



IVOR Foundation

The IVOR foundation is an NGO in Bulgaria. The goal of the IVOR foundation is to advocate and support gay and bisexual men's health rights by providing guidance and education on STIs, with an emphasis on HIV prevention, testing and treatment for GBTQ men, the community noted as hardest hit by HIV in Bulgaria.

We have supported this group since at least 2021.

During 2022:

GSK provided 66,000 BGN of funding to support a National HIV testing programme in Bulgaria.

Our support represented 24% of their overall income in 2022.

During 2021:

GSK, through our distributor Phoenix Pharma EOOD in Bulgaria, provided 10,000 BGN of funding to host disease related data from the Positive Perspectives study on the organisation's website for 2022.

Our support represented 6% of their overall income in 2021.



Association of Bulgarians with Asthma (ABBA)

The Association of Bulgarians with Asthma (ABBA) was founded in 2002. It is a national non-profit association for patients suffering from bronchial asthma and other chronic pulmonary diseases. ABBA works to provide individual consultations, upholds rights to healthcare according to European and world standards, ensures access to effective modern forms of diagnosis, treatment and prevention and provides up-to-date health and medical information.

We have supported this group since at least ~~2020~~2019.

During 2020:

GSK provided 5,000 BGN of funding to support an education campaign.

Our support represented 25% of their overall income in 2020.

Bulgaria patient organisation funding



Bulgarian Society for Patients with Pulmonary Hypertension

The Bulgarian Society for Patients with Pulmonary Hypertension is an organization that fully understands the challenges faced by patients and their relatives. They seek to promote patient engagement.

| We have supported this group since at least ~~2020~~2019.

During 2020:

GSK provided 2,438 BGN of funding to support a patient project.

Our support represented 9% of their overall income in 2020.



National Alliance of People with Rare Diseases

The National Alliance of People with Rare Diseases was established in Bulgaria in 2007. The Alliance is a non-governmental organization dedicated to patients with rare diseases. The Alliance was created in 2007 by representatives of 8 diseases with the aim to protect their rights and to improve disease prevention, diagnosis, treatment, rehabilitation and quality of life. As of the end of 2013, the Alliance represents 53 diseases.

We have supported this group since at least ~~2020~~2019.

During 2020:

GSK provided 10,000 BGN of funding to support "International Rare Disease Day" in 21 towns in Bulgaria.

Our support represented 25% of their overall income in 2020.



National Patient Organisation

The National Patient Organization was established in January 2010 to unite the patient voice and to represent and protect the interests of all patients. The main objectives of the NPO are: development and promotion of civic participation in the management and control of the health system; introduction of the principle of equal trilateral partnership between state bodies, medical professional organizations and patient associations in the formulation and adoption of strategies, criteria and norms; introduction of policies and practices in the healthcare system; involving patients' representatives in the management of structures in the healthcare system; development, implementation and validation of ethical rules and rules in the work of patient organizations, as well as their interaction with institutions, media and society.

| We have supported this group since at least ~~2020~~2019.

During 2020:

GSK provided 20,000 BGN of funding to support prevention related projects.

Our support represented 6% of their overall income in 2020.



Federation Bulgarian Patient Forum

The Federation of Bulgarian Patient Forum is registered as a non-governmental organization for public benefit. The aim of the organization is to protect the rights of citizens in the field of healthcare and to provide national representation of patients and patient organizations.

| We have supported this group since at least ~~2020~~2019.

During 2020:

GSK provided 5,000 BGN of funding to support the Autumn Patient Academy.

Our support represented 10% of their overall income in 2020.



I Foundation

The I Foundation was founded in 2004. It is the successor of the Plus and Minus Foundation, established in 1999 as a continuation of the activity of a group formed in 1997 to provide assistance to people living with HIV in Varna. The foundation works to protect the human, civil and patient rights of people living with HIV. Unfortunately, this organisation had to take the decision to cease its operation and services at the end of January 2023.

We have supported this group since at least ~~2021~~2019.

During 2022:

GSK provided 15,646 BGN of funding to support this organisation's activities.

Our support represented 66% of their overall income in 2022.

During 2021:

GSK, through our distributor Phoenix Pharma EOOD in Bulgaria, provided 15,000 BGN of funding to support Patient training sessions on HIV disease management.

Our support represented 24% of their overall income in 2021.



Health Without Borders/Checkpoint Sofia

Health Without Borders Association (HWBA) is a non-governmental organization founded in 2004 in the city of Sofia. The mission of HWBA is to work toward a successful national HIV response and protect individual and public health by helping keep Bulgaria a country with low HIV prevalence. To achieve that HWBA provides access to free HIV testing, prevention, and care continuum services; the organisation promotes prevention and sexual health education as well as organising HIV awareness campaigns and leading advocacy initiatives.

We have supported this group since at least 2022.

During 2022:

GSK provided €25,000 of funding to support this organisation's activities. Additionally, GSK, through our distributor Phoenix Pharma EOOD in Bulgaria, provided 12,000 BGN of funding to support and sponsor a training project on 'improving the dialogue and patient counselling in difficult times'.

Our support represented 22.5% of their overall income in 2022.



Society of Patients with Respiratory Failure and Lung Transplantation

The Society of Patients with Respiratory Failure and Lung Transplantation, registered in 2017, is a non-governmental organization that fully understands the challenges faced by patients with respiratory failure and their relatives. They are members of the National Patient Organization, which is the largest association of patient organizations in Bulgaria. The organisation also liaises with the European Lung Foundation.

We have supported this group since at least 2020.

During 2020:

GSK provided 2,900 BGN of funding to support the "Breathe and Train" project.

Our support represented 16% of their overall income in 2020.