

OUR VOICES ARE STRONGER TOGETHER



When Relay For Life participants join ACS CAN, our powerful, nationwide grassroots network cannot be stopped! ACS CAN makes sure lawmakers at all levels of government are aware of cancer issues that matter to YOU. And, we give you extraordinary power to fight cancer with the training and tools you need to make your voice heard.

2016 POINTS OF PRIDE

One Degree Campaign



Nearly **150,000**

signed One Degree petitions were delivered to Congress



More than **23 million**

#OneDegree social media impressions were amassed



\$4.8 billion

in research funds was added to the NIH budget over 7 years, with \$1.8 billion set aside for the National Cancer Moonshot initiative



illuminated the U.S. Capitol Reflecting Pool as part of ACS CAN's National Leadership Summit and Lobby Day



California and Pennsylvania increased taxes on tobacco products, which can help prevent children from smoking and help adults quit.



3,500+

ACS CAN volunteer advocates and staff participated in Day at the Capitol events nationwide



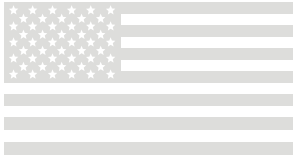
50 municipalities implemented comprehensive smoke-free workplace, restaurant and bar laws



26,000

Relay For Life supporters joined ACS CAN

LOOKING AHEAD TO 2017



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ACS CAN's mission – to make cancer a top national priority – remains unchanged. It remains nonpartisan, vital and achievable. So much is possible when concerned citizens take action.

Christopher W. Hansen
President, ACS CAN

We need YOU to JOIN ACS CAN to help eliminate cancer.

In 2017, our volunteer advocates will help ACS CAN:



Ensure all cancer patients have access to health coverage that includes preventive screening tests and treatments



Improve the quality of life for cancer patients and their families



Continue to increase funding for cancer research



Increase the number of smoke-free communities and states

MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD

Join ACS CAN today! acscan.org/relay



ACS CAN, the nonprofit, nonpartisan advocacy affiliate of the American Cancer Society, supports evidence-based policy and legislative solutions designed to eliminate cancer as a major health problem. ACS CAN works to encourage elected officials and candidates to make cancer a top national priority. ACS CAN gives ordinary people extraordinary power to fight cancer with the training and tools they need to make their voices heard. For more information, visit acscan.org.

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