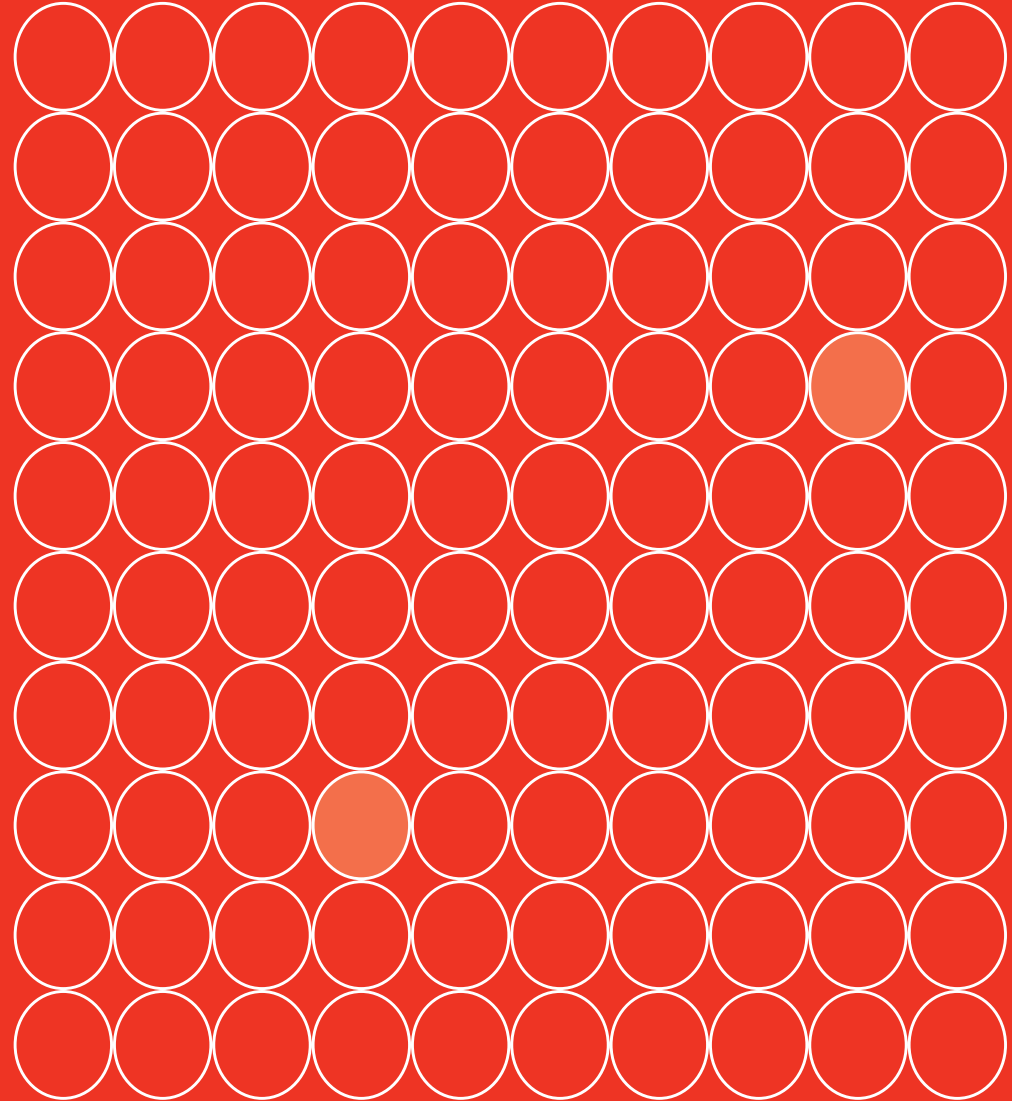
