Short Form

OMB No. 1545-0047

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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AI	or the	2021 calenda	r year, or tax year beginning	01/01/2021	and en	ding	1	2/31/2021	
Β	Check if ap	oplicable:	C Name of organization				D Emp	oloyer iden	tification number
	Address c	hange	NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTE	R				84-	3151786
Ц	Name cha	ange	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not	P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite			E Telephone number		
	Initial retur		PO BOX 4172					800-	735-0818
	Final returi Amended	n/terminated	City or town, state or province, country, and	ZIP or foreign postal code			F Gro	oup Exem	otion
		n pending	BOULDER, CO 80302				Nu	mber 🕨	
_		ting Method:	Cash V Accrual Other (speci	fy) 🕨			H Check	▶ ☐ if t	he organization is not
	Vebsite	0							h Schedule B
JТ	ax-exem	not status (che	ck only one) – 🖌 501(c)(3) 🗌 501(c) () ◀ (insert no.) 🗌 4947(a	a)(1) or [527	(Form §		
			Corporation Trust				\	,	
			7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts.			e or if to	tal assets		
			500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of					, • •	54 047
_	art I		e, Expenses, and Changes in N					τίοne f	56,947
	arti		the organization used Schedule C			•			,
	4								
	1		ns, gifts, grants, and similar amount					1	56,901
	2	-	ervice revenue including governmen					2	0
	3		p dues and assessments			• •		3	0
	4	Investment				• •		4	46
	5a		unt from sale of assets other than ir	-	5a		(-	
	b		or other basis and sales expenses .		5b		(
	С		s) from sale of assets other than inv	entory (subtract line 5b fi	rom line	5a) .		5c	0
	6	-	d fundraising events:						
a)	а		ome from gaming (attach Sched	-					
ň		\$15,000) .			6a		(2	
Revenue	b		me from fundraising events (not incl		<u>0</u> of c	ontribu	tions		
Ве			aising events reported on line 1) (at						
			h gross income and contributions e		6b		0	2	
	С		t expenses from gaming and fundra	•	6c		0	2	
	d		e or (loss) from gaming and fundra	•	a and 6	b and s	subtract		
		line 6c) .						6d	0
	7a	Gross sale	s of inventory, less returns and allow	ances	7a		(<u>)</u>	
	b	Less: cost	of goods sold		7b		()	
	с	Gross prof	t or (loss) from sales of inventory (su	ubtract line 7b from line 7	a)			7c	0
	8	Other reve	nue (describe in Schedule O)					8	0
	9		1ue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c,					9	56,947
	10	Grants and	similar amounts paid (list in Schedu	ule O)				10	0
	11	Benefits pa	id to or for members					11	0
ŝ	12	Salaries, of	her compensation, and employee b	enefits				12	0
Expenses	13		al fees and other payments to indep					13	15,598
be	14	Occupancy	, rent, utilities, and maintenance .					14	0
Щ	15		blications, postage, and shipping .					15	0
	16		nses (describe in Schedule O) .See					16	8,006
	17		nses. Add lines 10 through 16					17	23,604
ŝ	18		deficit) for the year (subtract line 17					18	33,343
ĕt	19		or fund balances at beginning of						
A SS			r figure reported on prior year's retu					19	8,305
Net Assets	20	-	ges in net assets or fund balances (20	0
Ž	21		or fund balances at end of year. Co					21	41,648
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Pa	t II Balance Sheets (see the instructions f	or Part II)				· · · · ·
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to an	ny question in this	Part II....		🗹
				(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments		[8,305	22	42,155
23	Land and buildings		[0	23	0
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O) See.Sche	edule O, Statement 2		0	24	437
25	Total assets			8,305	25	42,592
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O) See Sc	hedule O, Statement.	3	0	26	944
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column	(B) must agree with	n line 21)	8,305	27	41,648
Par	•	•				
	Check if the organization used Schedule	O to respond to ar	ny question in this	Part III 🛛 . 🗌	(D	Expenses
What	is the organization's primary exempt purpose?	See Schedule O, Sta	tement 4			equired for section 1(c)(3) and 501(c)(4)
Desc	ribe the organization's program service accomplis	shments for each of	f its three largest p	rogram services,	org	anizations; optional for
