



Resources for Adult Cancers



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FOREWORD

The Ocean County Adult Cancer Resource Guide is a project undertaken by the Ocean County Cancer Coalition (OCCC) to help Ocean County residents access cancer prevention, education, diagnosis, treatment and support resources. Local and national resources are provided and range from informational to financial aid.

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OCCC members know that receiving a diagnosis of cancer is physically and emotionally challenging. That is why we compiled this comprehensive list of resources – to assist patients, their families and friends as well as community organizations and professionals during those times.

Our members include representatives from: the Ocean County Health Department, the Long Beach Island Health Department, Community Medical Center, Kimball Medical Center, Ocean Medical Center, Southern Ocean County Hospital, The American Cancer Society, Ocean County Communities Against Tobacco (CAT), The Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Council of Ocean, The Family Planning Center of Ocean County, The Institute for Prevention, The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Lung Cancer Circle of Hope, Ocean County Library System, Ocean County Office of Human Services, Ocean County Office of Senior Services, Oncology Nursing Society of Central New Jersey, Jackson Board of Education, The Wellness Community, Brick Township, Toms River Township and community representatives.

We depend upon people like you to keep us informed about available resources. Please feel free to let us know of any additions, corrections or suggestions, by contacting me at (732) 286-3693 or dlevinson@newsolutionsinc.com. Thank you for your interest.

Sincerely,

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Coordinator

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All Adult Cancers: Resources For All Cancer Patients

Cancer Screenings

New Jersey Cancer Education and Early Detection [NJCEED]

Community Medical Center
Community Health Services
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ
(609) 292-8540

www.state.nj.us/health/cancer/njceed

Promotes awareness, provides outreach and education, and offers screenings and diagnostic services for the underinsured and uninsured.

NJCEED services are offered through partnerships with:

Community Medical Center

Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 557-8000 x 11760
www.sbhcs.com

Family Planning Center of Ocean County

290 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 364-9696
www.familyplanningoceanco.org

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(800) 621-0096
www.sbhcs.com

Long Beach Island Health Department

11601 Long Beach Boulevard
Beach Haven, NJ 08008
(609) 492-1212
www.lbihealth.com

Ocean County Health Department

175 Sunset Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 341-9700
www.ochd.org

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 840-2200 (Main Number)
www.meridianhealth.com

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-3533
www.soch.com

Caregiving

Caregiver Volunteers of Central Jersey

Toms River: (732) 505-2273

Manchester: (732) 849-9400

Volunteers help elderly, disabled and homebound seniors who live independently. Home-care services include friendly visits, transportation to medical appointments, shopping, help with paperwork, reassuring phone calls and sitting. Medical equipment is available for loan. Bilingual volunteers including Spanish, Russian and Polish.

Community Services Inc. of Ocean County

225 4th Street

Lakewood, NJ 08701

(732) 367-1400

<http://www.csiofoceancounty.org/>

Telephone reassurance program provided to frail and homebound people, including cancer patients, over age 60.

Interfaith Caregivers and Support Services Of Southern Ocean County, Inc

(609) 489-0278

http://www.soch.com/PrevSupp_interfaith.php

Volunteer caregivers provide non-medical support. Home-care services offered include friendly visits, transportation to medical appointments, shopping, help with paperwork, reassuring phone calls and sitting with care recipients to give primary care providers a break. Trained parish nurses provide non-invasive care, health education and counseling.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American College of Physicians: Home Care Guide for Advanced Cancer

http://www.acponline.org/patients_families/end_of_life_issues/cancer/

Family Caregiving 101

www.familycaregiving101.org

HealthyNJ: Caregiving

www.healthynj.org/health-wellness/caregive/main.htm

En Espanol

<http://www.healthynj.org/health-wellness/caregive/espanol.htm>

MedlinePlus: Caregivers

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/caregivers.html

En Espanol

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/caregivers.html>

National Cancer Institute: When Someone You Love Is Being Treated for Cancer

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/When-Someone-You-Love-Is-Treated

National Family Caregivers Association

www.thefamilycaregiver.org

People Living With Cancer: Caregiving

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Coping/Caregiving>

Strength for Caring

www.strengthforcaring.com

Well Spouse Associates

63 West Main Street, Suite H

Freehold, NJ 07728

(800) 838-0879

732-577-8899

www.wellspouse.org

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Community Medical Center Research Office

Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 557-8295
www.sbhcs.com

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 206-8340
www.meridianhealth.com

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-3533
www.soch.com

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Association for Cancer Research

(215) 440-9300
www.aacr.org

American Cancer Society: Clinical Trials

(800) ACS-2345
http://www.cancer.org/docroot/ETO/ETO_6.asp?sitearea=ETO

Cancer Consultants

(208) 727-6880
www.cancerconsultants.com

Cancer Information Service [CIS]

