# TEXAS EPILEPSY WALK

# **Sponsorship Packet** Spring 2024



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# LET'S CELEBRATE TOGETHER!



We are excited to come together as a community to raise funds and awareness for the <u>1 in 26</u> diagnosed with epilepsy.



APRIL 13 Houston Walk Houston Zoo

APRIL 13 Amarillo Walk Thompson Memorial Park and Amarillo Zoo

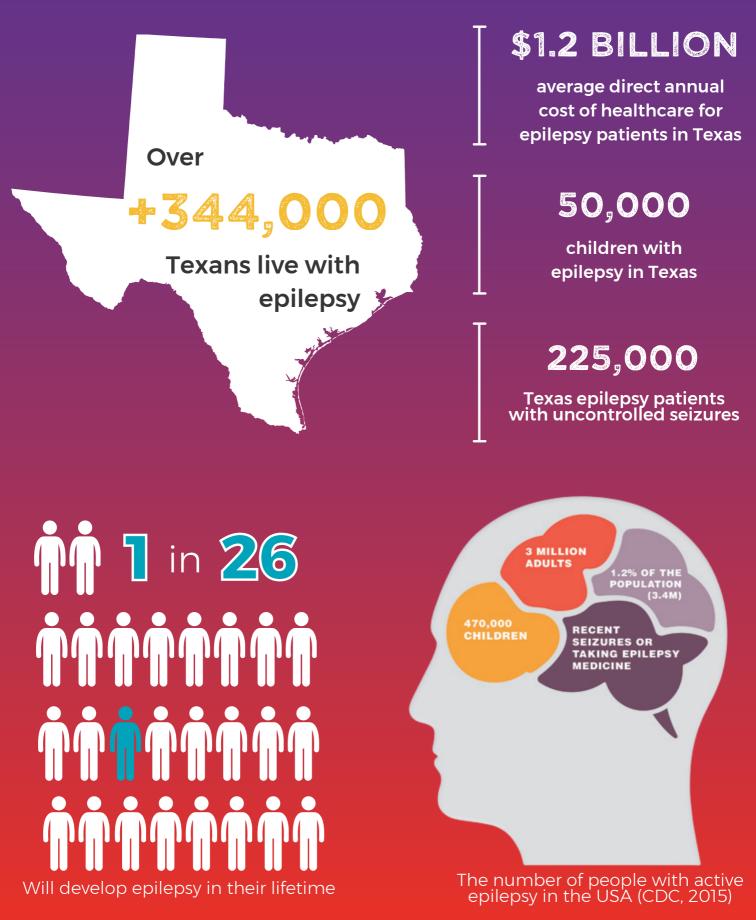
APRIL 20 Dallas Walk Dallas Zoo

APRIL 27 Forest Park and Fort Worth Zoo

> MAY 4 El Paso Walk Album Park

MAY 11 Bryan College Station Walk Wolf Pen Creek Park

All walkers are encouraged to raise money to support the programs provided by Epilepsy Foundation Texas. We sincerely hope that you join us in the fight to END EPILEPSY! Epilepsy is the <u>most common</u> serious <u>brain</u> <u>disorder</u> worldwide with no age, racial, social class, national, or geographic boundaries.



## **Sponsorship Opportunities**

	State Presenting	Local Lead	Local Platinum	Local Gold	Local Silver
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	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000
EFTX liaison to assist in creating a walk team	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
<u>Marketing booth</u> : 1 Table, 2 chairs	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Recognition on social media (20K+)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Recognition on Walk website	Logo + Link	Logo + Link	Logo	Logo	Name
Recognition on STATEWIDE t-shirts	Logo + up to 50 shirts for employees	Logo + up to 10 shirts for employees	Logo + up to 5 shirts for employees	Logo + up to 2 shirts for employees	Logo
Featured in Walk-specific acknowledgement emails	Logo + Link	Logo	Logo	Logo	
Recognition on event signage	Logo (2 signs)	Logo (1 local sign)	Logo (shared)	Logo (shared)	
Recognition on large posters and flyers	Logo	Logo	Name		
Verbal stage acknowledgement	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$		
Recognition in acknowledgment letters and thank you emails	Logo + Link (all walks)	Logo + Link (local walk)			
EFTX social media posts featuring your business	4 posts	2 posts			
Highlighted in EFTX monthly newsletter, sent to over 9,000 people	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$			
Opportunity to greet audience from stage	$\checkmark$				
<b>Broadcast Media</b> : included on press releases, PSAs, and broadcast media.	$\checkmark$				
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## **Underwriting Opportunities**



## Music and DJ Underwriter \$500

One of the essential parts of the Walk is our Sound System and Music to set the mood. As the Music and DJ underwriter, you will have your logo featured at the DJ booth and announced by the EMCEE.

