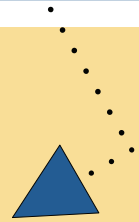


Talking Points

NF Steps

5k run/walk for Neurofibromatosis
~ moving forward with hope ~



While you are out collecting donations, you may be asked about NF. Here is some information for you to help explain NF to your supporters. I am participating in walk a thon for Neurofibromatosis, Inc. California a non profit organization. Your help will be much appreciated. I am trying to reach my goal of \$_____ . Will you sponsor me?

What is Neurofibromatosis?

Neurofibromatosis all so known as (NF) is a genetic disorder of the nervous system, known to cause tumors to form on nerves throughout the body at any time. NF is a progressive disorder that affects all races and both sexes equally. The effects of this disorder can be but not limited to:

Tumor Growth	Cancer	Learning Disabilities
Bone Deformities	Disfigurement	Hearing Loss
Epilepsy	Hydrocephalus	

Currently, there is no known cure or effective treatment (other than surgery) for these tumors, which may grow back. With your help, there is hope for a treatment and cure for the people with Neurofibromatosis. *You can also tell them your personal story about NF.*

Questions sponsors may ask:

Is my donation tax deductible?

Yes, Neurofibromatosis, Inc. California is a registered non profit organization. Tax Id# 68-0582616. *At this time you can ask them if they would like you to send them a receipt. These are available on our website or by calling the office we will mail some to you. Feel free to make more copies if needed.*

How can I find out more information about Neurofibromatosis, Inc. California?

By contacting the office at 707-469-0467 or by visiting their website www.nfcalifornia.org
The national website is nfinc.org

Where is the walk located?

The walk will be located in Vacaville, CA at Pena Adobe Park. This year you can pick from a 10k run/ 5k run/walk, kids fun run or a trike-a-thon

How do I make a donation?

Check: payable to NF, Inc. California or NFC

Cash: is always accepted *You can collect the donation at the time you are asking for the support.*

Visa: **Make a donation on line by visiting your fundraising page with firstgiving.com/nfc**

What if they need to mail a donation?

No problem. Make sure they use the donation form and that your name in listed as the walker so we can give you the credit. The donation can be mailed to NFC, P.O. Box 1234, Vacaville, CA 95696

Where does my donation go?

Your efforts and donations will help NF, Inc. California keep the hope alive for so many families. In addition to this walk, this year's projects include: distributing educational packets for families and physicians, mailing newsletters, sending e-mail alerts about many things affecting those with NF, their families and those who treat patients with NF, making phone calls, hosting family events, symposiums and educational meetings, supporting research and much more.

Please Help us Find Answers in 2010!

