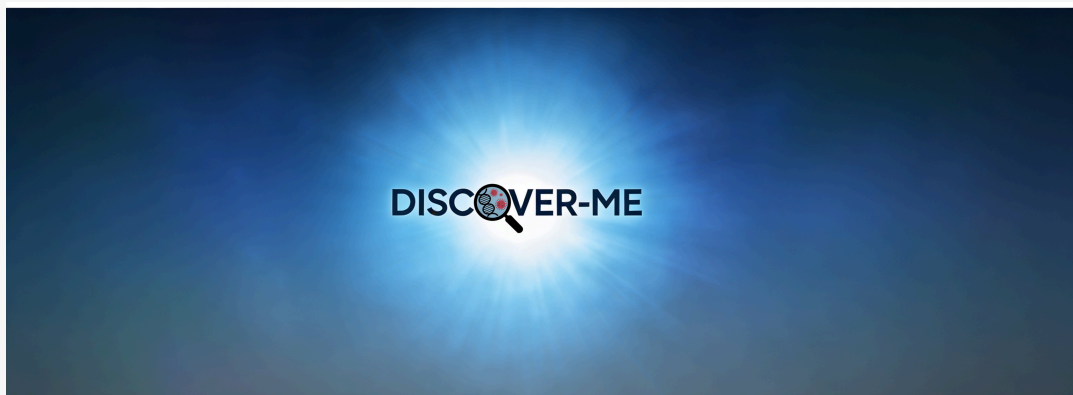


Invest in ME Research

June 2026 Newsletter - [DISCOVER-ME](#)



In its twentieth year as a registered UK charity, Invest in ME Research is pleased to announce a historic milestone for European biomedical research into ME.

A consortium led by the **European ME Research Group (EMERG)** has been awarded **EU Horizon funding** for a major pan-European biomedical research project - [DISCOVER-ME](#).

DISCOVER-ME is funded under EU Horizon call HORIZON-HLTH-2025-01-DISEASE-07 - the first European research call ever to name ME explicitly as a priority condition. For a disease long marginalised within mainstream medical research, this is not merely a funding announcement - it is a recognition.



DISCOVER-ME will:

- Study 2,000 patients across 20+ institutions in 12+ countries in Europe and Canada
- Identify the immune, metabolic, neurological and genetic markers that underpin the disease
- Deliver the first biologically validated framework for classifying ME

This award is the direct consequence of twenty years of sustained effort by the charity - and of the great support that the charity has had to make this possible. The European networks initiated by the charity, the international colloquia and conferences, the fellowships, the researchers you helped train- this strategy is now delivering results at the highest level of European science.

"Twenty years of Investing in ME Research - now the first major pan-European biomedical research programme dedicated to ME."

Thanks to our supporters for two decades of commitment to this cause.

[Read the full announcement](#)

And the work continues



Two Invest in ME Research postdoctoral fellows at the Quadram Institute are driving the UK science forward right now.

Our 20 Year Anniversary Appeal is asking for help in publicising the work being done and to make the case for further investment at the centre in Norwich Research Park.

Our ME fellows will be prominently involved in the Horizon project so we ask - Please help us keep them in the laboratory.

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International ME Conference Week 2027



The EMERG Horizon project has also meant advanced planning has had to be made for our international ME conference week for 2027.

The dates have now been set for an ambitious 2027 conference week that will include the EMERG DISCOVER-ME annual meeting

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