

National Cancer Resources



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National Organizations for Comprehensive Cancer Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Cancer Society (ACS) ▪ American College of Surgeons ▪ Assoc. of State and Territorial Dir ▪ C-Change ▪ Centers for Disease Control ▪ Health Resources and Services Administration ▪ Intercultural Cancer Council ▪ Lance Armstrong Foundation ▪ National Cancer Institute (NCI) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ 	Education and resources for patients, providers Commission on Cancer Accreditation of programs National non-profit representing public health Leveraging leadership/expertise to eliminate cancer	www.cancer.org 1-800-ACS-2345 www.facs.org www.ndoc.org www.astho.org/ www.cdc.gov/cancer www.hrsa.gov/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) ▪ National Governor's Association ▪ North American Association of Central Cancer Registries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ✓ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ✓ 	Survivorship programs, resource and grants Information for patients and providers. Resource http://www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/factsheet/support/organizations	www.iccnetwork.org www.laf.org www.cancer.gov 1-800-4CANCER
				Promotes governor involvement in cancer initiatives	www.ncsl.org/
				Provides standards for collection of cancer data	www.nga.org
					www.naaccr.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) 			Website is an interactive resource for ASCO members and other oncology professional involved in multidisciplinary care of patients with cancer	www.asco.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Control PLANET 			Plan, Link, Act, Network with /Evidence-based Tools. Cancer topics include breast, cervical, colorectal, diet/nutrition, informed decision making, physical activity, sun safety, tobacco	http://cancercontrolplanet.cancer.gov/ Combines resources from ACS, CDC, NCI, The Community Guide
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancerplan.org 			Collaboration between the American Cancer Society, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the National Cancer Institute. Connect to state cancer plans and materials.	www.cancerplan.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation 			Programs include: Dialogue for Action, National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month, Mothers and Others Against Skin Cancer, Project Early Awareness and <i>The Check Your Insides Out – From Top to Bottom</i>	www.preventcancer.org

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				Tour treatment of cancer.	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) 			Clinical guidelines for professionals and patient guidelines, distributed in collaboration with the by the American Cancer Society	www.nccn.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Community Guide 			Provides health professionals and community leaders with information needed for informed decision making on the most effective evidenced-based interventions	www.thecommunityguide.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ US Preventive Services Task Force 			An independent panel of experts in primary care and prevention that systematically reviews the evidence of effectiveness and develops recommendations for clinical preventive services	www.ahrq.gov/clinic/uspstfix.htm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Women's Cancer Network 			Developed by the Gynecologic Cancer Foundation and CancerSource for women and their families	www.wcn.org/
PREVENTION					
Tobacco and Related Cancers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Dental Hygienists' Association 	✓	✓	Smoking cessation Initiative (SCI) Ask. Advise. Refer Three minutes or less can save lives.	www.askadviserefer.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids 	✓		Advocacy programs and special events to keep kids tobacco free	http://www.tobaccofreekids.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Kick Butts Day Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids April 13th 	✓			1400 I Street NW, Suite 1200 Washington, DC 20005 Phone: 866-840-0474, 202-296-5469 kbdinfo@tobaccofreekids.org www.kickbuttsday.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Network of Quit Lines 	✓	✓	1-800-QUITNOW (784-8669) Resources for health professionals	www.smokefree.gov
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Tobacco Control Program 	✓		Centers for Disease Control and Prevention- focus on state and community interventions, counter marketing campaigns, policy development, surveillance, evaluation	www.cdc.gov/tobacco/issue.htm
Physical Activity & Nutrition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Cancer Society 			Workplace Solutions- building a healthier workforce. Programs such as Quitline®, Active for Life Online and Get Your Screen Test encourage employees to make	http://www.acsworkplacesolutions.com/