	easured by expenses. In a clear and concise m		e services provided	, the number of	oth	ners.)
perso	ons benefited, and other relevant information for ea	ch program title.				
28	EDUCATION AND AWARENESS - We seek to transfo					
	thus a key component of our mission and one of our	primary programs. V	Ve serve as a resour	ce and forum		
	(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 5)					
	(Grants \$ 0) If this amount	includes foreign gra	nts, check here .	🕨 🗌	28	a 9,637
29	ADVOCACY AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Advocacy a					
	and another of our primary programs. We have filed	legal briefs, such as	recent amicus curiae	brief in cases		
	(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 6)					
		includes foreign gra			29	a 4,637
30	COALITION BUILDING AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEM					
	like-minded, mission-aligned organizations are a key	part of our work and	l another of our prog	rams. We		
	(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 7)					
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	includes foreign gra			30	a 1,029
31	Other program services (describe in Schedule O)					
~~		includes foreign gra			31	-
1	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a t				32	
Par					nstru	uctions for Part IV)
	Check if the organization used Schedule	U to respond to an			•	· · · · · <u> </u>
		(b) Average	(c) Reportable compensation	(d) Health benefits,		
	(a) Name and title	hours per week	(Forms W-2/1099-MISC/	contributions to employ benefit plans, and		e) Estimated amount of other compensation
		devoted to position	1099-NEC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	deferred compensation		ettiel compensation
		70.00			_	
		70.00	0		0	0
		10.00	0		0	0
	N HINCAPIE CASTILLO SIDENT	10.00	U		0	U
	RA MILLS	5.00	0		0	0
	RETARY	5.00	0		U	U
	E REISKIN	5.00	0		0	0
	ASURER	5.00	0		U	U
		5.00	0		0	0
	N GIBSON RD MEMBER	5.00	U		0	U
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Part	V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this		ν.	
33	Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O	33	Yes	No V
34	Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O. See instructions	34		v
35a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	35a		~
b c	If "Yes" to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	35b 35c		~
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36		~
37a b	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions 37a 0 Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b		~
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee; or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38a		~
b 39 a b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II, and enter the total amount involved 38b Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: 39a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b	-		
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 \triangleright 0; section 4912 \triangleright 0; section 4955 \triangleright 0			
b	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b		~
c d	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 . Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line			
е	40c reimbursed by the organization	40e		
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed \triangleright CO	400		•
42a	•	208-28	7-4777	
b	Located at ► 1750 W FRONT STREET SUITE 200, BOISE, ID 83702 ZIP + 4 ► At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Einensiel Accounts (EPAD)	837 42b	Ves	No V
С	Financial Accounts (FBAR). At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the United States? . If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►	42c		~
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year		. •	
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a	Yes	No V
b	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a 44b		v v
c d	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44c 44d		<i>v</i>
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45a		✓
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ. See instructions	45b		~

