



## MEDIA ADVISORY

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### MICHELLE WRIGHT KICKS OFF 7<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL NAMI WALK

**PITTSBURGH**—NAMI Walk Honorary Chair Michelle Wright, WTAE-TV News Anchor, will kick off the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual NAMI Walk at an event on Wednesday, Aug. 14. Michelle will join 150 local mental health advocates at the Sheraton Station Square to kick off the event to promote awareness of mental illness treatment and recovery.

- WHAT:** NAMI Walk Kickoff Event
- WHEN:** Wednesday, Aug. 14 at 12 p.m.
- WHERE:** Sheraton Station Square, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Admiral Room  
Pittsburgh, Pa.
- WHO:** NAMI Walk Honorary Chair WTAE-TV News Anchor **Michelle Wright**  
NAMI Southwestern PA **Executive Director Christine Michaels**  
NAMI Walk Chair **John Lovelace**, President of UPMC for You  
One hundred and fifty mental health advocates from across southwestern Pa.

Presented by NAMI Southwestern Pennsylvania and sponsored by UPMC and UPMC Insurance Services, the NAMI Walk will take place at the SouthSide Works on Sunday, Oct. 13. All funds raised support NAMI (the National Alliance on Mental Illness) Southwestern Pennsylvania

NAMI Southwestern Pennsylvania is a non-profit organization providing recovery focused support, education and advocacy for individuals living with a mental illness, and for family members, professionals and the community. More information is available at [www.namiswpa.org](http://www.namiswpa.org) or by calling (412) 366-3788.

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