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				lifestyle choices that will improve their health and reduce the cost of health care to your organization.	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Institute for Cancer Research 	✓		Supports research into the role of diet and nutrition in the prevention and treatment of cancer. It also offers a wide range of cancer prevention education programs.	http://www.aicr.org/index.lasso
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 5 A Day Program 	✓			www.5aday.gov
Environmental Risk Factors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Breast Cancer Fund 	✓		Focus on breast cancer prevention. Mission to eliminate the environmental causes of breast cancer, through public education, policy initiatives and campaigns.	http://www.breastcancerfund.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Collaborative on Health and the Environment (CHE) 	✓		Produced the overview of chemical exposures linked to human diseases, April 2004 www.protectingourhealth.org	http://www.cheforhealth.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Environmental Defense Fund (EDF) 	✓		Resource for information about pollution problems and toxic chemicals. Request information by zip code.	http://www.scorecard.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Environmental Working Group (EWG) 	✓		Their team of scientists, engineers, policy experts, lawyers and computer programmers review government data,	http://www.ewg.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Center on Environmental Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (NCEH-CDC) 	✓			http://www.cdc.gov/nceh/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) 	✓		Human health and human disease result from three interactive elements: environmental factors, individual susceptibility and age. Reduce the burden of human illness and dysfunction from environmental causes by understanding the three interactive elements; environmental factors, individual susceptibility and age and how they interrelate; utilizing multidisciplinary biomedical research programs, prevention and intervention efforts, and communication strategies.	http://www.niehs.nih.gov/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Silent Spring Institute 	✓		A non-profit scientific research organization dedicated to identifying the links between the environment and women's health, especially breast cancer.	http://www.silentspring.org

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Genetics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ GeneReviews 			Database of fact sheets for clinicians on genetic diseases	www.genereviews.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ GeneTests 			On-line directory of genetic laboratories and genetic tests available throughout US	www.genetests.org
EARLY DETECTION					
Breast Cancer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Avon Breast Cancer Crusade 	✓	✓	Raises funds for awareness, access to support services and scientific research. Funds screening, diagnosis, and treatment for breast, cervical, and ovarian cancers.	http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avoncrusade/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BreastCancer.Net 	✓		News on cancer research and treatment	www.breastcancer.net
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Alliance of Breast Cancer Organizations 	✓	✓	Extensive website addressing early detection and treatment and patient support issues	www.nabco.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program 	✓	✓	Program has provided services to over 2.5 million women since 1991. Full program report 1991-2002.	www.cdc.gov/cancer/nbccedp www.cdc.gov/cancer/nbccedp/reports/nationalreport/index.htm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ US Food & Drug Administration 			List of certified facilities according to Mammography Quality Standards Act of 1992 (MQSA) requirements.	www.fda.gov/cdrh/mammography/certified.html
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Y-Me National Breast Cancer Organization 	✓	✓	24 hour hotline (interpreters in more than 150 languages). Satellite locations in Seattle, Northern CA. Latina News, quarterly publication	www.y-me.org 1-800-221-2141 (English) 1-800-986-9505 (Spanish)
Cervical Cancer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Social Health Association 	✓		The Association is recognized by the public, patients, providers and policy makers for developing and delivering accurate, medically reliable information about STDs. Produces HPV newsletter.	www.ashastd.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Encore Plus of the YWCA of the USA 				Phone: 800-95-EPLUS http://www.ywca.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gynecologic Cancer Foundation (Part of Women's Cancer Network) 	✓	✓	An interactive web site dedicated to informing women around the world about gynecologic cancer; assist women who have developed cancer, as well as their families, to understand more about the disease, learn about treatment options, and gain access to new or experimental therapies.	230 W. Monroe Suite 2528 Chicago IL 60606 Phone: 312-578-1439 www.wcn.org/gcf http://www.thegcf.org/ (http://www.wcn.org/index.cfm)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make the Connection 	✓		Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation is partnering with the Step Up Women's Network and Merck & Co., Inc. on a national public education campaign, Make the Connection, to raise awareness of cervical cancer.	http://www.maketheconnection.org/

