



## NATIONAL TEAMS FAQs

### 1. How do I start a National Team?

Go to the campaign website (Great Strides, CF Climb, CF Cycle or Xtreme Hike) for the event where you wish to create a team. Look for the National Team section. In some cases, this may be found in the navigation bar. Click Start or Contact Us to begin the process. Someone from the Foundation will reach out and help with the creation of your new National Team.

### 2. I am interested in forming a National Team, where do I start?

We are excited to hear that you are interested in starting a National Team. The best way to begin is to contact your local chapter, as they can provide additional information about National Teams and help get your team off to a great start.

### 3. Can I have three teams at the same event and still be considered a National Team?

Yes! National Teams do not have to cross the country. They can be across chapters, regions, or within the same chapter and event.

### 4. How do additional branch teams register?

Go to the campaign website (Great Strides, CF Climb, CF Cycle or Xtreme Hike) for the event where you wish to create a branch team. Find the event you will be participating in and click Start or Join a Team. In the Form a Team Section, fill out your team information and select your National Team from the National Team drop down box.

### 5. How do I see my branch teams on the website?

Go to your campaign website (Great Strides, CF Climb, CF Cycle or Xtreme Hike). Click National Teams from the header at the top of the page. Search your national team and select your team name. Click view teams. This will show all of your registered teams for that campaign. If you would like to see your national teams from another campaign, go to that campaign's website and repeat the above steps.

### 6. What resources are available for National Team Leaders?

The National Team Toolkits are available for Family Teams, Corporate, and Civic Teams on <https://www.cff.org/Get-Involved/Fundraise/National-Teams/>. Please contact your chapter for additional fundraising resources and guidance.

**7. What do I do if a branch team isn't linked to my team?**

Reach out to your local chapter and they can assist with getting your branch teams associated with the National Team.

**8. Is there a minimum fundraising amount to be considered a National Team?**

National Team goals are set at \$10,000. Your chapter staff are here to help you reach this goal by providing additional ideas and creating a strategic fundraising plan.

The \$10,000 is a suggested goal, and there is no penalty for not reaching it.

**9. What type of recognition do National Teams receive?**

National teams enjoy a variety of pre-event, day of, and post event recognition benefits. These can be found in the National Team Toolkits

<https://www.cff.org/Get-Involved/Fundraise/National-Teams/>. Please contact your local chapter if you have any questions.

**10. My team is participating across more than one campaign. Is there a way for me to see the collective total? For example; teams participating in, CF Cycle and Great Strides.**

Currently there is not a way to see this on the website, please contact your local chapter and they can provide the cumulative total.