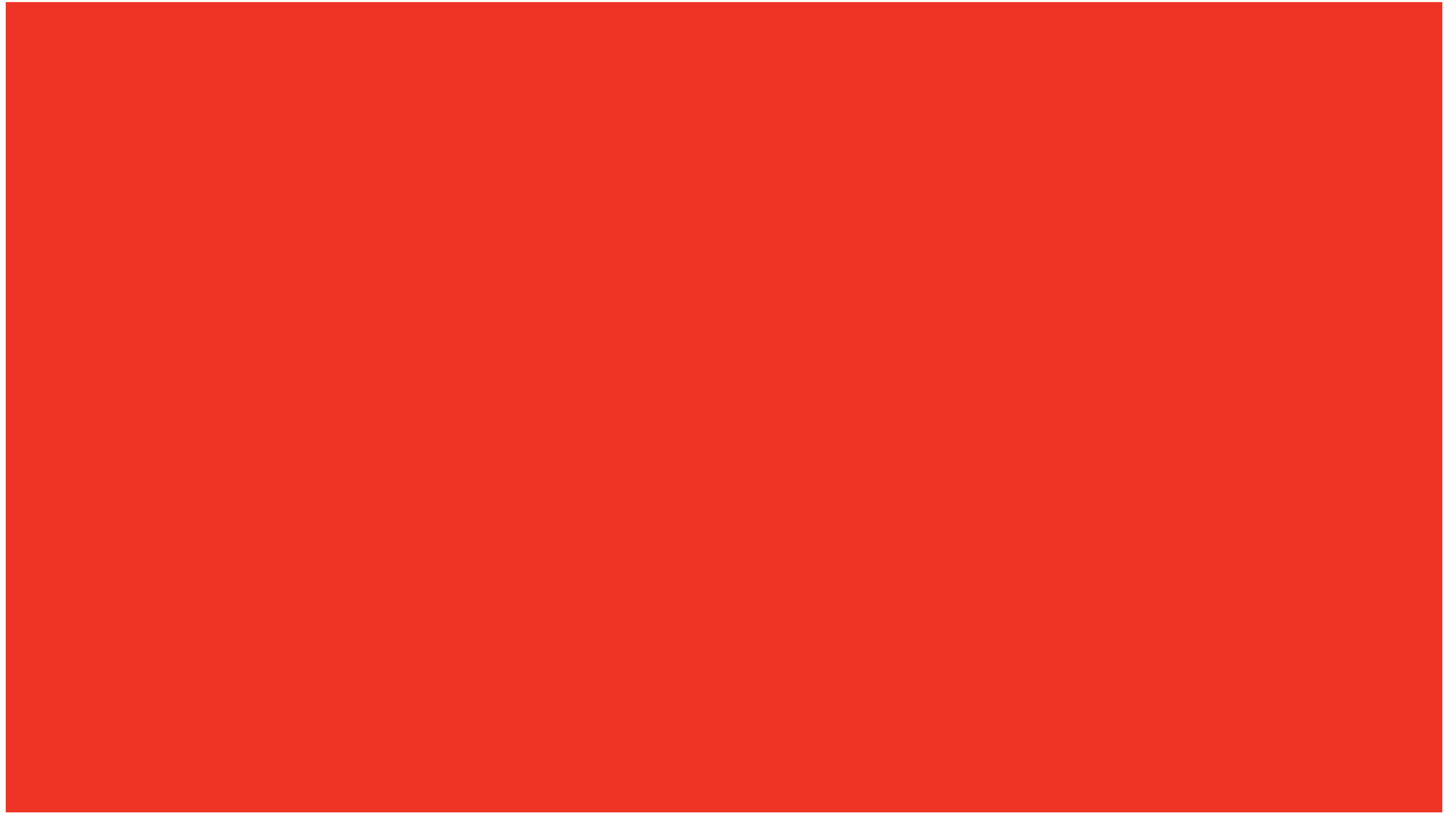


