



Patient Support Resources

OhioHealth Cancer Care

Cancer Support Community of Central Ohio

National nonprofit organization offering a wide range of programs and services, including many cancer support groups and classes on mindfulness, exercise, and nutrition. Short term counseling services are also available for patients and caregivers. Participation is free of charge to anyone affected by cancer. Located at 1200 Old Henderson Road in Columbus. Please call (614) 884.4673 for additional information.

Online and Phone Support

American Cancer Society – Online support groups are available for patients and caregivers. Please go to their website at www.cancer.org or call (800) 227.2345 for more information.

CancerCare – Online and telephone support groups for patients and caregivers led by professional oncology social workers. Visit www.cancercares.org or call (800) 813.4673.

Cancer Support Community's The Living Room – 24/7 online support for patients and their caregivers. More information is available at www.cancersupportcommunity.org.

Family Caregiver Alliance – Resources and online support for caregivers. Please go to www.caregiver.org for additional information.

National Cancer Institute Office of Cancer Survivorship – Information and support available for cancer survivors at any stage of treatment. Visit www.cancercontrol.cancer.gov to access resources.

MD Anderson's myCancerConnection – Program matches trained volunteer survivors and caregivers with those interested in telephone support. More information is available at www.mdanderson.org or by calling (800) 345.6324.

Financial Resources

OhioHealth Financial Assistance and Charity Care – OhioHealth provides high quality care to everyone, regardless of ability to pay. Assistance is offered to patients with limited or no resources and inadequate medical insurance coverage. Eligibility is determined by family income. Please call (614) 566.5594 or (800) 837.2455 for more information.

Ohio Benefits – Ohio residents can apply for a variety of benefits, including Medicaid and food stamps, by visiting www.benefits.ohio.gov or by calling (844) 640.6446.

Social Security Administration – Individuals can get answers to their questions and apply for benefits, including Social Security Disability (SSDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI). Please go to www.ssa.gov or call (800) 772.1213.

Cancer Financial Assistance Coalition – provides an easy-to-use database of organizations that offer financial assistance (e.g. copays, cancer-related costs) to individuals with cancer. Find more information at www.cancerfac.org.