Dear Friends of ThinkFirst,

2015 was the 29th year ThinkFirst chapters have been providing educational programs on injury prevention. Live classroom and assembly presentations to students, and community events for families help participants understand the importance of making safe choices to prevent traumatic injuries. Programs focus on vehicle safety, sports safety, avoiding violence, preventing falls and concussion awareness.

Chapter surveys show that between July 1, 2014 and June 30, 2015, U.S. chapters provided:
- 1,970 ThinkFirst For Teens presentations to 115,198 high school students
- 482 ThinkFirst For Youth presentations to 39,721 middle school students
- 438 ThinkFirst For Youth presentations to 33,649 4th and 5th grade students
- 1,540 ThinkFirst For Kids presentations to 54,133 elementary school students
- 40 ThinkFirst presentations to 2,507 college students
- 291 ThinkFirst About Concussion presentations to 40,510 students and adults
- 602 "other" ThinkFirst presentations to 28,140 attendees
- An interactive table or presentation at 542 health fairs with 208,859 attendees
- 267 Helmets on Heads presentations and 167 helmet fitting events to 49,243 attendees

The May 2015 ThinkFirst Conference on Injury Prevention, held in Washington, DC, provided continuing education for chapters. Chapter directors and physicians presented on topics such as concussion, falls and diving. Guest speaker, Dr. Mark Rosekind, Administrator for the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, shared his expertise on sleep deprivation, a contributing factor in 72,000 traffic collisions each year.

ThinkFirst will ‘Celebrate 30 Years’ at the 2016 ThinkFirst Conference on Injury Prevention in Chicago, April 30—May 3rd, where we will introduce ThinkFirst to Prevent Falls, for older adults. A fundraising event will take place at the Chicago House of Blues May 2nd.

The ThinkFirst Foundation Board of Directors includes physicians, corporate partners and chapter members. Close communication is kept with our founding organizations, the American Association of Neurological Surgeons and the Congress of Neurological Surgeons, who continue to support and promote for our work in injury prevention.

The annual support of individuals, groups and corporations goes directly to injury prevention program development, and is vital to our success. On behalf of our chapters and Board of Directors, thank you to our contributors for making our work possible!

Your partner in prevention,

Debby Gerhardstein
Executive Director

For information on conferences, programs, chapters or to make a donation: thinkfirst.org
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Financial Summary  6/30/15

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This is an excerpt of the full financial statements ending 6/30/15; full statements are available upon request.
# ThinkFirst Chapters

**Headquarters:** Naperville, Illinois  
**ThinkFirst Chapter Locations**

## National
- Alabama  
  - Birmingham  
- Mobile  
- Arizona  
  - Chandler  
  - Phoenix (two locations)  
- Tucson  
- Arkansas  
- Little Rock  
- California  
  - Chico  
  - Los Angeles  
  - Murrieta  
  - Redding  
- San Diego  
- San Francisco  
- Santa Barbara  
- Ventura  
- Colorado  
  - Aspen  
  - Colorado Springs  
  - Dillon  
  - Gunnison  
  - Lafayette  
  - Lakewood  
  - Vail  
- Connecticut  
- Greenwich  
- Wallingford  
- Delaware  
- Dover  
- Newark  
- District of Columbia  
  - Washington DC (two locations)  
- Florida  
  - Fort Pierce (Jan. 2016)  
  - Jacksonville (two locations)  
- Orange Park  
- Orlando  
- Georgia  
  - Atlanta (two locations)  
- Dalton  
- Idaho  
  - Boise  
- Illinois  
  - Carbondale  
  - Chicago  
  - Crystal Lake  
  - Joliet  
  - Palos Heights  
  - Peoria  
  - Quincy  
  - Springfield  
  - Winfield  
- Indiana  
  - Bloomington  
  - Fort Wayne  
  - Indianapolis (three locations)  
- South Bend  
- Terre Haute  
- Kansas  
  - Topeka  
- Wichita  
- Kentucky  
  - Lexington  
  - Owensboro  
- Louisiana  
  - Shreveport  
- Maryland  
  - Baltimore  
  - Silver Spring  
- Massachusetts  
  - Boston  
- Michigan  
  - Ann Arbor (two locations)  
  - Bad Axe  
  - Cadillac  
  - Detroit (two locations)  
  - East Lansing  
  - Grand Blanc  
  - Grand Rapids  
  - Ithaca  
- Jackson  
- Kalamazoo (two locations)  
- Livonia  
- Midland  
- Mt. Clemens  
- Pigeon  
- Royal Oak  
- Saginaw  
- Trenton  
- Minnesota  
  - Duluth  
  - Minneapolis  
  - St. Cloud  
  - St. Paul  
- Mississippi  
  - Gulfport  
  - Hattiesburg  
- Missouri  
  - Cape Girardeau  
  - Columbia  
  - Joplin  
  - Kansas City  
  - Springfield  
  - St. Louis  
- Montana  
  - Billings (two locations)  
  - Great Falls  
  - Kalispell  
  - Missoula  
- Nebraska  
  - Lincoln  
  - Omaha  
- Nevada  
  - Reno (two locations)  
- New Hampshire  
  - Concord  
  - Salem  
- New Jersey  
  - West Orange  
- New Mexico  
  - Albuquerque  
  - Navajo Nation  
  - New York  
  - Brooklyn  
  - New Hyde Park  
  - Utica  
- Valhalla  
- West Haverstraw  
- White Plains  
- North Carolina  
  - Charlotte  
- Ohio  
  - Canton  
  - Cincinnati  
  - Columbus  
  - Gallipolis  
  - Zanesville  
- Oklahoma  
  - Oklahoma City  
  - Oregon  
  - Portland  
  - Pennsylvania  
  - Bethlehem  
  - Danville  
  - Hershey  
  - Philadelphia (two locations)  
  - Pittsburgh (two locations)  
- Wilkes-Barre  
- Puerto Rico  
  - San Juan  
- South Carolina  
  - Aiken  
  - Charleston  
  - Columbia (two locations)  
  - Conway  
  - Florence  
  - Greenville  
- Tennessee  
  - Johnson City  
  - Knoxville  
- Texas  
  - Austin  
  - Dallas  
  - Houston  
  - The Woodlands  
- Virginia  
  - Fairfax  
  - Richmond  
  - Washington  
  - Tacoma  
  - West Virginia  
  - Charleston  
  - Huntington  
- Wisconsin  
  - Green Bay  
  - Janesville  
- Wyoming  
  - Casper  

## International
- Algeria  
- Canada (sixteen locations)  
- Colombia  
- Guinea  
- Honduras  
- India  
- Italy  
- Jamaica  
- Jordan  
- Korea  
- Mexico  
- Nigeria  
- Peru (five locations)  
- Qatar  
- Senegal  
- Singapore  
- Taiwan