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			Yes	No
46	Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition			
	to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46		V

Part VI	Section 501(c)(3)	Organizations Only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer	questions 47-49b and 52	, and complete the tables for lines
50 and 51.		

	Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI			
			Yes	No
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax			
	year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	~	
48	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48		~
49a	Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a		~
b	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b		

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees, and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	
None			

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ►

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		
d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving	over \$100,000 ▶	

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? Note: All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

	Kate M. Nicholson			08/25/2022			
Sign	Signature of officer			Date			
Here	KATE NICHOLSON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR						
	Type or print name and title						
Paid	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date		Check 🗌 if	PTIN	
Preparer	JEREMY CORK	Jeremy Cork	08/25/2		self-employed	P01544850	
Use Only	Firm's name 🕨 EASY OFFICE DBA JI	TASA		Firm's	EIN ►	26-2176601	
	Firm's address ▶ 1750 W FRONT STREET SUITE 200, BOISE, ID 83702			Phone no. 208-287-4777			
May the IRS	Aay the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions						

SCHEDULE A (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Employer identification number

Name of the organization

NATIONAL	PAIN	ADVOCACY	CENTER

84-3151786

Reason for Public Charity Status. (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions. Part I

- The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)
 - 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
 - A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).) 2
 - 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
 - A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the 4 hospital's name, city, and state:
 - An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in 5 section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.)
 - A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). 6
 - 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
 - 8 A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
 - 9 An agricultural research organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix) operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:
- An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33¹/₃% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross 10 receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33¹/₃% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)
- An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). 11
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12a,
 - **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving а the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.
 - Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, С its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.
 - **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) d that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV. Sections A and D. and Part V.
 - Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I. Type II. Type III. е functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.

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- Enter the number of supported organizations f
- Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?YesNo		listed in your governing		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)												
(A)																				
(B)																				
(C)																				
(D)																				
(E)																				
Total																				

Part IISupport Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under
Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section	on A. Public Support							
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total	
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")					56,901	56,901	
2	Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf							
3	The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge							
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0	0	0	0	56,901	56,901	
5	The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount							
	shown on line 11, column (f)						43,724	
$\frac{6}{\text{Sooti}}$	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4 on B. Total Support						13,177	
	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total	
7	Amounts from line 4	0	0	0	0	56,901	56,901	
8	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources							
9	Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on							
10	Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)							
11 12 13	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization, check this box and stop her	organization's	s first, second	, third, fourth,	or fifth tax ye			
Section	on C. Computation of Public Suppor			· · · · ·			🕨 🔽	
14	Public support percentage for 2021 (line 6	-		11. column (fl)		14	%	
15	Public support percentage from 2020 Sch					15	%	
16a	33 ¹ /3% support test—2021. If the organized box and stop here. The organization qual	zation did not	check the box	on line 13, ar	nd line 14 is 33		check this	
b	33 ¹ / ₃ % support test—2020. If the organization this box and stop here. The organization				•		•	
17a	10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2021. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization							
b	10%-facts-and-circumstances test — 20 15 is 10% or more, and if the organizatio in Part VI how the organization meets the organization	n meets the fa	icts-and-circur cumstances te	nstances test, est. The organi	check this bo zation qualifies	x and stop he s as a publicly	r e. Explain	
18	Private foundation. If the organization of instructions	did not check	a box on line	13, 16a, 16b	, 17a, or 17b,	check this bo		

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Secti	on A. Public Support						
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees						
	received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise						
	sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the						
	organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that are not an						
	unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the						
	organization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to the						
	organization without charge						
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3						
	received from disqualified persons .						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3						
	received from other than disqualified						
	persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000						
	or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
С	Add lines 7a and 7b						
8	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from						
	line 6.)						
	on B. Total Support			-			
Calen	dar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2017	(b) 2018	(c) 2019	(d) 2020	(e) 2021	(f) Total
9	Amounts from line 6						
10a	Gross income from interest, dividends,						
	payments received on securities loans, rents,						
	royalties, and income from similar sources .						
b	Unrelated business taxable income (less						
	section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
С	Add lines 10a and 10b						
11	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included on line 10b, whether						
	or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	Other income. Do not include gain or						
	loss from the sale of capital assets						
	(Explain in Part VI.)						
13	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11,						
	and 12.)						
14	First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the	•			-		
<u> </u>	organization, check this box and stop her						🕨
	on C. Computation of Public Suppor						
15	Public support percentage for 2021 (line 8		,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		15	%
<u>16</u>	Public support percentage from 2020 Sch					16	%
	on D. Computation of Investment Inc		-	Nulline 10'	(f)	47	0/
17 10	Investment income percentage for 2021 (I			-		17	%
18 10a	Investment income percentage from 2020					18	%
19a	$33^{1}/_{3}\%$ support tests – 2021. If the organi 17 is not more than $33^{1}/_{3}\%$, check this box a						
h		-	-			-	
b	331 /3% support tests - 2020. If the organization line 18 is not more than 331/3%, check this b						
20		-	-	-			
20	Private foundation. If the organization did	и пот спеск а	box on line 14	, 19a, or 19D, (