(800) 422-6237
<http://cis.nci.nih.gov/>

Cancer Institute of New Jersey

www.cinj.org

CANCERLIT search engine

http://www.cancer.gov/search/cancer_literature/

Cancer Research Foundation of America

(800) 227-2732
www.preventcancer.org

Cancer Research Institute

(800) 992-2623
www.cancerresearch.org

ClinicalTrials.gov

<http://clinicaltrials.gov>

**Clinical Trials/Research
(Continued)**

Commission on Cancer Research

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior
Services

(609) 292-7837

Hot line (800) 792-8820

PAAD (800) 792-9745

New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710

www.state.nj.us/health/ccr/

**FDA - The U.S. Food and Drug
Administration**

(888) 463-6332

www.fda.gov

National Cancer Institute [NCI]

(800) 4-CANCER

<http://www.cancer.gov/>

National Institute of Nursing Research

(301) 496-8230

www.ninr.nih.gov

New Jersey Cancer Trials Connect

(1-800-788-3929)

www.njctc.org

Office of Women's Health

www.fda.gov/womens/

Oncolink

<http://www.oncolink.com/>

People Living with Cancer

www.plwc.org

Complementary and Alternative Medicine

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Alternative Medicine Foundation

www.amfoundation.org

Alternative Medicine Homepage

www.pitt.edu/~cbw/altm.html

American Cancer Society: Learn About Complementary and Alternative Therapies

www.cancer.org

HealthyNJ: Complementary and Alternative Medicine

www.healthynj.org/health-wellness/altmed/main.htm

En Espanol

www.healthynj.org/health-wellness/altmed/espanol.htm

MayoClinic: Complementary & Alternative Medicine Center

www.mayoclinic.com/health/alternative-medicine/CM99999

MedlinePlus: Alternative Medicine

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/alternative-medicine.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial: Massage Therapy

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/massage-therapy/htm/index.htm

Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center: About Herbs, Botanicals & Other Products

www.mskcc.org/aboutherbs

National Cancer Institute: Office of Cancer Complementary and Alternative Medicine

www.cancer.gov/cam/index.html

National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine [NCCAM]

(888) 644-6226

www.nccam.nih.gov

National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine

(703) 548-9004

www.nccaom.org

NOAH: Complementary and Alternative Medicine

<http://www.noah-health.org/en/alternative/index.html>

Education and Awareness

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Cancer Concern Center

1101 Route 35 South, Suite 101
Point Pleasant Beach, NJ 08742
(732) 701-0250

Cancer survivors offer emotional support, free wigs, Yoga classes, massage and meditation. Walk-ins are welcome. Makeover requires an appointment.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345
www.cancer.org

American Society of Clinical Oncology [ASCO]

(703) 299-0150
www.asco.org

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE
(800) 813-4673
www.cancer.org

Cancer Supportive Care

www.cancersupportivecare.com

Cancer Survivor Toolbox

<http://www.canceradvocacy.org/toolbox/>

CANCERLIT search engine

http://www.cancer.gov/search/cancer_literature/

Lance Armstrong Foundation

(512) 236-8820
www.laf.org

Mautner Project for Lesbians with Cancer

(202) 332-5536
www.mautnerproject.org

National Asian Women's Health Organization [NAWHO]

(415) 773-2838
www.nawho.org

National Cancer Institute [NCI]

(301) 496-5583 or (800) 4-CANCER
www.cancer.gov

Office of Women's Health

Department of Health & Human Services
(202) 690-7650
www.womenshealth.gov

Oncology Nursing Society

(866) 257-4ONS

412-859-6100

www.ons.org

Online and In-print Internet Directories in Medicine

www.eMedguides.com

Partners Against Pain

www.partnersagainstpain.com

People Living with Cancer

www.plwc.org

The Wellness Community, Northern Jersey Shore – The Diney Goldsmith Center

613 Hope Road

Victoria Commons

Eatontown, New Jersey 07724

732-578-9200

www.thewellnesscommunity.org/jerseyshore

Provides weekly support, under the guidance of licensed psychotherapists, networking groups, exercise, nutritional, educational programs and social events. Free-of-charge for patients, caregivers.

Well Spouse Associates

63 West Main Street, Suite H

Freehold, NJ 07728

(800) 838-0879

732-577-8899

www.wellspouse.org

Women's Health Hotline

(305) 333-8844

www.libov.com

Financial, Insurance and Pharmaceutical Resources

Financial Resources

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Limited financial assistance may be available for eligible patients.

