

# RAISE YOUR VOICE

## Guide for Advocates

In March 2024, supercharge your advocacy. Join us for Raise Your Voice, a month of sepsis advocacy action!

When you Raise Your Voice, you:

- Support sepsis-related policies, laws, and regulations at the local, state, and national levels.
- Raise awareness of sepsis in your community and in halls of power.
- Improve care and quality of life for the millions of people affected by sepsis.

Complete one action per week in March to support sepsis patients, survivors, and their loved ones!

If you have any questions, please contact Amanda Feinman: [afeinman@sepsis.org](mailto:afeinman@sepsis.org).

**One Month. 1,000 Actions.**

*Will you help us reach our goal?*

## **Week 1: March 4-10, 2024**

### **Secure Support for Lulu's Law**

Lulu's Law will develop a U.S. strategy for responding to sepsis and improve the collection of privacy-protected sepsis data. It will help to answer our many unanswered questions about sepsis and improve our ability to diagnose and treat it.

Before it can become law, Lulu's Law needs more support in Congress! Reach out to your Congressional representatives about this life-saving bill.

**Click to Act**

## **Week 2: March 11-17, 2024**

### **Send a Letter to the Editor About Maternal Sepsis**

Sepsis is the second leading cause of pregnancy-related death in the U.S., and the U.S. has one of the highest maternal mortality rates in the industrialized world. With suggested language provided by Sepsis Alliance, send your local newspaper a letter to the editor about this widespread maternal health crisis.

**Click to Act**

## **Week 3: March 18-24, 2024**

# **Submit an Appropriations Request**

Congress is currently deciding what projects and initiatives will receive federal funding for the next fiscal year. Through an official request known as an appropriations request, Sepsis Alliance is asking Congress to set aside funding for the collection of privacy-protected sepsis data. Join Sepsis Alliance for a free and virtual training to learn how to submit your own appropriations request in support of improved sepsis data.

This training will be held live on **March 19, 2024 at 2PM ET**. For those unable to join live, a recording will be available to view.

**Click to Register**

*Sepsis Alliance gratefully acknowledges Recce Pharmaceuticals for their unrestricted grant support of this advocacy training webinar.*

## **Week 4 : March 25-31, 2024**

# **Community Advocacy Your Way!**

Raise awareness of sepsis among your friends, family, colleagues, and neighbors! This week, choose one or more actions from the list below:

- Give a [Sepsis 911 presentation](#) in your community;
- Hang [sepsis information posters](#) in your workplace or school;
- Share Sepsis Alliance [graphics](#) with your social media network;
- [Donate](#) for the future of sepsis advocacy.

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**Thank you!**

To learn more about advocacy, please visit [SepsisVoices.org](https://SepsisVoices.org).

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Amanda Feinman: [afeinman@sepsis.org](mailto:afeinman@sepsis.org).

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Sepsis advocacy is a year-round need. When you make a monthly gift of \$10 or more, you are providing vital and consistent support for our programs. Will you join us in supporting Sepsis Alliance throughout the year?

**Give Today**