**2025 JEANS FOR GENES GRANT PROGRAMME**

**STRAND 2 – PROJECT FUNDING**

Thank you for your interest in applying for a grant from the Jeans for Genes Grant Programme. Before completing this application form, please make sure that you have thoroughly read the *2025 Jeans for Genes Grant Programme – Guidance for Applicants*.

Please email your signed and completed application form to grants@jeansforgenes.org between 3rd February and 14th March 2025.

Applications received by email after midnight on the 14th of March 2025 will not be considered

* **I have read the 2025 Jeans for Genes Grant Programme - Guidance for Applicants and confirm that the organisation submitting this application meets the eligibility criteria for a grant.**
1. **Contact details (who we should contact regarding this application)**

**Full name:**

**Position in organisation:**

**Email address:**

**Phone number:**

1. **Details of organisation**

**Organisation name:**

**Registered address:**

**Registered charity number:**

**Registered company number (if applicable):**

**Date established:**

**Website address:**

**Social media handles:**

**How many full-time equivalent staff does your organisation employ?**

**How many volunteers does your organisation have?**

**How many trustees currently sit on your board?**

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| Please provide a description of the overall aims of your organisation and the services you provide. (We do not need you to provide details of the specific project/activity you are seeking funding for. We will ask you for more details on this later in the application form). **(max. 500 words)** |
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| Please explain why your organisation is well placed to meet the needs of the community you support. **(max. 300 words)** |
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| Please tell us what diversity, equity and inclusion means for your organisation and what you are doing to progress in these areas? **(max 300 words)** |
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1. **Your Beneficiaries**

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| Please tell us about the genetic condition(s) affecting the individuals and families you support. Please provide an estimate of how many people in the UK are affected by the condition(s), what challenges they face and what they can achieve with the right support in place. (**max. 500 words**)  |
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1. **Finances**

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| Please give a brief overview of your organisation’s finances for the previous year including:* Your total annual income in your last financial accounting period.
* Your total annual expenditure in your last financial accounting period.
* A note regarding your level of reserves with respect to your reserves policy.
* Please include a copy of your most recent annual reports and accounts with your application.

**(max 500 words)** |
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1. **About your project**

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| Please tell us about your proposed project. For example, what activities will you deliver, how many people will directly and indirectly benefit and how does the project align to Jeans for Genes’ impact goal and funding priorities? **(max 300 words)** |
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| Please tell us the difference you hope your project will make by listing up to three intended outcomes you would like it to achieve. We will review your project outcomes to see how they fit with our funding priorities and contribute to the overall impact goal of this funding strand which is: ***appropriate support is available for all individuals living with a genetic condition and their families when needed, so that they feel supported, valued and included.*** |
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| How do you intend to track the progress your project has made towards achieving the outcome(s) you have set? **(max 300 words)** |
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| Please tell us:* How much your project will cost in total and provide a full breakdown of all the costs involved in delivering it including staff costs and a reasonable percentage of overheads if relevant.
* The amount of funding requested in this application
* Other funds secured to date.
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1. **Bank details**

If your application is successful, please provide details of the account you wish the grant to be paid into.All organisations that receive a grant from us must have a bank or building society account in the name of the organisation as shown in your governing document. Note: payments from this account must be authorised by at least two people who are not related.

**Please confirm that payments from this account must be authorised by two unrelated signatories**

**Please also provide a photocopy of a bank statement less than three months old.**

Bank name and address:

Account name:

Account number:

Sort code:

1. **Confirmation and Declaration**
* I confirm that the Organisation has Child and Vulnerable Adult Protection Policies (where appropriate), and copies are attached to this application. I also confirm that this policy is complied with and that DBS checks are carried out, where necessary.

* I declare that I am authorised to make this application on behalf of my organisation and the information included in the application is correct.
* I understand that the contact details provided on this form will be used to contact me in connection with this application and, if my organisation is awarded a grant, the grant award and any subsequent review and evaluation. I understand that Jeans for Genes may have to share data to comply with legal charity reporting requirements, or as part of external auditing requirements.

We would also like to provide you with updates about The Jeans for Genes Grant Programme and any new funding opportunities. If you are happy for us to contact you, please indicate below:

**Jeans for Genes may contact me by**:  Phone: Y/N Email: Y/N Post: Y/N

Applicant name:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_