

# Proclamation

IN HONOR OF

## May Lyme Disease Awareness Month

**Awarded to LDAnet Partner Groups  
this Month of May 2017**

**Whereas: LDAnet member groups value the health  
Of citizens within their communities and states,  
And support programs to raise awareness of  
Lyme and other tick-borne diseases; and**

**Whereas: Lyme disease, caused by spiral-shaped  
bacteria, *Borrelia burgdorferi* (Bb),  
or by newly discovered *Borrelia mayonii*,  
is an urgent health concern across the USA; and**

**Whereas: If untreated, Lyme disease may  
cause serious health complications  
including, but not limited to: musculoskeletal,  
neurological, cardiac/pulmonary  
and in some cases death; and**

**Therefore Be it Resolved that:  
Lyme Disease Association, Inc. (LDA)  
honors its LDAnet partners  
who remain dedicated to serving the  
people of the United States by improving awareness,  
education, patient support and prevention  
of tick-borne disease such as Lyme disease.**



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