

**2019 Service User/Carer Bursary Application Form**

**BIGSPD Annual Conference**

Tuesday 2nd – Thursday 4th April 2019

Radisson Blu Durham, Frankland Lane, Durham

Your application will be sent for approval and you will be informed of the outcome.

If successful you will receive the following at the BIGSPD Conference 2019:

* **Attendance** for all 3 days at the Conference.
* **Accommodation** at the Conference venue or nearby hotel for the evening of Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd April 19 (please note: hotel will be allocated at a later date)
* **Dinner** and entertainment on Tuesday 2nd April 19 (to be held at the Radisson Blu)
* **Gala Dinner**, welcome drink and entertainment Wednesday 3rd April19 (to be held at the Durham Castle)

**Please apply by 21st December to Lorraine,** [**bigspd@northernnetworking.co.uk**](mailto:bigspd@northernnetworking.co.uk)

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| Title  (Dr, Miss, Mrs, Ms, Prof) |  |
| Surname |  |
| First Name |  |
| Address (inc Postcode) |  |
| Telephone Number |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Dietary requirements |  |
| Access/other requirements |  |

**Are you: (please tick or x correct option)**

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| Service User |  | Carer |  |

**Which of the following best represents your employment status (please tick or x correct option)**

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| Full time employment |  | Part time employment |  | Freelance eg. service user consultant or trainer |  | Unwaged/in receipt of benefits |  | Other |  |

If you have ticked ‘other’, please explain here:

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| Why are you interested in attending the BIGSPD conference?  Please briefly explain how you would benefit from a place at the conference. |  |
| How many times in the past have you benefited from a free place at BIGSPD? If applicable, please indicate date of the last time you received a free place |  |
| Have you had an abstract accepted or are you part of an abstract with others that has been accepted to present at the conference | If yes, please indicate name of the abstract: |
| Are you planning to attend the conference with professionals from the NHS, a university or another organisation? | If yes, please indicate name and type of organisation: |
| If you are awarded a free or subsidised place, will you or a supporting organisation be able to cover travel expenses to the conference? |  |
| Any other information to support your application? |  |

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