

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2015

Open to Public Inspection

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

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2015 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01/01, 2015, and ending 12/31, 20 15

B Check if applicable:
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY
 Doing business as _____
 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
201 Chicago Avenue
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
Minneapolis, MN, 55415

D Employer identification number
61-1532062

E Telephone number
612-928-6100

F Name and address of principal officer: Catherine M Rydell
201 Chicago Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55415

G Gross receipts \$ 29,473,481

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No
H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
 If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

I Tax-exempt status: 501(c)(3) 501(c) (6) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ www.aan.com

K Form of organization: Corporation Trust Association Other ▶

L Year of formation: 2007 **M** State of legal domicile: MN

H(c) Group exemption number ▶

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>The American Academy of Neurology (AAN) was established to, and has now become the home base that continues the membership benefit and publication activities that had</u> <u>(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 1)</u>		
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	19
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	12
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2015 (Part V, line 2a)	5	182
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	1,185
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	948,642
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	97,141	
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year 132,600	Current Year 21,810
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	27,682,572	29,345,213
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	339,417	-160,111
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	225,343	169,479
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	28,379,932	29,376,391
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	0	0
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	15,613,230	16,793,453
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	390
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ <u>0</u>		
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	11,705,405	11,940,297
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	27,318,635	28,734,140
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	1,061,297	642,251	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year 15,969,619	End of Year 15,755,626
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	14,101,259	13,245,015
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,868,360	2,510,611

Part II Signature Block

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.

Sign Here

Signature of officer _____ Date _____
Timothy Engel, CFO
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name _____ Preparer's signature _____ Date _____ Check if self-employed PTIN _____
 Firm's name ▶ _____ Firm's EIN ▶ _____
 Firm's address ▶ _____ Phone no. _____

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:
The Academy's mission is to promote the highest quality patient-centered neurologic care and enhance member career satisfaction.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No
If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No
If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
Membership: The Academy's membership surpassed 31,000 in 2015, up from 28,000, in 2014. A significant portion of that growth came in our Junior membership categories for residents, fellows, and post-doctoral neurologists, as well as medical students, nurse practitioners, and physician assistants, all of whom represent the future of the profession and will be necessary to provide care to an aging population. Neurologists prize their memberships with the AAN and the many valuable benefits of being associated with the organization, including lifelong education opportunities through the AAN Institute's Annual Meeting, Fall Conference, Breakthroughs in Neurology Conference, Sports Concussion Conference, a highly regarded portfolio of scientific journals and publications such as Neurology(R) and Continuum(R), and many multimedia programs and tools designed to help them meet their regulatory requirements, overcome challenges in practice management, and stay at the top of their skills. Many of these tools and resources are benefits of membership. The Academy also offers the opportunity for members to network nationally and internationally with neurologists in their same subspecialties or areas of interest, further broadening the scope of knowledge in the profession. The Academy provides reduced membership dues to neurology professionals in nearly 90 countries that are rated
(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 2)

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
Publications: The publication of scientific, scholarly, and practice-related content is a vital part of the AAN's activities, and essential to the careers of our members. The AAN's publications also provide an opportunity to generate advertising revenue that helps keep membership dues low. Founded in 1951, Neurology(R) is the official scientific journal of the AAN, and subscriptions are a benefit of membership. As the leading clinical neurology journal worldwide, Neurology is directed to physicians concerned with diseases and conditions of the brain and nervous system. The journal's purpose is to advance the field of neurology by presenting new basic and clinical research with emphasis on knowledge that will influence the way neurology is practiced. The journal is at the forefront in disseminating cutting-edge, peer-reviewed information to the neurology community worldwide. Editions of the journal are printed in Chinese, Korean, Spanish, and Portuguese for distribution in China, Korea, Argentina, and Brazil. A selection of articles compiling an English edition is published and distributed in India. Neurology(R) Clinical Practice, a spin-off journal of Neurology, was introduced in 2011 and publishes six times per year. The journal provides peer-reviewed, timely updates in clinical neurology and helpful analyses of office-based and health policy issues. The focus is on the day-to-day needs of
(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 3)

