

Rare Diseases Ireland Round Table of Companies (RDI-RTC)

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

The patient is at the centre of all of our efforts – nothing about us without us!

The RDI-RTC is RDI's primary way of engaging with the corporate health sector. Membership of the RDI-RTC provides a neutral forum for companies committed to understanding patient perspectives of living with a rare disease in Ireland, and willing to tackle issues shaping care and access to treatment for rare diseases across Ireland.

To enable better lives for people living with a rare disease, RDI actively convenes all relevant stakeholders, including the private sector which plays an important role in the present and future conversations and responses to rare diseases.

Discussions in the RDI-RTC mainly take place at biannual RDI-RTC meetings, bringing together companies, patient advocates, experts and public officials. Meeting themes and topics are structured by RDI to address the concerns of patient organisations as well as institutional and practical barriers to treatment and care.

Recent RDI-RTC meetings have covered topics such as improving patient access to rare disease therapies, understanding of the rare disease clinical trials landscape in Ireland, learning about the role of the HSE's National Rare Diseases Office, understanding European Reference Networks in Ireland, and learning about Ireland's role in the development of European legislation and regulations.

Membership of the RDI-RTC entitles member companies to:

- Attend biannual RDI Round Table of Companies meetings.
- Have company logo displayed on RDI's website in the RDI-RTC members section.

Please note that upon joining the RDI-RTC, companies must sign and adhere to the Code of Conduct. Company representatives attending RDI-RTC meetings must adhere to the Code of Conduct.