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in **Part VI** how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.
- **b** Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** when and how the organization made the determination.
- **c** Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- **4a** Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- **c** Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in **Part VI**, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- **b Type I or Type II only.** Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? *If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).*
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).
- **9a** Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **b** Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **c** Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? *If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.*
- **10a** Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer line 10b below.
 - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

Yes No

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3a

3b

3c

4a

4b

4c

5a

5b 5c

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9a

9b

9c

10a

10b

Page 5 Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued) Yes No Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons? 11 A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and а 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization? 11a **b** A family member of a person described on line 11a above? 11b c A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI. 11c

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

- 1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.
- 2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

Yes No 1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided? 1 2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s). 2 3 By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

- Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions). 1
- а The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete **line 2** below.
- The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. *Complete line 3 below.* b
- С The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in **Part VI** how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).
- 2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.
- Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of а the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.
- b Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.
- Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.
- a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.
- Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each b of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.

Yes No

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2a

2b

3a

3b

Yes No

Yes No

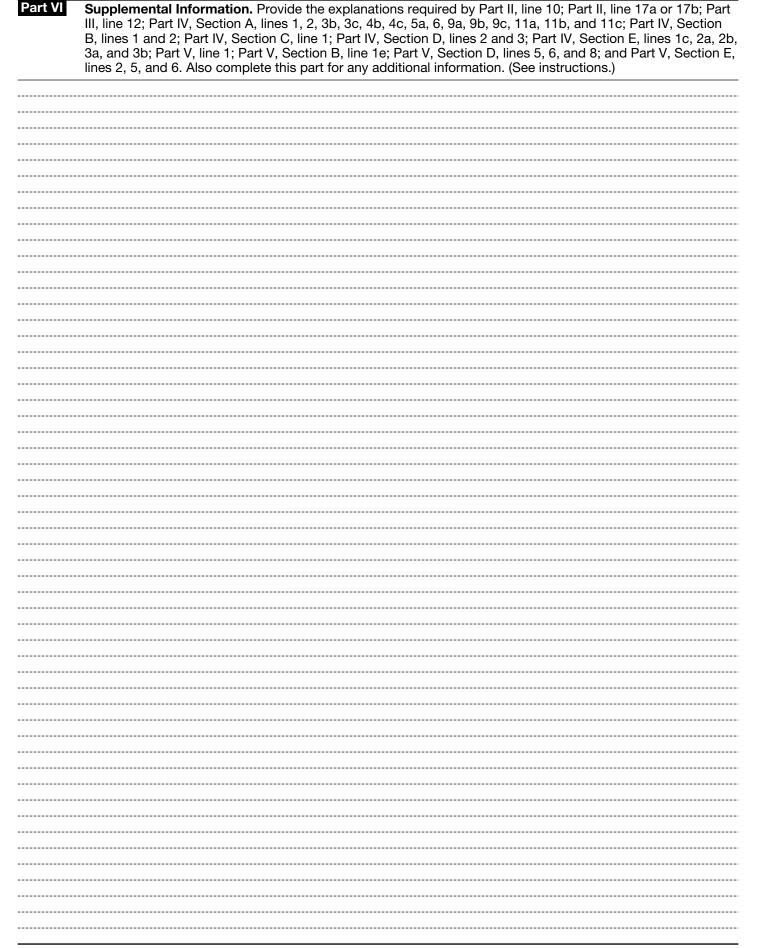
Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (*explain in Part VI*). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Sect	ion A—Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1		
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4		
5	Depreciation and depletion	5		
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection			
	of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of			
	property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8		
Sect	ion B—Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see			
	instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b		
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
е	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3		
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4		
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6		
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Sect	ion C-Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1		
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2		
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3		
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4		
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
7	Check have if the every is the every isation's first on a new function.			

7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).

