



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

XLH AWARENESS DAY

- WHEREAS:** X-Linked Hypophosphatemia (XLH) is a whole-body, whole-life rare genetic disorder that affects the person since birth, childhood, adulthood, and advanced age, affecting the patient's bone, joints, dental, hearing, muscle, and or nerve systems; and
- WHEREAS:** XLH affects about one in 20,000 newborns according to the National Institutes of Health (NIH); and
- WHEREAS:** The effects of the disease cause serious and debilitating symptoms that have a major impact on the lives of those people who suffer from XLH and their families; and
- WHEREAS:** XLH is not a curable disease, however, dedicated researchers around the world continue their efforts to understand how genetic mutations work with the hope that a cure will be found one day; and
- WHEREAS:** Educational programs must be public and constant so that new parents and health providers can be exposed to the most up-to-date information; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim June 23rd, 2026, as XLH AWARENESS DAY in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 22nd day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Six.



B. P. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Laura M. Curry

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