

Completing a Proclamation Request

Every state's process is different but the information needed is the same. Please use the following information when completing your request:

- Organization Name: Amputee Coalition
- Title: Advocate
- Title of Proclamation: April is Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month
- Date of Proclamation: April 2020
- Notification Preference: Mail or Email

Some states may require additional information about the organization or the purpose of the proclamation. Please use the following when completing those sections:

Organization Description: The Amputee Coalition is the nation's leading organization on limb loss representing the over 2 million Americans living with limb loss. The Coalition is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for people with limb loss and their families, improving access to patient care and preventing limb loss. Our mission is to reach out to and empower people affected by limb loss to achieve their full potential through education, support and advocacy, and promote limb loss prevention. Since 1986, the Coalition has been committed to our mission, and has adopted numerous programs and events to empower the community, including recognizing April as Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month.

Awareness Month Description: The Amputee Coalition encourages educating every citizen about limb loss and limb difference to help increase prevention efforts and provide a better understanding of what it is like to live with limb loss or limb difference. The recognition of Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month acknowledges the impact that limb loss and limb difference has on the lives of family, friends, caregivers, neighbors and communities. It provides an opportunity for people to come together, support one another, educate the broader community about limb loss and limb difference, and raise awareness about the issues important to us.

Purpose: Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month enables our community to educate and engage with elected officials and the general public about the issues affecting the limb loss and limb difference community. The recognition of Limb Loss and Limb Difference Awareness Month acknowledges the impact that limb loss and limb difference has on the lives of family, friends, caregivers, communities, cities, states, and our country.