



# About Sarcoma Foundation of America

SFA's mission is to improve outcomes for people diagnosed with sarcoma to increase the number of survivors. We do this by funding and advancing research, educating and providing resources for people diagnosed with sarcoma, advocating on behalf of the community, bringing together the collective sarcoma voice, and growing awareness about the disease. As the largest and most visible sarcoma organization in America, SFA is the first line resource for all things sarcoma.

## OUR PROGRAMS

### RESEARCH

Thanks to the generosity of donors, more than \$26 million has been invested through Sarcoma Foundation of America's research program. SFA continues to be a leader in funding research focused on discovering and developing new and effective therapies to treat and end sarcoma. Our grants have generated more than \$26.5 million in subsequent research funding (government and non-profit).

### ADVOCACY

SFA serves as the voice for the sarcoma community by educating legislators, federal and state agency officials, health and research communities, and the general public about the need for additional research and new and less toxic therapies. SFA advocates for increased research funding for sarcoma both from the public and private sectors and works with government, for-profit and non-profit cancer organizations, and the biopharmaceutical industry to improve the level of awareness, interest, and investment in research for sarcoma. These advocacy efforts have resulted in focused research programs on sarcoma by the National Cancer Institute, as well as new investments by the biopharmaceutical industry.

### EDUCATION & ENGAGEMENT

SFA's advocate education and engagement initiatives include thought-provoking in-person education sessions with esteemed speakers, interactive webinars, advocate/researcher networking at national meetings, and briefings on the latest developments in sarcoma research. SFA's education program is a comprehensive program to provide advocates with information and tools needed to be a leader in the sarcoma advocacy community.

### RACE TO CURE SARCOMA

The Race to Cure Sarcoma is the premier run/walk series in the United States focused on raising awareness and research funds for sarcoma. Organized by Sarcoma Foundation of America, the Race to Cure Sarcoma is made up of family-friendly run/walks held in cities across the nation. More than \$1 million is raised for sarcoma research through the Race to Cure Sarcoma every year.