

## Company Overview

**The Lupus Foundation of America, Inc. (LFA)**, established in 1977, is a national nonprofit organization headquartered in Washington, D.C.

Dedicated to improving the quality of life for all individuals affected by lupus, LFA leads efforts in research, education, support, and advocacy to advance the science and medicine of lupus and to support those impacted by the disease.

## Core Competencies

- **Research Advancement:** LFA funds and advocates for research aimed at identifying the causes of lupus, developing new treatments, and ultimately finding a cure. The organization has invested over \$80 million in lupus research and education programs.
- **Education and Support:** Through the National Resource Center on Lupus, LFA provides up-to-date resources and information, offering support to individuals with lupus, caregivers, and healthcare professionals. The center includes over 600 medically-reviewed resources in English and Spanish.
- **Advocacy:** LFA works with Congress, federal agencies, and state legislatures to prioritize lupus research and education, successfully stimulating over \$90 million in new funding for lupus programs since 2004.

## Government Point of Contact

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## Company Identifiers

- **Unique Entity ID (UEI):** R7X6YEBTZH58
- **CAGE Code:** 3WBB3

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## Differentiators

- ✓ **National Reach with Local Impact:** LFA operates a network of chapters, offices, and support groups across the United States, ensuring comprehensive support and resources are accessible nationwide.
- ✓ **Collaborative Research Approach:** By funding direct grants and advocating for expanded resources from federal and private sectors, LFA employs a multifaceted strategy to advance lupus research.
- ✓ **Trusted Information Source:** LFA's resources are developed in collaboration with medical experts, ensuring the dissemination of accurate and reliable information to the lupus community.

## Past Performance

- **Research Funding:** LFA's direct grant programs, combined with advocacy efforts, have led to a total investment of \$80 million for lupus research and education.
- **Educational Outreach:** Through the National Resource Center on Lupus, LFA provides comprehensive resources, reaching nearly 9 million people annually via its website.
- **Advocacy Achievements:** LFA and its network of activists have stimulated more than \$90 million in new funding for lupus research and education programs since 2004.

## NAICS & PSC Codes

### Primary NAICS Code:

- **813212** - Voluntary Health Organizations

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