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Cervical Cancer Coalition 	✓			www.nccc-online.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Cervical Cancer Public Education Campaign 	✓		Partners include the Gynecological Cancer Foundation, CDC, National Cancer Institute and the American Cancer Society	www.cervicalcancercampaign.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Nueva Vida, Inc. 		✓	A support network for Latinas with Cancer	2000 P Street NW., Suite 740 Washington DC 20036 Phone: 202-223-9100 www.nueva-vida.org
Colorectal Cancer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A Call to Action 			CDC online training tool to raise primary care providers awareness and knowledge about prevention and early detection of colorectal cancer	www.cdc.gov/cancer/colorect/calltoaction
<i>March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Cancer Society 			Online Continuing medical education program to health care providers Ad Council Polyp Man campaign	http://acc.digiscript.com/presentation/index.cfm?fuseaction=view_article&media_id=13360
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Colon Cancer Alliance 		✓	Dedicated to patient support, advocacy and education.	http://www.ccalliance.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Colon Cancer Network 		✓		PO Box 182 Kensington MD 20895-0182 Phone: 301-8798-1500 www.colorectal-cancer.net
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Dialogue for Action</i> 	✓	✓	A program of the Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation's (CRPF) <i>Dialogue for Action</i> program. This innovative, consensus-building, action-oriented conference is helping to increase colorectal cancer screening on the state level, nationwide, internationally	http://www.preventcancer.org/programs/dialogue_overview.cfm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Colorectal Research Alliance 	✓		Education program of the Entertainment Industry 1-800-872-3000; Katie Couric, co-founder. Public education and medical research, supporting some of the most advanced research to develop better tests, treatments and cures for colorectal cancer.	http://www.eifoundation.org/national/nccra/splash/ www.nccra.org

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Screen for Life</i> Campaign 	✓		Public service announcements for TV and radio in English and Spanish, posters and brochures. Celebrity spokespersons: Katie Couric, Patti LaBelle and Morgan Freeman spokespersons	www.cdc.gov/cancer/creeenforlife/index.htm
Melanoma <i>April is Skin Cancer Awareness Month</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Academy of Dermatology 				930 Woodfield Road Schaumburg, IL 60173 Phone: 888-462-3376 or 847-330-0230 www.aad.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Centers for Disease Control and Prevention “Choose your cover” campaign 	✓		Skin Cancer Primary Prevention and Education Initiative: Guidelines for Schools to Prevent Skin Cancer and Fit, Healthy, and Ready to Learn: A School Health Policy Guide	www.cdc.gov/chooseyourcover/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Melanoma Center 	✓	✓		www.melanomacenter.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Melanoma Patients’ Information Page 		✓		The Pattersons PO Box 389 Cloverdale CA 95425 www.mpip.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mother’s & Others Against Skin Cancer (MASC) 	✓		MASC reaches out to schools and community organizations, encourages children and adults to sign the “sun safety pledge”	www.preventcancer.org/programs/masc.cfm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Skin Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓		245 5 th Avenue Suite 1403 New York NY 10016 Phone: 800-SKIN-490 www.skincancer.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sun Safety Alliance™ (SSA) 			A non-profit coalition, founding members are the National Association of Chain Drug Stores, Coppertone®	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SunWise School Program 	✓			U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Ave NW (6205J) Washington DC 20460 www.epa.gov/sunwise
Prostate <i>September is National Prostate Cancer Awareness Month</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Centers for Disease Control and Prevention 			Information for public, physicians and policy makers about risks and benefits of screening <i>Prostate Cancer Screening: A Decision Guide</i> <i>Slide presentation- Screening for Prostate Cancer: Sharing the Decision</i>	www.cdc.gov/cancer/prostate/index

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Prostate Cancer Coalition 	✓	✓	Reduce the burden of prostate cancer through awareness, outreach and advocacy	1158 15 th Street NW Washington DC 20005 Phone: 888-245-9455 or 202-463-9455 http://www.4npcc.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Phoenix 5 		✓	Offering information on PSA, staging, grading, treatment, companions' needs, library.	http://www.phoenix5.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Prostate Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓	Formerly CapCure, the Prostate Cancer Foundation is the world's largest philanthropic source of support for prostate cancer research. Founded in 1993, the PCF has raised more than \$245 million and grants have been distributed to more than 1,200 researchers at 100 institutions worldwide.	1250 4 th Street Suite 360 Santa Monica CA 90401 Phone: 800-757-2873 www.prostatecancerfoundation.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Us Too International Inc 	✓	✓	Prostate cancer education and support	5003 Fairview Avenue Downers Grove IL 60515-5286 Phone: 800-808-7866 or 630-795-1002 www.ustoo.org
CANCER TREATMENT					
Organizations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Hope Network 		✓		2 North Road Suite A Chester NJ 07930-2308 Phone: 877-HOPENET www.cancerhopenetwork.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation 	✓	✓		1600 Duke Street Suite 110 Alexandria VA 22314 Phone: 800-227-2732 www.preventcancer.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Treatment Centers of America 		✓	A network of cancer treatment hospitals and facilities, addressing cancer from top to bottom, inside and out, it's total care for the mind, body and spirit. Seattle Cancer Treatment and Wellness Center is closest location	1-800-615-3055 http://www.cancercenter.com/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Trials Support Unit 		✓	CTSU Data Operations Center	1441 West Montgomery Avenue Rockville MD 20850-2062 Phone: 888-823-5923 www.ctsu.org/

