

# LYSOSOMAL STORAGE DISORDER SUPPORT EWSLETTERS

Available online and in print

A patient support group is available for your condition; their friendly teams are always happy to work with you and to answer any questions you may have. They can offer help in many ways. Please see overleaf for more details.



### Have questions?

- Providing up-to-date information and advice
- Support for newly diagnosed people
- Providing information on housing, education, work and respite care
- Help with information about travel and insurance
- How to set up a care plan with your GP and/or social services
- Dealing with homecare issues

## Feeling alone?

- Putting you in touch with other people with the same condition
- Visiting you at home or attending clinic appointments with you
- Simply being there if you need to talk

## Know your rights?

- When you need someone to join you at an important meeting
- When you want to make a complaint
- Writing letters to support your case
- Advice on mobility and transport issues

## Know what to ask?

- Completing benefit claim forms and making appeals
- Getting your home adapted for your needs
- Accessing specialist equipment
- Completing grant applications

On the next page is a list of support groups; ask your medical team to highlight the group that is appropriate for your condition.

Association for Glycogen Storage Disease Registered Charity No 1132271	<b>AGSD-UK</b> PO BOX 1233 Bristol BS48 9DD	Tel: 0300 123 2790 info@agsd.org.uk www.agsd.org.uk Pompe Disease McArdle Disease Glycogen Storage Disease
Registered Charity No. 1084908 - Scotland SC047408	<b>Batten Disease Family Assn.</b> 209-211 City Road London EC1V 1JN	Tel: 07876 682 589 support@bdfa-uk.org.uk www.bdfa-uk.org.uk Batten Disease
CURE & ACTION FOR TAKSACHS FOUNDATION Registered Charity No 1144543	<b>Cure and Action for Tay-Sachs</b> 94 Milborough Crescent, Lee, London, SE12 ORW	info@cats-foundation.org www.cats-foundation.org Tay-Sachs Disease Sandhoff Disease
Gauchers ASSOCIATION Registered Charity No 1095657	<b>Gauchers Association</b> 8 Silver Street, Dursley Gloucestershire GL11 4ND	Tel: 01453 549231 ga@gaucher.org.uk www.gaucher.org.uk Gaucher Disease
Krabbe uk Registered Charity No 1174472, SC047927	Krabbe UK	Tel: 07766 558 480 info@krabbeuk.org www.krabbeuk.org Krabbe Disease
SUPPORT ASSOCIATION UK Registered Charity Number 1150542	<b>MLD Support Association</b> Floor 5 Amphenol Business Complex Thanet Way, Whitstable CT5 3SB	Tel: 07977 440809 admin@mldsupportuk.org.uk Metachromatic Leukodystrophy Disease
Registered Charity Nos 1143472, SCO41012	<b>MPS Society</b> MPS House, Repton Place, White Lion Road, Amersham HP7 9LP	Tel: 0345 389 9901 mps@mpssociety.org.uk www.mpssociety.org.uk Mucopolysaccharide, ML, MLD, Fabry and related Lysosomal diseases
Registered Charity No 1144406	<b>Niemann-Pick UK</b> Suite 2, Vermont House, Concord, Washington, Tyne and Wear, NE37 2SQ	Tel: 0191 415 0693 info@npuk.org www.npuk.org Niemann-Pick Diseases
<b>POMPE</b> SUPPORT NETWORK Registered Charity No 1186383	<b>Pompe Support Network</b> 43a North Lane, Buriton Petersfield Hampshire GU31 5RS	Tel: 01730 231554 hello@pompe.uk www.pompe.uk Pompe Disease