

Aniridia Foundation International

Supporter Program



Thank you for your interest in becoming a part of Aniridia Foundation International (AFI) and our mission –

to unite the Aniridia Syndrome community, physicians, and researchers, to work together towards advancing knowledge and sight saving treatments through research, education, and ultimately a cure. In addition to our research / education programs, the AFI provides crucial support to those with Aniridia Syndrome and their families.

The AFI is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization without a paid staff, so we depend on our dedicated registered supporters, volunteers and donors to power our mission.

Each year during Low Vision Awareness Month in February, AFI has its annual campaign for our registered supporters to reaffirm their commitment to our mission by renewing their supporter registration.

Steps to become a registered supporter of Aniridia Foundation International:

- Read through our supporter levels to select which is right for you and your family.
 See the details in this brochure about the benefits you receive with each level.
- 2. Download our online registration form at make-a-miracle.org ("Join Us" link) and fill out your information.
- 3. Send in the form, along with your annual fee payment either online or by mail before the deadline.
- 4. Set up your monthly giving according to your selected level online through our secure portal.
- 5. Consider becoming a volunteer.
 Fill out our volunteer application at make-a-miracle.org.
 Every registered supporter can be a part AFI's mission of helping the Aniridia Syndrome Community build a brighter future!

Once you've completed these steps, you will receive confirmation that your registration has been processed.

Depending on the Circle Level, benefits of becoming a registered supporter of the AFI include:

- Genetic testing to enable registered supporters to participate in specific research and clinical trials.
- Invitations to our medical & scientific "Make a Miracle" conferences with experts in Aniridia Syndrome.
- An appointment at our free clinic events to see subspecialty eye physicians.
- Access to the latest advancements in research and medical care from our AFI Medical and Scientific Advisory Council and other experts through:
 - Subscription to the AFI Eye on Aniridia News Edition
 - Access to the AFI Supporter Private Forum, including discussion forums, research library, and live chats.
- Enrollment in the AFI Medical Registry where registered supporters are first to hear about and offered participation in exciting new treatments, clinical trials and research opportunities.
- Connections with other families who are on similar journeys living with Aniridia Syndrome.

Stargazer Circle

\$150 annual fee (per household)
\$15 to \$24 monthly sustainable giving encouraged
but not required
Annual registration form required

General Benefits

- Becoming a part of supporting AFI's mission
- Eye On Aniridia News Edition Subscription with information about latest advancements and more

AFI Supporter Private Forum Benefits

Access to topic forums

Medical/Research Benefits

- Ability to enroll into AFI Medical Registry to help with research
- Genetic testing guidance

Conference / Events Benefits

- Invitation to AFI registered supporters "Make a Miracle"
 Conferences
- Eligible for registered supporter registration price

Angel Circle

\$150 annual fee (per household) \$25 to \$64 monthly sustainable giving Update registration only if contact or family info changes

General Benefits

- Becoming a part of supporting AFI's mission
- Eye On Aniridia News Edition Subscription with information about latest advancements and more
- Assistance with fundraising ideas
- Can create Tribute Account

AFI Supporter Private Forum Benefits

- Access to topic forums
- Access to online library with many articles from distinguished professionals

Medical/Research Benefits

- Ability to enroll into AFI Medical Registry to help with research
- Genetic testing guidance
- One family member gene sequence at half price (when funds are available)
- One 15 minute consulting session per year

Conference / Events Benefits

- Invitation to AFI registered supporters "Make a Miracle"
 Conferences & other AFI events (including an appointment at our free clinic events)
- Eligible for early registration with 5% discount
- Special acknowledgment at conference

Guardian Angel Circle

\$150 annual fee (per household) \$65 to \$99 monthly sustainable giving Update registration only if contact or family info changes

General Benefits

- Becoming a part of supporting AFI's mission
- Eye On Aniridia News Edition Subscription with information about latest advancements and more
- Assistance with fundraising ideas and AFI support
- Can create Tribute Account with year-end report of your donors

AFI Supporter Private Forum Benefits

- Access to topic forums
- Access to online library with many articles from distinguished professionals
- Access to live chats

Medical & Research Benefits

- Ability to enroll into AFI Medical Registry to help with research
- Genetic testing guidance
- Two 15 minute consulting sessions per year (may combine together)

Conference & Events Benefits

- Invitation to AFI registered supporters "Make a Miracle"
 Conferences & other AFI events (including an appointment at our free clinic events)
- Eligible for early registration with 10% discount
- Special acknowledgment at conference
- Invitation to VIP event

Archangel Circle

\$150 annual fee (per household) \$100+ monthly sustainable giving Update registration only if contact or family info changes

General Benefits

- Becoming a part of supporting AFI's mission
- Eye On Aniridia News Edition Subscription with information about latest advancements and more
- Assistance with fundraising ideas and AFI support
- Can create Tribute Account with year-end report of your donors

AFI Supporter Private Forum Benefits

- Access to topic forums
- Access to online library with many articles from distinguished professionals
- Access to live chats
- Access to chats with professionals

Medical/Research Benefits

- Ability to enroll into AFI Medical Registry to help with research
- Genetic testing guidance
- Three 15 minute consulting sessions per year (may combine together)

Conference / Events Benefits

- Invitation to AFI registered supporters "Make a Miracle"
 Conferences & other AFI events (including an appointment at our free clinic events)
- Eligible for early registration with 15% discount
- Special acknowledgment at conference
- Invitation to VIP event



Thank you for supporting our mission to improve the lives of people living with Aniridia Syndrome!



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