

UGA Extension Walk Georgia Terms of Use

These Terms of Use (or “Terms”) govern our relationship with and the service we provide people who choose to interact with Walk Georgia. By accessing or using Walk Georgia, you agree to these Terms, which may be altered from time to time. If so, notice will be given on the website’s Terms of Use page.

Privacy

Our Privacy Policy is designed to inform you about what information you input into the Walk Georgia system, whether public or private, and how it’s used. Please read our Privacy Policy and know that by agreeing to these Terms of Use, you’re agreeing to the Walk Georgia Privacy Policy as well.

Protecting children

In deference to the Children’s Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA), children under 13 years of age are not permitted to use the Walk Georgia website as individuals. Use of the Walk Georgia website by minors under 13 years of age is permitted in a group setting, under the supervision of an adult charged with the best interest of the minor(s), a parent or guardian through a family account, a teacher through a class account or a 4-H leader through a group account, for instance.

- You will not use the Walk Georgia website if you are under 13 years old.

Communication through the Walk Georgia website

Walk Georgia is meant to be grow the prevalence of physical activity in Georgia. Sometimes this is best accomplished when Walk Georgia participants speak to and interact with one another, something the Walk Georgia website enables through Group functionality.

Walk Georgia also allows you to join Groups. These Groups vary in size and purpose. Groups can be business-related, created by any organization or group, or may simply be a small group of friends. Anyone can create a Group, and the Group can be public or private. Group pages will also support message boards. These boards are public boards; all members of the Group can post to the message board and all members of the Group can see the message board.

While permitting Walk Georgia users to message one another via these message boards is an important aspect of competition and teamwork, we realize the need for establishing what is and isn’t proper communication on the Walk Georgia website. We need your help in keeping this communication appropriate, which includes your commitment to:

- Refrain from posting content that is violent, lewd or pornographic; also refrain from posting profanity, hate speech, calls for violence, or nudity
- Refrain from threatening, bullying, and intimidating, abusing or otherwise harassing other users
- Refrain from requesting another user's log in information, posting or sharing information from another user's account; at the same time, you should not share your log in information with anyone else. Walk Georgia administration will take action against the user whose account inappropriate content comes from, whether or not they're the person that posted the inappropriate content.
- Refrain from posting unsolicited, arbitrary comments, unoriginal material or advertising or commercial services, i.e. spam
- Refrain from marketing or trying to sell anything
- Refrain from posting anything promoting or relating to alcohol or illegal drugs
- If you see inappropriate content on a Group message board or anywhere on the Walk Georgia website, please flag the content and let administrators know by clicking the button "Report this content" associated with the content and/or message board. You may also email walkga@uga.edu.

Walk Georgia administrators reserve the right to alter, edit or delete content deemed inappropriate from any Group's message board. If you have a question about content or why content was removed, please email walkga@uga.edu.

Users' personal safety

- You agree that the University of Georgia, UGA Extension and Walk Georgia are not responsible for any injuries or accidents to your person or property resulting from activities done relating to Walk Georgia.
- You understand that you should have a healthcare provider's guidance before exercising or beginning any physical activity program.

Maintaining the Walk Georgia online community

To keep the website intact, we need your commitment:

- You won't use Walk Georgia to collect users' information without our permission.

- You won't try to disable, crash, change or otherwise impair the website.
- You understand that Walk Georgia administrators have the right to refuse or deny any promotions, contests, giveaways, or sweepstakes run through the website.
- You won't use the Walk Georgia website or Walk Georgia to do anything illegal, discriminatory, deceptive or with the express intention of harming another person.
- You won't do anything to change, alter the appearance of, disable, or inhibit the workings of the Walk Georgia website or its functionality.
- You won't go against these Terms or our Privacy Policy, and you won't aide or encourage others to go against these Terms or our Privacy Policy.

To best serve our audience, Walk Georgia administration reserves the right to disable and delete your account for any reason. If it's necessary for this step to be taken:

- You won't create another Walk Georgia account under your name, the name of another person or a fictional name.

If your account is disabled or deleted, you can request more information about why your account was disabled or deleted by emailing walkga@uga.edu.

The Walk Georgia website is a public website, catering to the physical activity needs of many people and bringing Georgians together. By using the Walk Georgia website, you agree to respect other Walk Georgia users.

- Disrespecting the rights of others is prohibited.
- Violating the law or encouraging violation of the law is prohibited.
- Posting personal, sensitive information about yourself or others – i.e. medical, financial information – is prohibited.
- Additionally, content from the Walk Georgia website and the Walk Georgia logo are not to be used without permission from Walk Georgia administrators or UGA Extension personnel.

Walk Georgia administration reserves the right to alter, edit or remove any content deemed inappropriate. You can request more information on why content was removed by emailing walkga@uga.edu.

You are using Walk Georgia at your own risk. Violation of these Terms or our Privacy Policy will result in the deletion of your account and being banned from Walk Georgia. Terms and the Privacy Policy are subject to change, and Walk Georgia administrators reserve the right to maintain the website as they see fit. You may email walkga@uga.edu with questions or concerns.