

**Part III Statements About Activities** (See page 2 of the instructions)

	Yes	No
1 During the year, has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes," enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities <b>\$</b> _____ <b>\$</b> _____ (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B) Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A. Other organizations checking "Yes," must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities	1	X
2 During the year, has the organization, either directly or indirectly, engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors, trustees, directors, officers, creators, key employees, or members of their families, or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner, or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions)		
a Sale, exchange, or leasing of property?	2a	X
b Lending of money or other extension of credit?	2b	X
c Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?	2c	X
d Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)?	2d	X
e Transfer of any part of its income or assets?	2e	X
3 a Do you make grants for scholarships, fellowships, student loans, etc.? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how you determine that recipients qualify to receive payments.)	3a	X
b Do you have a section 403(b) annuity plan for your employees?	3b	X
4 a Did you maintain any separate account for participating donors where donors have the right to provide advice on the use or distribution of funds?	4a	X
b Do you provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?	4b	X

**Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status** (See pages 3 through 6 of the instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (Please check only ONE applicable box.)

- 5 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 6 ☐ A school. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Also complete Part V.)
- 7 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 8 ☐ A Federal, state, or local government or governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 9 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Also complete the Support Schedule in Part IV-A.)
- 11a ☒ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the Support Schedule in Part IV-A.)
- 11b ☐ A community trust. Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Also complete the Support Schedule in Part IV-A.)
- 12 ☐ An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its charitable, etc., functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Also complete the Support Schedule in Part IV-A.)

- 13 ☐ An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and supports organizations described in (1) lines 5 through 12 above, or (2) section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6), if they meet the test of section 509(a)(2). (See section 509(a)(3).)

Provide the following information about the supported organizations. (See page 5 of the instructions.)

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Line number from above

- 14 ☐ An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 5 of the instructions.)



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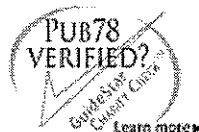
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## LUPUS FOUNDATION OF AMERICA WISCONSIN CHAPTER INC

WISCONSIN CHAPTER INC  
MILWAUKEE, WI 53226



### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### Who We Are

TO ENCOURAGE RESEARCH TO DISCOVER THE CAUSES AND IMPROVE THE METHODS OF TREATING, DIAGNOSING, CURING AND PREVENTING LUPUS ERYTHEMATOSUS; TO PROMOTE PROGRAMS OF PUBLIC EDUCATION ABOUT LUPUS; TO PROVIDE EDUCATION, MORAL SUPPORT AND UNDERSTANDING FOR THOSE WITH LUPUS AND THEIR FAMILIES; TO PROMOTE THE EXCHANGE OF KNOWLEDGE ABOUT LUPUS; TO COOPERATE WITH HEALTH PROFESSIONALS TO IMPROVE THE STANDARDS OF DIAGNOSIS, CARE SERVICES AND TREATMENT OF THOSE WITH LUPUS

- This organization is a [501\(c\)\(3\)](#) Public Charity.
- This organization is required to file an IRS Form 990 or 990-EZ.
- Contributions are deductible, as provided by law.

#### NTEE Code

- G80—Specifically Named Diseases

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### Mission

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### Programs









1. LFA - WISCONSIN CHAPTER IS DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR THOSE WITH LUPUS BY PROVIDING EDUCATION AND EMOTIONAL SUPPORT TO THE PERSON AND THEIR FAMILY.

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## FORM 990 AND EDOCS

### Forms 990 from the IRS:

- [2005 Form 990](#) 
- [2004 Form 990](#) 
- [2003 Form 990](#) 
- [2002 Form 990](#) 
- [2001 Form 990](#) 
- [2000 Form 990](#) 
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- [1998 Form 990](#) 

### Additional Documents from the Organization:

None Available

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## Lupus Foundation of America

**Lupus Foundation of America**

**March 2006**

2000 L Street, NW, Suite 710  
Washington, DC 20036

202-349-1155  
800-558-0121  
[www.lupus.org](http://www.lupus.org)

Expiration Date: March 2008

**Year, State Incorporated:** 1977, District of Columbia

**Affiliates:** 43 chapters

**Stated Purpose:** to improve the diagnosis and treatment of lupus, support individuals and families affected by the disease, increase awareness of lupus among health professionals and the public, and find the causes and cure.

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### Evaluation Conclusions

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Lupus Foundation of America (LFA) meets the Standards for Charity Accountability.

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### Programs

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LFA advocates for increased federal appropriations for research on lupus, and continues to provide direct financial support to young scientists seeking to find the causes and cure for lupus through its privately-supported research grant programs. LFA promotes and provides education and training for physicians and other health professionals by conducting Continuing Medical Education (CME) programs, and Continuing Education (CE) program for nurses and other health professionals. LFA reports distributing lupus information at more than 1,800 health fairs, conducting educational programs/workshops/seminars for 12,000 people with lupus and their families, providing lupus information to more than 57,000 inquirers. The organization also publishes a national magazine, "Lupus Now." LFA works to increase public awareness and knowledge of lupus prevention, diagnosis, and treatment by distributing PSAs to radio and television stations, newspapers and magazines; producing and distributing video news releases; and disseminating education materials to the general public. The organization provides support and services to affiliates, support groups, and other interested partners to serve the needs of the lupus community. Some (\$245,648 or 5%) of LFA's program services are conducted in conjunction with its fundraising appeals.

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2005, LFA's program expenses were:

Public information and education	1,513,868
Chapter support and services	1,268,067
Professional relations and education	1,128,677
Patient education and support	863,731
Research	408,409
<b>Total Program Expenses:</b>	<b>\$5,182,752</b>

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### Governance

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**Chief Executive :** Sandra C. Raymond, President & CEO  
**Compensation\*:** \$232,965