

Relay For Life 2024 Impact Report



American Cancer Society Relay For Life is the largest cancer walk in the nation. For nearly 40 years, communities across the world have come together to raise funds to help end cancer as we know it, for everyone - and we have no intention of ever slowing down. Funds raised through Relay For Life events directly support research, education, advocacy, and services for people with cancer and their families.

2024 by the Numbers

- Relay For Life events (US): **1,204 events**
- Relay For Life countries (including the US): **31**
- Relay For Life participants in the US: approximately **165,000**
- Relay For Life dollars raised in the US: **\$68 million**
- Dollars raised since 1985: **\$6.9 billion**

Relay For Life of Brooklyn 2024 Event Numbers

- Participants: 188
- Teams: 51
- Dollars raised: \$ 108,471.35
- Survivors: 29

Breakthrough Research Made Possible by Your Support

- **Xiaomin Bao, PhD** – \$792,000 - Prostate Cancer - Regents Of The University Of Minnesota – Twin Cities
- **Esra Akbay, PhD** – \$792,000 – Lung Cancer – The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
- **Joshua Andersen, PhD** – \$778,000 – Colorectal Cancer – The University of Utah
- **Lesley Ferguson, PhD** – \$217,500 – Pancreatic Cancer – Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory

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