2 in every *100* people
have some form
of epilepsy

2007 Epilepsy Association
Annual Report





Dear Friends,



As I come into my final year as the President of the Board of Trustees, I feel proud of our many accomplishments and challenged to continue to do more on behalf of the thousands of people in Northeast Ohio affected by epilepsy. I can still remember the look on my elementary school teacher's face after she found out I had epilepsy. Although I outgrew my seizures, the fear and stigma associated with having epilepsy, is still vividly clear in my mind. As President, I have been able to give back to a cause intimately close to my heart and affect change for those with epilepsy. The need for awareness and education exists today as it did when I was child. Through the work of the Board of Trustees, Professional Advisory Board, donors and agency staff—the Association is educating, motivating and changing lives everyday.

During 2007, the Association made great progress toward the initiatives set forth in our 2006-2008 Strategic Plan. These initiatives focused the Association's efforts on increasing awareness of epilepsy, maintaining core agency services, emphasizing education to children through new programs, increasing funding to extend core

services, and raising internal service quality to achieve growth goals. I want to call your attention to some of our achievements during 2007.

- The Association saw an increase in referrals from the medical community that exceeded our 2007 goal by 52%.
- The 2007 Annual Campaign exceeded its goal and generated revenue close to \$301,762.
- The Association served nearly 6,500 people in 2007, an increase of 23% over the number of individuals served in 2006. Of those, 2,924 were students who received epilepsy education.
- In 2007, 97% of our clients were satisfied with the Association's services and caller satisfaction reached 98%.

Additionally, in 2007 the Association clients and volunteers took an active role in advocating for the passage of the Epilepsy Right to Know legislation. Our advocates expressed their concerns regarding a patient's right to be informed of changes to their medication. They testified before the House Health

Committee, wrote letters of support, and called their legislators.

None of these accomplishments would have been possible without the generous support of our donors. Through the generous gifts provided, the Epilepsy Association was able to come closer to fulfilling our vision for those living with epilepsy.

In the pages that follow you will meet Susan and James, our 2007 Client Award Recipients. These awards are always very meaningful and exemplify determination and perseverance to overcome the many challenges that can accompany epilepsy. I think you will be inspired—as I always am—in meeting our consumers and I hope you will be motivated to continue your support in 2008.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Amy E. Kellogg". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline.

Amy E. Kellogg
President, Board of Trustees.

2007 Notable Achievements

Educate
Motivate
Change a life

The Epilepsy Association is dedicated to helping individuals with epilepsy achieve a higher quality of life. The achievements of our educational efforts including information & referral services, awareness programs and advocacy efforts are proof of this commitment.

Eliminating barriers through education remains an Association priority. During 2007, 5,673 people attended an Epilepsy Association awareness program at a workplace, community center, church or school. This represents a 22% increase over the previous year and is the largest number of people reached in a single year by the Association's awareness programs.

The introduction of epilepsy into someone's life or a change in someone's epilepsy usually prompts a call to the Epilepsy Association. Every day people call the Association looking for information, a referral, or for help coping with some issue that is the result of epilepsy. The Association's information and referral program

provides assistance to callers with issues such as health insurance, medications, physician referrals, social services, driving laws, housing, education, employment and much more.

Epilepsy Association volunteers participated with epilepsy advocates from across Ohio at the annual State Capitol Day on March 13, 2007. The training day, organized by a coalition of Ohio epilepsy organizations, lobbied for the passage of the Epilepsy Right to Know Bill. The Epilepsy Association's group met with Northeast Ohio state legislators to encourage their backing of the Bill. In addition, our volunteers provided testimony at legislative hearings and made editorial board visits in support of this legislation that would require pharmacists to notify the patient and physicians of any changes to medication being dispensed. This legislation is necessary since minor variations in the formulas of epilepsy medication can cause seizures even in persons who have had their seizures under control for years.

The Epilepsy Association thanks the following grant makers for supporting our efforts to provide education programs in 2007.

- Baker & Hostetler, "Helmets for Kids"
- Alyce J. and Ann. J. Metka Foundation, "Lorain County Youth Education Grant"
- Ronald McDonald House Charities of Northeastern Ohio, "Educational Outreach—materials purchased"
- The Katherine and Lee Chilcote Foundation, "Kids on the Block Program"
- Ortho-McNeil Neurologics, "Fall Forum"
- UCB Pharma, "Fall Forum"
- Shire, "Fall Forum"

Social Service

Our social service programs assist and encourage independence for those with epilepsy or epilepsy and a mental health diagnoses. These programs provided treatment to over 300 adults during in 2007. This represents 3,964 appointments with the agency's social service staff. During the year, every client with the help of their case worker completed a plan to improve the quality of their lives. Through the development of these person-centered plans, clients displayed increased motivation to engage in treatment and work towards improved independent functioning. The ultimate goal for clients is to achieve the highest level of independent living as possible and view life from a positive perspective. By year's end, 84% of clients had made progress towards meeting their goals and 97% were satisfied with the services they had received.

