

*The State of New Hampshire*  
*By His Excellency*  
*Christopher T. Sununu, Governor*

*A Proclamation*

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Twenty One

**PURPLE DAY – EPILEPSY AWARENESS DAY**  
**MARCH 26, 2021**

**WHEREAS**, Purple Day is celebrated every March 26<sup>th</sup> in order to recognize Epilepsy Awareness Day; and

**WHEREAS**, there are more than 40 different forms of epilepsy, as well as 25 different types of seizures; and

**WHEREAS**, approximately 3 million Americans and 65 million people worldwide suffer from a form of epilepsy; and

**WHEREAS**, not all forms of epilepsy are treatable, but those that are require a combination of drug therapy and sometimes surgery; and

**WHEREAS**, Purple Day is a grassroots effort celebrated on all continents in over a dozen countries to spread awareness of this disease;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR** of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim **MARCH 26, 2021** as **PURPLE DAY** in honor of **EPILEPSY AWARENESS DAY** in the State of New Hampshire, and call this day to the attention of all citizens.



**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of New Hampshire to be affixed this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021.

*Christopher T. Sununu*

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