ABOUT NFID

Founded in 1973, the National Foundation for Infectious Diseases (NFID) is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) organization dedicated to educating the public and healthcare professionals about the burden, causes, prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of infectious diseases across the lifespan.
VISION
Healthier lives through effective prevention and treatment of infectious diseases

MISSION
Educate the public and healthcare professionals about the burden, causes, diagnosis, and treatment of infectious diseases across the lifespan

COLLABORATION
Valued partnerships with government, academia, professional societies, patient advocacy groups, and industry
EDUCATION
NFID offers clinical and research-focused in-person and online educational activities bringing together leading experts and cross-disciplinary professionals to advance the prevention and treatment of infectious diseases and antibiotic-resistant infections

OUTREACH
Through media relations, social media engagement, public service announcements, community events, and other awareness activities, NFID educates the general public and target populations about the prevention and treatment of infectious diseases across the lifespan

RECOGNITION
NFID develops leaders and honors outstanding individuals for their contributions to public health through scientific achievement, philanthropy, and policy
“For nearly 50 years, NFID has played an important role in public and professional education, and I commend the organization for its work to help minimize the impact of infectious diseases on public health.”

Jimmy Carter
39th President of the United States,
1st Recipient of NFID Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter Humanitarian Award