

24/7 Helpline: [1.800.272.3900](tel:1.800.272.3900)**Alzheimer's: We've done it before, we must do it again**

We're at a pivotal moment in Alzheimer's disease research, with scientists poised to make more significant and rapid advances if given the necessary resources. In a Huffington Post op-ed, Alzheimer's Association President and CEO Harry Johns writes that in the future, we'll either look back at 2014 as a turning point in the Alzheimer's crisis — the year we started making really significant progress toward the goals of the National Alzheimer's Plan — or we'll look back at the missed opportunity that could have saved millions of Americans lives and trillions of dollars in avoidable costs.


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**To all of our volunteers thank you**

April is National Volunteer month. We would like to take a moment to thank everyone that has been there for us. Without volunteers we would not be able to do what we do. You help us to achieve our mission and see our vision of a world without Alzheimer's. To help celebrate what you have helped us accomplish over the years we created a video which we invite you to watch, click the link below to view. Nobody can do everything, but everyone can do something.


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**Seth Rogen's Hilarity for Charity aims to raise Alzheimer's awareness**

Actor Seth Rogen's mother-in-law was diagnosed with early-onset Alzheimer's in 2006, at the age of 55. The family's experience with the illness prompted Rogen and his wife, Lauren Miller, to start Hilarity for Charity, which raises money and awareness about the disease, especially among young people.

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**Nebraska Alzheimer's Association returns from Capitol Hill**

The 2014 Advocacy forum may be over but the work has just begun. Nearly 900 advocates attended the forum April 7-9 with 8 advocates representing Nebraska. Advocates play an important role in improving the quality of care and life for people with Alzheimer's disease and other forms of dementia by educating state and national legislators to expand funding for research. To learn more about how you can add your voice to ours, click the link below.

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**Dealing with Alzheimer's can cause family tension**

Alzheimer's disease can bring out many strong emotions for caregivers. As the disease progresses, caregiving issues can often ignite or magnify family conflicts. Our strategies can help families cope with the situation together.

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**New calendar feature available to view upcoming education programs**

We would like to present a new tool to help find upcoming Alzheimer's Association education programs on our website. Simply visit our website and go to our education programs section. There you will find a listing of our upcoming programs and an option to view the calendar to see them in calendar format. To view this new feature, or to see upcoming programs, simply click the link below.

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Online resources, tools and support.

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The Alzheimer's Association is the world's leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer's care, support and research. Our mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

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