

LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD!

Participate in the
Virtual Rally for
Medical Research Hill Day

September 16-17, 2020



Robust, sustained, and predictable federal funding for medical research is critical to the health and well-being of our citizens, and for the economic security and global leadership of the United States. Over the last five years, Congress has made lifesaving medical research a national priority by providing a total increase of \$11.6 billion or 39% for the National Institutes of Health (NIH).

This year, as we combat a deadly pandemic, the importance of investing in medical research cannot be overstated. While scientists are working quickly to develop new vaccines and treatments for COVID-19, we must not lose momentum in our quest to find cures for hundreds of other diseases as well.

Therefore, please join a broad coalition of stakeholders who represent millions of patients and other advocates from the medical research advocacy community on September 17, 2020, for the first-ever Virtual Rally for Medical Research Hill Day. This is an opportunity to work together and raise awareness about the importance of continued investments at NIH, which are vital if we are to inspire hope, spur progress, improve health, and save lives.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, September 10, 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm EDT
VIRTUAL TRAINING FOR ALL RALLY HILL DAY PARTICIPANTS

Wednesday, September 16, 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm EDT
VIRTUAL RECEPTION TO CELEBRATE MEDICAL RESEARCH

Thursday, September 17, 9:30 am – 5:30 pm EDT
VIRTUAL RALLY FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH HILL DAY

Meetings with House and Senate offices will take place via phone/video conference. Participants in time zones other than EDT will have their meetings begin at 9:30 am in their local time zone. All meetings will be scheduled to end by 5:30 pm EDT.

MAKE PLANS to join us September 16 and 17 when researchers, clinicians, survivors, and other advocates will come together virtually to speak with one voice about the importance of robust and sustained funding increases for NIH!



Together for
More **Progress**
More **Hope**
More **Life**[™]

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RallyForMedicalResearch.org