

State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation

WHEREAS, [chronic disease affects thousands of individuals throughout Vermont](#) and accounts for seven of the top ten causes of premature death in Americans throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, hundreds of thousands of Americans suffer from unpreventable and costly chronic and rare conditions, while the deadliest and costliest chronic diseases, including cardiovascular, stroke, diabetes, cancer, and obesity, are also the most preventable; and

WHEREAS, Chronic Disease Day promotes actionable resources to reduce individual risk and lower the rate of chronic disease in America; and

WHEREAS, Chronic Disease Day is supported by advocacy organizations dedicated to assisting patients overcome challenges with access to care throughout Vermont and across the United States.

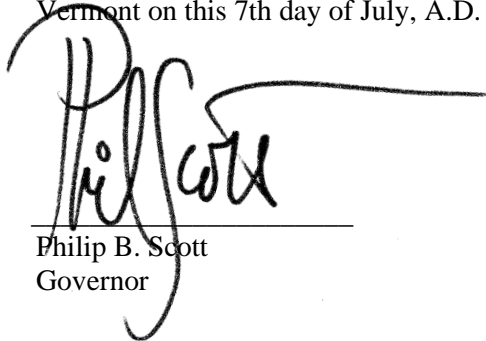
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim July 10, 2022 as


CHRONIC DISEASE DAY

in Vermont.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 7th day of July, A.D. 2022.


Philip B. Scott
Governor


Brittney J. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs