



Membership Benefits

- New member welcome package, including educational materials and resource guides
- Pathways program that will enhance our personal support of members throughout their MPS journey
- Access to publications and educational materials, including bi-monthly *Courage* newsletter
- Access to online membership directory
- Access to Courage Pages - A personalized awareness and/or fundraising webpage
- Eligibility for financial assistance grants and scholarships, such as:
 - Family Assistance Program: durable medical goods
 - Conference travel scholarships
 - Continuing educational scholarships
 - Medical Travel Assistance Program
 - Extraordinary Experience Program
 - Journey Assistance Program
 - Regional social gathering funding up to \$750 provided to event hosts
- Complimentary annual family conference registration fees for individuals with MPS or ML and discounted registration for all members
- Networking opportunities with researchers, physicians, families, board of directors and staff at the annual family conference
- Interactive website for one stop access to all committees, education materials, events and research – **www.mpssociety.org**
- Bereavement programs, including *Angels Among Us* memorial publication, biannual Celebrating Your Child's Life Experience conference and the White Rose program
- Volunteer opportunities with board committee projects
- Training and resources to become an effective advocate at state and federal level
- Assistance with fundraising efforts from the development director and fundraising committee, including access to online fundraising toolkit
- Voting privileges for the annual board of directors election
- Access to our Physician Database – a searchable resource to find physicians who have experience with MPS and ML