebras are native to...

The United States

England

Africa



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## Question 22:

Zebras are part of which family?

Equidae

Giraffids

Bovidae



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## Question 23:

How many zebras' stripes are alike?

0

2

10



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## Question 24:

Zebras' striped coats make them immune to...

Getting cold

Getting sunburned

Losing their stripes



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# ROUND 4



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We Care for Rare

Rare Caregiver Respite Program

Caregivers Unite



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Together with PlatformQ Health, NORD provides accredited online programming for health care professionals through which program?

CME

EDU

RARE U





## Question 27:

What percentage of rare diseases are without an FDA-approved treatment?

10%

75%

90%





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For many rare diseases, signs may be observed when?

At the grocery store

At birth or during childhood

While watching TV



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Really Awesome Network

RareAction Network<sup>®</sup>

Rarely Active Network



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Sears

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10

30

50



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Red, yellow, green

Orange, black, gold

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