Check application deadlines for regular and themed workshop calls here:





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ENMC Full and Associated Partners:

Thanks to the continuous support of our partners and sponsors we are able to facilitate and organise on average 10 workshops per year. A succesful format to connect researchers, clinicians and patients and thereby facilitating collaborations in neuromuscular research.

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# The ENMC brings researchers, clinicians and health care professionals from all over the

world together to develop treatments for rare neuromuscular diseases.

**Connecting People** 



# What is the ENMC?

The mission of the ENMC is to connect healthcare professionals worldwide in order to advance progress in the diagnosis, treatment and care of people with a neuromuscular condition.

# How do we achieve this?

Teams of researchers and clinicians may submit an application for a workshop focused on one specific neuromuscular disease (NMD) or one specific aspect important for a wider range of NMDs, such as pain management or ventilation problems. Applications are reviewed by our Research Committee twice a year and the best applications are selected for a workshop. The ENMC takes care of the organisation, logistics and costs of the workshop. Workshops are held in The Netherlands, in the vicinity of Amsterdam Schiphol airport.

# Are you interested in organizing an ENMC workshop?

### Step 1-4

#### **ENMC** workshop application

Check www.enmc.org for submission deadlines, guidelines and application forms. Information on the participation of patients in the workshop and on the application for the ENMC Early-Career Programme are also available.

### Step 5

#### **Application of Early-Career scientists**

The Early-Career Programme allows for the participation of 2-3 Early-Career scientists to introduce them to the community and enlarge their network. Applicants can be, but are not necessarily, affiliated to the institution of one of the participants.

## IT TAKES ONLY 8 STEPS TO AN EFFICIENT WORKSHOP:

## Step 6

#### **Review procedure**

The ENMC Research Committee ensures a careful review of applications. The outcome is communicated within 3 months' time after submission.

## Step 7

#### The ENMC workshop

A maximum of 20-25 workshop participants representing a wide range of countries and competencies is allowed. ENMC workshops focus on discussion of ongoing work (confidentiality agreement).

## Step 8

#### Workshop outcomes

Each workshop application must have clear and feasible deliverables. A lay report of the workshop will be written for the general public and published in several languages on the ENMC website within two weeks' time after the workshop. A full paper will be published in the scientific journal Neuromuscular Disorders.





# Call for themed workshops

Since 2021, the ENMC calls once a year for applications on a pre-defined topic.

## The topic of a themed workshop call:

- is of broader interest to more than one condition (transversal workshops)
- requires a multidisciplinary approach
- is not often discussed in a workshop
- is groundbreaking and strategic and requires the development of a sustainable platform in the future.