

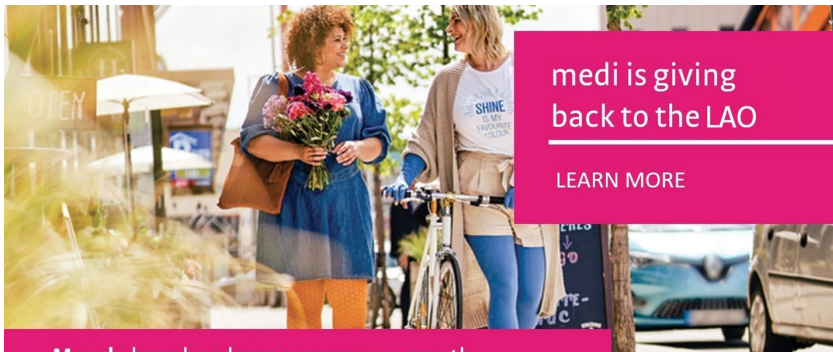
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March is Lymphedema Month

Dear Members,

We have some exciting news to share in celebration of March 6th, International Lymphedema Day!

Our sponsor and partner, medi Canada is being very generous.

Donation from medi Canada to the Lymphedema Association of Ontario for Lymphedema Awareness Month: Montreal, February 21st, 2022- It is with great pleasure that medi Canada announces its financial support to the Lymphedema Association of Quebec (LAQ) & Lymphedema Association of Ontario (LAO) for the month of March, Lymphedema Awareness Month.

For all purchases of lymphedema products, **medi Canada will donate 5% of the profits directly to these associations.** This donation will allow the non-profit organizations to support the cause and continue its primary mission: to change the lives of people with lymphedema.

Patients, Retailers & Fitters, Professionals, please do your part and put your orders in for March to help us help the Lymphedema community.

For more information, please visit our [website](#) and thank you medi Canada!

World Lymphedema Day 2022: Members please do your part to raise awareness! - Please [click here](#) to see how you can support your Association through our **2022 Advocacy Toolkit.**

Smile for the Camera! In honour of World Lymphedema Day 2022 we invite you to share your selfies showcasing how you are raising awareness of Lymphedema in your community. Enter for a chance to win a 25\$ gift card by tagging our social media accounts, which can be found on the [homepage of our website](#).

Compassion Fund: Therapists, please note that you can submit applications on behalf of your deserving patients for 2022 Compassion Fund consideration. Please [click here](#) for more information.

Patient Support: In honour of World Lymphedema Day, we have launched a Facebook support group for our patients. You are not alone on your lymphedema journey. To join the Facebook group, please follow [this link](#)

Exercises provided by Juzo: Follow [this link](#) for exercises on maintaining healthy legs and what breast cancer patient's should know about exercising with lymphedema, as well as a short article on why Juzo uses silver in its products!

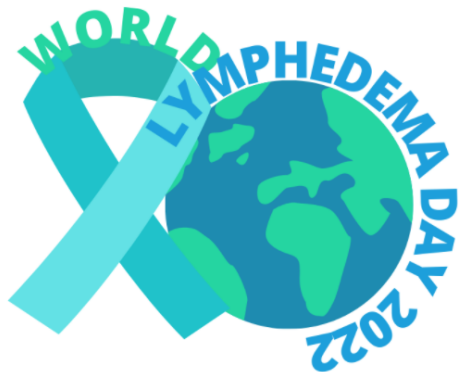
Upcoming Webinars:

- March 7th for Healthcare professionals

Member Stories

" I want to tell you that I have the greatest of appreciation for all that you are doing in the Compassion Fund. It is making a big difference" - Nancy Ali, RMT and Compassion Fund therapist

"I would like to express my gratitude for the generous support provided to me by the Lymphedema Association of Ontario, Compassion Fund, which has allowed me to access professional services for the treatment of my condition" - Howard Lastman, Compassion Fund Recipient



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