

## MEDIA ADVISORY

**Celebrate Childhood Cancer Awareness Month by joining the Atlanta St. Jude Walk/Run on Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>**

*Hybrid event for individuals, teams across the country benefits St. Jude Children's Research Hospital*

**Atlanta, Georgia** (June. 1, 2022) – Registration is open for the St. Jude Walk/Run Atlanta during [Childhood Cancer Awareness Month](#) at 8 a.m. ET on Saturday, Sept. 17 at The Battery.

The St. Jude Walk/Run offers supporters of [St. Jude Children's Research Hospital](#)® a chance to walk or run and gather in-person or virtually to raise funds and awareness for the St. Jude mission: Finding cures. Saving children.® Thanks to generous supporters, families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food, so they can focus on helping their child live. This year's St. Jude Walk/Run series is nationally presented by Window World, Marcum Foundation, Amazon and Sigma Gamma Rho.

For those who attend the St. Jude Walk/Run in person, there will be family entertainment and a St. Jude patient family speaker who will share why the community's support means so much to families like theirs.

St. Jude is leading the way the world understands, treats and defeats childhood cancer and other life-threatening diseases. Fundraising events like the St. Jude Walk/Run are helping to fuel the current six-year, \$11.5 billion St. Jude strategic plan that includes tripling its global investment to impact more of the 400,000 kids around the world with cancer each year.

Register or learn more at [stjude.org/walkatlanta](https://stjude.org/walkatlanta)

**Editor's Note:** High-resolution images available by request

### **About St. Jude Children's Research Hospital**

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is leading the way the world understands, treats and defeats childhood cancer and other life-threatening diseases. Its purpose is clear: Finding cures. Saving children.® It is the only National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center devoted solely to children. Treatments invented at St. Jude have helped push the overall childhood cancer survival rate from 20% to more than 80% since the hospital opened more than 60 years ago. St. Jude won't stop until no child dies from cancer. St. Jude shares the breakthroughs it makes, and every child saved at St. Jude means doctors and scientists worldwide can use that knowledge to save thousands more children. Because of generous donors, families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food, so they can focus on helping their child live. Visit [St. Jude Inspire](#) to discover powerful St. Jude stories of hope, strength, love and kindness. Join the St. Jude mission by visiting [stjude.org](https://stjude.org), liking St. Jude on [Facebook](#), following St. Jude on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), [LinkedIn](#) and [TikTok](#), and subscribing to its [YouTube](#) channel.

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