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
Advocacy: The American Academy of Neurology is devoted to providing members with the tools, training, and assistance they need to be effective advocates for their patients and profession, and to improve American health care policy on federal, state, and local levels. International members of the Academy can apply this same training and knowledge to the health care policy challenges faced in their countries, demonstrating the global value of the Academy's programs. In 2015, 2,200 US members contacted their members of Congress on Academy issues critical to their profession. AAN staff and members engaged in more than 1,000 personal visits to congressional members and made over 10,000 electronic contacts with legislative offices. High-profile legislative priorities, increased education on the importance of advocacy, and greater awareness helped improve member engagement. Through its advocacy, the AAN hopes to improve recognition for cognitive care services to ensure that access to neurologists is protected and the workforce is sufficient to meet the increased needs of an aging population. The Academy further advocates for members' interests in the regulatory, coding, and third-party payer arenas. The Academy continued
(Continued on Schedule O, Statement 4)

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.) See Schedule O, Statement 5
(Expenses \$ 0 including grants of \$ 0) (Revenue \$ 0)

4e Total program service expenses **0**

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>		✓
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?	✓	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	✓	
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	✓	
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		✓
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		✓
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		✓
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		✓
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		✓
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	✓	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		✓
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		✓
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		✓
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		✓
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	✓	
12 a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>		✓
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>	✓	
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		✓
14 a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		✓
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV.</i>		✓
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		✓
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV.</i>		✓
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)</i>		✓
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		✓
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		✓

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules *(continued)*

	Yes	No
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		✓
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		✓
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		✓
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	✓	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>		✓
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		✓
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		✓
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		✓
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		✓
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		✓
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		✓
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		✓
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		✓
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		✓
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		✓
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	✓	
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	✓	
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	✓	
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		✓
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	✓	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

Table with columns for line numbers (1a-14b), descriptions of questions, and Yes/No checkboxes. Includes sub-questions for various IRS forms and reporting requirements.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.	19	
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	12	
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a	The governing body?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
10b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ► MN
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request Other (explain in Schedule O)
- 19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
- 20** State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: ►
Timothy J Engel CPA, (612)928-6100

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Terrence L Cascino MD FAAN President	9 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				0	700	0
Ralph L Sacco MD FAAN President Elect	5 5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			34,325	889	0	0
James C Stevens MD FAAN Vice President	3 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			0	0	0	0
Aaron E Miller MD FAAN Secretary	2 0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			16,392	0	0	0
Lisa M Shulman MD FAAN Treasurer	6 0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			0	0	0	0
Orly Avitzur MD MBA FAAN Director	3.00 0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			71,880	0	0	0
Sarah M Benish MD FAAN Director	1 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			400	233	0	0
Neil A Busis MD FAAN Director	2 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			500	1,550	0	0
Gregory D Cascino MD FAAN Director	2 0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			21,200	500	0	0
Charles C Flippen III MD FAAN Director	1.00 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			0	1,000	0	0
Carlayne E Jackson MD FAAN Director	2 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			0	0	0	0
Elaine C Jones MD FAAN Director	1 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			900	600	0	0
Nicholas E Johnson MD Director	2 0.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			2,800	0	0	0
Janis Miyasaki MD MeD FAAN Director	4 4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			50	0	0	0