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) 			Resources include Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology and Treatment Guidelines for Patients (English and Spanish), in collaboration with the American Cancer Society. Clinical trials locator.	50 Huntington Pike Suite 200 Rockledge PA 19046 Phone: 888-99-6226 http://nccn.org
Children's Cancers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓	Offers support group, financial assistance, resources, activities, summer camp, newsletter and seasonal events for families who have a child with cancer.	3910 Warner Street Kensington MD 20895 Phone: 800-366-2223 http://www.candlelighters.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Children's Cancer Association 	✓	✓	Provides programs, information, advocacy and support to children with cancer and their families and provides Advocacy and Fundraising	http://www.childrenscancerassociation.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Children's Brain Tumor Foundation 		✓		274 Madison Avenue Suite 1301 New York NY 10016 Phone: 212-448-9494 www.cbtf.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make-a-Wish Foundation 		✓		3550 N. Central Ave., Suite 300 Phoenix, AZ 85012 Phone: 800-722-9474 www.wish.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Childhood Cancer Foundation 		✓		440 E. Huntington Drive PO Box 60012 Arcadia CA 91006-6012 Phone: 800-458-6223 http://www.nccf.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Children's Cancer Society 		✓		1015 Locust Suite 600 St. Louis MO 63101 Phone: 800-532-6459 www.children-cancer.com
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Childhood Cancer Foundation & Children's Oncology Group 			Provides Research & Discovery	http://www.curesearch.org (one website for both organizations)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Special Love for Children with Cancer 		✓	Programs for children to be children; support programs for children & their families.	http://www.speciallove.org/

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teens Living with Cancer 			Melissa's Living Legacy Foundation	245 Citation Drive Henrietta NY 14467 Phone: 585-334-0858 www.teenslivingwithcancer.org
Cancer Support Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CancerCare, Inc. 		✓	National non-profit organization that provides free professional services to patients, families and health care including counseling, education, financial assistance and practical help. Month by month calendar on website.	275 7th Avenue New York NY 10001 Phone: 800-813-HOPE www./cancercare.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CancerSource.com 		✓	Offers complete and current cancer information; interactive tools and community resources	400-1 Totten Pond Road Waltham MA 02451-2051 www.cancersource.com
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CancerLinks 		✓	The CancerLinks' mission is to provide complete access to information about cancer for patients, medical providers and any one in need.	http://www.cancerlinks.com/Cancerlinks/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Caregivers 911 		✓	Provides information, support and guidance for family and professional caregivers	http://www.caregiver.com/index.htm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Corporate Angel Network 		✓	Ease the emotional stress, physical discomfort and financial burden of travel for cancer patients by arranging free flights to treatment centers, using the empty seats on corporate aircraft flying on routine business.	http://www.corpangelnetwork.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ HelpingPatients.org 		✓		1100 15 th Street NW Washington DC 20005 Phone: 800-762-4636 www.helpingpatients.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Look Good...Feel Better 		✓		Phone: 800-395-LOOK www.lookgoodfeelbetter.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Association for Home Care 				228 7 th Street SE Washington DC 20003 Phone: 202-547-7424 www.nahc.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Family Caregivers Association 		✓		10400 Connecticut Avenue Suite 500 Kensington MD 20895-3944 Phone: 800-896-3650 www.nfcacares.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Patient Advocate Foundation 		✓	Patient Advocate Foundation seeks to safeguard patients through effective mediation assuring access to care, maintenance of employment and preservation of their	http://www.patientadvocate.org/

