Emergency Financial Assistance Program:

The Mid South Chapter's Emergency Financial Assistance Program was developed to bring meaningful financial assistance to as many people living with MS as possible. Any registered client with a confirmed diagnosis of MS who can demonstrate true financial need associated with the effects of Multiple Sclerosis is eligible for consideration. Since resources are limited, the Chapter may not be able to fulfill all requests or cover all expenses related to a needed service or item. When we are not able to fund specific needs through our own program resources, we can provide information and resources to help identify alternative solutions.

Some types of requests that we may be able to help:

- Respite services such as short term home care
- Durable medical equipment and air conditioners
- Transportation to medical appointments
- Critical short term needs such as emergency help with utilities or rent
- Dental and vision expenses as it relates to MS and is NOT covered by insurance

What Is The Financial Assistance Program **NOT** Designed To Do?

This program is not intended to support ongoing services or expenses in a role similar to that of an insurer, or to cover credit card bills, medical bills, insurance premiums or previously incurred expenses. Nor will the Society provide financial assistance in instances where such support can be obtained elsewhere; in these cases the Society will provide information and support to help obtain those resources from other sources.

For more information about the Mid South Chapter's Financial Assistance Program please call 1-800-344-4867 and speak to an MS Navigator.