



CHICAGOLAND WALK DETAILS IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL

IN-PERSON WALK DETAILS

The site will open at 9:00am for participants to enjoy the various activities – Why We Walk Wall, Honor Bead tent, AFSP Store, and more. You can pick up your walk shirt and beads on-site as well.

Instead of having an official walk start time, we invite you to start walking the route any time between 9:00am and 12:00pm. *Please do not start the walk later than 12:00pm as route safety volunteers and signage will be removed promptly at 1:00pm.*

An official program will not take place this year, but we will have continuous messaging, walk updates, and music throughout the entire event. The site will close at 2:00pm.

COVID-19 Safety

For the health and safety of our participants, volunteers, and staff, we encourage everyone to wear a mask while on-site and along the route as well as social distance. More details are in the document below so please read thoroughly. **Please remember, if you are not feeling well, stay home.**

All of the walk details can be found in [this document](#).

VIRTUAL WALK DETAILS

The virtual program will be available at <https://afsp.chicagowalk.org/program-2021> starting at 8:00am CT on Saturday, October 2nd. The program will be available the entire weekend so you can walk whenever works best for you! Just click the link and you have two ways to listen to the audio program. Text 312.802.9714 with any issues.

The walk shirt delivery is delayed, and we will not have time to send the shirts to virtual participants that have raised \$150 or more but are offering two options:

- Come to the site (Montrose Harbor/Field, 601 W. Montrose Ave, Chicago, IL 60613) on Friday, October 1st between 12pm and 3pm to pick up your shirt and beads. You can pick up for others as well. If this timeframe doesn't work for you, please email chicago@afsp.org.
- Complete [this form](#) and your shirt will be sent via mail and arrive in 2-3 weeks.

We apologize for this inconvenience and appreciate your understanding.

For all participants, we will have a virtual event site where you can write messages on the Why I Walk Wall, share photos on the Memorial Wall, view the slideshow, shop the AFSP store, and more! You can access the page at www.chicagowalk.org/event and QR codes will be on signage around the site.

No matter how you participate on Saturday, October 2nd, remember that you are making a difference in the fight against suicide and you are never alone.

If you have any questions, please email chicago@afsp.org. **THANK YOU for your support!**