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## New Resources from Ultragenyx Patient Advocacy

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We're excited to share the **newest resources available on UltraRareAdvocacy.com!** It is our goal to create relevant and useful educational materials for the rare community to support individuals in their journey, no matter what stage. Browse through the Rare Disease Patient Journey [here](#) to find additional resources on pursuing a diagnosis, managing day-to-day life, participating in research, becoming a community advocate, and more.

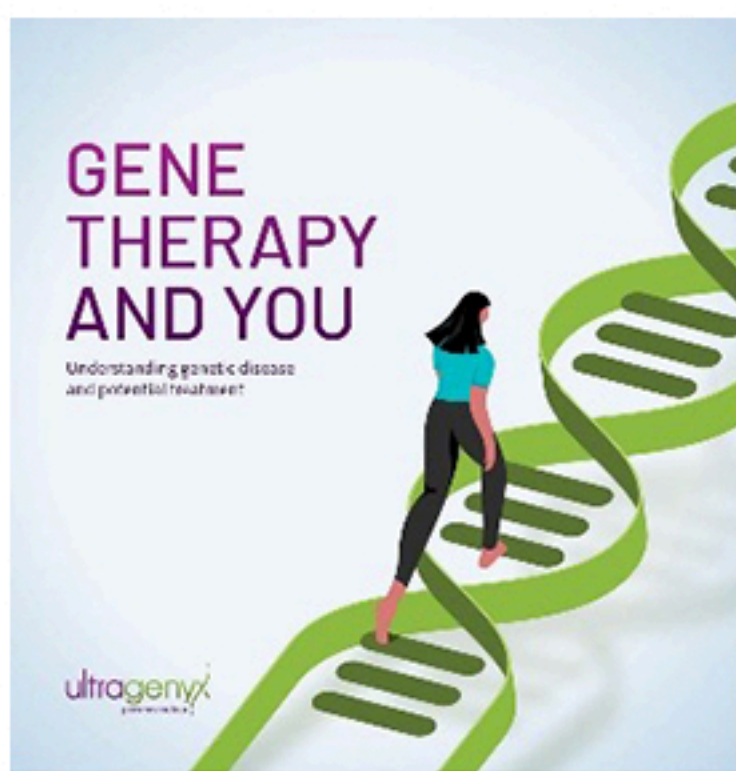
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### New Educational Resources

#### Gene Therapy and You

Want to know more about how gene therapy works? Download our gene therapy brochure to learn more about genetic disease and gene therapy as a potential treatment.

[Download the Brochure](#)



#### What is mRNA Therapy?

At Ultragenyx, we are researching many ways to potentially treat rare diseases. One of those approaches is **mRNA therapy** for glycogen storage disease type III (GSD III). To learn more about how mRNA therapy is designed to work, check out the animation below.



#### Tumor-induced Osteomalacia (TIO) Resource Guide

TIO is a rare condition caused by tumors in the body that cause an overproduction of a certain protein. People with TIO can experience muscle weakness, fatigue, bone pain, and fractures that have a significant impact on daily life. This resource guide discusses symptoms, disease management, and support for people and care partners impacted by TIO.

[Find out More](#)

### New Patient Journey

#### Ann: Achieving Balance

**"I think the lesson I've learned is that you have to keep moving no matter what. No matter how weak you are, you have to keep moving. The more I educated myself, the better."**



When Ann was so fatigued and weak that she had difficulty walking and standing, she sought out and advocated for a diagnosis. After seeing many specialists, Ann was finally diagnosed with tumor-induced osteomalacia (TIO).

[Check out Ann's Story](#)

### Thank you!

Thank you for your continued support for rare disease. If you found this E-News Update helpful, feel free to invite your friends and family to [join our mailing list](#). If you'd like to stay up-to-date with resources, events, patient stories and more, we hope you'll also [follow us on Facebook](#) and visit our [website](#)!

The patient advocacy department within a company serves as the point of connection to individuals and families impacted by rare diseases and works to understand and represent their views within its organization. Ultragenyx is a biopharmaceutical company committed to bringing to market novel products for the treatment of rare and ultra-rare diseases, with a focus on serious, debilitating genetic conditions.

Sincerely,  
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