

# Our Global (ex-China) Policy Position on Charitable Giving

*This document is a working draft of BeiGene's global (ex-China) policy positioning on charitable giving for internal review and feedback. This document is subject to further internal consultation before a final version is more widely distributed.*

## BeiGene's Position

At BeiGene, our mission is to improve and extend patients' lives through access to innovative and high-quality medicines. However we understand that developing new drugs is not the only way to help patients.

We believe in a holistic approach to supporting patients. We provide funding for education, scientific exchange, and health equity, to organizations including patient groups, foundations, and medical societies. Through our charitable giving, we aim to advance medical knowledge, improve disease awareness, and help address patient needs. Furthermore, we are passionate about supporting communities around the world and fund local initiatives in line with our mission to empower patients to live fuller, longer lives.

### *BeiGene provides charitable giving through:*

**Donations** for non-profits, advocacy groups and NGOs that have an emphasis on cancer research, prevention, and treatment. This includes financial support for programs that benefit patients, families and caregivers who have been affected by cancer. We also fund volunteerism efforts, engage with communities, and create educational materials focusing on cancer awareness, detection, and treatment.

**Educational grants** for medical and scientific education programs or activities related to the therapeutic areas and disease states addressed by our medicines. We also finance initiatives that raise awareness among both physicians and patients about diseases and their available treatments.

**Forums** for the exchange of information including health-care related events or programs, such as industry association conferences and patient advocacy organization events. We support platforms for the advancement of scientific knowledge, the elevation of the patient voice and policy engagement across a range of stakeholders. This includes physicians, scientists, patients, drug developers and care providers.

**Disaster relief** to NGOs and non-profits that support recovery efforts following a natural disaster or humanitarian crisis in communities where BeiGene has a significant presence, or where the scale of the disaster warrants a response.

**Corporate Contributions** to NGOs and non-profits that potentially support BeiGene's other giving objectives.

**Matching Gifts** in the form of grants are evaluated on a case-by-case basis. BeiGene does not currently have a colleague matching gifts program.

## Charitable Giving in Action

In response to COVID-19, we launched BeGenerous, a charitable initiative that procured and donated personal protective equipment and resources to hospitals in need globally. BeiGene was one of the first companies to deliver medical supplies to doctors and hospitals on the front lines in Wuhan and Hubei, China.

Specifically for cancer, we provided funding to alleviate some of the challenges related to the COVID-19 pandemic, including donations for the support of COVID-19 registries for US patients with blood cancer.

In addition, after the start of the recent Eastern Europe geopolitical crisis, BeiGene contributed to non-profit organizations to help provide medical supplies and support the local population.

## Applying for Charitable Giving

### *BeiGene considers charitable funding requests from:*

Academic institutions, charities, foundations, patient advocacy organizations, NGOs and medical societies or associations. Specifically in the US, we provide financial support to formally recognized 501(c)(3) organizations.

### *BeiGene does not consider charitable funding requests from:*

Organizations that discriminate on any grounds, such as race, religion, gender, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, veteran or marital status or any other status protected under local law.

In addition, we do not fund certain requests, including those that support religious or political activities, are received outside of our specified timelines, or provide funding for personal travel or housing. The company does not provide charitable funds to individuals, public officials, political parties, trade unions, or entities subject to government sanctions. BeiGene reserves the right to refuse charitable giving to charities or causes that it deems to violate the spirit of any of the above exclusions.

### *Application process:*

Requests are reviewed on an ongoing basis by a multidisciplinary team. Applications should be submitted through the BeiGene charitable giving portal and approved at least 90 days in advance of the activity date. All our charitable giving processes comply with applicable rules, industry best practices and codes of conduct. This includes contracts with transparent fulfilment terms and internal controls to ensure against conflicts of interest. BeiGene's charitable giving is not promotional, and we do not ask for a tangible benefit in return for our support.

*More information about BeiGene's charitable giving can be found at [BeiGene.com](https://www.beigene.com).*