MISSION

RETpositive is a patient-driven 501(c)(3) dedicated to improving the quality of life and life expectancy of RET-positive cancer patients by raising awareness, providing community support and advocacy, and promoting medical research for RET-driven cancer.

EIN
87-1841713

RULING YEAR
2023

IRS SUBSECTION
501(c)(3) Public Charity

FOUNDING YEAR
2021

MAIN ADDRESS
4790 Chagrin River Rd
Chagrin Falls, OH
44022

AFFILIATION TYPE
Independent Organization

CO-PRESIDENT
Hilary Hammell

CO-PRESIDENT
Andrea Redway

SUBJECT AREA
Cancers

NTEE Code
Cancer (G30)

CONTACT
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PROGRAMS

1. RET Cancer Community Support
   Population(s) served: Caregivers, Chronically ill people, Terminally ill people, Families

POPNULATIONS SERVED

1. Families
2. Widows and widowers
3. Caregivers
4. People with diseases and illnesses

COMPLIANCE

- IRS Pub 78 Verified as of May 2024
- IRS BMF 509(a) (1) as of May 13, 2024
  Section 509(a)(1) organization as referred to in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

TRANSPARENCY MEASURES

- × Board Practices Reported?
- × Diversity Data Reported?
Programs & Results

PROGRAMS
Source: Self-Reported by Organization, March 2024

RET Cancer Community Support

Population(s) Served: n/a

Receiving a cancer diagnosis is challenging in many ways, but even more so when patients discover they have a rare cancer subtype. In 2021 RETpositive created the RETpositive Community Facebook page, a community support forum where RET positive cancer patients and caregivers can ask questions, share stories about individual treatments, offer friendship and emotional support, and share tips for improving quality of life while surviving this disease. RETpositive team members are active within this community group on a daily basis and spend a considerable amount of time providing support however we can. Through our awareness efforts, we aim to continuously grow this community group in order to reach and support as many patients as possible.
Operations

Source: Self-Reported by Organization, March 2024

CO-PRESIDENT

Hilary Hammell

Hilary advocates for more research and better RET-positive cancer treatments so she and others like her can continue to live better and longer lives.

CO-PRESIDENT

Andrea Redway

Andrea is keen to support other RET patients and their families to access new treatments and continue to lead full lives.
Organizational Demographics

Who works and leads organizations that serve our diverse communities? This organization has voluntarily shared information to answer this important question and to support sector-wide learning. GuideStar partnered on this section with CHANGE Philanthropy and Equity in the Center.

Leadership

The organization’s leader identifies as:
No data

Race & Ethnicity

No data

Gender Identity

Transgender Identity
No data

Sexual Orientation

No data

Disability

No data.
Appendix

## Key Documents

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**REPositive Inc**

4790 Chagrin River Rd  
Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

- **Foundation Status Code:** PC*  
- **Public charity described in section 509(a)(1) or (2)**

**IRS Publication 78 Details**

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**Deductibility status description**

A public charity (50% deductibility limitation).

**Verified with most recent Internal Revenue Bulletin**

May 13, 2024

**IRS Business Master File Details**

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This organization was not included in the Office of Foreign Assets Control Specially Designated Nationals (SDN) list.

On September 8, 2011, the IRS issued regulations which eliminated the advance ruling process for a section 501(c)(3) organization. Learn more

* The Foundation Status Code is the code that foundations are required to provide for each grantee annually on part XV of Form 990PF. Note that this code cannot be derived in some cases (e.g., supporting organizations for which 'type' can't be determined).

IRS Revenue Procedure 2011-33 allows grantors to rely on third-party resources, such as GuideStar Charity Check, to obtain required Business Master File (BMF) data concerning a potential grantee’s public charity classification under section 509 (a) (1), (2) or (3).

**GuideStar Charity Check Data Sources**

- GuideStar acquires all IRS data directly from the Internal Revenue Service.
- IRS Publication 78 (Cumulative List of Organizations) lists organizations that have been recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions.
- The IRS Internal Revenue Bulletin (IRB) lists changes in charitable status since the last Publication 78 release. Between the release of IRS Publication 78 and the subsequent IRS Internal Revenue Bulletin, the IRB date will reflect the most recent release date of IRS Publication 78.
- The IRS Business Master File lists approximately 1.7 million nonprofits registered with the IRS as tax-exempt organizations.
- The IRS Automatic Revocation of Exemption List contains organizations that have had their federal tax-exempt status automatically revoked for failing to file an annual return or notice with the IRS for three consecutive years.
- The Foundation Status Code is a value derived by mapping the codes found on the 990PF filing instructions to the corresponding codes in the IRS BMF. Note that not all codes are able to be mapped due to insufficient data.
- The Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) Specially Designated Nationals (SDN) list contains organizations that are owned or controlled by targeted individuals, groups, and entities, such as terrorists or narcotics traffickers. Their assets are blocked and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from dealing with them.