



# Pro Bono Foundation OPERATION RESTORE

*Restoring self-image, self-esteem and hair*



## Volunteer Physician Application

**Eligibility criteria:** A volunteer physician must be a current ISHRS physician member in good standing.

**Mission Statement:** The ISHRS recognizes the impact of hair loss due to trauma or disease on a person's well-being. The mission of **Operation Restore** is to provide hair restoration surgery to individuals with this type of hair loss and who lack the resources to obtain the corrective surgery on their own. The program will match prospective patients with volunteer physicians in order to serve the community at large.

**Financial Arrangement/Expenses:** The volunteer physician is expected to waive or cover the costs of all medical fees, supplies, etc. associated with all aspects of the procedure, including pre-op and post-op. The ISHRS will cover the pre-determined travel expenses of the patient per the guidelines listed below. The ISHRS may be able to help offset the costs of volunteer physicians depending on donations and corporate support for this program.

1. Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Year joined ISHRS: \_\_\_\_\_
3. How did you hear about the ISHRS Pro Bono Program: ☐ Website ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Hair restoration techniques/procedures that you are willing to perform as a volunteer for the ISHRS Pro Bono Program:  

<input type="checkbox"/> Follicular Transplants	<input type="checkbox"/> Scalp Extension	<input type="checkbox"/> Flaps & Reductions
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Therapies	<input type="checkbox"/> Lasers	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hair Loss in Women	<input type="checkbox"/> Hair Transplantation in Various Ethnic Groups	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
6. Why would you like to volunteer for the ISHRS Pro Bono Program?

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## Physician Consent, Indemnity and Release

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby request and consent to participate in the International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS) Pro Bono Program, hereby referred to as the "Program", as a volunteer physician.

I fully understand and acknowledge that (i) the ISHRS in no way endorses any medical or surgical techniques addressed and/or used by a volunteer physician; (ii) the Program is not a certified hair restoration program and in no way endorses, accredits or certifies the volunteer physicians participating in the Program (iii) the Program does not establish a physician-patient relationship between the ISHRS and any patient, but rather serves only as a pro bono matching service for prospective patients who wish to participate in the Program and receive pro bono hair restoration treatment.

I further understand and acknowledge that my participation in the Program is entirely voluntary. I may refuse hair restoration treatment to a matched Program prospective patient, and I may withdraw as a volunteer upon written notice to the ISHRS headquarters office. ISHRS undertakes no obligation to guarantee a match with a Program prospective patient.

**In consideration for my participation in the Program, I hereby (i) represent and warrant that I am qualified to perform the hair restoration techniques for which I have volunteered in my Application; (ii) represent and warrant that I maintain professional liability insurance in an amount sufficient to satisfy any claims that may be asserted against me in connection with my participation in the Program; (iii) release the ISHRS and its officers, directors, members, and agents from and against any and all liability arising from or in any way connected with my participation in the Program; and (iv) agree to indemnify, defend and hold the ISHRS, its officers, directors, members and agents harmless from and against any and all claims related to my participation in the Program.**

**I have read the above Physician Consent, Indemnity, and Release Form and agree to be bound by its terms.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Send completed application to:**

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OPERATION RESTORE  
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Fax +1 630-262-1520  
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[www.ISHRS.org](http://www.ISHRS.org)

### **PATIENT TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT GUIDELINES**

**ISHRS Operation Restore Program will reimburse the expenses of the following.**

1. Mileage or local public/car service transportation. If mileage, reimbursement will be the IRS rate per mile or up to \$1,000 USD in gas receipts.
2. Coach-class airfare booked at least 14 days in advance. A minor patient (under 18 years old) may be accompanied by one parent or guardian who shares the same hotel room – in this case, ISHRS will reimburse both of the airfares.
3. Hotel (room and tax only) for a maximum of 3 nights. Hotel per night may not exceed \$250 USD/ night unless approved in advance. The physician may have an arrangement with a local hotel for patient discounts.
4. Only if requested, a \$50 per diem (\$100 per diem in the case of 1 parent and minor) may be granted toward food.
5. Receipts for all expenses must be submitted to ISHRS Headquarters after the treatment with a letter requesting the full amount of reimbursement requested.
6. The ISHRS will reimburse the expenses outlined above for multiple visits to the assigned physician's office, as the treatment requires, and as pre-approved by the ISHRS, pending availability of Operation Restore funds.

Ver. 11-14-24