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Submit your photo for the EURORDIS Photo Award. This is *your* chance to raise awareness about rare diseases by asking your friends and family to share your photo on social media.

Step 1: Photo Award submissions open on Tuesday, 3rd November 2020 and closes 31st January 2021.

Upload your photo(s) on the following webpage <https://blackpearl.eurordis.org/photo-award>, fill in all the required fields and read the [Terms & Conditions](#) of the contest.

- You can also submit your photo by sending it to photoaward@eurordis.org with the following information: your full name, name of photographer, your relationship with the person(s) in the photo, title of your photo, photo description, name of the photographed person (s), disease represented, your country, year the photo was taken, and any comments.
- Your photo will be validated by our moderator before being placed on our Gallery. Once your photo appears in the Gallery, feel free to click on the social media sharing button – this is your opportunity to raise awareness about rare diseases.

Step 2: Deadline for photo submissions: 31st January 2021.

Step 3: Online Public Vote for 5 shortlisted photos opens 11 February 2021.

Step 4: Online Public Voting closes 24 February 2021.

Step 4: Announcement of Winners: evening of Wednesday, 24 February 2021 at the EURORDIS Black Pearl Awards (<https://blackpearl.eurordis.org/>).

Step 5: The winners will be notified by 1 March 2021 through the most convenient method available, [the prizes](#) will be sent via post.