

WHEREAS; there are hundreds of medically recognized headache disorders, including migraine, tension headaches, and cluster headaches, that affect individuals in Wisconsin, across the nation, and around the world; and

WHEREAS; according to the World Health Organization, headache disorders are among the most common disorders of the nervous system, affecting approximately 40 percent of the global population; and

WHEREAS; the effects of headache disorders present at different levels of intensity and frequency and can negatively impact an individual’s quality of life, especially for those who suffer migraines, by causing personal suffering, decreased productivity, emotional distress, and more; and

WHEREAS; while migraines are relatively common, only one to two percent of people worldwide live with chronic migraine, meaning they experience disruptive and oftentimes debilitating symptoms multiple days per month, according to the Cleveland Clinic; and

WHEREAS; despite the prevalence of headache disorders, many afflicted individuals do not receive proper diagnoses and medical care due to lack of access to adequate healthcare and specialty providers, particularly in rural and underserved communities; and

WHEREAS; this month, the state of Wisconsin joins dedicated advocates and organizations across the state in raising awareness of migraine and headache disorders and encouraging affected individuals to seek professional help and treatment when necessary;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim June 2026 as

MIGRAINE AND HEADACHE AWARENESS MONTH

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance
to all our state’s residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 29th day of May 2026.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State