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Symptom Management	▪ American Alliance of Cancer Pain Initiatives	✓	✓	Promoting cancer pain relief nationwide by supporting the efforts of State Cancer Pain Initiatives. To promote high quality healthcare for all, the AACPI is working to create a nation in which no one suffers needlessly from cancer pain.	www.aacpi.wisc.edu/
	▪ American Pain Foundation	✓	✓		201 N. Charles Street, Suite 710 Baltimore MD 21201-4111 Phone :888-615-PAIN (7246) www.painfoundation.org
	▪ CancerCare Inc.	✓	✓	National non-profit organization that provides free professional services to patients, families and health care including counseling, education, financial assistance and practical help. Month by month calendar on website.	www.cancercare.org Phone: 1-800-813-HOPE info@cancercare.org
	▪ National Lymphedema Network (NLN)		✓	Non-profit organization founded in 1988 to provide education to patient, health care providers and the general public about prevention and management	www.lymphenet.org
	▪ National Marrow Donor Program				3001 Broadway Street NE Suite 500 Minneapolis MN 55413 Phone: 612-627-5800 www.marrow.org
	▪ Patient Advocate Foundation	✓	✓		753 Thimble Shoals Blvd. Suite B Newport News VA 23606 Phone: 800-532-5274 www.patientadvocate.org/
	▪ The United Ostomy Association (UOA)				19772 MacArthur Blvd. Suite 200 Irvine CA 92612-2405 Phone: 800-826-0826 www.uoa.org
	Integrative Medicine	▪ National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine			Expanding Horizons of Health Care: Strategic Plan 2005-2009 http://nccam.nih.gov/about/plans/2005/strategicplan.pdf
▪ Univ. of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Program		✓	✓	Provides integrated programs in cancer treatment, clinical trials, education programs and cancer prevention. Also offering educational resources to health care professionals and patients regarding the current understanding of complementary medicine.	http://www.mdanderson.org/

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SURVIVORSHIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CancerCare, Inc. 	✓	✓	Support groups, conference calls and resources for cancer survivors, families and health care professionals	www.cancer.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Psychosocial Oncology Society (APOS) 			Lance Armstrong Foundation	http://www.apos-society.org/professionals/meetings-ed/webcasts/webcasts-survivorship.aspx
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lance Armstrong Foundation 	✓	✓		PO Box 161150 Austin TX 78716-1150 Phone: 512-236-8820 www.laf.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Living Beyond Breast Cancer 	✓	✓	Offers education programs, newsletters, information and support, publications, networking programs; workshops & training for healthcare providers and a resource library.	http://www.lbcc.org/default.html 321 High School Road, NE #149 Bainbridge Island, WA 98110 Phone: 877-786-7422 www.lbccresearch.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Coalition of Cancer Survivorship 	✓	✓	The oldest survivor-led cancer advocacy organization in the country and a highly respected authentic voice at the federal level, advocating for quality cancer care for all Americans and empowering cancer survivors.	1010 Wayne Avenue Suite 770 Silver Spring MD 20910-5600 Phone: 877-622-7937 www.canceradvocacy.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NCCS Cancer Survival Toolbox® 		✓	A free, self-learning audio program that has been developed by leading cancer organizations to help people develop important skills to better meet and understand the challenges of their illness. Family members and caregivers can also use the Toolbox.	http://www.cancersurvivaltoolbox.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ People Living with Cancer 		✓	PLWC.org, the patient information website of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO), provides accurate, reliable, oncologist-approved information to help patients and families make informed health-care decisions.	http://www.plwc.org/plwc/Home/1,1743,,00.html
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivors' Association, Inc. 				PO Box 1545 New York NY 10159-1545 Phone: 877-588-7904 http://www.thyca.org
END OF LIFE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Hospice Foundation 				2120 L Street, NW Suite 200 Washington DC 20037 202-223-0204 http://www.americanhospice.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hospice Education Institute 	✓	✓		3 Unity Square PO Box 98

