**Bursary application form**

**State of Caring conference 2025**

**Tackling inequality: opportunity, outcomes**
**and economic growth**

Thursday 27 February 2025

Building on the success of four online State of Caring conferences, next year Carers UK will have a well-timed opportunity of examining the national policy landscape, considering new and emerging trends for unpaid carers as well as continuing to look at promising practice.

Bringing together sector leaders and experts, this conference will:

* dig deeper into the Government’s agenda on the NHS Plan, key themes and how carers are being involved
* see where social care fits into this national picture and the new narrative around care supporting economic growth
* look at carers’ health inequalities and how this might be leveraged in support for unpaid carers.

Carers UK is offering a very limited number of free places to carers who would not otherwise be able to attend. To apply for a free place, please complete and return the form below.

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| Name:  |
| Address:  |
|  Postcode:  |
| Telephone (landline): Telephone (mobile):  |
| Email address:  |

**Please tick all that apply:**

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| [ ]  I am a carer [ ]  I am a former carer  |

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| 1. Please tell us a bit about your caring role or former caring role and your motivation for attending with a bursary.
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| 1. Please let us know about groups and organisations that you are in touch with and where you intend to cascade the information learned at the State of Caring conference.
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| Carers UK may want to talk to you about how you found the conference. Please indicate below if you are happy to have your comments recorded and put out on Facebook and Twitter. |
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**The deadline for Carers UK receiving bursary applications is 17 November 2024.**

Please return your completed form by email to stateofcaring@carersuk.org