

RARE DISEASE DAY 2021
The Royal Holloway University, London

Please send your answers to these 10 questions, for a chance to win a voucher worth £15, to: office@sma-uk.org.uk

1. What makes a disease rare?
2. What is spinal muscular atrophy (SMA) and how rare is it?
3. Which type of SMA is the most common?
4. What is the cause of SMA?
5. What is the function of a motor neuron?
6. Are there treatments for SMA? If so, what are they called?
7. What do these treatments work on?
8. What other treatment strategies are there for SMA?
9. What is SMA UK?
10. What is SMA UK's main purpose?

Resources

1. SMA UK's poster: <https://www.royalholloway.ac.uk/research-and-teaching/departments-and-schools/biological-sciences/about-us/rare-disease-day/>
2. SMA UK's website: www.smauk.org.uk
3. Rare Disease Day at the Royal Holloway: <https://www.royalholloway.ac.uk/research-and-teaching/departments-and-schools/biological-sciences/about-us/rare-disease-day/>