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					Machiasport, ME 04655-0098 Phone: 800-331-1620 www.hospiceworld.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization 	✓	✓		1700 Diagonal Road Suite 300 Alexandria VA 22314 Phone: 800-658-8898 www.nhpco.org
Cancer Disparities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Asian and Pacific Islander Cancer Education Materials web tool (APICEM) 	✓	✓	This website, launched by Asian American Network for Cancer Awareness, Research and Training (AANCART) and the American Cancer Society (ACS) is supported by the National Cancer Institute.	www.cancer.org/apicem Provides links to Khmer, Chamorro, Chinese, Hawaiian, Hmong, Iiokano, Samoan, Tagalog, Tongan and Vietnamese
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Intercultural Cancer Council 	✓	✓	Promotes policies, programs, partnerships, and research to eliminate the unequal burden of cancer among racial and ethnic minorities and medically underserved populations in the United States and its associated territories.	PMB-C 1720 Dryden Houston TX 77030 Phone: 713-798-4617 http://iccnetwork.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Mautner Project for Lesbians with Cancer 			Training for health professionals “Reducing the Barriers”	1707 L Street Suite 500 Washington DC 20036 Phone: 202-332-5536 www.mautnerproject.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Native American Cancer Research 				3022 S. Nova Road Pine CO 80470-7830 Phone: 303-838-9359 http://natamcancer.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ US Health & Human Services “Closing the Health Gap” 	✓		National campaign designed to help improve the health of racial and ethnic minority populations, who are affected by serious diseases and health conditions at far greater rates than other Americans Take A Loved one For a Check-up Day- 3 rd Tues, Sept.	http://www.healthgap.omhrc.gov/ Phone: 800-44-6472
PUBLIC POLICY & LEGISLATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN) 	✓	✓		1599 Clifton Road, NE Atlanta, GA 30329 Phone: 800-ACS-2345 http://www.cancer.org

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lance Armstrong Foundation (LAF) 	✓	✓	Let Your Voice Be Heard –LAF sponsors national advocacy initiatives to help the voice of the cancer community be heard in Washington. By educating lawmakers and the public, LAF helps raise awareness about the health policy issues facing cancer survivors and their loved ones	http://www.livestrong.org/site/c.jvKZLbMRIsG/b.695491/k.DA6D/Advocacy.htm
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship 	✓	✓	Cancer Survivors' Bill of Rights, Survivor Toolbox	http://www.cansearch.org/policy/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ One Voice Against Cancer 	✓		A unified message from national cancer and health groups, to increase funding for priority cancer programs	http://www.ovaconline.org/
CANCER SURVEILLANCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancer Control PLANET 	✓		Access to national and state registry cancer and behavior screening data	www.cancerplanet.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SEER Surveillance and Epidemiology End Results 			Provides cancer statistics by cancer site and state, national reports and press releases	www://seer.cancer.gov
SPECIFIC CANCERS					
Bladder	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Foundation for Urologic Disease (AFUD) 		✓		1128 N. Charles Street Baltimore MD 21201 Phone: 800-822-5277 www.afud.org
Blood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Blood and Marrow Transplant Information Network 	✓	✓		2900 Skokie Valley Road Suite B Highland Park IL 60035 Phone: 888-597-7674 www.bmtnews.org
Brain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Brain Tumor Association (ABTA) 	✓	✓	Exists to eliminate brain tumors through research and to meet the needs of brain tumor patients and their families.	2720 River Road Suite 146 Des Plaines IL 60018 Phone: 800-886-2282 http://hope.abta.org/site/PageServer

