



Pfizer Healthcare Ireland

Patient Association Funding Disclosure 2016

Pfizer has implemented a standard approach for full transparency of grants and donations to patient organisations.

With this commitment, we are among the leading biopharmaceutical companies to embrace a policy of full transparency for grants and donations to patient organisations across all countries in Europe.

We are committed to operating with the highest standards of ethical, transparent and responsible conduct in all aspects of our business, including our relationships with patient advocacy groups. We will continue our efforts to lead industry standards and practices in ways that meet society's expectations of us.

Arthritis Ireland

Arthritis Ireland is a national member's organisation dedicated to improving the quality of life of people living with arthritis. Their vision is to inform, enable and empower people with arthritis and those who care for them. In 2016 Pfizer contributed €8,000 towards the printing of patient information booklets.

Cystic Fibrosis Association of Ireland - Dublin West Branch

CF Ireland (CFI) is a voluntary organisation that was set up by parents in 1963 to improve the treatment and facilities for people with Cystic Fibrosis in Ireland. The main services and functions of CF Ireland include funding towards new Cystic Fibrosis units around the country; advocacy to shape government policy and campaigning to improve lung transplantation rates in Ireland; and increasing public awareness about Cystic Fibrosis and the provision of advice, information and advocacy for patients and their families. In 2016, Pfizer provided a donation of €1,200 to CFI to support their services and functions.

Friends of St. Patricks' Hospital, Waterford

The money donated to The Friends of St. Patricks' Hospital, Waterford is currently been used to purchase beds, chairs and enhance the areas used by patients. It is their aim to keep St. Patrick's as comfortable and as homely as possible. In 2016, PHI provided a charitable donation of €2,029 to support this cause.



Irish Heart Foundation

The Irish Heart Foundation is the national charity fighting heart disease and stroke. Their vision is that every person living in Ireland will live a long, active and healthy life free from heart, stroke and blood vessel disease. Their mission is to lead in improving the cardiovascular health of people living in Ireland so they do not experience disability or die from preventable heart, stroke and other blood vessel diseases. In 2016 Pfizer supported educational and awareness activities of the IHF including an AF public awareness campaign, GP education and AF screening programme through grants totalling €118,500. In addition IHF received €30,500 for contracted services (public health screening, nutrition tours and schools education programmes) during Healthy Town 2016. The sum of €5,000 was provided to the Irish Heart Foundation's Annual Stroke Conference in April 2016. The conference is an important event that brings together relevant stakeholders involved in stroke care in Ireland.

The Irish Haemophilia Society

The Irish Haemophilia Society was founded in 1968 by members of the medical profession, people with haemophilia, their families and friends, who felt the need to provide support and advice for members and to improve the quality of life for people with haemophilia. The Society provides services and support to members and non-members who have inherited bleeding disorders. In 2016, Pfizer provided a charitable donation of €14,000 which was used to help fund some of the Society's events and activities throughout the year, including the Annual General Meeting and Conference, Parents Conference, and Members Conference.

The Irish Hospice Foundation

The Irish Hospice Foundation is a national charity devoted to all matters of death, dying and bereavement. It relies solely on voluntary donations and fundraising to maintain its programmes. Pfizer Healthcare Ireland provided funding of €500 to this worthy cause by way of charitable donation.

IPPOSI – Irish Platform for Patient Associations, Science and Industry

IPPOSI is a unique partnership of Patient Groups/Charities, Science and Industry. As a patient led partnership, the platform provides a structured way of facilitating interaction between the three key membership groups -patients' organisations, scientists and industry (and where possible with State Agencies) on policy, legislation and regulation around the development of new medicines, products,



devices and diagnostics for unmet medical needs in Ireland. In 2016 Pfizer supported IPPOSI by way of corporate sponsorships in support of educational activities totalling €2,500.

Irish Skin Foundation

The aim of the Irish Skin Foundation (ISF) is to support in all ways possible, to advocate on behalf of, to educate all involved with, and to bring comfort to those affected by skin disease in Ireland, their families and their carers. In 2016, Pfizer supported the expansion of the availability of the patient helpline through charitable contributions totalling €20,000.

Irish Society for Crohn's & Colitis (ISCC)

In 2016, Pfizer provided a monetary charitable contribution of €41,125 to the Irish Society for Crohn's & Colitis to allow them appoint a part-time office manager support to patients who are living with inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) in Ireland. Such support will allow ISCC to offer telephone support, patient information leaflets and lobby on behalf of IBD patients.

Laura Lynn Children's Hospice

In 2016, Pfizer supported the Laura Lynn Children's Hospice by way of a charitable donation in the sum of €10,000. Laura Lynn is Ireland's only hospice for children, providing critical respite and end-of-life care to children with life-conditions and their families, both here at our hospice and in the comfort of their own home.

Marie Keating Foundation

The Marie Keating Foundation (MKF) aims to be a leading voice in cancer awareness and information for both men and women in Ireland. MKF provides information on all the key cancers, including breast cancer, cervical cancer, throat cancer, lung cancer, skin cancer, prostate cancer, testicular cancer and bowel cancer. MKF is dedicated to 'making cancer less frightening by enlightening' and their vision is a future free from the fear of cancer. In 2016 Pfizer made charitable donations of €30,498 to MKF in support of the Powering Pink project and an MBC Cancer Day event.

Medical Research Charities Group

The Medical Research Charities Group (MRCG) is an umbrella group of medical research and patient support charities, which originally formed to represent the joint interests of charities specialising in restoring health through medical research, diagnosis and treatment and, where possible, the prevention of disease. In 2016 Pfizer supported the members' communication workshops, which



covered topics such as using your smartphone to create and edit professional web videos and communication for scientists, with a grant of € 5,000.

Mid-Western Cancer Foundation

The Mid-Western Cancer Foundation was founded by Professor R. K. Gupta, Consultant Medical Oncologist and Director of Cancer Services at the University Hospital Limerick. The aim of the group is to streamline donations and provide holistic care for patients with cancer in the mid-west region, in addition to ongoing research support. In 2016, a grant of €5000 was given to the Mid-Western Cancer Foundation in support of their educational activities.

NET Patient Network

NET Patient Network is an organisation of Neuroendocrine Tumour (NET) patients in Ireland. NET Patient Network provides information and support services for NET patients throughout the country. Their mission statement is to 'give a voice to NETs patients in Ireland, to advocate for best medical practice and best service levels, and to connect patients within a supportive familial atmosphere utilising past patient experiences'. In 2016, Pfizer provided an educational grant of €2,200 to support the national patient information and education day which aims to increase understanding of the disease and impart practical advice for patients and those living with NET.

Turner Contact Group Ireland

Turner Contact Group Ireland is a voluntary organisation that offers support, information and advice to patients and families living with Turners Syndrome. In 2016, Pfizer supported the Turner Group through a charitable donation of €1000.

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