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## **CMTA POLICY ON INDIRECT COSTS**

The Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association (“CMTA”) provides funding to support organizations whose work advances CMTA’s mission to support the development of new treatments for CMT, to improve the quality of life for people with Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease (CMT), and, ultimately, to find a cure. CMTA adopts this Policy on Indirect Costs (“Policy”) in recognition that its awardees may have indirect costs that are not directly attributable to the specific project or activities being funded by CMTA awards but that are necessary to support project-related activities. In general, indirect costs are those that support the entire operations of an awardee and are shared across multiple projects.

CMTA permits up to 10% of any CMTA funding made for a specific purpose or project to be used by the recipient organization for its general operational, administrative, overhead or other indirect cost purposes associated with such purpose or project. This indirect cost limitation applies both to the primary award recipient and to subawardees. General operating support grants and endowment grants are not eligible for indirect cost recovery. Indirect costs associated with any CMTA-funded project must be specified in the budget for that project, and may not be charged against equipment costs or travel.

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