



## The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

The 24th Annual Walk of Hope for ALS will be held on Saturday, September 12, 2026 in Wakefield, MA. The 3.5-mile Walk begins and ends at the lower Common.

This family-friendly event raises funds that directly benefit ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) research at the UMass Chan Medical School.

Gather family and friends, create your team and join us as we raise funds for ALS research. You can walk as a team or as an individual.

We encourage you to join in this celebration of hope by walking, and raising money, for those who are living with ALS, or in memory of those who are no longer with us.

Angel Fund President Rich Kennedy and Dr. Robert Brown will kick off the walk at 11 a.m. Walkers will walk the 3.5 miles around Lake Quannapowitt.

Dr. Brown and his research team need our help to move his research to the next level!  
Let's walk and Step up to Cure ALS

Go to [TheAngelFund.org](http://TheAngelFund.org) to learn more or for more information call 781-245-7070.



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# Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

September 12, 2026

**#Step Up to Cure ALS<sup>®</sup>**



The Angel Fund  
649 Main Street  
Wakefield, MA 01880

## Organize a Team!

- Recruit family members, friends, and colleagues to join your team.
- Choose a team name and a captain.
- Have team members collect donations.
- Teams and individual walkers are welcome.
- Set a fundraising goal for your team.
- You can mail checks to The Angel Fund, have your supporters donate online at [www.theangelfund.org](http://www.theangelfund.org) or email the link to your fundraising page to streamline your fundraising efforts.

Collect any other pledges before the walk and send it to:

The Angel Fund for ALS Research  
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How to register:

To register for the Walk of Hope for ALS go to <https://theangelfund.org/project/walk-of-hope/>

You can join us as an individual, a team leader or as a team member.

## Become a Corporate Sponsor

We rely on the generosity of corporate sponsors to help us meet our fundraising goals. Please consider a corporate sponsorship for the Walk of Hope for ALS to help us in the fight against ALS.

- Donate \$500 and your corporate logo will be featured on our website
- Donate \$1000 and your corporate name will be on our website and program
- Donate \$2500 and your corporate logo will be mentioned in press releases, placed on our website and in all eblasts.
- Email us at [TheAngelFundALS@gmail.com](mailto:TheAngelFundALS@gmail.com) to register as a sponsor.

## Schedule

9:00 a.m. Registration, volunteer, and sponsor tents open on Wakefield Common.

10:50 a.m. Welcoming remarks

Rich Kennedy President, The Angel Fund  
Dr. Robert H. Brown, Jr.  
UMass Chan Medical School

11:00 a.m. Traditional release of white doves

11:00 a.m. Walk of Hope begins

11:30 a.m. Refreshments - Family activities continue

T-shirts will be available to registered walkers

## Are you walking for a loved one?

If your team is walking in honor of or memory of a loved one, we would like to honor them as well. Create a lawn sign for your team and we will have it ready for the walk. Photos must be submitted by September 1st.

## Questions?

Call us at 781-245-7070 or email  
[TheAngelFundALS@gmail.com](mailto:TheAngelFundALS@gmail.com)

# Walk of Hope for ALS

## You can fundraise online! It's easy!

We encourage our walkers to fundraise and we make it easy to create a team or individual fundraising page.

After you register, you create a page - let your team members join your page and create their own fundraising page or donate to your page.

- Create your fundraising page by scanning the QR code.



You can create your fundraising page with a personal message and a photo and you will get a personalized web address for your page.

- Once your page is created, email the link to your family, friends, co-workers and other supporters and ask them to make a safe and secure donation online. An automatic 'thank you' email will be sent to your donors with a message you can customize. You can view your online donations on your page and update your page with offline donations, too.
- Encourage your supporters to donate online on The Angel Fund website, [www.theangelfund.org](http://www.theangelfund.org). Remember to put the name of the individual team member or team to ensure that you're credited with the donation.

Team names will be listed on the website as they join.

Let's celebrate our walkers and supporters as they Step Up to Cure ALS®



## Registration information

### 25th Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

I am a walker team captain

Walker's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

You can also register online by going to <https://theangelfund.org/project/walk-of-hope/>

I am a corporate sponsor

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \$2,500 \$1,000 \$500

I am unable to participate in the Walk of Hope for ALS, but would like to make a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Form of payment:  
Check Mastercard Visa AMEX

Card#

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to designate my gift

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

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