Convatec

PO Box 5254
Princeton, NJ 08543
(800) 422-8811
Provides financial assistance for ostomy supplies, Access Program.

Ocean County Board of Social Services

1027 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 349-1500

Offers financial assistance to those who qualify under income guidelines. Provides cash grants and medical coverage through Medicaid.

Ocean County Department of Community Affairs

1510 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 255-0829

Rental Assistance Program offered under a federal Program – HUD funding. There is a waiting list; preferences are made based upon need, according to federal guidelines.

Also offers a homeless prevention program that provides financial assistance to people who lost income through no fault of their own (poor health).

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE
(800) 813-4673
www.cancer.org

Cancer Fund of America

(865) 938-5281
www.cfoa.org

Cancer Research Institute

(800) 992-2623
www.cancerresearch.org

Department of Veteran's Affairs

(800) 827-1000
<http://www.va.gov/>

Needy Meds, Inc

(215) 625-9609
www.needymeds.com

PhRMA

(202) 835-3400
www.phrma.org

Prescription Drug Indigent Programs

(800) 762-4636
www.needymeds.com

Supportive Cancer Care

www.cancersupportivecare.com

Insurance Resources

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Regional Offices
(212) 616-2205

Department of Veteran's Affairs
(800) 827-1000
<http://www.va.gov/>

Medicare - U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
(800) MEDICARE
TTY/TDD 1-877-486-2048
www.medicare.gov

24 Hour Voice Mail Service for Medicare Publications
(800) 633-4227

Medicare Durable Medical Equipment Questions
Palmetto Government Benefits Administration
(800) 583-2236
TTY/TDD: 1800-788-5414

New Jersey State Medical Assistance Office
(609) 631-4641
http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/dhs_med.html

Patient Advocate Foundation
(800) 532-5274
www.patientadvocate.org

Social Security/SSI
Office of Public Inquiries
(800) 772-1213
www.ssa.gov

Pharmaceutical Resources

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Medicine Program
www.themedicineprogram.com

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services
Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged & Disabled (PAAD)
(800) 792-9745
<http://www.state.nj.us/health/seniorbenefits/>

PhRMA
(202) 835-3400
www.phrma.org

Prescription Drug Indigent Programs
(800) 762-4636
www.needymeds.com

Health Departments, Hospitals and Other Health Providers

Health Departments

Long Beach Island Health Department

11601 Long Beach Boulevard
Beach Haven, NJ 08008
(609) 492-1212
www.lbihealth.com

Ocean County Health Department

175 Sunset Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 341-9700
www.ochd.org

Hospitals

Community Medical Center

Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 557-8000 (Main Number)
www.sbhcs.com

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 363-1900 (Main Number)
www.sbhcs.com

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 840-2200 (Main Number)
www.meridianhealth.com

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-8900
www.soch.com

Other Health Providers

Family Planning Center of Ocean County

290 River Avenue
(732) 364-9696
www.familyplanningoceanco.org
Offers low-cost health care medical and educational services for women.

Ocean Health Initiatives

101 2nd Street
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 363-6655
or
301 Lakehurst Road
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 552-0377
<http://ohinj.org>

A Federally Qualified Health Care Center providing comprehensive preventive and primary care to uninsured and underinsured residents.

Home Health and Hospice

Home Health

Community Medical Center Home Health Program

Bayview Corporate Center
1443 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 818-6800
www.sbhcs.com

Meridian Home Care - Ocean County

Laurelton Plaza
1759 State Highway 88
Suite 100
Brick, NJ 08723
(800) 894-6885
<http://www.meridianhealth.com/>

Ocean County Board of Health

175 Sunset Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 341-9700
www.ochd.org

Hospice

Caring Hospice

525 Route 70 West Suite B15
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 901-6600
<http://www.caringhospice.com/>

Community Medical Center Van Dyke Hospice

99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 818-6800
www.sbhcs.com

Embracing Hospice Care

2101 Highway 34, Suite B
Wall, NJ 07719
(732) 974-2545
(888) 541-1800
<http://www.embracing-hospice.com/>

Holy Redeemer Visiting Nurse Agency, Inc

1228 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 240-2449

Hospice of New Jersey

44 Bea Lea Road
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 818-3460
<http://www.hospicenj.com/>

Southern Ocean Hospice

80 Nautilus Drive
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 978-3090
www.soch.org

Information and Referral

211 – Non-Emergency Helpline

www.contactocean.org

2-1-1 Non Emergency 24 hour help line has call specialists who will provide information and referral services to callers about a variety of issues including basic human needs; support for seniors and persons with disabilities; support for children, youth and families; physical and mental health resources; employment supports.

