About Us
Founded in 1944, CancerCare is the leading national organization providing free, professional support services and information to help people manage the emotional, practical and financial challenges of cancer. Our comprehensive services include counseling and support groups over the phone, online and in-person, educational workshops, publications and financial and co-payment assistance. All CancerCare services are provided by oncology social workers and world-leading cancer experts. To learn more, visit www.cancercare.org or call 800-813-HOPE (4673).

CancerCare is pleased to collaborate with these organizations:

- Advanced Practitioner Society for Hematology and Oncology (APSHO)
  www.apsho.org
- American Cancer Society
  www.cancer.org; 1-800-227-2345
- American Psychosocial Oncology Society
  www.apos-society.org; 1-866-276-7443
- American Society of Clinical Oncology
  www.cancer.net; 1-888-651-3035
- The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP)
  outreach.amp.org; 1-301-634-7939
- Association of Clinicians for the Underserved
  www.clinicians.org; 1-844-422-8247
- Association of Oncology Social Work
  www.aosw.org; 1-847-686-2233
- Black Women’s Health Imperative
  www.bwhi.org; 1-202-787-9331
- Cancer Patient Education Network
  www.cancerpatienteducation.org
- Cancer Support Community
  www.cancersupportcommunity.org; 1-888-793-9355
- Caregiver Action Network
  www.caregiveraction.org; 1-855-227-3640
- Intercultural Cancer Council
  www.interculturalcancercouncil.org
- Joe’s House – A Lodging Guide for Cancer Patients
  www.joeshouse.org; 1-877-563-7468
- Latinas Contra Cancer
  www.latinascontracancer.org; 1-888-LCC-8110
- The LGBT Cancer Project
  www.lgbtcancer.org
- LIVESTRONG Foundation
  www.livestrong.org; 1-855-220-7777
- Multinational Association of Supportive Care in Cancer
  www.mascc.org
- National Association of Social Workers
  www.socialworkers.org; 1-202-408-8600
- National Center for Frontier Communities
  www.frontierus.org; 1-877-929-0033
- National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship
  www.canceradvocacy.org; 1-877-NCCS-YES (1-877-622-7937)
- National Comprehensive Cancer Network® (NCCN®) – NCCN Guidelines for Patients®
  www.nccn.org/patients
- NeedyMeds
  www.needymeds.org; 1-800-503-6897
- Prevent Cancer Foundation®
  www.preventcancer.org; 1-800-227-2732
- Redes en Acción: The National Latino Cancer Research Network at UT Health San Antonio
  www.redesenaccion.com; 1-210-562-6500
- Research Advocacy Network
  www.researchadvocacy.org; 1-877-276-2187
- Scott Hamilton CARES Foundation
  www.scottcares.org
- Triage Cancer
  www.triapecancer.org; 1-424-258-4628
- Vital Options International
  www.vitaloptions.org; 1-800-518-2354

Clinical Trials: How They Transform the Treatment of Cancer

Wednesday, June 7, 2023
1:30 - 2:30 PM Eastern Time

A free CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop for people living with cancer, their families, partners, caregivers, friends and health care professionals

Listen to this workshop over the telephone or connect to our webcast online.
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Workshop Topics

- Overview of Clinical Trials & Why They Are Important, in the Context of COVID, Omicron & Seasonal Flu
- Understanding Your Treatment Options, including Clinical Trials
- Concerns about Participating in Clinical Trials
- Types of Clinical Trials
- What Happens in a Clinical Trial?
- The Meaning of Informed Consent
- Benefits & Risks of Participation
- How & Where Clinical Trials are Conducted
- How to Participate in Clinical Trials
- Specific Questions to Ask Your Health Care Team about Clinical Trial Participation, in the Context of COVID, Omicron & Seasonal Flu
- Guidelines for Preparing for Telehealth/Telemedicine Appointments, including Technology, List of Questions & OpenNotes Discussion
- Accessing Resources for Clinical Trials
- Questions for Our Panel of Experts

Speakers

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What is a CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop?

CancerCare Connect® Education Workshops are a cost-free way to learn about cancer-related issues from the convenience of your home or office. Leading experts in oncology provide the most up-to-date information on the telephone and online.

How do I participate?
You can listen to this workshop on the telephone or via live streaming through the Internet. Participation is free.

How do I register?
There are two ways to register:
- Call 800-813-HOPE (4673)
- Register online at www.cancercare.org/connect

After you have registered, you will receive additional information.

Missed a CancerCare Connect® Education Workshop?

You can listen to previous workshops on the CancerCare website. Just log on to www.cancercare.org/podcasts.

Continuing Education Credits (Live Only)

Social Workers: This program has been submitted to The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, an approved provider through the Texas State Board of Social Work Examiners, provider #CS4607, for 1.0 Contact Hour.

Cancer Care, Inc.is recognized by the New York State Education Department’s State Board for Social Work as an approved provider of continuing education for licensed social workers #SW-0088. This workshop is approved for 1.0 Contact Hour.

Registered Dietitians: This program has been submitted to the Commission on Dietetic Registration for one Continuing Professional Education Unit (CPEU).

To request continuing education paperwork, please email your name, profession, and address to connect@cancercare.org after the program. All paperwork for continuing education credit must be requested, completed, and submitted within two weeks of the live program.

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