Part	V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3	B) Supporting Organi	zations (continue	ed)	
Sect	on D—Distributions				Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish	exempt purposes		1	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exe	empt purposes of suppo	orted		
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			2	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purp	oses of supported orga	nizations	3	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			4	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required-	–provide details in Part	VI)	5	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			6	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			7	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to whic (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	h the organization is res	ponsive	8	
9	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6			9	
0	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount			10	
Sect	ion E—Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistribution Pre-2021	ns	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2021
1	Distributable amount for 2021 from Section C, line 6				
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2021 (reasonable cause required — <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions.				
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2021				
a	From 2016				
b	From 2017				
c	From 2018				
d	From 2019				
е					
f	Total of lines 3a through 3e				
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
h	Applied to 2021 distributable amount				
i	Carryover from 2016 not applied (see instructions)				
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.				
4	Distributions for 2021 from Section D, line 7: \$				
а	Applied to underdistributions of prior years				
b	Applied to 2021 distributable amount				
С	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.				
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2021, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI.</i> See instructions.				
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2021. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in</i> Part VI. See instructions.				
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2022. Add lines 3j and 4c.				
8	Breakdown of line 7:				
а	Excess from 2017				
b	Excess from 2018				
С	Excess from 2019				
d	Excess from 2020				
е	Excess from 2021				



SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Complete if the organization is described below.
Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
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If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax) (See separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (See separate instructions), then

• Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name	of organization	Employer identification number
NATIC	DNAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER	84-3151786
Part	I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a s	ection 527 organization.
1	Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign act definition of "political campaign activities."	
2	Political campaign activity expenditures. See instructions	► \$
3	Volunteer hours for political campaign activities. See instructions	
Part	I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).	
1	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 .	
2	Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 495	5 🕨 \$
3	If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?	
4a	Was a correction made?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
b	If "Yes," describe in Part IV.	
Part	I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except	section 501(c)(3).
1	Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exemp	t function
	activities	► \$
2	Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations f	
	527 exempt function activities	► \$
3	Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1 line 17b	
4	Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
5	Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 p organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the	5

the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				

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Pa	art II-A	Complete if the organization section 501(h)).	is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and file	d Form 5768 (elec	ction under
Α	Check		s to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affi	liated group membe	er's name,
		· · · ·	hare of excess lobbying expenditures).		
В	Check	▶ if the filing organization checke	ed box A and "limited control" provisions apply.		
			ring Expenditures	(a) Filing	(b) Affiliated
		(The term "expenditures" me	ans amounts paid or incurred.)	organization's totals	group totals
•	l a Tot	tal lobbying expenditures to influence p	oublic opinion (grassroots lobbying)		
	b Tot	tal lobbying expenditures to influence a	a legislative body (direct lobbying)		
	c Tot	tal lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a	and 1b)		
	d Oth	ner exempt purpose expenditures			
	e Tot	tal exempt purpose expenditures (add	lines 1c and 1d)		
	f Lo	bbying nontaxable amount. Enter th	ne amount from the following table in both		
	col	lumns.			
	lf th	ne amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:		
	Not	over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e.		
	Ove	er \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.		
	Ove	er \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.		
	Ove	er \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.		
	Ove	er \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.		
	g Gra	assroots nontaxable amount (enter 259	6 of line 1f)		
	h Su	btract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or les	s, enter -0		
	i Su	btract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less	s, enter -0		
	j lft	here is an amount other than zero o	on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization	file Form 4720	
	-	porting section 4911 tax for this year?			Yes No

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period									
	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2018	(b) 2019	(c) 2020	(d) 2021	(e) Total				
2a	Lobbying nontaxable amount									
b	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))									
с	Total lobbying expenditures									
d	Grassroots nontaxable amount									
е	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))									
f	Grassroots lobbying expenditures									

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed		(a)		(b)		
	iption of the lobbying activity.	Yes	No	Ar	nount	
1	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state, or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:					
а	Volunteers?	~				
b	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?		~			
С	Media advertisements?		~			
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?		~			
е	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?		~			
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?		~			
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?	~				0
h	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?		~			
i	Other activities?		~			
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i					0
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?		~			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912					
с	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912 .					
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?					
Part	III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c) 501(c)(6).)(5), c	or sec	tion		
					Yes	No
1	Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?			1		
0	Did the granization make only in house lephying expenditures of $\$2,000$ or less?			2		

2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures from the prior year?
3

