



World
Lymphedema
Day®
March 6

World Lymphedema Day Rally at the Michigan Capitol Building

Sunday March 6, 2022 @ 2 PM Eastern

Neglected Disease Affects More Michiganders than AIDS, Parkinson's, Multiple Sclerosis, Musculo-dystrophy and Alzheimer's Disease Combined

World Lymphedema Day helps to draw attention to the need for additional research, treatments, insurance coverage, and education about lymphatic diseases.

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Together with the University of Michigan, a Lymphatic Disease (LD) Comprehensive Center of Excellence, and Befitting You Medical Supply, the Michigan Chapter of the Lymphatic Education and Research Network (LE&RN) is holding a rally at the Michigan State Capitol to bring attention to the plight of over 10,000 Michiganders suffering from lymphedema.

WLD is an annual advocate-driven celebration, which was established in 2016 by the United States Senate in response to a bill written by the Lymphatic Education & Research Network (LE&RN). The year 2022 marks the 7th year of World Lymphedema Day. Although the day is called World Lymphedema Day, it's about educating the world on all lymphatic diseases, including primary and secondary lymphedema (LE), lipedema (LI), lymphatic filariasis (LF), lymphatic malformations (LM), and the full lymphatic continuum (LC) of diseases impacted by the lymphatic system.

Please visit the Michigan Chapter website at <https://lymphaticnetwork.org/chapters/michigan> for more information. To join our event or become involved, contact **Kari** or **Monica** at **MIChapter@lymphaticnetwork.org**.