The Epilepsy Association's services include both short term crisis intervention and life skills development. Clients who are eligible for these services often come to the Association seeking help to meet basic human needs

such as housing, access to health care and most importantly medication. If a person stops taking their medications, they may face a life threatening situation. These crisis situations must first be resolved before an individual is ready to engage in counseling services. Through the generous support of community grant makers and individuals, the Association is able to provide emergency financial assistance to individuals who find themselves in such a crisis. During 2007 the Association helped individuals avoid desperate situations almost every week.

Our efforts to maintain high standards of quality and provide measurable results were recognized by The Council on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF). In 2007, the Epilepsy Association was awarded a three year accreditation, the highest level of accreditation, after the completion of a CARF audit. CARF is an international, independent, nonprofit accreditor of human service providers and networks in the areas of aging services, behavioral

We are deeply grateful for the contributions and support of community grant makers for our social services programs.

- Deaconess Community Foundation, "Core Social Services"
- Reuter Foundation, "Core Social Services"
- State of Ohio Discretionary Fund, "Core Social Services"
- The Elisabeth Severance Prentiss Foundation, "Emergency Assistance Fund"
- United Black Fund of Greater Cleveland, Inc., "Crisis Intervention Services for Homeless African-Americans with Epilepsy"
- KeyBank, "Financial Education and Employment Support Services"

health, child and youth services, employment and community services, and medical rehabilitation. CARF accredited service providers meet the highest national and international standards for quality.

Family Support Services

A phone call from the mother of a child with epilepsy in late 2006 motivated the Association's social service staff to recognize the need for easy access to peer support services. The mom wanted to talk with another parent who

was also adjusting to having a child with seizure disorders. The Epilepsy Association responded by helping her initiate the "Family Support Network". The network is a collaborative effort of the Association, the Cleveland Clinic and Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital and will provide peer-support and ongoing education for parents and caregivers of children with epilepsy. As word gets out that this Network is for parents and other family members to share experiences and support one another, participation will increase and other support services will be developed.

Client Recognition Award Recipients



Client Recognition Award Recipient Susan Bradfield and EA social worker Michelle Fernandez.

Each year the Epilepsy Association recognizes two clients who have made significant achievements to overcome issues related to living with epilepsy. Their stories of personal growth are inspiring and a testament to how the Epilepsy Association is changing lives.

Susan Bradfield moved to Cleveland from Florida in 2006 and needed help navigating through a new health care system. Susan came to the Epilepsy Association overwhelmed by all the treatment options that were open to her. Her inability to serve as her own medical advocate left her mistrustful of health care providers, angry and depressed.

Social workers helped Susan gain the self-confidence and self advocacy skills she needed to make good decisions regarding her health care. With their support, she has shown remarkable motivation towards her recovery.

Susan's newly found sense of empowerment has also helped her to become more involved in the community. Her warm personality and unparalleled perseverance have enabled her to make positive strides in her recovery and improve her quality of life which will aid her in all of her future endeavors.

change a life

James Mathiang is a lost boy of Sudan. He came to Cleveland as part of a group of young men who survived the war in their homeland.

James has epilepsy. In addition to learning a new language and acclimating to the American culture, James has had to learn how to manage the effects of his epilepsy as well as the long term effects of his childhood struggle to survive.

In 2004, James sought help from the Epilepsy Association. He needed help accessing health care services, enrolling in educational and vocational programs and obtaining benefits. He also needed help coping with the stress that was a part of his new life here in Cleveland.

James is a determined young man and his positive attitude, hopefulness and his spirit have assisted him in achieving his goals.

