

This is a survey for people affected by cardiomyopathy, their loved ones, carers and

health professionals. It is a survey to discover what the most important research questions are for cardiomyopathy going forwards.

The survey is part of the Priority Setting Partnership work Cardiomyopathy UK is doing with the James Lind Alliance to discover the top ten research priorities for cardiomyopathy.

If you are supporting someone with cardiomyopathy to complete the survey, you can also complete the survey again on your own behalf.

The survey is available digitally. If you would prefer to complete the survey online you can access it using the QR code or link below





https://bit.ly/cardiomysurvey

For any support to access or complete the survey please email research@cardiomyopathy.org or call 01494 791224 Mon-Fri 09:00 – 17:00.

Who can take part in this survey?

If you are UK-based, aged 16+ and affected by cardiomyopathy

- Living with cardiomyopathy
- A parent, loved one or friend
- A carer
- At genetic risk of cardiomyopathy
- Bereaved due to cardiomyopathy

 ${\it Or}$ a UK-based healthcare professional working with people affected by cardiomyopathy,

All types of cardiomyopathy are included, including:

- Dilated cardiomyopathy (DCM)
- Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM)
- Arrhythmogenic cardiomyopathy (ACM)
- Other types of cardiomyopathy

Please complete all questions marked with a *

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	 You are someone with cardiomyopathy (or a genetic risk of it) yourself 				
	You are a parent/loved one/friend of someone with cardiomyopathy You are a professional working with people with cardiomyopathy				
	Your have been bereaved due to cardiomyopathy				
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3. Whi	ich of the following best describes you? (tick all that apply)*				
	A person with cardiomyopathy				
	A parent of a child with cardiomyopathy				
	A carer (including professional carer) A loved one/friend Someone with a genetic risk of developing cardiomyopathy Someone who has been bereaved due to cardiomyopathy				
	A healthcare professional working with people affected by cardiomyopathy				
	Other (please specify)				
	ich of the following types of cardiomyopathy do you, or the person in your life with				
cardio	myopathy, have? * Dilated cardiomyopathy (DCM)				
	Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM)				
	Arrhythmogenic cardiomyopathy (ACM)				
	Restrictive cardiomyopathy (RCM)				
	Left ventricular noncompaction cardiomyopathy (LVNC)				
	Peripartum cardiomyopathy (PPCM)				
	Takotsubo cardiomyopathy				
	I am a healthcare professional working with people with various types of				
	cardiomyopathy Not sure/don't know				
	N/A				
	Other (please specify)				

Questions you want answered by research

We want to help researchers understand what questions you most want answers to. These could relate to any topic to do with cardiomyopathy, such as:

- Causes
- Diagnosis
- Treatment
- Ongoing care
- Impacts e.g. on your relationships, lifestyle, physical activity, other health conditions
- Emotional wellbeing
- Genetic testing
- Differences between different people (e.g. males and females)
- Other

Please draw on your experience as someone affected by cardiomyopathy / as a healthcare professional. You can ask as many or as few questions as you want.

5.What question(s) do you have about cardiomyopathy treatment/care for people with, or at genetic risk of, cardiomyopathy that you would like answered by research?*			

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Please tell us about yourself

We want to make sure that we hear from people from a wide range of backgrounds, across the UK. This information will not be used to identify you.

8. What is your gender?		
○ Female○ Male○ Prefer not to say○ I prefer another term (pl	ease specify).	
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9. Where in the UK do you liv	/e?	
North East England	South West	Fermanagh
North West England	North Wales	Londonderry
Yorkshire & the Humber	Mid Wales	Tyrone
East Midlands	South East Wales	Aberdeen & North East Scotland
West Midlands	South West Wales	Highlands & Islands
London	Antrim	Tayside Central & Fife
South East	Armagh	Edinburgh & Lothians
Other (please specify)	Down	Scotland South
10. What is your age? 16-19 20-24 25-34 35-44 45-54 55-64 65+ Prefer not to say Other (Please specify).		

	British, Caribbean or Afri Iltiple ethnic groups	can		
Prefer not to				
	group (please specify)			
Next steps				
Please return the group today.	e completed survey to o	ur representat	tive at your clinic	or support

Otherwise please return by post, to:

11. How would you describe your ethnicity?

Future Research, Cardiomyopathy UK, 75A Woodside Road, Amersham, HP6 6AA.

Please provide your contact details below if you would like to hear about the survey results and how to get involved in the next phase of this project.

Your contact information will be separate from your survey responses, which will remain anonymous in line with our safeguarding policy.

Your personal information will be kept confidential. We are committed to protecting your privacy when you use our services. You can find more information at www.cardiomyopathy.org/privacy-policy

12. Contact details

Name	
Email Address	

If this survey has brought up any issues you'd like support with, please call our helpline: 0800 018 1024, Mon-Fri, 08:30 – 4:30.

Thank you for completing this survey.

You can find out more about Cardiomyopathy UK, the James Lind Alliance and the project to identify the top 10 priorities for future cardiomyopathy research using this QR code.

