

## Diabetes UK Type 1 Events Fund

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We try to keep the cost of attending a Family Weekend as low as possible, but we recognise that for some families it's still a significant amount. If your financial circumstances make it difficult to pay the full cost of attending a Family Weekend you can apply to the Type 1 Events Fund for funding. Funding is limited and so we try to prioritise those who may need it most. In a limited number of circumstances we can make a contribution towards the cost of travel to the event. You'll be able to apply to the fund as part of your online application to apply for a place on an event.

### You can apply to the fund if:

1. You are the parent or carer of a child receiving treatment for Type 1 diabetes from a UK hospital
2. Your child is under the age of 18 years old at the time of the event
3. You and your child are resident in the UK
4. You are in receipt of means tested benefits or can demonstrate financial hardship in another way.
5. If you are **not** in receipt of means tested benefits but your financial circumstances make it difficult to pay the full cost of the event, you'll be asked to explain briefly why you and your family would benefit from attending an event.
6. You have not previously attended a Type 1 Event