



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, Alabama has more than 103,600 people living with Alzheimer's disease; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease is a leading cause of death in the United States and continues to profoundly impact individuals, families, caregivers and communities; and

WHEREAS, there are 222,000 dedicated family caregivers in Alabama who provide unpaid care at home valued at \$6.4 billion; and

WHEREAS, researchers in Alabama and around the world continue their efforts to develop scientific discoveries that could one day bring about a world without Alzheimer's disease and other dementias; and

WHEREAS, Alabama is committed to raising awareness about the early warning signs of Alzheimer's and dementia, promoting brain health and risk education, and helping families affected by dementia navigate available resources and support; and

WHEREAS, with early detection and diagnosis, individuals and their families can access treatment, enroll in research, participate in planning for the future and engage with agencies and organizations that support people living with dementia and their caregivers; and

WHEREAS, Alabama joins in commemorating those who have passed from Alzheimer's disease and honors those living with Alzheimer's disease and other dementia, as well as their dedicated caregivers, during Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month of June, and throughout the year:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim June 2026, as

Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month

in the state of Alabama, and do commend this observance to all citizens.



*Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the
Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City
of Montgomery on the 18th day of June 2026.*

Kay Ivey

Kay Ivey, Governor