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Brain Tumor Foundation 	✓	✓		22 Battery Street, Suite 612 San Francisco CA 94111 Phone: 800-934-CURE (2873) www.braintumor.org
Breast	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Encore Plus of the YWCA of the USA 		✓	Breast cancer support and exercise program	Phone: 800-95-EPLUS http://www.ywca.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gilda's Club 	✓	✓	Resource for breast cancer patients and family members seeking emotional and social support.	322 8 th Avenue Suite 1402 New York NY 10001 Phone: 888-GILDA-4-U http://www.gildasclub.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Inflammatory Breast Cancer Research Foundation 	✓	✓		321 High School Road, NE #149 Bainbridge Island, WA 98110 Phone: 877-786-7422 www.ibcresearch.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Male Breast Cancer 	✓	✓	This site is for anyone dealing with male breast cancer whether they are a man suffering from this disease, his doctor, other doctors interested in the disease, and researchers studying MBC.	http://www.withus.com/interact/mbc/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mothers Supporting Daughters with Breast Cancer 	✓	✓	c/o Charmayne Dierker	21710 Bayshore Road Chestertown, MD 21620-4401 Phone: 410-778-1982 www.mothersdaughters.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Lymphedema Network 	✓	✓		Latham Square 1611 Telegraph Ave., Suite 1111 Oakland CA 94612-2138 Phone: 800-541-3259 www.lymphnet.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The National Breast Cancer Coalition 	✓	✓	The nation's largest breast cancer advocacy group with hundreds of member organizations and tens of thousands of individual members. NBCC's sister organization, the National Breast Cancer Coalition Fund, empowers and trains our members to be effective to fight cancer	1707 L Street NW Suite 1060 Washington DC 20036 Phone: 800-622-2838 www.natlbcc.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Nueva Vida, Inc. 	✓	✓		2000 P Street NW, Suite 740 Washington DC 20036 Phone: 202-223-9100 www.nueva-vida.org

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SHARE 		✓	Self Help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer	1501 Broadway Suite 1720 New York NY 10036 Phone: 866-891-2392 www.sharecancersupport.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sisters Network, Inc. 	✓	✓		8787 Woodway Drive Suite 4206 Houston TX 77063 Phone: 866-0781-1808 www.sistersnetworkinc.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, Inc. 	✓	✓		5005 LBJ Freeway, Suite 250 Dallas, TX 75244 toll free: 800-IM-AWARE 800-462-9273 www.komen.org/ fax: 972-855-4300 phone: 972-855-1600
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Y-Me National Breast Cancer Organization 	✓	✓	Offers peer support, educational programs, local resources and advocacy initiatives to improve healthcare quality English and Spanish	212 West Van Buren Street, Suite 500 Chicago IL 60607 English 800-221-2141 Spanish 800-986-9505 http://www.y-me.org/
Eye	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Support for People with Oral, Head, and Neck Cancer, Inc. 		✓		2720 River Road Suite 146 Des Plaines IL 60018 Phone: 800-886-2282 PO Box 53 Locust Valley NY 11560-0053 Phone: 516-759-5333 www.spohnc.org
Kidney	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Foundation for Urologic Disease (AFUD) 		✓		1128 N. Charles St Baltimore MD 21201 Phone: 800-822-5277 www.afud.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Kidney Cancer Association 		✓		1234 Sherman Avenue Suite 203 Evanston IL 60202-1375 Phone: 800-850-9132 www.kidneycancerassociation.org/

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Leukemia and Lymphoma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society 	✓	✓		1311 Mamaroneck Avenue White Plains NY 10605 Phone: 800-955-4572 www.leukemia.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Leukemia Research Foundation 	✓	✓		820 Davis Street, Suite 420 Evanston IL 60201 www.leukemia-research.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lymphoma Information Network 	✓	✓		www.lymphomainfo.net
Liver	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ LiverTumor.org 		✓		967 North Shoreline Blvd. Mountain View CA 94043 Phone: 877-306-3114 www.livertumor.org
Lung	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alliance for Lung Cancer Advocacy, Support, and Education (ALCASE) 	✓	✓		500 W. 8 th Street, Suite 240 Vancouver, WA 98660 Phone: 800-298-2436 or 360-696-2436 www.alcase.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Lung Association 	✓	✓		National Office 61 Broadway, 6 th Floor New York NY 10006 Phone: 800-LUNG-USA 212-315-8700 www.lungusa.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lung Cancer Awareness Campaign 	✓	✓		Phone: 877-646-5864 www.lungcancer.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lung Cancer Online 	✓	✓		www.lungcanceronline.org
Myeloma	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Society for Blood and Marrow Transplantation 	✓	✓		85 West Algonquin Rd. Suite 550 Arlington Heights IL 60005 Phone: 847-427-0224 www.asbmt.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Multiple Myeloma Association 		✓		313 Green Street Rockton IL 61072 www.webspawner.com/users/myelomaexchange/

