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## AIDS West

[www.aidswest.ie](http://www.aidswest.ie)

AIDS WEST is a voluntary organisation, part-funded by HSE West, based in Galway. AIDS WEST offers support to people affected by HIV/AIDS and to those concerned about their sexual health. The services provided include support, counselling service, information helpline and education/prevention services in counties Galway, Mayo and Roscommon.

We have supported this group for over ten years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €10,000 to support for free of charge rapid HIV testing.

Our support represented 3.20% of their overall income

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## COPD Support Ireland

[www.copd.ie](http://www.copd.ie)

COPD Support Ireland is a charity set up to support all those living with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), a lung condition that makes it hard for sufferers to breathe due to obstruction of the airways in their lungs. It is Ireland's first national COPD support and advocacy body, bringing together local support groups from around the country, to help those living with, and caring for someone with, COPD.

We have supported this group for over seven years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €15,000 for World COPD Day 2019 week. Also, GSK provided a project grant of €5,000 to support the National Co-ordination of COPD Support Groups in 2019.

Our support represented 12.33% of their overall income.

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## Epilepsy Ireland

[www.epilepsy.ie](http://www.epilepsy.ie)

Epilepsy Ireland was established in 1966 to work for and meet the needs of people with epilepsy in Ireland, their families and carers. Epilepsy Ireland provides a range of support services from headquarters in Dublin and from regional offices in Cork, Dundalk, Galway, Kerry, Kilkenny, Letterkenny, Limerick, Sligo and Tullamore. The charity also works to improve epilepsy awareness, supports Irish epilepsy research, provides training and education programmes and advocates on behalf of those living with the condition.

We have supported this group for over ten years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €7,000 to support 2019 National Epilepsy Conference that took place in September. GSK also provided a project grant of €1,000 to support a charity lunch that was held in May 2019.

Our support represented up to 0.46% of their overall income.

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## HIV Ireland

<http://www.hivireland.ie/>

HIV Ireland is a voluntary organisation working to improve conditions for people living with or affected by HIV and AIDS. HIV Ireland's missions is to improve conditions for people living with HIV and AIDS, their families and their caregivers, while actively promoting HIV and sexual health awareness in the general population.

We have supported this group for over ten years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €10,000 to support the HIV Ireland & GCN World AIDS Day 2019. GSK provided an additional project grant of €5,000 to support the HIV Ireland Red Ball which took place in June 2019.

Our support represented 1.81% of their overall income.

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## The Irish Skin Foundation

[www.irishskin.ie](http://www.irishskin.ie)

The Irish Skin Foundation (ISF) is a national charity with a mission to support people with skin disorders. We operate a Helpline, provide up-to-date specialist guidance, run events, awareness campaigns and engage in advocacy for people with skin conditions.

We have supported this group for over seven years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €10,000 to support the 2019 Family Fun Day.

Our support represented 1.88% of their overall income

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## The Migraine Association of Ireland

[www.migraine.ie](http://www.migraine.ie)

The Migraine Association of Ireland (MAI) is dedicated to improving the quality of life for the 12-15% of our population who suffer from migraine. MAI provides information, support and reassurance to migraine sufferers and those with other headache disorders. Information is also on offer to the families and friends of migraineurs and to medical professionals. MAI also supports research into the condition and aims to seek out improved treatments for people with migraine.

We have supported this group for over ten years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €3,000 to support the 2019 Media Monitoring project.

Our support represented 1.20% of their overall income

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## The Asthma Society of Ireland

[www.asthma.ie](http://www.asthma.ie)

The Asthma Society of Ireland is a national voluntary association of people with asthma, their parents, medical personnel and all those with an interest in the condition.

The Asthma Society's vision is that the highest standard of care is provided to people in Ireland who have asthma.

The Asthma Society's mission is to improve the health and wellbeing of people with asthma through advocacy, awareness, education and research.

We have supported this group for over ten years.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided a project grant of €32,359.08 to support 'Asthma in Pharmacy' Clinics. Also, we provided project grant of €32,666 to support study on the economic impact of an asthma structured review programme in Ireland. In addition to this GSK also provided a project grant of €35,000 to support Asthma Awareness Week 2019 along with a further project grant of €1,302.41 to support attendance at the Irish Healthcare Awards that took place in November 2019.

Our support represented 9% of their overall income

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## ACET (AIDS Care Education & Training) Ireland

[www.acet.ie](http://www.acet.ie)

The aim of ACET is to improve the lives of those living with and affected by HIV in Ireland and playing a part in reducing the number of new cases of HIV in Ireland. For 27 years, ACET have supported individuals and families affected by HIV particularly among communities in Dublin impacted by addiction and opiate use. ACET has additional outreach in Africa.

GSK has worked with ACET for one year.

### **During 2019:**

- GSK provided a project grant of €5,000 to support the HIV Migrants Project.

Our support represented 1% of their overall income



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## Gay Health Network

[www.gayhealthnetwork.ie](http://www.gayhealthnetwork.ie)

The Gay Health Network – working in partnership with the Gay Men's Health Service to deliver Gay Health Forum – is a community organization that supports Gay and Bisexual men and the transgender population in Ireland.

GSK has worked with Gay Health Network for one year.

### During 2019:

- GSK provided funding of €2,000 to support the 2019 Annual Gay Health Forum.

Our support represented 8.40% of their overall income