

Who
We
Are



**Lung
Foundation
Australia**

Hope in Every Breath

What We Do

We are inspired by hope. The hope of our community of patients, health professionals, colleagues and the millions of people affected by lung disease, who are fighting to change the lung health space for the better.

Almost one in three Australians has a lung disease, be it lung cancer, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, or Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis. In fact, there are over 30 different types of lung disease.



Our Key Areas



Support

Lung disease can affect anyone, all of whom are equally worthy of care and support.

Our Information and Support Centre team, Lung Cancer Support Nurse and Respiratory Care Nurse provide telehealth support, face-to-face and online education, and peer support groups. We strive to build the confidence, skills and knowledge of patients and their families to navigate the health system and receive the best treatment and care possible.



Research

Research offers hope, whether for a cure or for an improvement in quality of life. With money raised through the generosity of organisations and the community, we provide seed funds for research projects that support discoveries towards the prevention, management and cure of lung disease.



Advocacy

We work to ensure lung disease receives the level of policy and research support that is required to reduce its burden and impact. We are committed to working with all levels of government to ensure all Australians receive equitable and affordable access to the latest best-practice treatments and care.



Awareness

We work to break down the stigma associated with lung disease and raise awareness about the symptoms, prevalence and impact it has on the community.



Education

We provide evidence-based training and programs to support health professionals in the delivery of best-practice clinical care.

As Australia's leading lung health charity, we fund life-changing research and programs to reduce the prevalence of lung disease and cancer, and improve support and care for all Australians.

Our mission is to ensure lung health is a priority for all - from promoting lung health and early diagnosis, to supporting people with lung disease. We champion equitable access to treatment and care, and support health professionals through education and resources.

We stand for compassion, respect and collaboration, and we are fuelled by courage and driven by hope for change.

How You Can Support Us



Invest in the Future

Scientific breakthroughs can take years to accomplish. Invest in a future free from lung disease by leaving a bequest or gift as part of your Will. Leaving a bequest is a way of ensuring you can continue to support the causes that are special to you, even after you're gone. Equally, talking with your family about a Gift in Memoriam celebrates your life and gives hope to others.



Find a Cure

Your donation can help us understand the causes and future treatments of lung disease. Regular giving is our most precious source of revenue. It gives us certainty and continuity in an unpredictable funding environment and provides an independent source of funding. A donation of \$5.00 per week goes a long way. Put simply, regular donations allow great science to flourish.



Get Involved

More than ever, Australians are aware of the need to increase research funding to fight lung disease and give hope to their community. Share your story, become a Lung Foundation Australia champion or join workplace giving. There are many ways you can support us and make a difference.



Philanthropy and Partnerships

We are proud to partner with philanthropists, companies, trusts and foundations to raise vital funds for lung disease research. We focus on forming personalised connections with donors and supporters to achieve our mission. We are outcomes focused and ensure your investment is tracked against measurable goals. As with all our support, we keep you up-to-date on progress. This is our promise.



Community Fundraising

Celebrate hope and support your loved one, friend or work colleague by doing something you love. Join our team, take part in a fun run, cycle or hold an event.

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