

CONNECTING + SUPPORTING MULTIPLE BIRTH FAMILIES (Also known as the National Organization of Mothers of Twins Clubs) support education research



### What is Multiples of America..

And how does it benefit me?

Multiples of America also known as the National Organization of Mothers of Twins Clubs, Inc. is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization founded in 1960.

Multiples of America is a nationwide network with over 150 local clubs, representing over 7,000 individual members.

#### Multiples of America's Mission

Multiples of America is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to supporting families of multiple birth children through education, research, and networking. In partnering with local support groups, health care providers, researchers and educators, with the highest standards of integrity, respect and professionalism, we endeavor to aid parents of multiples and to raise public awareness of the unique qualities of multiple birth families .



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#### Multiples of America: Support Through Education and Research

#### Benefit from a Personal Connection...

Making that personal connection is at the very foundation of Multiples of America! We are here to give you and your club the individualized attention that you need.

Connect with a member volunteer and benefit from their experience with:

- Bereavement Support
- Higher Order Multiples
- Single Parent Issues
- Special Needs
- LGBT Issues

Make the connection on issues that affect your local club or state organization...

- National Parliamentarian
- Zoom Event Connections
- Group Exemption

Have a question about twins or higher order multiples? The Research volunteers are a great resource to answer all types of questions! Email **info@multiplesofamerica.org** 

#### **Experience the Multiples of America Annual Convention**

Network with hundreds of other members across the country, see the business side of Multiples of America, take part in the process of determining Multiples of America's future, attend informative workshops, and have fun! Check out Convention updates at www.multiplesofamerica.org

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## What is Multiples of America?

#### **RESEARCH**

#### **External Outside Research Studies**

One of the goals of Multiples of America is to cooperate with and participate in research projects which involve multiples and/or their families. Researchers actively recruit Multiples of America members to participate in studies, and we encourage your participation! Find out more about these studies on the Research page on our website. Additional information about research studies is published in our e-newsmagazine, Multiple Connections.

#### Internal Surveys

Multiples of America's Membership and Research Development Department has its own survey team committed to writing, interpreting and reporting surveys for our members. Results from these surveys will help us, researchers and the public, better understand our multiples, our clubs, and ourselves.

#### International Connections

Multiples of America is an active member of the International Society for Twin Studies (ISTS). This forum provides our organization an International connection to researchers and multiple birth organizations around the world.

#### CONNECT WITH US!

#### www.multiplesofamerica.org



#### Benefit from the Online Connection...

You can find a wealth of information and support at our website www.multiplesofamerica.org.

You can also find us on Facebook , Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn.

#### **Club Connections**

Our bi-monthly newsletter, available online and emailed to club leaders, is filled with tips for clubs and information about the organization.

#### Your Multiples and You

One of our most helpful resources pertaining to preparing for multiples, new parenting, feeding multiples, etc. It is available as a free download on our website.

#### Benefit from our Experience...

Multiples of America was created by a group of mothers of multiples in the Midwest who saw a need to bring together parents and provide them with the resources, tools and education to effectively parent their children. Their intent was to harness the reach of a national organization, to introduce resources and share knowledge with local groups. The founders of Multiples of America bestowed on us a rich legacy of knowledge, caring and support.

#### Additional Multiple Birth Resources...

*Multiple Connections* is our bi-monthly, electronic news magazine emailed to every member.

**Informational booklets and flyers** on topics including Higher Order Multiples, Single Parenting, Special Needs parenting, Bereavement and more are also offered by Multiples of America.

#### **Education of Multiple Birth Children**

is a resource for parents and educators alike. For parents of preschool and schoolage multiples, as well as educators concerned with placement of multiple birth children in school. Topics covered include whether or not to separate, learning disabilities and much more.

> Multiples of America has offered resources, support and connections to parents of multiples across the country for over sixty years. Isn't it time for you and your local club to experience the benefits of Multiples of America?

#### Multiples of America's Funding

A non-profit 501(c)3 corporation funded by dues, donations and grants. As a member club, your club can receive benefits of 501(c)(3) status through Multiples of America. The IRS will recognize your club as a subordinate chapter of Multiples of America with assignment of a Group Exemption Number (GEN). This provides your club many benefits, including the ability to receive donations which are tax deductible by donors. For clubs with gross receipts of less than \$25K, we will file your 990-N e-postcard.