The Lymphoedema Support Network

The Lymphoedema Support Network (LSN) has been helping people with the condition for over 25 years. During this time it has provided information and support to those living with or affected by lymphoedema or chronic oedema. Although it is now an award-winning charity, it is still run by people with lymphoedema, for people with lymphoedema.

Today the LSN is the largest information resource for lymphoedema in the UK, producing an on-going series of fact sheets for patients, which are also used in hospitals and lymphoedema clinics. Two self-help DVDs have been produced for patients. In addition, the charity operates an information and support telephone line, produces a quarterly newsletter, maintains a website and campaigns nationally for improved standards of care. It supports the work of researchers and is at the forefront of educating GPs and other healthcare professionals via two online learning modules. The LSN also promotes the formation of self-help support groups around the country. The groups provide information and mutual support for people with lymphoedema, their families and carers and are generally based in lymphoedema clinics or local centres.

The LSN is a small charity that receives no funding from government or the NHS; it is totally dependent on supporters to fund its work. By joining the LSN you will be joining the largest lymphoedema community in the UK.

Join the LSN

If you would like to know more about the LSN, the local support groups or become a member, visit:

www.lymphoedema.org