Three of those goals were learning how to take care of his physical and mental health well-being, becoming an American Citizen and reuniting with his



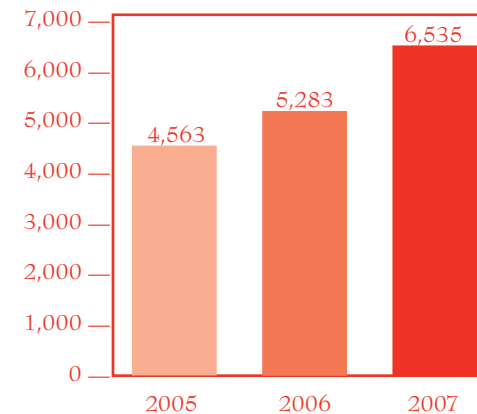
Client Recognition Award Recipient James Mathiang with EA case worker Linda Ware.

family in Africa. He has succeeded in all three. Through the help he received at the Epilepsy Association, James has learned to manage his epilepsy and improve his mental health. Feeling well meant that James was able to take and pass the citizenship test. In a ceremony at the Federal Court House in February

2007, James took his oath of citizenship. Then this past summer, James, proudly traveling with his United States passport, went to the Sudan. After twenty years, James was reunited with his family. James loved seeing his family again, but he was happy to come back home to America.

This graph tracks the agency's overall service figures for the last three years, which have increased annually since 2005 and have exceeded Strategic Plan goals each year.

Epilepsy Association Service Figures 2005-2007



Supporters

Legacy Award & Gala



2007 Legacy Award honorees Philip C. Mazanec (left) and Dr. Mary Ann Werz, M.D., PhD (right)

The Epilepsy Association honored Philip C. Mazanec and Mary Ann Werz, M.D., Ph.D. as its 2007 Legacy Award recipients. In selecting these individuals the Epilepsy Association recognized the contributions these two individuals have made on behalf of individuals with epilepsy. Mr. Mazanec is the Chief Operation Officer for the Center for Health Affairs. He is a former Trustee and President of the Board for the Epilepsy Association. Dr. Werz is the Director of Adult Epilepsy and Associate

Professor of Neurology at University Hospitals Case Medical Center and Case Western Reserve University. She has dedicated her professional career to the care of adults with epilepsy.

Their dedication was recognized during the 18th Annual Gala held on November 17th at the Cleveland Marriott @ Key Center. The Gala's sponsors and 228 guests raised nearly \$95,000 for epilepsy services.

Golf

One of Northeast Ohio's oldest charitable golf tournaments is the Tim Taylor Pro-Am Golf Invitational to benefit the Epilepsy Association. Area golfers have given over \$900,000 in the 16 years the tournament has been held. The 2007 event held



Long Drive Champion, John McMahon (Left) and members of the Title Sponsor Ohio State Waterproofing Golf Team

on June 14th at the Barrington Country Club raised \$45,000. Title sponsors were Tim Lally Chevrolet and Ohio State Waterproofing. Other supporters included Long Drive sponsor All States Freight Systems and media sponsors Fox8 News, WNCX 98.5 FM. The tournament was hosted by Bill Martin and Tony Rizzo.

thank you

Auto Show

The Greater Cleveland Automobile Dealers Association has chosen the Epilepsy Association as a beneficiary of its Auto Show Charity Preview Night for the past seven years. In May, the Epilepsy Association was thrilled to receive the Auto Dealers' generous gift of \$75,980 as its share of the "A Night of Lights" proceeds.



Dick Bass, third from left, presents Amy Kellogg, EA President, Dan Calloway, Trustee and Kelley Needham, EA Executive Director with their gift of \$75,980.

Winter Walk for Epilepsy



Winter Walk volunteers Amy Kellogg (left), Meghan Wills, EA Senior Development Associate, and chairperson Kathy Sanniti.

The second annual Winter Walk for Epilepsy, sponsored by Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital, Baker & Hostetler, and the Cleveland Clinic, was a huge success! The Winter Walk was held on January 20, 2007 at Great Northern Mall. Close to 150 people put on their walking shoes to support this great cause.

