

The Osteogenesis Imperfecta Foundation (OIF) is the largest national health organization dedicated to helping improve the quality of life for people living with osteogenesis imperfecta. In addition to funding and directing research, the OIF provides the following information and resources to individuals living with osteogenesis imperfecta, their loved ones, and medical professionals. All of the information is provided free of cost and much of it is available online at [www.oif.org](http://www.oif.org). The information provided is medically verified by the OIF's Medical Advisory Council.

## Resources for Medical Professionals

The OIF has programs and services designed specifically for medical professionals treating patients living with osteogenesis imperfecta. To view a regularly updated of public meetings for medical professionals, go to [www.oif.org/medprocalendar](http://www.oif.org/medprocalendar).



### Medical Professional Emails

Sign up to receive OIF medical professional emails to learn about upcoming events, programs, and resources to better understand and treat patients with osteogenesis imperfecta. To add yourself to the medical professional email list, scan the qr code on the left.

### Bone Health and OI Clinic Town Hall Meetings

These meetings provide an opportunity for medical professionals who are treating patients with OI, and those who are interested in bone health, to come together to learn about OIF resources and connect and collaborate with each other. The meetings are held twice per year, once virtually and once in-person. Attendance ranges from 50-100+ per meeting.



### TeleECHO Clinic Series

The OIF hosts both a Rare Bone Disease teleECHO series and an OI-specific teleECHO series, each holding sessions one time per month. In each monthly virtual session, speakers present a brief didactic presentation, followed by participant-led case presentations and group discussion of the presented case. Both programs offer free CME credits through Project ECHO. A full schedule of upcoming Rare Bone Disease ECHO sessions can be found at [www.rbdalliance.org/echo](http://www.rbdalliance.org/echo).



### Educational Videos and Recorded Professional Meetings

The OIF has recordings of past professional meetings available on the OIF YouTube channel. This includes Rare Bone Disease and OI TeleECHO presentations, Rare Bone Disease Alliance Scientific Symposiums, OI Research Updates, and more. Also, we have a wide variety of patient-facing recordings, including sessions of past OIF National Conferences in English, Spanish, and French.

## Research

Funding and helping direct OI research is a central part of the OIF's mission. In addition to the programs listed below, the OIF is a collaborator in many research initiatives and is a principal investigator in the National Institutes of Health Brittle Bone Disorders Consortium, and the recipient of several previous and ongoing awards from the Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute. The OIF is also a partner in the International OI Pain Project and the International OI Adult Health Project and helps administer working groups like the international OI surgeon's roundtable.



### Michael Geisman Fellowship Grants

The OIF awards funding to post-doctoral trainees who are currently working on projects with clear relevance to OI, or who have projects that will enable them to develop expertise in OI research.

## Annual OIF Scientific Meeting

Each year the OIF invites leading OI researchers and clinicians to attend this two day meeting focused on sharing current and emerging research in OI.



### Rare Bone Disease Alliance (RBDA)

The RBDA is a coalition of patient advocacy organizations focused on professional education for providers, expanding research, and assisting patients and communities affected by rare bone diseases. The RBDA is a program of the OI Foundation.

## Consultations

The OIF can connect local providers with OI experts across the country, in many disciplines, to consult on treatment plans.

For more information about OIF programs and resources, visit [www.oif.org](http://www.oif.org) or contact [bonelink@oif.org](mailto:bonelink@oif.org)



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