

2021

One step forward

VIRTUAL WALK FOR LIFE 2021
"One step forward"
RACE FOR THE CURE®
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Next 17th of July, the Canarian Foundation Walk for Life will start the RACE FOR THE CURE, the race for breast cancer in Spain.

The race was held in 2020 and will be again in 2021. The Canarian **Foundation Carrera por la Vida - Walk for Life** has once more been chosen by **Think Pink Europe**, the network that gathers organisations and foundations actively dedicated to the eradication of breast cancer in 32 different European countries. For 16 years, **Carrera por la Vida Foundation** has been developing projects to raise awareness of the importance of early breast cancer detection and has served as an instrument to meet the needs and requests of people affected, by providing therapeutic clothes, organising care activities and training workshops, supporting research projects and collaborating financially with other associations.

In 2020, **Walk for Life Foundation** was entrusted with the organisation and coordination of the great European digital race for breast cancer in Spain. Among the 32 countries which participated, Spain ranked fifth in the number of runners and reached more than 50,000 virtual participants. As a result, this provided financial support for different projects and actions aimed to raise awareness, promote solidarity and fight breast cancer in Spain.

That is why in 2021, from the **26th of September to the 10th of October**, **RACE FOR THE CURE** will be back. The great European race in support of the breast cancer fight will take place in digital or physical format, depending on the conditions. With the slogan "**One step forward**", Walk for Life Foundation wants to exceed the 3,000 registrations achieved in 2020 and raise more funds and support for breast cancer patients and their families. Participants will support and join in through social networks the most important worldwide event organised on behalf of people with breast cancer. They will do so, either digitally or together with their families and friends, on their street, town or city. Always in compliance with the safety regulations applicable on the race dates.

COVID19 has caused a socio-economic situation that has worsened the circumstances of people who have been diagnosed with or are currently undergoing treatment for breast cancer. In addition, it has made it impossible to celebrate a large number of activities programmed by the Foundation, therefore limiting the funding sources needed to assist those women who request it.

On the 17th of July, the registration period for the great digital race will be opened through the website www.carreraporlavida.org. By filling in a simple form, participants will make their contribution of 5 euros and will be able to obtain their dorsal number to join the digital race in support of those affected by breast cancer.

