



JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH FOUNDATION

WALK TO CURE DIABETES

2010 VA Walk Committee Interest Form

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

I am interested in the following committee position(s):

Corporate Team Committee

Marketing & Media Committee

Family Team Committee

Activities & Volunteer Committee

Food & Beverage Committee

**Description of each committee are on the back of this page*

If you have any questions regarding a position or to sign-up, please contact Megan Trzcinski at mtrzcinski@jdrf.org or 202-465-4123.

It is due to the commitment and dedication of our volunteers that we can make this event happen!

Walk to Cure Diabetes Volunteer Planning Committee

The Walk Committee is the backbone of the Walk planning process. With guidance from the JDRF staff and direction from the volunteer Walk Chair, these individuals commit to meeting once a month, beginning on December 16th (in person or via conference call), to help guarantee the success of the Walk Program. While this process may seem overwhelming, when we all work together participation on the Walk Planning Committee is a fun and rewarding experience.

We can't do it without you!

Committee Descriptions

Corporate Team Committee *(3-4 volunteers)*

- Works with staff to identify ways to increase corporate sponsorships and new corporate walk teams.
- Works with corporate Walk teams to help them through the Walk Program – sharing ideas for internal communication, walker recruitment and fundraising tips.

Family Team Committee *(5-6 volunteers)*

- Works with family Walk teams to help them through the Walk Program –this may be support, tips with fundraising, letter writing, etc.
- Works with staff and Walk Chair to organize Family Fun Day (Family Team Kick-off Event).
- Contact local schools to educate them about the School Walk Program (program materials provided by JDRF and 10% of monies raised go directly back to the school).

Marketing & Media Committee *(2-3 volunteers)*

- Coordinate brochure and poster distribution plan.
- Contact local media (newspapers, bloggers, tv & radio stations) to encourage coverage of the Walk Program.
- Contact online community calendars to get the Walks added to the listings.

Food & Beverage Committee *(3-4 volunteers)*

- Responsible for following up with past donors and soliciting new donors to supply food and beverage in-kind donations for Walk Day.
- Create deliver and set up plan for Walk Day food and beverage.
- Help manage Walk Day for and beverage (setup, volunteers, etc).

Activities and Volunteer Committee *(3-4 volunteers)*

- Create fun atmosphere for all Walkers by securing entertainment/activities for Walk Day (bands, cheerleaders, mascots, etc).
- Recruit volunteers for Walk Day.
- Work with staff to create volunteer assignments and manage volunteers on Walk Day.