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
John C Morris MD FAAN Director	2 2	✓		✓				0	900	0
Stefan M Pulst MD FAAN Director	3 3	✓		✓				27,500	600	0
Thomas R Vidic MD FAAN Director	2 2	✓		✓				0	0	0
Timothy A Pedley MD FAAN Past President	2 2	✓		✓				5,000	0	0
Robert A Gross MD PhD FAAN Director	2 2	✓		✓				0	0	0
Timothy J Engel CFO	34 10.00			✓				263,878	0	38,579
Catherine M Rydell Executive Director	45 5.0			✓				657,503	0	36,142
Rodney Larson Chief Health Policy Officer	23 18				✓			250,665	0	37,212
Christine E Phelps Deputy Executive Director	8 41				✓			305,161	0	41,746
Bruce Levi General Counsel	44 1				✓			318,297	0	47,870
Jason Kopinski Chief Marketing Technology Officer	43 1				✓			270,225	0	45,348
Christopher Becker Chief Publications and Business Development Offi	51 2				✓			197,278	0	32,283
Mike Amery Senior Legislative Counsel, Federal Affairs	43 0					✓		177,888	0	37,184
Christopher Keran Senior Director, Member Insights	43 3					✓		146,237	0	34,256

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees *(continued)*

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
<u>John Hutchins</u>	<u>27</u>									
<u>Deputy General Counsel</u>	<u>14.00</u>					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>140,733</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33,519</u>	
<u>Kristine Fridgen</u>	<u>0</u>									
<u>Senior Director, CESC</u>	<u>47</u>					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>140,633</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>21,117</u>	
<u>Gerianne Martin</u>	<u>46</u>									
<u>Director, Business Development</u>	<u>0</u>					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>135,195</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>29,752</u>	
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1b Sub-total							3,184,640	6,972	435,008	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							3,184,640	6,972	435,008	

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶ **20**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
<u>See Schedule O, Statement 6</u>		
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2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶ **2**

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a 0					
	b Membership dues	1b 0					
	c Fundraising events	1c 0					
	d Related organizations	1d 0					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e 0					
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f 21,810					
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$	0					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f	▶	21,810				
Program Service Revenue	Business Code						
	2a Publishing	511120	12,511,595	11,762,937	748,658	0	
	b Membership Dues	900099	7,933,781	7,933,781	0	0	
	c Salary Reimbursement	561000	6,699,893	6,699,893	0	0	
	d Reimbursement for administrative support	561000	1,767,077	1,567,093	199,984	0	
	e Conference and Educational Fees	541900	181,234	181,234	0	0	
	f All other program service revenue		251,633	251,633	0	0	
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f	▶	29,345,213					
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)	▶	-160,111	-160,111	0	0	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds ▶		0	0	0	0	
	5 Royalties	▶	0	0	0	0	
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real					
		(ii) Personal					
		b Less: rental expenses					
	c Rental income or (loss)	0	0				
	d Net rental income or (loss)	▶					
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities					
		(ii) Other					
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses					
	c Gain or (loss)	0	0				
	d Net gain or (loss)	▶					
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 0 of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	a					
		b Less: direct expenses	b				
		c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	▶				
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
b Less: direct expenses		b					
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities		▶					
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a 203,827						
	b Less: cost of goods sold	b 97,090					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory	▶	106,737	106,737	0	0	
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code					
11a Miscellaneous Revenue	900099	62,742	62,742	0	0		
b							
c							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d	▶	62,742					
12 Total revenue. See instructions.	▶	29,376,391	28,405,939	948,642	0		

