



Organization
of Muscular
Dystrophy
in the Slovak
Republic

Count on us!

The civil society association
Organization of Muscular
Dystrophy in the Slovak
Republic would like to ask
for 1,5% (2%) of your
incomes tax.

2%



MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY

Muscular dystrophy is serious progressive disease of whole body muscles which remains incurable. It affects adults, as well as children of different age. People suffering from muscular dystrophy are dependent on help of other people during each activity and can move independently only with using electric wheelchairs.

MIŠKO

Miško is 10 years old and was diagnosed with a neuromuscular disease at his birth. He requires a special equipment for breathing and demands an all-day assistance from his mum. Anti decubitus mattress, positioning push-chair, bio-lamp and a mucus extractor form a part of Miško's daily existence. Together with his mum, Miško has been a member of OMD v SR for seven years now. He is home schooled and apart from being a sporting fan, his greatest hobbies are playing computer games and reading books.

100% support from the government is merely an unrealistic dream, however, 2% of your taxes enable people with neuromuscular diseases to lead a more fulfilling life.





+2%

LUBO

Lubo is 23 years old and was diagnosed with a neuromuscular disease in his childhood. He requires a special equipment for breathing and demands an all-day assistance from his mum, dad or other people. Lubo has been a member of OMD v SR for 10 years now. His greatest passion is traveling and his parents are willing to do anything to make sure that he can go for a trip at least once a year.



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ROMAN

Roman is 26 years old and was diagnosed with a neuromuscular disease in his childhood. He requires a special equipment for breathing and demands an all-day assistance from his mum or other people. Positioning bed and positioning wheelchair are a must for Roman. He has been a member of OMD v SR for 12 years and apart from other aspects, we provide social guidance for him. Roman is very keen on his dog Jennyfer and his computer which enables him to remain connected with the world outside. It allows him to play his favourite football games, do web design work, read books, watch movies and chat with his friends.



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ADAM

Adam is 21 years old and was diagnosed with a neuromuscular disease at his birth. His mechanical wheelchair allows him to get nearly anywhere and staircases and non-wheelchair-accessible create the only limitations for him. The help from personal assistants allows Adam to lead a fulfilling life. He works a marketer and boccia represents his dearest hobby. Adam aims to qualify for Paralympic Games in 2016. His membership in OMD v SR has lasted for 3 years and is always eager to take part in our events, boccia and chess tournaments in particular.



NATÁLIA

Natália is 22 years old and was diagnosed with a neuromuscular disease in her early childhood. Positioning bed, electric wheelchair and other equipment represent a daily part of her life. Wheelchair accessible buses as well as sidewalks allow her to get where she wants to. She requires a help of a personal assistant and currently studies at Comenius University in Bratislava. For the last four years, Natália has been a member of OMD v SR and actively participated in creative works and other events organized by the organization.

Boccia and blogging are two of her greatest hobbies.

Miško, Ľubo, Roman, Adam and Natália are only 5 of 460 members of OMD v SR. Count on us!

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ORGANIZATION OF MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY IN THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC (OMD v SR)

We are the only specific organization associating people with muscular dystrophy in the Slovak Republic from 1993.

OMD v SR is a non-governmental and non-profit organization and 2% tax contributions represent a vital source of funding our activities.

OUR MISSION

Our goal is to afford an allround and directed help for children and adults with muscular dystrophy and our clients that they can live well-quality life.

SHELTERED EMPLOYMENT WORKPLACE

We create qualified work positions. We provide a work to 7 people dependent to their wheelchairs, who are assisted by 2 personal assistants.



ADVOCACY OF RIGHTS OF PEOPLE WITH MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY

- New law and legislation reviewing and comments' preparation
- We request better health care
- We request the Universal Design for All in practice



WE PROVIDE SOCIAL SERVICES



SPECIALISED SOCIAL COUNSELING

- We provide social counseling for our clients with disability and their families
- We provide field social services in the client's home
- We provide complex counseling for families with child suffering from NMD
- We provide information about compensation tools and accessible household



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The services provided by our Personal Assistance Agency are financed largely from 2% of your taxes.