## Kids Zone Underwriter \$1,000

Our walks are family-friendly, with many children in attendance. As the Kids Zone Underwriter, your logo will be displayed near each of our children's activities, which typically include a bounce house, an obstacle course, balloons, character photo opportunities, games, and more.



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## Photo Booth Underwriter \$2,000

We encourage our participants to commemorate the day with a photo opportunity. As the Photo Booth Underwriter, your logo will be prominently displayed at our booth and will be announced by the EMCEE.

There are many ways companies can support Texas Epilepsy Walk, including sponsorship, corporate teams, in-kind donations, matching gifts, donated media, etc. To learn more, please get in touch with Tiffany Schuler, Development Director, at 888-548-9716 ext. 403, tschuler@eftx.org.

## **Premier Sponsorship Levels**



## State Presenting Sponsor \$15,000

Exclusive market-wide recognition as Presenting Sponsor at all 6 spring in-person Texas Epilepsy Walks events across Epilepsy Foundation Texas region.

- EFTX liaison to assist in creating Walk teams at all desired locations
- Premier marketing booth placement at all desired events (table and two chairs)
- Recognition as "State Presenting Sponsor" on social media pages (20,000+ followers)
- Logo recognition with hyperlink on all 6 Walk websites
- Prominent logo placement on statewide t-shirts and all printed materials, including postcards, posters, brochures, and programs
- Recognition as "State Presenting Sponsor" on all Walk marketing and thank you emails
- Highlighted in the EFTX monthly newsletter sent to over 9,000 people
- Verbal acknowledgment from stage at all 6 events
- Opportunity to greet audience from stage
- Broadcast Media: included as the Exclusive Presenting State Sponsor on any press releases to walk markets, print and broadcast media
- 4 social media posts on EFTX social media pages

Local Lead Sponsor \$10,000

Exclusive recognition at ONE of our six walks as the Local Lead Sponsor. Only one Local Lead Sponsor per walk.

- EFTX liaison to assist in creating Walk team
- Marketing booth provided (table and two chairs)
- Prominent logo placement on statewide t-shirts and all printed materials, including postcards, posters, brochures, and programs
- Recognition as "Local Lead Sponsor" on all Walk marketing and thank you emails
- Highlighted in the EFTX monthly newsletter sent to over 9,000 people
- Verbal acknowledgment from stage at all 6 events
- 2 social media posts on EFTX social media pages



# EFTX Social Media Post Incentive

EFTX will curate social media posts to share across four social media sites (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn) with company tagged in post.



## State Presenting Sponsor (4 Posts)

- The company Logo with Power Hour Graphic
- Thank you with link to website specified by company
- Shout out by EFTX Staff or Families
- Sponsored Facebook & Instagram Live Interview with Company Ambassador or Doctor.

### Local Lead Sponsor (2 Posts)

- The company logo with Power Hour Graphic
- Thank you with link to website specified by company
- Shout out by EFTX Staff or Families





## Who Our Events Reach

Children living with epilepsy and their parents





Adults living with epilepsy and their family and friends

Local Community Leaders





Medical Community

Corporate and School Teams



72% Female 29% Age 35 -44



## Over 20,000 social media followers



2.5 million impressions or unique accounts who have viewed our posts in the past year

+9,000 newsletter subscribers

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## STRENGTHEN YOUR COMPANY AS YOU ADVANCE THE FIGHT AGAINST EPILEPSY.

The Texas Epilepsy Walk is the state's largest event to raise awareness and funds for people living with epilepsy. We need your help to continue the fight. Start a Company Team today!

#### **EMPLOYEE BENEFITS:**

- Build relationships and have fun with colleagues as you work together to fight Epilepsy.
- Refine your leadership skills as you inspire one another to raise funds that will help the millions of people facing the disease continue to receive quality care and support.
- Achieve a sense of accomplishment by raising funds to help support people living epilepsy through camps, clinics, and education.

#### **COMPANY BENEFITS:**

• Increase employee engagement, which can lead to higher employee retention and productivity.



- Create a positive presence in the community, attracting potential employees, customers and partners.
- Be socially responsible while showing support for the individuals in your organization affected by epilepsy in their personal life.

