SAMPLE LETTER / EMAIL TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Dear [name],

I know you may be aware that [my son, daughter, I] has an Eosinophil Associated Disease called [EGID, EoE, EG, EGE, EC, HSS, CSS]. Eosinophil (pronounced e-o-sin-o-fil) Associated Diseases are poorly understood and often misdiagnosed. While [name] might look healthy on the outside, the reality is that this is a very difficult disease to live with.

(My son/daughter’s, My) Eosinophil Associated Disease affects our lives in the following way:

(include your story, keeping it brief and factual).

In honor of National Eosinophil Awareness Week, I ask that you take a moment to reflect on all the blessings you have in your life and think about how this disease impacts [name] and our entire family. We are in desperate need of research funding to find better diagnostic methods and effective treatments for Eosinophil Associated Diseases. Please consider watching this short educational video http://apfed.org/video1/video1.htm to learn more about these disorders.

You can also make a donation online at http://www.apfed.org/donations.htm to support our cause.

Thank you for supporting our family and taking the time to learn more.