



Creating a better future through brain injury prevention, research, education and advocacy

How Your Contribution Makes a Difference

The Brain Injury Association of South Carolina (BIASC) is SC's only statewide organization dedicated to providing prevention, research, education, advocacy and support services to persons affected by brain injury, their families and the general public. BIASC is a **non-profit 501(c)(3)** organization and all donations are tax deductible. We greatly appreciate the generous contributions from individuals and businesses that allow us to provide support to the thousands of people in South Carolina who live with the devastating effects of brain injury.

There are 2.5 million Americans who sustain a traumatic brain injury each year which is 5 times more than those diagnosed with breast cancer, HIV/Aids, spinal cord injuries and multiple sclerosis **combined!** With adequate funding and support, there is a great deal of potential for improvement after a brain injury if rehabilitation, vocational and educational services are available. Below are some of the services and programs BIASC provides. But these programs are in jeopardy due to recent funding constraints.

- Through the **SC Visibility Project**, the BIASC provides: services, supports, and rights tote bags to TBI patients at our state's level 1 trauma centers; education to recreation departments to further inclusion efforts; training for law enforcement about brain injury and skills needed when assisting brain injured individuals.
- BIASC **maintains a toll-free helpline & website**, to assure that all persons with brain injuries, their families and professionals are directed to appropriate resources and services.
- BIASC supports eleven **brain injury support groups** statewide by offering financial and other assistance, allowing these groups to participate in social activities and provide peer support for survivors and family members.
- BIASC provides **education through a statewide conference and other trainings** for survivors, family members, and providers. The Life with Brain Injury conference is for brain injury survivors, caregivers and professionals. Scholarships are given to survivors and caregivers who are unable to pay.
- BIASC supports and partners with other agencies to provide programs such as ThinkFirst and Shaken Baby Curriculum to **teach children and youth about brain injury prevention**.
- BIASC provides injury prevention materials and education about **concussion identification and management including protocols for concussion management**. We are a member of the SC Concussion Alliance to maintain up to date information about concussion treatment.
- BIASC partners with other states in the **Unmasking Brain Injury** project. The main goal of this project is to offer brain injury survivors the opportunity to create their own mask, tell their own story, and create opportunities for the masks to be displayed in public places for educational and outreach purposes.



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All Corporate Sponsors Receive:

- 1-year Subscription to BIASC's *Headlights* newsletter
- 1-year Subscription to Brain Injury Association of America's magazine *The Challenge*
- 1-year Subscription to the *Journal of Head Trauma Rehabilitation*
- A letter indicating your tax deductible donation

Platinum Sponsorship - \$15,000 +

Sponsor Benefits

- Full Page ad in bi-annual BIASC's *Headlights* Newsletter (7.5 inches wide x 10 inches tall)
- 1 free exhibiting table at the annual BIASC Conference
- Two Teams of 4 at our Annual Golf Tournament in Columbia, SC
- Tickets for 8 at our Annual Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast in Charleston, SC
- Registration for 8 individuals for the Run For Thought in Greenville, SC
- Registration for 6 individuals at the annual BIASC Conference in Columbia, SC
- Logo on BIASC homepage website with live link on front page
- Premiere Logo on all BIASC event t-shirts
- Premiere Logo on Banner displayed at all BIASC hosted events

Gold Sponsorship - \$10,000

Sponsor Benefits

- ½ Page ad in bi-annual BIASC's *Headlights* Newsletter (7.5 inches wide x 4.75 inches tall)
- One Team of 4 at our Annual Golf Tournament
- Tickets for 4 at our Annual Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast
- Registration for 4 individuals for the Run For Thought in Greenville, SC
- Registration for 4 individuals at the annual BIASC Conference
- Logo on BIASC website on Corporate Sponsor page
- Logo on all BIASC event t-shirts
- Logo on Banner displayed at all BIASC hosted events

Silver Sponsorship - \$5,000

Sponsor Benefits











































- ¼ Page ad in bi-annual BIASC's *Headlights* Newsletter (3.75 inches wide x 4.75 inches tall)
- Tickets for 2 at our Annual Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast in Charleston, SC
- Registration for 2 individuals for the Run For Thought in Greenville, SC
- Registration for 2 individuals at the annual BIASC Conference
- Name on BIASC website on Corporate Sponsor page as Silver Sponsor
- Name on all BIASC event t-shirts
- Name on Banner displayed at all BIASC hosted events

Bronze Sponsorship - \$2,500

Sponsor Benefits

- 1/8 Page ad in bi-annual BIASC's *Headlights* Newsletter (3.75 inches wide x 2.5 inches tall)
- Tickets for 2 at our Annual Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast in Charleston, SC
- Registration for 2 individuals for the Run For Thought in Greenville, SC
- Name on BIASC Website on Corporate Sponsor page as Bronze Sponsor
- Name on all BIASC event t-shirts

Brain Injury Association of South Carolina Corporate Benefit Chart

	Platinum \$15,000 +	Gold \$10,000	Silver \$5,000	Bronze \$2,500
Sponsor Benefits				
1-Year Subscription to BIASC's Bi-annual <i>Headlights</i> Newsletter				
1-Year Subscription to Brain Injury Association of America's Newsletter <i>The Challenge</i>				
1-Year Subscription to the <i>Journal of Head Trauma Rehabilitation</i>				
A Letter Indicating Your Tax Deductible Contribution and Framed Sponsor Recognition				
Recognition on All Event T-shirts				
Ad in Bi-annual <i>Headlights</i> Newsletter	Full Page	1/2 Page	1/4 Page	1/8 Page
Tickets for Annual Shuck-A-Rama Oyster Roast				
Registration for Annual Run For Thought				
Registration for the Annual Conference				
Recognition on all BIASC Hosted Event Banners	 Premiere Logo			
Logo on BIASC Website and Facebook Page				
Tickets for Annual Golf Tournament				
Logo on all BIASC Event T-shirts and Banners	 Premiere Logo			
Logo on BIASC Website Homepage with Live Link				
One Exhibit Table at Annual Conference				



BIASC Corporate Sponsor

Yes! I would like to become a Corporate Sponsor at the level of:

- Platinum** \$15,000 and above \$ _____
- Gold** \$10,000 \$ _____
- Silver** \$5,000 \$ _____
- Bronze** \$2,500 \$ _____
- I would like my logo on **BIASC Website** \$ _____

With Live Link on front page

(Additional \$1,000 fee except Platinum sponsors)

Total \$ _____

Enclosed is check for \$ _____ (Please contact us to arrange for alternate payment.)

I would like to set up a payment schedule. (BIASC will contact you to develop a payment plan)

General Information:

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Joyce Davis, Executive Director, jdavis.biasc@gmail.com or 803.731.9823.

Email ad for newsletter to jdavis.biasc@gmail.com. Preferred formats are .jpeg, .tif, .gif or .pdf files. Please provide both a color version and a black and white version of your ad.

Make checks payable to Brain Injury Association of South Carolina (BIASC) and
Mail to 121 Executive Center Drive, Suite 135, Columbia, SC 29210.

Thank you for your support!