

# State of South Carolina

## Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, vascular anomalies are disorders of the vascular system caused by improperly developed blood vessels; and

WHEREAS, the two main categories of vascular anomalies are vascular tumors and vascular malformations, each with a number of conditions that require specialized treatment; and

WHEREAS, with appearances ranging from a superficial blemish to a disfiguring growth, vascular anomalies can cause pain, swelling, bleeding, and other symptoms; and

WHEREAS, prompt and proper diagnosis is vital to determine the specific treatment required to support positive patient outcomes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Henry McMaster, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 22, 2022, as

### VASCULAR ANOMALIES AWARENESS DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to learn more about these disorders and recognize those individuals affected.



**HENRY McMASTER**  
**GOVERNOR**  
**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**