

# CU Giving Back



At Cobalt, we love recognizing the many ways our employees give back to the communities we serve. Our CU Giving Back article this month features Mandi's involvement with the Nebraska Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association.

The Alzheimer's Association leads the way in research, care, support, and advocacy. Mandi was first introduced to the organization three years ago. She was searching for a way to get involved in the community and met with a representative to learn more. She was instantly hooked!

Little did Mandi know that she had firsthand experience with noticing the early symptoms of Alzheimer's disease with some of her banking members. Having worked with some of them for several years, Mandi started to see changes in how they would handle their finances. She saw they went from being vibrant and active to confused and lost. It really saddened her as she watched their slow decline. That's a big part of why she does what she does.



Mandi's favorite fundraiser for the organization is the Sarpy County Alzheimer's Walk. From the planning, to the set up and tear down, she enjoys every second. The event program itself, while very emotional, serves as a reminder to Mandi of why she volunteers for this important cause.

An advocate for the organization, Mandi encourages others to get involved and leads by example to show her children how important it is to support and volunteer in your community. By volunteering with others who support the Alzheimer's Association, Mandi says they get a lot accomplished, it's very rewarding, and they have fun working together as a team.