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	0			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	0			
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4 Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees				
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
7 Other salaries and wages	12,819,036			
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	1,051,673			
9 Other employee benefits	2,000,443			
10 Payroll taxes	922,301			
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management	1,461,231			
b Legal	22,594			
c Accounting	0			
d Lobbying	44,211			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	390			
f Investment management fees	0			
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	1,506,212			
12 Advertising and promotion	774,688			
13 Office expenses	511,896			
14 Information technology	612,289			
15 Royalties	0			
16 Occupancy	137,412			
17 Travel	988,360			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	500,330			
20 Interest	1,499			
21 Payments to affiliates	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	118,774			
23 Insurance	101,840			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a <u>Dues and Subscriptions</u>	3,883,782			
b <u>Honoraria and Stipends</u>	1,216,786			
c <u>Unrelated Business Income Tax</u>	2,207			
d				
e All other expenses	56,186			
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	28,734,140	0	0	0
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	1,469,583	1	2,882,666
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	11,874,954	2	10,414,844
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	0	3	0
	4 Accounts receivable, net	1,892,556	4	1,626,419
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	5	0
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	6	0
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	0	7	0
	8 Inventories for sale or use	130,852	8	111,974
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	223,078	9	407,387
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	716,193		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	403,857		
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	0	11	0
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11	0	12	0
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11	0	13	0
	14 Intangible assets	0	14	0
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	0	15	0
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	15,969,619	16	15,755,626	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,881,001	17	2,910,411
	18 Grants payable	0	18	14,273
	19 Deferred revenue	11,220,258	19	10,320,331
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities	0	20	0
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	21	0
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L	0	22	0
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	0	23	0
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	0	24	0
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D	0	25	0
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	14,101,259	26	13,245,015
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	1,799,960	27	2,510,611
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	68,400	28	0
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	0	29	0
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	1,868,360	33	2,510,611	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	15,969,619	34	15,755,626	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	29,376,391
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	28,734,140
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	642,251
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	1,868,360
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	0
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	0
7	Investment expenses	7	0
8	Prior period adjustments	8	0
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	2,510,611

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		✓
b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	✓	
c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	✓	
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		✓
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.		

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

2015

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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.**
▶ **Information about Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.**

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 AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY	Employer identification number 61-1532062
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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$ 0
- 3 Volunteer hours ▶ 0

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 4955 ▶ \$
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? Yes No
- 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 exempt function activities ▶ \$ 0
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ 0
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ 0
- 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 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter 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) BrainPAC	201 Chicago Avenue Minneapolis, MN, 55415	27-0644272	0	43,365
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				

Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A** Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).
B Check if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)														
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)														
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)														
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures														
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)														
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.														
<table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th style="text-align: left;">The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		If the 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.	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.		
If the 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.														
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.														
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000.														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.														
g	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)														
h	Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-														
i	Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-														
j	If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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) 2012	(b) 2013	(c) 2014	(d) 2015	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e 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 description of the lobbying activity.

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
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:			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e 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?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities?			
j Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
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			
c 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)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No," OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	7,933,781
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).		
a Current year	2a	864,147
b Carryover from last year	2b	365,633
c Total	2c	1,229,780
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	1,190,067
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	39,713
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	0

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 I-A, Line 1 - The organization provided in-kind administrative services to its FEC registered SSF, BrainPac.

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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990.

Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate value of contributions, grants, and end of year, and two Yes/No questions regarding donor advisement.

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Tax Year. Rows include purpose(s) of easements, total number and acreage, number of easements on historic structures, and monitoring details.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Rows include reporting requirements for art and historical treasures, and amounts for revenue and assets.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a** Public exhibition
- b** Scholarly research
- c** Preservation for future generations
- d** Loan or exchange programs
- e** Other

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? **Yes** **No**

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? **Yes** **No**

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

	Amount
1c Beginning balance	
1d Additions during the year	
1e Distributions during the year	
1f Ending balance	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? **Yes** **No**

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided on Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶%
- b** Permanent endowment ▶%
- c** Temporarily restricted endowment ▶%

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

- (i)** unrelated organizations
- (ii)** related organizations

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	0	0		0
b Buildings	0	0	0	0
c Leasehold improvements	0	9,262	9,262	0
d Equipment	0	706,931	394,595	312,336
e Other	0	0	0	0
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)				312,336

Part VII Investments—Other Securities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other _____		
(A) _____		
(B) _____		
(C) _____		
(D) _____		
(E) _____		
(F) _____		
(G) _____		
(H) _____		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ►		

Part VIII Investments—Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ►		

Part IX Other Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ►	

Part X Other Liabilities.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value	
(1) Federal income taxes		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ►	0	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include descriptions, sub-row labels (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and totals (1, 2e, 3, 4c, 5).

