

WHEREAS; malignant brain tumors are among the deadliest forms of cancer, with a 36 percent five-year relative survival rate, and are the leading cause of cancer-related deaths in kids and young people under the age of 20; and

WHEREAS; this year, an estimated 84,170 Americans of all ages, races, socioeconomic statuses, and genders will receive a primary brain tumor diagnosis; and

WHEREAS; in our state alone, it is estimated that 1,790 people will be diagnosed with a brain tumor in 2021, and that more than 339 of those diagnosed will die; and

WHEREAS; Wisconsin is home to numerous major research facilities that are dedicated to developing better treatments for brain tumors, ensuring a higher quality of life for brain tumor patients, and finding a cure; and

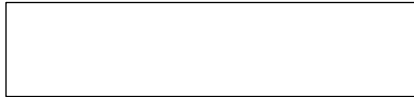
WHEREAS; this month, the state of Wisconsin joins brain tumor patients, their families, advocates, and dedicated organizations throughout our state in increasing public awareness of brain tumors through advocacy, supporting targeted research, and embracing hope for a cure;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim May 2021 as

BRAIN TUMOR 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 21st day of April 2021.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State