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Personal
Assistance
Services
Agency

COMPLEX AND SPECIALISED SERVICES ABOUT PERSONAL ASSISTANCE DEDICATED FOR CLIENTS WITH DIFFERENT DISABILITY

- Counseling
- Recruitments and help with personal assistants selection
- Education

2% of your taxes allow us to share the essential healthcare information with those who need it the most.



WE DISSEMINATE NECESSARY INFORMATION

Ozvena

We publish magazine OZVENA (ECHO) about life of people with muscular dystrophy and about our activities.

DUCHENNOVA SVALOVÁ DYSTROFIA: DIAGNOSTIKA A LIEČBA

Príručka pre rodiny



A booklet for families

For the first time we have translated and published in Slovak language recommendations given by international experts on what kind of care is required by boys with the Duchenne muscular dystrophy. This type is the most frequent one and it has a very serious progress and eventually leads into a necessity of using an respiratory apparatus.



WE ORGANIZE INTEGRATION STAYS

Members meeting

Every year we organize the integration stay for the members of OMD, which consists of an interesting programme focused on activation and for support of their independent living (counseling, the exhibition of compensation aids, professional lectures, cultural evenings, etc.)



**CELOSLOVENSKÉ
STRETNUTIE
ČLENOV OMD V SR**

**PIEŠŤANY
17-20/10
2013**

+2%

VÝSTAVA POMÔCOK		+	2%
	SOCIÁLNE PORADEN- STVO		
FERKOVCE: LUDOVÁ HRUŠKA Z CELEJHO SOVENSKA		BLŠÁK TOMBOLA	+
		VIES- TVORNE AKTIVITY BOJICA KREZOVKY SIEŤOVÝ ZELIK	
SME TU PRE VÁS PRI KÁVIČKI, ČAJI STRETNIE S CENTRÁLNU ODPOVEDÁ		KAPOR NA SCÉNE: KOČMO A JÚLIA	+

PRAZI SMS s textom OMS MCHYL na číslo 877 a podaríš ľuďom so zdravotnou pomocou 2 €. Ďakujeme!

*2% of your taxes
can be transformed
into an unforgettable
week for children
suffering from
muscular
dystrophy.*





ON THE WHEELCHAIR IN THE BEAUTIFUL SLOVAK NATURE

We organize summer camps for children, teenagers and adults with muscular dystrophy and their personal assistants.



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WE COOPERATE WITH SLOVAK AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

We are one of the founder members of Slovak Disability Council and actively cooperate with The Slovak Alliance of Rare Diseases and other organizations advocating rights of people with disabilities. We are members of EAMDA (European Alliance of Neuromuscular Disorders Associations), TREAT-NMD (Neuromuscular Network) and EURORDIS (Rare Diseases Europe, a non-governmental patient-driven alliance of rare disease patient organisations).

Our muscles may not be strong enough but our will definitely is. 2% of your taxes allow us to continue challenging our physical limits.

SPORT ACTIVITIES

Chess

We support this "play of kings". We organize on-line open chess tournament for people with muscular dystrophy and other extensive disability, The Memorial Race of Jožko Kráľ and and The Master Dueling for our members.





LOCAL SPORT SUPPORT OF OUR MEMBERS

We support 4 bocce sport clubs in different regions (Bratislava, Považská Bystrica, Žilina, Vranov nad Topľou) within our organization.

Boccia - paralympic sport

We support this specific paralympic sport game. We organize bocce trainings regularly and national tournaments called „Turnaj belasého motýľa“, „Turnaj nezávislého života“ and another duelings and public inquiry about „The Bocce Player of the Year“.



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of our
activities**



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**Your support of any value means a lot
for us and would be a significant help
necessary for providing activities for
our members and clients.**

Thank you!

Mgr. Andrea Madunová, Chairwoman of OMD v SR



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