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

Table with 5 main rows and sub-rows (a-e) for adjustments. Columns include descriptions, sub-row labels (2a-2d, 4a-4b), and totals (1, 2e, 3, 4c, 5).

Part XIII Supplemental Information.

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Schedule D, Part X, Line 2 - The Organization follows the provisions of FASB ASC 740-10-25, which requires that a tax position be recognized or derecognized based on a "more likely than not" threshold. This applies to positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Organization does not believe its financial statements include any uncertain tax positions. The Organizations tax returns are subject to review an examination by Federal authorities. The tax returns for years 2012 through 2014 are open to examination by Federal authorities.

Series of horizontal dashed lines for providing supplemental information.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment? | 4a | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan? | 4b | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? | 4c | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5–9.

5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| a The organization? | 5a | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b Any related organization? | 5b | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| a The organization? | 6a | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b Any related organization? | 6b | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
1a		
1b		
2		
3		
4a		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4b		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4c		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5a		
5b		
6a		
6b		
7		
8		
9		

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)–(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)–(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990	
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation					
1	Catherine M Rydell, Executive Director	(i)	436,062	104,999	116,442	99,595	8,317	765,415	79,999
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Bruce Levi, General Counsel	(i)	277,152	34,679	6,466	58,937	20,045	397,279	34,679
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Christine E Phelps, Deputy Executive Director	(i)	261,914	32,737	10,510	57,194	13,921	376,276	32,737
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Jason Kopinski, Chief Marketing Technology Officer	(i)	231,933	28,941	9,350	51,779	20,037	342,040	28,941
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Timothy J Engel, CFO	(i)	230,279	28,594	5,005	50,675	13,558	328,111	28,594
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Rodney Larson, Chief Health Policy Officer	(i)	214,755	27,688	8,222	48,154	13,898	312,717	27,688
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Christopher Becker, Chief Publications and Business Development Officer	(i)	174,747	22,026	504	38,671	13,372	249,320	22,026
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Mike Amery, Senior Legislative Counsel, Federal Affairs	(i)	157,837	13,606	6,445	30,297	19,929	228,114	13,606
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Christopher Keran, Senior Director, Member Insights	(i)	130,076	11,794	4,367	24,927	19,859	191,023	11,794
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	John Hutchins, Deputy General Counsel	(i)	125,967	11,450	3,316	24,547	19,344	184,624	11,450
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Kristine Fridgen, Senior Director, CESC	(i)	125,771	10,839	4,053	23,019	7,823	171,505	10,839
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Gerianne Martin, Director, Business Development	(i)	126,434	8,258	504	19,757	19,873	174,826	8,258
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13		(i)							
	(ii)								
14		(i)							
	(ii)								
15		(i)							
	(ii)								
16		(i)							
	(ii)								

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 2 - Terrence Cascino and Gregory Cascino, family relationship.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 6 - The Academy's membership includes individuals who meet the requirements of the following membership classes: Fellow, Corresponding Fellow, Active, Corresponding Active, Associate, Research scientist, Non-Neurologist clinician, Business Administrator, Junior, Student, Honorary, Senior, Members and applicants must demonstrate ethical and professional conduct. Please see www.aan.com for details on each membership class.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 7a - All classes of membership vote for the election of one or more members of the governing body, who must be fellows, or honorary or senior members whose prior classification was fellow. Eligible voting members elect members of the governing body periodically, as vacancies arise, or otherwise.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, Line 7b - The Academy's members having voting rights and, accordingly, have rights to elect members of the Board (and approve certain officers). Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws must be brought before the members to effect adoption.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b - The CFO undertook extensive review of the draft 990 as initially prepared by the Associate Director of Finance. The draft was reviewed by the Academy's exempt organizations tax professional. The form was then presented to the Audit Committee by the CFO and other members of the management team for the Committee's comments. The finalized Form 990 is brought to the Board for discussion during a regularly scheduled meeting. At that time, a complete overview of the final Form 990 is provided to the Board by the CFO and General Counsel. The Form 990 is filed after this process.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c - The Academy operates with a conflict of interest policy that covers individuals serving as officers, directors, committee members, teachers, authors, consultants as well as any other capacity with leadership responsibility as an "official" of the organization. Covered individuals are required to complete a relationship disclosure statement annually, or more frequently if changes in personal circumstances occur. The statements are reviewed and actions determined in line with the organization's hierarchy based on the individual's position and with the recommendation of General Counsel. Conflicts are handled on an individual basis. Actions taken reflect the severity of the actual/potential conflict ranging from "no action required", to an on-going monitoring with appropriate disclosure of such facts, or required withdrawal of the individual from the conflicting relationship. Conflict of interest proceedings are documented in meeting minutes or as otherwise appropriate.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15 - The Academy's Board utilizes a Compensation Committee to set compensation for the CEO/Executive Director; that Committee employs the procedures inquired here and last set compensation amounts in 2015. The CEO/Executive Director is charged with setting compensation for employed Officers and Key Employees and in doing so, compensation surveys are utilized. On an annual basis market reviews are done for salaries and every other year market adjustments are made. The last market adjustment was made in 2015.

Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19 - The Academy makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to anyone on its website.

Activity Or Mission Description

Description

been prior undertaken by the neurology membership organization founded in 1948 (that entity now operated and known as the AAN Institute), the entity through whom the Academy conducts and coordinates a wide variety of educational activities. AAN is an international professional association of more than 28,000 neurologists and neuroscientists. It is dedicated to promoting the highest quality patient-centered neurologic care and enhancing member career satisfaction. The AAN's vision is to be indispensable to its members by providing guidance and inspiration through education, information, policy development, and advocacy for our members and their patients, while maintaining the highest ethical and professional standards.

First Program Service Accomplishments Description

Description

Low or Low/Middle Income by the World Bank. More than 6,000 members volunteer on committees, subcommittees, workgroups, and task forces that help accomplish the goals of the Academy. Members have a chance to develop and express themselves as leaders in the profession through such training programs as the award-winning Donald M. Palatucci Advocacy Leadership Forum, which has trained more than 300 neurologists worldwide to be effective advocates for their patients and profession, and the Emerging Leaders Forum, a competitive program designed specifically to identify, orient, and cultivate talented, highly motivated individuals as future Academy leaders. Through partnership with established AAN leaders, participants will gain the experience and leadership abilities to prepare them to assume leadership roles with the AAN.

