Conquering Alzheimer’s is as much a matter of education and public policy as scientific discovery, and we need your help to change the future of this devastating disease!

**Volunteer to be a:**
- Congressional team member
- State advocate
- Health fair host
- Educational presenter

Our Chapter programs provide vital support to people with Alzheimer’s disease!

**Volunteer to be a:**
- Memories in the Making® artist facilitator
- Music and Memory playlist creator or iPod drive host

Put your administrative skills to work!

**Volunteer to:**
- Answer phones
- Assist with mailings
- Enter computer data
- Organize and prepare materials
- Keep our library organized

Help with “day of” activities at our Chapter fundraising events!

**Volunteer at:**
- Our signature fundraising event: Walk to End Alzheimer’s
- RivALZ Blondes vs. Brunettes, a women’s flag football game

Alzheimer’s is relentless. **SO ARE WE.**

Join in our efforts!

If you have any questions, please contact:

Katherine Rivard, krivard@alz.org or 913.831.3888

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**24-hour Information and Support Line**

**800.272.3900**

alz.org/kansascity

The Alzheimer’s Association is the leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer’s care, support, and research. More than 5 million Americans are currently living with Alzheimer’s. The Heart of America Chapter provides vital programs and services to more than 50,000 individuals and 200,000 family members and caregivers struggling with the emotional, physical, and financial challenges of Alzheimer’s disease in our bi-state service area.

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Our mission is to eliminate Alzheimer’s disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health. Our vision is a world without Alzheimer’s®.

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**Member**

**Helping you every step of the way**
The Heart of America Chapter has resources and support services for those with memory loss, their families, and care partners. We are here to help you 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Chapter programs include:
- Family Connections Program: Individualized care consultations in your home or our office
- Chapter Resource Library: A collection of books, videos, brochures, and resource lists
- Support Groups and Breakfast Clubs: Meet regularly throughout the area for peer support and information exchange
- Minds in Motion: Social and engaging activities for individuals with dementia
- Memories in the Making: A weekly art program for individuals with dementia, hosted in community settings and the Chapter Education Center

Educational programs include:
- Understanding Alzheimer’s and Dementia
- Know the 10 Signs
- Healthy Living for Brain and Body
- Living with Alzheimer’s
- Legal and Financial Issues
- Effective Communication Strategies
- Understanding and Responding to Dementia-related Behavior

A full listing of education programs is available at communityresourcefinder.org or by calling 1.800.272.3900.

Resources include:
- Action Alerts: Timely electronic updates on policies related to dementia
- Weekly e-news with national and local information
- Chapter website and social media interaction
- Speakers Bureau: Chapter representatives and volunteers speaking out on Alzheimer’s issues at a variety of community venues
- Grassroots legislative efforts

BE AN ADVOCATE. Yours is the voice we are missing. You can urge support for critical Alzheimer’s legislative changes and work locally and nationally to advance key initiatives.