

Anchor Intro: The Mobile Community gathered over the weekend to bring awareness to Alzheimer's disease. Reporter Lindsey Bullard has the details on Mobile's Walk to End Alzheimer's.

VO: The Mobile chapter of the Alzheimer's Association held their annual Walk to End Alzheimer's at Battleship Memorial Park this year. The event helps raise awareness of the effects of Alzheimer's disease on families and those diagnosed with Alzheimer's. (15 secs)

SOT: ...so it's extremely prevalent (12 secs)

Lower third: Samantha Sayward / Alzheimer's Association Special Events Coordinator

SU: Today, about 5.5 million Americans of all ages have Alzheimer's disease. Today, the Mobile Community has come out in the rain to help raise money for this very important cause. (11 secs)

VO: Hundreds of Mobilians came out and some even brought their dogs. The Mobile Walk is just one of over 600 walks held per year. This year, the Mobile Chapter hopes to raise 100 thousand dollars in donations. (14 secs)

SOT: ...goal of 100 percent (15 secs)

VO: Participants in the Walk were able to choose different colored pinwheels to put in a Promise Garden. Blue represents someone with Alzheimer's or dementia. Purple is for someone who has lost a loved one to the disease. Yellow represents someone who is currently supporting or caring for someone with Alzheimer's. And orange is for everyone who supports the cause and vision of a world without Alzheimer's. The one white pinwheel represents the hope to one day find a cure. As of June 2017, there has only been one breakthrough in Alzheimer's research. (32 secs)

SOT: ...been figured out yet (14 secs)

VO: Despite any setbacks in current research, the hope for a cure is still strong. I'm Lindsey Bullard, reporting for Jag TV News. (8 secs)

Anchor tag: The Walk to End Alzheimer's is the world's largest event to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer's care, support and research. If you would like to donate online, visit A-L-Z (alts) dot ORG.

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