THALASSAEMIA INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION

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TIF'S GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

General Members' profile:

General members are Patients/parents' associations with a specific interest in thalassaemia.

Benefits for General Members:

- 10% reduction in registration fees for TIF's regional conference for 5 members per General member association
- 15% reduction in registration fees for TIF's international conferences for 5 members per General member association
- Opportunities to participate in activities in the context of TIF's educational programme*
- Organise local or national educational events with TIF's support provided the membership fees are addressed timely and appropriately
- Have the opportunity to become voting members with all the related benefits
- Free subscription to TIF Magazine (2 times per year)
- Receive all new TIF publications free of charge as soon as they are released.
- Regular updates about upcoming conferences, news and reports of TIF's current and planned activities
- Support in associations' capacity building, advocacy skills and competences provided membership fees are addressed timely and appropriately

(i) Commercial companies and other organisations:

- Advertising in TIF Magazine at special reduced rates
- Priority in participating in and promoting their work through TIF's educational programme* by presenting or having a booth, or distributing material on subjects related to thalassaemia and other haemoglobinopathies which fall into their field of specialty
- Participate in the educational programme* at reduced rates
- Participate in TIF's international conferences with a 10% reduction in registration fees
- Company's logo uploaded on TIF's Social Media (Facebook, Twitter) if supporting a TIF activity
- Opportunity to meet once a year with the TIF management and/or members of the Board

(ii) Individuals (medical professionals and others):

- Opportunity to contribute to the educational programme*
- Opportunity to contribute to the preparation, publishing, translating and/or distribution of TIF's education materials**
- Participation in educational events as lecturers
- Publication of their work in TIF Magazine and on the TIF website
- Support for training locally or abroad opportunities for sponsorship



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Opportunities for support for conducting short-term projects (max. 1 year)

To find out more about any of the above benefits, please contact the TIF office:

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Every new member to our Federation is considered a valuable partner in the worldwide struggle for the promotion of control programmes for thalassaemia. Every new member adds up to the strengthening of the 'Patients/parents' voice', locally, nationally, regionally and internationally for further accessibility to appropriate quality treatment.

- * **Educational programme:** the organisation of events e.g. delegation visits, workshops, seminars and conferences at local, regional, national and international level.
- ** Educational material: material produced by TIF in the form of books, leaflets, magazines and posters.

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