



GET IN. WE'RE CURING ALS

"A vaccine starts with one person treated. The end of a terminal disease starts with one person cured. Then we push like hell to change the story for everyone. And don't stop until we do." - Brian Wallach, Co-Founder of I AM ALS

What's Up With Us

Shopping while giving? Don't mind if we do! Sharing the love to I AM ALS is easy by making your holiday purchases through [Amazon Smile](#) and selecting I AM ALS as your nonprofit. Want to forgo the gifts and ask your network to donate in the name of I AM ALS? How gracious of you! You can do that through [Facebook](#) or [our website](#).

You may be wondering: Who is that Bitmoji? It's Michael, I AM ALS's community lead organizer!

Share Your Story

Cozying up to the fire and sharing stories is what this season is about. Give the (100% free!) gift of your story.

SHARING IS
CARING

COMMUNITY UPDATES

Clinical Trials Team

The Clinical Trials Team had two presentations at the



International Symposium on Motor Neurone Disease/Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (MND/ALS). Didn't catch them? No worries, [here](#) are the posters and presentations.



Familial ALS Team

Don't miss this coming Tuesday from 4-5 p.m. EST when the Familial ALS Team will be hosting I AM ALS Social Hour. Interested in talking or learning about familial ALS, [join us!](#)



Thank You Squad

The Thank You Squad strikes again! They are sending every single US senator and representative who cosponsored the SSDI bill (S.578/H.R.1407) a personal, hand-written note of gratitude. Building relationships is how you get the job done!



Veterans Affairs Team

This week the Veterans Affairs Team tweaked its veteran's health care gap analysis survey and continued to strategize participant recruitment. If you are a veteran with ALS or a veteran's caretaker, fill out [this survey!](#)



[Lori Andre. Is. A. Force.](#) Lori is an incredible ALS advocate and fundraiser. She co-leads our Community Outreach team, advances Clinical Trials Team projects and raises money for ALS cures selling [cute handbags!](#)



I AM ALS is a patient-led community that provides critical support and resources to patients, caregivers and loved ones. It empowers advocates to raise awareness and lead the revolution against ALS in driving the development of cures. Learn more at iamals.org.

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