

Dear Friend,

## Someone you know has Neurofibromatosis!

Nearly 3 million people worldwide have neurofibromatosis (NF), yet you probably have never heard of it. In fact, chances are that someone that you know is affected and you may not even realize it. It affects more people than Muscular Dystrophy, Tay-Sachs, and Huntington's Disease combined and is estimated to occur in 1 of 2,500 births. Neurofibromatosis can be a devastating disorder.

#### I want to make a difference for those with NF, and I am asking for your help.

### Someone I know has Neurofibromatosis!

I am participating in the Great Steps 4NF walk because someone near and dear to my heart is affected by NF. By walking and fundraising, I am helping all those affected by NF. I want to help make neurofibromatosis a more widely recognized disorder, improve the quality of life for those affected by NF, and to ultimately find a cure. **Your sponsorship can help make that happen.** 

# We need C.A.R.E (Clinics, Awareness, Research, Education & Support)

Everyone pictured below is affected by the tumors that are caused by NF, yet their symptoms vary greatly. Learning disabilities, scoliosis, seizures, severe pain, cancer, depression, disfigurement, deafness and blindness are just a few of the things that affect their daily lives. Your gift will give these individuals the promise of CARES today and hope of a cure tomorrow.

## NF Midwest C.A.R.E.S, will you?

Please help NF Midwest by sponsoring the annual **Great Steps Walk 4NF in Fort Wayne on September 21st.** This fight for care and a cure cannot be won alone. You can be the hero we need to make the difference. Please see the attached Sponsor Sheet for opportunities to be a sponsor.

Thank you!

Sincerely,



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