Axsome Therapeutics Proudly Supports Migraine and Headache Awareness Month Alongside the Association of Migraine Disorders

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NEW YORK, June 16, 2025 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Axsome Therapeutics, Inc. (NASDAQ: AXSM), a biopharmaceutical company leading a new era in the treatment of central nervous system (CNS) disorders, is proud to recognize Migraine and Headache Awareness Month alongside the Association of Migraine Disorders. In honor of this year's theme, "Your Path to Better Days," Axsome is supporting more than a dozen Miles for Migraine Run, Walk or Relax events across the U.S. throughout the month of June and beyond. Axsome is also sharing resources for patients and their loved ones affected by migraine.

"As someone who lives with migraine, I know how isolating, debilitating, and misunderstood this disease can be," said, Kylie Gagan, Director of Education at the Association of Migraine Disorders. "There's a critical need for effective acute treatment options so people can work, attend school, and live their daily lives. Because of the severity and unpredictability of migraine attacks, people often miss out on time with loved ones, work responsibilities, or personal events. The Association of Migraine Disorders is working every day to fund and advance migraine research, educate both patients and providers, and raise awareness about migraine disease worldwide."

Migraine is a debilitating condition characterized by recurrent attacks of pulsating, often severe and disabling head pain, accompanied by nausea, sensitivity to light, and/or sensitivity to sound.[1] Migraine affects approximately 40 million people in the U.S. and is the second leading cause of disability worldwide.[2,3]

To help support "Your Path to Better Days" for individuals affected by migraine, Axsome is sharing the following resources from some of the leading migraine advocacy organizations:

- **American Migraine Foundation Find a Doctor** (https://americanmigrainefoundation.org/find-a-doctor/) is a resource to help patients find medical professionals experienced in migraine and headache care.
- **Association of Migraine Disorders Migraine Explainer Videos** (https://www.migrainedisorders.org/education/patient-resources/videos/) are educational videos that describe different types of migraines, symptoms, treatments, and pathophysiology.
- **CHAMP Financial Assistance Guides** (https://headachemigraine.org/migraine-financial-assistance-guides/) outline financial assistance programs operated by pharmaceutical companies and device manufacturers to help patients cover the cost of accessing treatment.
- **National Headache Foundation podcast** (https://headaches.org/category/podcast/head-wise/) features informative discussions with headache experts on the latest treatment, research, lifestyle recommendations, and personal stories about living with migraine disease and headache disorders.

About Axsome Therapeutics

Axsome Therapeutics is a biopharmaceutical company leading a new era in the treatment of central nervous system (CNS) conditions. We deliver scientific breakthroughs by identifying critical gaps in care and develop differentiated products with a focus on novel mechanisms of action that enable meaningful advancements in patient outcomes. Our industry-leading neuroscience portfolio includes FDA-approved treatments for major depressive disorder, excessive daytime sleepiness associated with narcolepsy and obstructive sleep apnea, and migraine, and multiple late-stage development programs addressing a broad range of serious neurological and psychiatric conditions that impact over 150 million people in the United States. Together, we are on a mission to solve some of the brain's biggest problems so patients and their loved ones can flourish. For more information, please visit us at www.axsome.com and follow us on LinkedIn and X.

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