

Community Connection Scholarship

In honor of **Rare Disease Day**, Bionews is celebrating the power of advocacy and connection. We believe meaningful change happens when the community comes together to share stories, learn, and build lifelong bonds.

We are proud to help make these moments possible with the **Bionews Community Connection Scholarship**, providing rare disease patients and caregivers with resources to attend the advocacy or medical conferences that matter most to them.

What are the scholarship details?

Two (2) scholarships will be awarded to cover expenses to attend a chosen advocacy or medical conference, **up to \$2,500**.



Event
Registration



Travel
Expenses



Hotel
Accommodation

Who should apply?



PATIENTS

If you're living with a rare disease and want to connect with others who understand your journey.



CAREGIVERS

If you're caring for someone with a rare condition and seeking to expand your knowledge.

How do I submit my story?

- Scan the QR code and share your story, including why attending a meeting would make a difference for you.
- Applicants must be 18+ and located in the United States.
- Submissions will be accepted through March 6, 2026.
- Stories will be selected by mid-March.
- Finalists will be invited to a short video conversation with a Bionews team member.