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation 		✓		51 Locust Avenue Suite 201 New Canaan CT 06840 Phone: 203-972-1250 www.multiplemyeloma.org/
Oral	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Oral Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓		3429 via Lido #205 Newport Beach CA 92663 Phone: 949-646-8000 www.oralcancerfoundation.org
<i>April is Oral, Head, and Neck Cancer Awareness Week</i>	The Yul Brynner Head and Neck Cancer Foundation, Inc.		✓		P.O. Box 250550 Charleston, SC 29425 Phone: 843-792-6624 843-792-0546 Fax www.yulbrynnnerfoundation.org
Ovarian	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gynecologic Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓		230 W. Monroe Suite 2528 Chicago IL 60606 Phone: 312-578-1439 www.wcn.org/gcf
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Ovarian Cancer Coalition 	✓	✓		500 NE Spanish River Blvd., Suite 14 Boca Raton FL 33431 Phone: 877-682-6622 or 561-393 0005 www.ovarian.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ovarian Cancer National Alliance 	✓	✓		910 17 th Street NW #14 Washington DC 20006 Phone: 202-331-1332 www.ovariancancer.org
Pancreas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN) 		✓		2221 Rosecrans Avenue Suite 131 El Segundo CA 90245 Phone: 877-2-PANCAN www.pancan.org
Testicular	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Testicular Cancer Resource Center 		✓		http://www.acor.org/TCRC
Thyroid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivors' Association, Inc. 		✓		PO Box 1545 New York NY 10159-1545 Phone: 877-588-7904 http://www.thyca.org

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Uterine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gynecologic Cancer Foundation 	✓	✓		230 W. Monroe Suite 2528 Chicago IL 60606 Phone: 312-578-1439 www.wcn.org/gcf
OTHER: Professional and Voluntary Associations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) 				615 Chestnut Street Philadelphia PA 19106-4404 Phone: 215-440-9300 http://www.aacr.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Cancer Society (ACS) 				1599 Clifton Road, NE Atlanta, GA 30329 Phone: 800-227-2345 http://www.cancer.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American College of Surgeons Cancer Programs 			Commission on Cancer Links with American Cancer Society to provide information about accredited cancer programs in their areas.	633 N. Saint Clair Street Chicago IL 60611-3211 Phone: 312-202-5085 http://www.facs.org/cancer/index.html
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Institute for Cancer Research 				1759 R Street, NW Washington DC 20009 Phone: 800-843-8114 http://www.aicr.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Lung Association 				http://www.lungusa.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Psychosocial Oncology Society 			C/o Custom Management Group	2365 Hunters Way Charlottesville VA 22911 Phone: 434-971-4788 www.apos-society.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology (ASTRO) 				12500 Fair Lakes Circle, Suite 375 Fairfax, VA 22032 703-502-1550 www.astro.org/patient/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Association of Cancer Online Resources 				173 Duane Street Suite 3A New York, NY 10013-3334 Phone: 212-226-5525 www.acor.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Association of Oncology Social Work (AOSW) 				1211 Locust Street Philadelphia PA 19107 Phone: 215-599-6093 www.aosw.org

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Association of Pediatric Oncology Nurses (APON) 				4700 West Lake Avenue Glenview IL 60025 Phone: 847-375-4724 www.apon.org
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Family Caregivers Association 			Provides advocacy, support, education, for family caregivers	http://www.nfcacares.org/
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Oncology Nursing Society 			Dedicated to excellence in patient care, education, research, and administration in oncology nursing. The overall mission of ONS is to promote excellence in oncology nursing and quality cancer care.	www.ons.org
Health Care Professional Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Medscape 	✓	✓	Offering information on CMEs, resources, E-journals, Patient Education, conferences for Health Care Providers	http://www.medscape.com/px/urlinfo
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OncoLink 				Abramson Cancer Center, U of PA Philadelphia PA 19104 www.oncolink.org