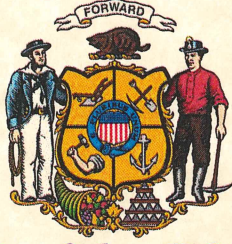


STATE of WISCONSIN



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Proclamation

WHEREAS; childhood cancer is the most common disease killer of children in the United States, and incidence rates are increasing every year, making childhood cancer an urgent health crisis; and

WHEREAS; one in five of our nation's children loses their battle with cancer within five years of diagnosis and, with current treatments, 95 percent of childhood cancer survivors will end up with life-threatening illnesses; and

WHEREAS; September is National Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, symbolized by the color gold; and

WHEREAS; the State of Wisconsin joins the childhood cancer community in support of childhood cancer initiatives, organizations, hospitals, and families affected by the disease; and

WHEREAS; it is our goal as a community to enhance the ability for children to survive and thrive following a cancer diagnosis and enhance the quality of life for these children and their families;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the state of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim September 2019 as

CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

throughout the state of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our citizens.



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 15th day of August 2019.

Tony Evers
TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

Douglas La Follette
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State