

# We're Still Here!

The Polio Survivors Association, in cooperation with Post-Polio Health International, is asking polio survivors to remind everyone that We're Still Here! Post-Polio Health International has chosen the week of October 12 to 18, 2008 for this information campaign.

There are several compelling reasons why this should be important to us. We often have unique medical needs that are not correctly diagnosed or neglected completely. We have had experiences that can be valuable learning tools for the medical profession, for others with a disability, and for society as a whole. And, perhaps more important, many in our communities have become complacent to the dangers of polio and other communicable diseases.

As long as polio occurs anywhere in the world it is a threat to every unvaccinated person. We all live one airplane flight from polio cases that are "over there". One person traveling "over there" can bring the polio virus "over here". Too many children and adults are at risk because they have neglected their immunizations.

The Polio Survivors Association has produced two attractive campaign-style buttons to help promote awareness of these important issues. The round button is intended for use in the United States. The square button, based on Post-Polio Health International's design, can be used everywhere, including the United States.



These buttons are free! The Polio Survivors Association has made them available without cost. Their only request is that you make a donation to Post-Polio Health International.

To receive a button, send an e-mail to: [info@polioassociation.org](mailto:info@polioassociation.org), or write to:

**Polio Survivors Association**  
**12720 La Reina Avenue**  
**Downey, California 90242-4243**  
**USA**

No telephone requests please. Provide your name and mailing address, and let us know if you want a square button, a round button, or one of each.

And, remember to make a donation to:

**Post-Polio Health International**  
**4207 Lindell Blvd., #110**  
**Saint Louis, MO 63108-2930**  
**USA**

Please add the word "Buttons" to the memo area of your check!