‘Living With CGD – Your Stories’ Blog Template

Title

Please feel free to select your own title which summarises you and your story. It could be the name of an event you have engaged in, how you describe your relationship with CGD, or it could be a quote from your blog. Here are a few examples from blogs we have already on our website:

- Being a Carrier of X-Linked CGD
- Reluctant patient becomes advocate for CGD Society
- Lockdown lessons from a member of our CGD community

Images

You are welcome to place photos that you would like to be posted within the article. Pictures could include yourself, a family photo, and/or a picture of an event you have participated in. We will include all your photos within the main body of your blog post and will use one of the photos as the thumbnail for the piece. You are under no obligation to submit photos if you do not wish to.

To avoid

In your blog post, please can you refrain from mentioning the following:

- Politics
- Religious views
- Profanity
- Medical advice (only refer to personal experience), doctor recommendations or names unless that specific doctor has consented to it

Length

Please aim to keep your blog under 1,500 words.

Conclusion

Please add this template to the end of your blog:

“We would like to thank [your name] for volunteering [his/her/their] time in writing [name]’s story. If you would like to know more about [him/her/them], you can follow
[him/her/them] on [social media platforms you wish to share and links, this sentence is of course optional].

If you would also like to get involved and share your experience with CGD, please get in contact with us at hello@cgdsociety.org.”

You can follow this link to see previous blog posts on our website: https://cgdsociety.org/living-with-cgd/living-with-cgd-your-stories/.

Happy writing and thank you for sharing your story with CGD Society!