# BHD Syndrome International Registry (BIRT)

A Rare Community United For Common Good









## **How Does BIRT Work?**

- Participants enter data about themselves (which is updated in real time) to be used for research. The more data collected, the greater the research possibilities.
- Participants are given access to assessment instructions, previously uploaded clinical results, educational and engagement tools.
- Platform allows participants to better **understand their disease** while **contributing to research**.

## **How BIRT Helps Stakeholders**

#### **Prevalence**

Determine how widespread BHD is.

#### **Symptoms**

Collect information on how patients manage symptoms and asses their quality of life.



### Cancer

Determine which type of kidney cancer is most likely to develop in BHD.

#### **Clinical Trials**

Use registry as a database to recruit for clinical trials.

#### **Manifestations**

Determine if there are any other cancers associated BHD other than what is known and understand the associated genetic variants.

#### **Consensus**

BIRT allows for consensus to be formed on diagnostic and management criteria.

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