Second Program Service Accomplishments Description**Description**

practicing neurologists. It is provided free to subscribers of Neurology. Neurology(R) Neuroimmunology & Neuroinflammation, a subspecialty journal of Neurology, was launched in 2014. This open access, online-only journal is published six times per year and provides neurologists with peer-reviewed articles, editorials, and reviews to enhance patient care, education, and clinical and translational research in neuroimmunology and neuroinflammation, which affect a broad range of neurologic diseases. Neurology(R) Genetics, the latest subspecialty journal of Neurology, launched in the spring of 2015. Published six times per year, this open access, online-only journal provides neurologists with peer-reviewed articles, editorials, and reviews to enhance patient care, education, and research in all areas of neurogenetics including genetic variations, genotype-phenotype correlations, pharmacogenomics, and gene-based clinical trials. Continuum: Lifelong Learning in Neurology(R) is the AAN's bimonthly self-study continuing medical education journal. Each issue features in-depth clinical review articles focused around a single neurologic subspecialty topic for the practicing neurologist, residents and fellows, and medical students. The goals of Continuum include disseminating up-to-date review articles in a lively, interactive format; fostering self-assessment and lifelong study skills; encouraging critical thinking; and strengthening and improving patient care. Each issue also includes clinical case studies, a topic-relevant ethics case, discussions of topic-relevant billing codes and other practice-related issues, a detailed patient management problem, and self-assessment post-reading multiple-choice questions. Continuum is a member benefit to resident and fellow (Junior) members of the AAN only; other AAN members must purchase a separate subscription to Continuum. Continuum circulation continues to grow yearly, particularly in the paid member category. Overall circulation (including Junior members) increased to 10,736 in 2015. Continuum(R) Audio, a biweekly audio complement to Continuum, is a standalone program that includes interviews with Continuum authors on neurologic subspecialty topics as well as continuing medical education activities. Neurology Today(R) is the AAN's biweekly tabloid newspaper that reports on breaking news, issues, and trends in the practice and science of neurology, reaching 25,397 subscribers in 2015. Featuring in-depth and timely reports on professional meetings, ongoing trials and therapies, strategies for improving quality of care and systems management, and articles by opinion leaders, Neurology Today provides an overview of the critical issues currently confronting neurologists today, as well as the inside track to key information from the AAN and its official journal, Neurology. Neurology Now(R) is the AAN's bimonthly magazine for patients and caregivers and anyone interested in brain health. Copies of Neurology Now are provided to AAN members to distribute in their offices. In addition, over 300,000 individuals subscribe to the magazine, with an estimated reach of 1.6 million people per issue, or 9 million people per year. Neurology Now seeks to improve communication about brain health between patients and their physicians, support disease awareness and self-management, and provide public outreach for the AAN. The Neurology Now Books series, published by Oxford University Press, are consumer trade books geared toward neurologic patients and their families, published with Oxford University Press. A new title, Navigating Life with Multiple Sclerosis by Kathleen Costello, MS, ANP-BC, MSCN; Ben Thrower, MD; and Barbara S. Giesser, MD, FAAN, was published in September 2015.

Third Program Service Accomplishments Description

Description

to expand its presence with regulators in Washington, DC, with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services and Food and Drug Administration. The Academy advocates on issues that support access to care of neurologic patients, through adequate physician payment, coverage of services and drugs, and appropriate regulatory policies. The Academy participates in American Medical Association (AMA) CPT code development and valuation by sending staff and physician representatives to related AMA panel meetings and by working together with staff and representatives at other physician specialty societies on needed coding changes. The Academy facilitates the expert input of neurologists on related payer coverage policies. It also provides a toolkit to help members develop and maintain positive working relationships at their own local level with third-party payers.

Other Program Services Accomplishments

Activity Code	Description	Expense	Grants	Revenue
	BrainPAC: Advocating for the profession of neurology and preserving access to care by patients is a core activity of the Academy. The Academy's political action committee, BrainPAC, is an effective tool to advance this mission by enabling access to get our message to lawmakers. It also helps level the playing field with other physician specialties that have PACs and compete for attention. Voluntary contributions by US members and staff are key to a successful PAC.			
Total:		0	0	0

Contractor Compensation

Name and address:	Description Of Services	Compensation
American Academy of Neurology Institute 201 Chicago Avenue Minneapolis, MN 55415	Access facilities/equipment	1,425,932
University of Rochester Medical Center 601 Elmwood Avenue Box 673 Rochester, NY 14642	Stipend for Neurology Journal editor	170,016
Mayo Foundation for Medical Educati 3050 Superior Dr NW SU-1-400 Rochester, MN 55901	President stipend and administrative support.	114,497
Total:		1,710,445

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1) -----					
(2) -----					
(3) -----					
(4) -----					
(5) -----					
(6) -----					

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) American Academy of Neurology Institute (41-0726167) 201 Chicago Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55415	Promote and administer charitable	MN	501 (C)(3)	Line 9	American Academy of	✓	
(2) -----							
(3) -----							
(4) -----							
(5) -----							
(6) -----							
(7) -----							

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1)												
(2)												
(3)												
(4)												
(5)												
(6)												
(7)												

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
(5)									
(6)									
(7)									

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		✓
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)		✓
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)		✓
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	✓	
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)		✓
f Dividends from related organization(s)		✓
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)		✓
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)		✓
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)		✓
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)		✓
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	✓	
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)		✓
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)		✓
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)		✓
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	✓	
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses		✓
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses	✓	
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)		✓
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)		✓

