



Breathing for Life: Our Stories (BFLOS) is proud to announce compilation of our second volume of stories by pulmonary disease patients and care-providers.

We invite you to share the unique story of your journey of living with pulmonary disease, whether as someone who suffers directly from one of the many types of lung illnesses or you provide care to a patient as a medical professional or support person.

Your contribution can take the form of a story/essay of up to 2,500 words, a poem, art (drawing, sketch, collage ...)

Deadline for stories is: October 31, 2014

Why Stories? STORIES HAVE POWER!

- ◆ Stories heal
- ◆ Stories inspire
- ◆ Stories clarify
- ◆ Stories cleanse
- ◆ Stories connect us to one another
- ◆ Stories allow us to bring our significant others into the circle of understanding of what life is like with pulmonary disease

The vision of BFLOS is to heighten awareness of pulmonary disease in all its forms, inspire greater commitment to combatting pulmonary disease, and to encourage people with pulmonary disease to feel empowered by sharing their stories with the larger community. BFLOS also raises funds to donate to research.

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