

Camp Footloose Subsidy Application

The Arthritis Movement understands the financial strain that comes with raising a child with a chronic illness like Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (JIA). To help alleviate this burden, we provide help with camp costs in the form of camp ticket and/or travel subsidy for families who may otherwise be unable to attend camp (travel subsidies are only available for families living more than 400km from the camp location).

Please keep in mind that submitting an application does not guarantee a financial or travel subsidy. Funds to support subsidies vary year to year and depend on the funds available to support subsidies, as well as the number of applications received.

Each family may only apply for a ticket or a travel subsidy, not both. The Arthritis Movement will review applications based the funding available and inform you of the outcome of your application by the outcome date listed below.

Application Questions

1. Which type of financial subsidy are you applying for?	☐ Half-price ticket subsidy (\$250) ☐ Partial travel subsidy (up to \$350 - dependant on distance)
1.a. (Travel subsidy only) Which of the following options best describes your current home location? Please select one.	☐ I live interstate ☐ I live in NSW (more than 400km drive to Camp) ☐ None of the above
1.b. (Travel subsidy only) What is your home suburb and state?	
1.c. (Travel subsidy only) What type of travel are you applying for?	☐ Plane ticket ☐ Driving km allowance ☐ Train ticket
1.d. (Travel subsidy only) What is your estimated total travel cost?	
2. Why are you applying for this subsidy?	

3. Would your child be able to attend Camp Footloose without a financial subsidy or with a partial subsidy?	
4. What do you hope your child will learn/gain from attending Camp Footloose?	
5. Is there anything else you would like to share that would be relevant to your application?	

Please submit the completed application to camps@arthritis.org.au by **Monday 31/08/2026** for review. Unfortunately, due to the short timeframe for us to review and respond to applications, we cannot accept any late applications.

Your application will be reviewed and returned with a decision by **Monday 7/09/2026**.

Kindest regards,

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