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
See Schedule R, Part VII, Statement 1			
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

Part VI **Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
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Description of Covered Relationships and Transaction Thresholds

		Amt. involved
Name	American Academy of Neurology Institute	1,440,100
Transaction type	q	
Method of determining amt. involved	q- IT/HR/Marketing - fair market value recovered per resource allocation agreement.	
Name	American Academy of Neurology Institute	1,425,932
Transaction type	k	
Method of determining amt. involved	k - Lease related to leased facilities - FMV via independent determination as set out in resource allocation agreement.	
Name	American Academy of Neurology Institute	12,375,000
Transaction type	d	
Method of determining amt. involved	d - Loan guarantee (new facility), AAN is required to co-sign (amount shown is balance as of December 31, 2015).	
Name	American Academy of Neurology Institute	5,475,577
Transaction type	o	
Method of determining amt. involved	o - Sharing of employees. Amount is based on fair market value.	

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No. 1545-0047

2015

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

▶ Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY

Employer identification number

61-1532062

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(6) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33¹/₃ % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000 or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$ _____

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Name of organization AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY	Employer identification number 61-1532062
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Part I **Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	American Neurological Association 5841 Cedar Lake Road South Minneapolis, MN, 55416	\$ 10,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	Child Neurology Society 1000 County Road E W 290 Saint Paul, MN, 55126	\$ 7,500	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
-----	----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
-----	----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
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-----	----- ----- -----	\$-----	-----
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Part III *Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor.* Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **\$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ _____
 Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

Form **8453-EO**

Exempt Organization Declaration and Signature for Electronic Filing

For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning 01/01, 2015, and ending 12/31, 2015

2015

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For use with Forms 990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 1120-POL, and 8868

Name of exempt organization

Employer identification number

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY

61-1532062

Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the type of return being filed with Form 8453-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a below and the amount on that line of the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). If you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. Do not complete more than one line in Part I.

1a	Form 990 check here	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue , if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1b	<u>29,376,391</u>
2a	Form 990-EZ check here	<input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue , if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b	
3a	Form 1120-POL check here	<input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b	
4a	Form 990-PF check here	<input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4b	
5a	Form 8868 check here	<input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance due (Form 8868, Part I, line 3c or Part II, line 8c)	5b	

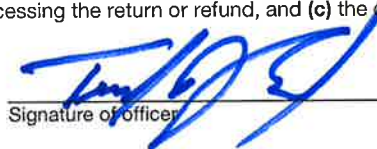
Part II Declaration of Officer

6 I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an Automated Clearing House (ACH) electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment.

If a copy of this return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I certify that I executed the electronic disclosure consent contained within this return allowing disclosure by the IRS of this Form 990/990-EZ/990-PF (as specifically identified in Part I above) to the selected state agency(ies).

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above named organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2015 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund.

Sign Here



Signature of officer

Date

9/20/16

Timothy Engel, CFO

Title

Part III Declaration of Electronic Return Originator (ERO) and Paid Preparer (see instructions)

I declare that I have reviewed the above organization's return and that the entries on Form 8453-EO are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If I am only a collector, I am not responsible for reviewing the return and only declare that this form accurately reflects the data on the return. The organization officer will have signed this form before I submit the return. I will give the officer a copy of all forms and information to be filed with the IRS, and have followed all other requirements in Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns. If I am also the Paid Preparer, under penalties of perjury I declare that I have examined the above organization's return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. This Paid Preparer declaration is based on all information of which I have any knowledge.

ERO's Use Only	ERO's signature	Date	Check if also paid preparer <input type="checkbox"/>	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	ERO's SSN or PTIN
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code				EIN Phone no.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the above return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer is based on all information of which the preparer has any knowledge.

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name			Firm's EIN	
	Firm's address			Phone no.	