



## **GRANT QUALIFICATION**

To qualify for the Dandelion Charity Corp Financial Assistance Grant Program, you must:

1. Live in Orange County, NY or be receiving cancer treatment in Orange County, NY.
2. Be in active treatment for a cancer diagnosis. Active treatment includes receiving chemotherapy, radiation, immunotherapy, or stem cell therapy. This also includes recent cancer surgery and bone marrow or stem cell transplants. Patients receiving hospice care are also eligible for assistance.

## **APPLY FOR A GRANT**

To apply for a grant, please fill out the grant application for financial assistance. All required forms must be filled out completely to be considered for a grant. Please note that your oncologist or social worker must confirm that you are currently receiving treatment for cancer.

1. Please make sure you sign the release form.
2. Please send application to:

Dandelion Charity Corp  
PO Box 126 Wallkill, NY 12589  
or  
[info@dandelioncharity.org](mailto:info@dandelioncharity.org)



## Dandelion Charity Corp. Financial Assistance Application

*Please complete all fields. Your application will remain confidential.*

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NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

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HOME ADDRESS

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CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

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PHONE

EMAIL

## Types of Assistance Offered

- ❖ *Medical Co-Pays*
- ❖ *Prescription Co-Pays*
- ❖ *Grocery Assistance*
- ❖ *Gas & Transportation*
  - ❖ *Utility Bills*
  - ❖ *Rent Assistance*
  - ❖ *Dinner Vouchers*

What type of assistance you would like to receive: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Initial assistance is determined on a case-to-case basis. Any subsequent assistance is limited to \$250.*



## Medical Information

To be filled out by a healthcare provider

CANCER DIAGNOSIS/TYPE

STAGE

DATE OF DIAGNOSIS

Treatment plan (check applicable):

- |                                       |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CHEMOTHERAPY | <input type="checkbox"/> BONE MARROW TRANSPLANT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SURGERY      | <input type="checkbox"/> STEM CELL TRANSPLANT   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RADIATION    | <input type="checkbox"/> HOSPICE CARE           |

I (patient name) \_\_\_\_\_, give permission  
for (healthcare provider's name) \_\_\_\_\_, to

share this information with Dandelion Charity Corp for the purpose of applying for a Dandelion Charity Corp  
Financial Assistance Grant.

PATIENT NAME (Please print)

PATIENT SIGNATURE

DATE

REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE

### HEALTHCARE PROVIDER INFORMATION

HEALTHCARE PROVIDER NAME (Please print)

TITLE (Physician, Nurse, Social Worker, Case Manager)

HEALTHCARE PROVIDER SIGNATURE

DATE

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL ADDRESS (Required)

Please attach a HIPAA release form, completed by the healthcare provider listed above.



## Authorization to Release Protected Health Information

*I understand that privacy laws, including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPAA”), protect the use and disclosure of health information about me, also known as protected health information. By my signature on this form, I authorize the release of the specific information noted below to the Dandelion Charity Corp, located at PO Box 126 Wallkill, NY 12589 in connection with my application for a Dandelion Charity Corp Financial Assistance Grant.*

*1. I authorize to disclose the following specific information to Dandelion Charity Corp at the address above covering my past, present, and future periods of healthcare:*

- A. Cancer Diagnosis / Type*
- B. Stage (I, II, III, IV, or unknown)*
- C. Treatment: Scheduled or To Be Scheduled*
- D. Type: Chemotherapy, Surgery, Radiation, Transplant, Hospice*

*2. I understand that signing this authorization is voluntary. I understand that my treatment, payment, enrollment, or eligibility for benefits will not be conditioned on whether I sign this authorization.*

*3. I understand that information used or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be disclosed by Dandelion Charity Corp and may no longer be protected by federal or state law.*

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**SIGNATURE**

**DATE**

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**PRINT NAME**

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**PRINT ADDRESS**