The event raised more than \$11,600, 70% more than the first year. Online fundraising proved to be very popular as individuals and teams created personal pages and conducted their own fundraising campaigns. Awards were handed out to Marin Radabaugh, who was the top individual fundraiser, raising more than \$1,200, and to Team ZACH-ATTACK!, who raised more than \$2,000. Congratulations to these top fundraisers!

donors

The Epilepsy Association wishes to thank all the individuals who supported the agency during 2007, including those who contributed through the United Way Campaign.

The Epilepsy Association named the giving levels listed below after historic writers, artists, and composers who had epilepsy.

The Vincent Van Gogh Society:
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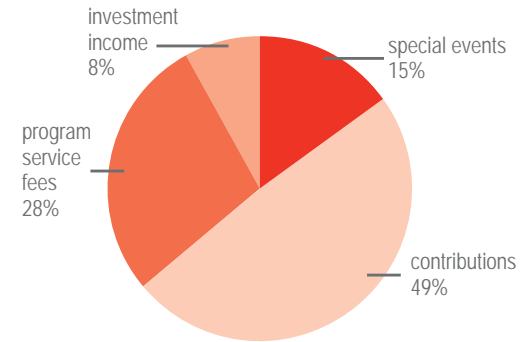
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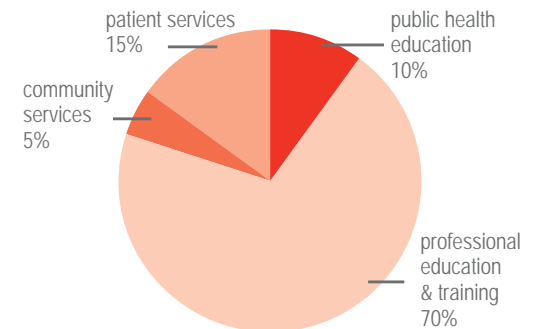
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Statement of Support, Revenue, and Expenses and Changes in Fund Balances:		
REVENUE, GAINS AND OTHER SUPPORT		
Contributions	222,776	243,234
Program service fees	186,515	166,763
Net gain/loss on investments	53,754	71,421
Miscellaneous		1,285
	<u>463,045</u>	<u>482,703</u>
Special events		
Proceeds	366,046	321,750
Direct Expenses	(163,670)	(137,588)
	<u>202,376</u>	<u>184,162</u>
Total revenue, gains and other support	<u>\$665,421</u>	<u>\$666,865</u>
EXPENSES		
Program services:		
Public health education	51,402	50,945
Professional education and training	359,813	356,613
Community services	25,701	25,474
Patient services	77,103	76,416
	<u>514,019</u>	<u>509,448</u>
Supporting services:		
Management and general	30,584	38,269
Fundraising	60,078	66,635
	<u>90,662</u>	<u>104,904</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	604,681	614,352
OTHER INCOME—INTEREST	5,211	5,404
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	65,952	57,917
NET ASSETS—BEGINNING OF YEAR RESTATED	1,051,019	993,102
NET ASSETS—END OF YEAR	<u>\$1,116,971</u>	<u>\$1,051,019</u>

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2007 Highlights

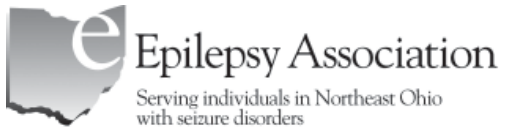
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312	Direct Social Service Clients Served
550	Information & Referral Requests Fulfilled
2,749	Community Epilepsy Awareness Education Participants
2,924	School Epilepsy Awareness Education Participants
3,964	Social Service Appointments Made
\$ 62,500	Grant Revenue
\$ 197,870	Special Event Revenue
\$ 301,762	Campaign Dollars Raised

MISSION:

The Epilepsy Association is a non-for-profit corporation dedicated to helping people cope with and manage seizure disorders by improving the quality of life, while empowering and enabling individuals to reach their full potential within the community.

VISION:

Our vision is that all people with epilepsy and seizure disorders will be accepted in our community and have a measurably improved quality of life and function as a result of the service provided by the Epilepsy Association.



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