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Our Mission: The Bleeding Disorders Foundation of North Carolina is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life of persons affected by bleeding disorders through advocacy, education, promotion of research, and delivery of supportive programs and services.

> Our Vision is for all persons affected by bleeding disorders to achieve their full potential without barriers or limitations.

What Do We Do?

The Bleeding Disorders Foundation of North Carolina (BDFNC) provides a variety of programs and services throughout the state for people affected by bleeding disorders. Educational and social events are held throughout the year including Community Retreat, Educational Conferences, events in Spanish, Support Groups, Teen Empowerment Events, and more! In addition, BDFNC offers a range of services designed to support the needs of community members throughout the state.

Our Programs and Services

Programs

Advocacy: Oversees legislative actions that may impact the bleeding disorders community.

Blood Brotherhood: for adult men with bleeding disorders

HOPE: for families with children diagnosed with a bleeding disorder

Mental Health: supports mental wellness for people affected by bleeding disorders

Parent Mentoring: an arm of the HOPE Program to connect newer

families with others who have older children

SOAR: for women and girls with bleeding disorders

Teen Empowerment: for teens in the community

Unión Latina: for Spanish-speaking community members

Services

Emergency Financial Assistance

Education Scholarships

Travel Grants to attend National Conferences

Medical ID Jewelry and Membership

The Concentrate, BDFNC's quarterly newsletter

Promotion of Research

How Can You Help?

Fundraising • Committees • Board of Directors • Event Planning • Volunteer at Events

Volunteer from Home • Data Entry • Translating • Proofreading

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