-	Duco	501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) F answered "Yes."	Part II	II-A, I	ine 3	, is
Part	III-B	Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), o	r sec	tion		
0	Dia trie	organization agree to carry over lobbying and political campaign activity expenditures norm the phory	cai :			

2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of		
	political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
а	Current year	2a	
b	Carryover from last year	2b	
С	Total	2c	
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4	excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying		
	and political expenditure next year?	4	
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures. See instructions	5	

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (See instructions); and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Schedule C, Part II-B, Line 1 - ON RARE OCCASIONS, WHEN IT BECOMES URGENT TO THE NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH PAIN,
WE WILL MEET WITH LEGISLATORS RELATED A PROPOSED BILL IN CONGRESS OR IN A STATE LEGISLATURE. WE ALWAYS TRY
TO DO THIS WORK ON A BI-PARTISAN BASIS. IT IS POSSIBLE, IN THE FUTURE, THAT WE MAY ALSO PROPOSE INITIATIVES TO
CONGRESS OR TO STATE LEGISLATORS. ON ONE OCCASION THIS YEAR, WE CONDUCTED VIRTUAL MEETINGS WITH
CONGRESSIONAL STAFF REGARDING AN ISSUE WITH A TO-BE PROPOSED BILL. IT INVOLVED ABOUT TWO HOURS OF TIME AND
WAS DONE ON A VOLUNTEER BASIS BY ONE VOLUNTEER.

SCHEDULE O (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Inspection

Employer identification number

84-3151786

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER

Cat. No. 51056K

Schedule O, Statement 1	NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER		
Form: Form 990-EZ (2021)	EIN: 84-3151786		
Page: 1	Part I, Line 16		
Other Expenses Structured Explanation			
Description	Amount		
OFFICE EXPENSES	7,622		
TRAVEL AND MEETING EXPENSES	384		
Total:	8,006		

Schedule O, Statement 2	NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER
Form: Form 990-EZ (2021)	EIN: 84-3151786
Page: 2	Part II, Line 24
Other Assets Structured Explanation	
Description	EOY Amount
PREPAID EXPENSES	437

437

Total:

Schedule O, Statement 3	NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER
Form: Form 990-EZ (2021)	EIN: 84-3151786
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Other Liabilities Struct	ctured Explanation
Description	EOY Amount
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	944

944

Total:

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NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER

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Part III

Primary Exempt Purpose

Primary Exempt Purpose

TO ADVANCE THE HEALTH AND HUMAN RIGHTS OF PEOPLE IN PAIN.

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NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER

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Part III, Line 28

Description

for people living with pain and their families, researchers, clinicians, public health experts, and policymakers. Our educational work features stories, studies and other key content. We publish opinion pieces, regularly speak to clinicians and researchers, and at meetings hosted by such groups as the National Academy of Medicine, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the Food and Drug Administration, the US Association for the Study of Pain, the International Association for the Study of Pain, and others. We also connect policymakers and journalists to experts and people with lived experience of pain.

First Program Service Accomplishments Description

Schedule O, Statement 6

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NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER

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Part III, Line 29

Description

before the US Supreme Court. We regularly respond through the federal register to formal notices of public comment from administrative agencies such as the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), and the Drug Enforcement Agency, among others, at the federal level. We have also responded to statelevel inquiries. The majority of our advocacy is with the administrative agencies that often determine the care people living with pain receive. Our executive leadership have also served as appointed members of formal committees at agencies such as the CDC, FDA, and NIH. We have also provided solicited testimony before legislatures and have commented on a bi-partisan basis on specific bills. We advocate both on Capitol Hill and in the states on the importance of pain generally, and, very occasionally and within the limits of our 501c3 status, we have taken positions on specific legislation.

Second Program Service Accomplishments Description

Schedule O, Statement 7

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NATIONAL PAIN ADVOCACY CENTER

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Part III, Line 30

Description

approach pain through a health rights and health equity lens so we in coalition with and serve on key task forces, roundtables, or collaboratives of disability rights groups, racial justice groups, women's rights groups, LGBTQIA rights groups, drug policy rights groups and harm reduction groups, among others.

Third Program Service Accomplishments Description