## START A COMPANY TEAM.

- As a corporate leader, we need your help to rally your company and community around the epilepsy cause.
- Visit <u>texasepilepsywalk.com</u> to find a Walk and sign up as a Company Team Captain.
- Select a team name. Make sure to include your company or organization in the name.
- Invite your co-worker to join the team.

## YOU HAVE THE SKILLS. WE HAVE THE TOOLS.

- Encourage colleagues to join your company team.
- Expand your team to include friends, family and other community members.
- Ask others to support your efforts by making a donation to your team.
- Hold a fundraising event in your office, like Casual for a Cause or Purple with a Purpose.
- Offer incentives to encourage participation and promote friendly fundraising competition.
- Implement departmental challenges that create
- camaraderie.
- Explore ways to maximize your fundraising, including matching gift or similar workplace programs. Visit DoubletheDonation at http://bit.ly/eftxcompanymatch to see if your company participates.
- Get further involved by volunteering for your Walk or other opportunities with the Foundation.

# Your sponsorship supports:



#### CARE - SPECIALTY

- Provide specialty care to over 1,000 patients at no cost to their family.
- Patient Assistant Program for medication
- Refer clients to specialty care

#### **CARE - SUPPORTIVE**

- Camps provided for children and families throughout the year Three summer camps, two family camps, one weekend for children living with epilepsy and siblings.
- Information, Resources, Referral
- Support Groups
- Connecting to information and to others

#### **EDUCATION**

- Seizure Recognition & First Aid Training in schools and workplace
- Seminars, Workshops and Webinars
- Transition Education for Teens during Camp

#### **AWARENESS EVENTS**

- Texas Epilepsy Walks
- International Epilepsy Day
- November Epilepsy Awareness Month

#### ADVOCACY

- Teens Speak Up! National Advocacy Program
- Advocating statewide for the protection of people living with epilepsy by supporting laws like the Sam's Law, signed into effect by Governor Abbott in June 2019.

#### RESEARCH

• Active in promoting, supporting and participating in research with our national office





## **2024 Sponsorship Commitment Form**

To experience maximum benefits for sponsorship, it is best to commit before Monday, April 1.

#### **Sponsor Information**

Company (as to be d	lisplayed)
Date	Contact Name
Address	
City/State/ZIP	
<b>Commitment Leve</b>	
State Presenting Sp	onsor - \$15,000 📄 Local Silver Sponsor - \$1000
Local Lead Sponsor	- \$10,000 Photobooth Underwriter - \$2,000
Local Platinum Spor	nsor - \$5,000 Kids Zone Underwriter - \$1,000
Local Gold Sponsor	- \$2,500 Music and DJ Underwriter - \$500
Walk Location	
El Paso	Bryan/College Station Houston All 6 Walks
Dallas	Fort Worth Amarillo
Total Commitment: \$_	
Print name	

#### **Payment Information**

Check enclosed, payable to: Epilepsy F	oundation Texas					
2401 Fountain View Drive, Suite 900, H	louston, Texas 77057					
Please invoice me (Payment terms: Ne	t 30 days)					
Billing contact name:						
Billing phone:						
Credit Card (American Express/Visa/MasterCard/Discover)						
Card number		Expiration				
Security code (back of card)	Today's Date					
Payment authorized signature						



Instagram:

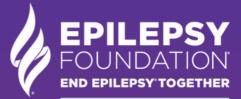
@epilepsyfoundationtx

Twitter: @eftx

YouTube: @epilepsyEFTX

LinkedIn:

**Epilepsy Foundation Texas** 



**TEXAS - HOUSTON/** DALLAS-FORT WORTH/ WEST TEXAS

## LOCATIONS

#### **Amarillo Area Office**

600 S. Tyler, Suite 1308 Box 12013 Amarillo, Texas 79101 Telephone: 806-352-5426 Toll-Free: 888-548-9716 Fax: 806-352-6249

#### **Dallas/Fort Worth Area Office**

8390 Lyndon B Johnson Freeway, Suite 930 Dallas, Texas 75251 Telephone: 214-420-2737 Toll-Free: 888-548-9716 Fax: 972-392-5951

#### **Houston Area Office**

2401 Fountain View Drive, Suite 900 Houston, Texas 77057 Telephone: 713-789-6295 Toll-Free: 888-548-9716 Fax: 713-789-5628

Lubbock Area Office

3610 22nd Street Lubbock, Texas 79410 Telephone: 806-785-1171 Toll-Free: 888-548-9716