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Birdshot Uveitis Society
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www.birdshot.org.uk

WHY WE NEED YOUR HELP

We need to find better ways of treating Birdshot Uveitis. Your donation will help to bring about change in the lives of people with Birdshot.

If you are a UK taxpayer, and this can include many people on a pension, you can increase the value of your donation by 25% simply by completing a Gift Aid declaration. This means that we can claim back the tax you pay on your donation as well.

Please don't forget to tick the relevant boxes, fill in your name and address as well as date and sign the form!

SIGN UP FOR E NEWS

Please add my name to the mailing list to receive Birdshot Updates by email.

REGISTRATION

I would like to register on the Birdshot Uveitis Society's database.

I am happy for researchers to contact me by:

Telephone / Post / Email
(please delete as appropriate).



BIRDSHOT UVEITIS SOCIETY (BUS)

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BUS is a registered charity, run by volunteers with Birdshot for people with Birdshot. It supports patients and their families, provides comprehensive information, raises the profile of Birdshot, works in partnership with leading ophthalmologists and the NHS to ensure research is undertaken. It also holds "Birdshot Days" bringing together patients and professionals to learn from each other.

BUS AIMS ARE:

- Supporting people diagnosed with Birdshot Uveitis
- Providing clear information for patients and professionals
- Improving services for people with Birdshot
- Enabling research to find the cause and improve medication options
- Raising awareness to ensure early diagnosis and appropriate treatment

ABOUT BIRDSHOT

Birdshot Chorioretinopathy (now generally called Birdshot Uveitis) is a rare, auto-immune, chronic, potentially blinding form of posterior uveitis. Posterior means it affects the back of the inside of the eye. Uveitis means inflammation of the uvea. The uvea is made up of the ciliary body, the iris and the choroid layer of your eye.

INFORMATION & SUPPORT

The BUS website contains comprehensive information on Birdshot for patients and professionals. It also contains a range of downloadable fact sheets that are intended to help patients understand their eye condition better and assist them in discussing their case with their doctors.

If you have been diagnosed with Birdshot and you need more information, we are here to support you. If you want to talk to someone, please give us a call and we will ring you back. For further information please visit our website at www.birdshot.org.uk.

BIRDSHOT REGISTRATION

Birdshot is a rare disease and it is not known how many people have it. Historically it has been under-diagnosed. Research has been difficult because of the lack of patients to study. Many people have struggled to get a correct diagnosis and adequate treatment. You can help us try and prevent needless loss of sight and help others with Birdshot by, joining the Birdshot Register so that you can become involved in research. Please fill in the form overleaf or get in touch by email.

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Please contact BUS for support and practical advice