Who We Are: American Liver Foundation

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American Liver Foundation (ALF) is a national community of patients, caregivers and medical professionals dedicated to helping people improve their liver health. Providing guidance and life-saving resources, we are a beacon for the 100 million Americans affected by liver disease. We advocate for patients and families, fund medical research and educate the public about liver wellness and disease prevention. We bring people together through our educational programs and events and create a network of support that lasts a lifetime. ALF is the largest organization focused on all liver diseases and the trusted voice for patients and families living with liver disease.

Support/Free National Helpline

ALF can help you find services, resources, physicians and ongoing clinical trials in your local area. We also host several virtual support groups, including monthly support groups for liver patients, transplant recipients and caregivers which are moderated by a licensed social worker. Our Helpline is free and available by phone or online chat. Interpretation services are also available.

1-800-GO-LIVER (465-4837) or liverfoundation.org/supportgroups

Research

ALF research funding has provided more than \$1.3 million to innovative research in the last two years, supporting 27 young investigators and scientists.

The American Liver Foundation Patient Registry is the first-ever patient registry for all types of liver diseases. It helps provide researchers with a better understanding of liver diseases, the impact of current treatments, and how liver disease affects patients. Until now, there has not been one central place where researchers interested in liver disease can access information on a patient's disease history and more importantly, how patients are managing their disease and its often-debilitating symptoms and associated conditions such as diabetes, heart disease and obesity. patientregistry.liverfoundation.org

Advocacy

Together with volunteers and coalition partners, we advocate on behalf of liver patients, their caregivers and all those affected by liver disease for increased federal research funding, public health education, and improved patient treatments and coverage. Become an ALF Advocate today and join us in these efforts. liverfoundation.org/advocacy

Programs & Special Events

ALF offers a variety of free liver health education programs for patients, caregivers and professionals. We also host a wide range of fundraising events that bring local communities together in support of our mission. To view upcoming programs and events, visit: liverfoundation.org/events.

To learn more about ALF, scan the QR code below. For a complete list of our free resources, please visit: liverfoundation.org/resource-center.

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For questions about liver wellness and disease, or for emotional support to patients at the point of crisis and information on local resources including physician referrals, please contact our Helpline at 1-800-465-4837.



