

Jeffrey Modell Foundation



World Immunodeficiency Network

The World Immunodeficiency Network (WIN) grant was created to support the outstanding efforts of global patient organizations that work tirelessly to unite and strengthen the PI community. WIN grants are awarded to organizations that provide meaningful support, encouragement, and assistance in developing awareness activities, educational materials and conferences, family days, advocacy efforts, and more to improve quality of life.

To date, JMF has awarded WIN grants to patient organizations in over 44 countries. To apply, download the application. Note: the maximum award amount is \$5,000.

[Download the application](#)

WIN Program Policies:

1. Eligibility Policy

Eligible applicants must be global patient organizations working with Primary Immunodeficiency (PI) patients, physicians, or the general public. Applicants must:

Plan events focused on PI, such as:

- Camping retreats
- Amusement park visits
- Zoo trips
- Sporting event outings
- Year-end holiday celebrations
- World Primary Immunodeficiency Week (WPIW) events
- Multi-city virtual or in-person events (specific dates and cities required)
- Patient outreach, family education, or social engagements.

Eligible activities include:

- PI education seminars
- PI-focused communication campaigns (print or digital)
- Virtual PI events
- PI scientific meetings
- Other activities (reviewed individually).

Submit:

- A detailed budget breakdown.
- Event dates and project descriptions (including agenda, venue names, and expected attendance).
- A waiver form to release JMF from legal responsibility during the event.
- A letter of support from an immunologist or medical institution.

2. Submission Timeline Policy

- Applications must be submitted at least 6 months prior to the planned event.
- Events must focus on PI and include patients or immunologists.
- Applications received less than 21 days before the event will not be considered.

3. Award Frequency Policy

- Applicants are eligible for one WIN award every 12 months.

4. Expense Budget Policy

Only pre-approved expenses outlined in the award letter are eligible, including:

- Venue rentals
- Food/catering
- Admission tickets
- Transportation
- Event advertising
- Digital platforms (e.g., Zoom)
- Website design for patient services
- Educational materials
- Gifts, trips, and entertainment
- Books and videos
- Other expenses reviewed individually.

5. Currency Conversion Policy

- All expenses must be converted to USD and included in the application budget.

6. Documentation Requirements Policy

Applicants must submit:

- Quotes, invoices or receipts for all approved expenses.
- Completed ACH Transfer form with:
 - Bank Name
 - Account Number
 - Bank Address
 - SWIFT Code (international transfers)
 - Routing Number (domestic transfers)
 - IBAN (international banks)
 - Account Holder Name,
 - Account Holder Address
 - Account Holder Email
 - Citizenship ID Number (for international applicants)
 - RUC number for non-profit organizations.
 - Indian Financial System Code (IFSC for applicants from India).

7. Administrative Timelines Policy

- Applications reviewed within 14–21 days of submission.
- Payments processed within 30 days of approval and receipt of banking details.

8. Expense Documentation Policy

- Applicants must document expenses and provide:
 - Payment receipts
 - Reservation receipts
 - Transportation receipts (if applicable)
 - Other receipts (reviewed individually).

9. Communication Policy

- Send inquiries and documentation to Win@jmfworld.org
- All payment requests must also be submitted to this address.

10. General Program Guidelines Policy

- Retain copies of all expenses-related documents during the event.
- Complete the ACH payment form in the award letter for reimbursements.
- Confirm receipt of payment upon deposit.

11. Indemnification Policy

The recipient of assistance through the World Immunodeficiency Network (WIN) program (hereinafter referred to as "Recipient") agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Jeffrey Modell Foundation, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and affiliates (collectively, the "Foundation") from and against any and all claims, liabilities, damages, losses, or expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs) arising out of or in any way connected with the Recipient's participation in the WIN program. This indemnification includes, but is not limited to, any claims arising from the Recipient's actions, omissions, or use of the assistance provided by the Foundation. The Recipient acknowledges that the Foundation provides assistance on an "as-is" basis and makes no warranties or representations regarding the suitability or effectiveness of the assistance provided.

These policies ensure transparency, accountability, and efficiency in managing the WIN program, fostering stronger support for the global PI community.