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Catholic Charities – Lakewood

<http://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org/counties/ocean.html>

200 Monmouth Avenue
P.O. Box 1364
Lakewood, NJ 08701

(732) 363-5322

Provides clothing to low-income people; allowed one time per month.

Family Support Center of New Jersey

2516 Route 35 North
Manasquan, NJ 08736
(800) 372-6510

<http://www.fscnj.org/>

Provides information and referral for people with disabilities and diseases and their families. Serves Ocean County.

First Call for Help – Ocean County

PO Box 1121
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 240-6105

Provides information and referral information.

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, The Southern New Jersey/Shore Region Chapter

216 Haddon Avenue, Suite 328
Westmont, NJ 08108
(856) 869-0200 or (888) 920-8557

www.leukemia-lymphoma.org

Offers family support groups, peer-to-peer support program, disease, treatment, and coping information and referrals, patient aid program, and back-to-school programs; serves Ocean County.

Ocean County Office of Senior Services

1027 Hooper Avenue, Building 2
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 929-2091

www.co.ocean.nj.us/onestop.htm

Provides information to callers and referrals to appropriate community resources for seniors including transportation, health, housing, Medicare, Medicaid, pharmaceutical assistance.

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-3533

www.soch.com

Provides healthcare information and physician referrals from the Hospital's specialty-trained nurses who use state-of-the-art computers, telecommunications technology and physician-approved protocols to answer consumer healthcare questions and provide physician and community health service referrals. Community members may also call SOCHConnect to register for any of the Hospital's many educational wellness programs and support groups.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Association for Cancer Research

www.aacr.org

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345

www.cancer.org

American Medical Association

(800) 621-8335

www.ama-assn.org

American Pain Society [APS]

(847) 375-4715

www.ampainsoc.org

American Society of Clinical Oncology [ASCO]

(703) 299-0150

www.asco.org

**AMGEN
By My Side**

www.ByMySide.com

Cancer Answer

(310) 375-4349

www.thecanceranswer.org

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE

(800) 813-4673

www.cancercare.org

Cancer Consultants

(208) 727-6880

www.cancerconsultants.com

Cancer Guide

www.cancerguide.org

Cancer Hope Network

www.cancerhopenetwork.org

Cancer Information Service [CIS]

(800) 422-6237

<http://cis.nci.nih.gov/>

Cancer Pain

www.cancer-pain.org

Cancer Research and Prevention Foundation of America

(800) 227-2732

www.preventcancer.org

Cancer Research Institute

(800) 992-2623

www.cancerresearch.org

Cancer Survivor Toolbox

<http://www.canceradvocacy.org/toolbox/>

CANCERLIT search engine

(800) 422-6237

http://www.cancer.gov/search/cancer_literature/

Cancer Wellness Center

(847) 509-9595

(866) 292-9255

www.cancerwellness.org

Center for Cancer Initiatives

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services

(609) 292-7837

Hot line (800) 792-8820

PAAD (800) 792-9745

New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710

www.state.nj.us/health/cancer

Center for Coping

(516) 822-3131

www.coping.com

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

(800) 311-3435

www.cdc.gov

Chemocare.com

www.chemocare.com

Centura Health Advisor

(303) 777-6877

Cosmetic Executive Women

21 East 40th Street, Suite 17:00

New York, NY 10016

(212) 685-5955

www.cancerandcareers.org

Family Village Community

Waisman Center

University of Wisconsin-Madison

www.familyvillage.wisc.edu

FDA - The U.S. Food and Drug Administration

(888) 463-6332

www.fda.gov

Gillette Women's Cancer Connection

www.gillettecancerconnect.org

Healthfinder

www.healthfinder.gov

Espanol www.healthfinder.gov/espanol

International Cancer Alliance for Research and Education

(800) 422-7361

www.icare.org

Lance Armstrong Foundation

(512) 236-8820

www.laf.org

Mautner Project for Lesbians with Cancer

(202) 332-5536

www.mautnerproject.org

Mayo Clinic

www.mayoclinic.com

MD Anderson Network

The University of Texas

(800) 392-1611

www.mdanderson.org

Medicine Program

www.themedicineprogram.com

National Alliance of Breast Cancer Organizations

www.nabco.org/support.htm

National Asian Women's Health Organization [NAWHO]

(415) 773-2838

www.nawho.org

National Breast Cancer Coalition

www.natlbcc.org

National Cancer Institute [NCI]

(800) 422-6237

<http://www.cancer.gov/>

**National Center for Complementary and
Alternative Medicine [NCCAM]**

(888) 644-6226
www.nccam.nih.gov

**National Coalition for Cancer
Survivorship**

(888) 650-9127
www.canceradvocacy.org

**National Comprehensive Cancer
Network**

(888) 909-6226
www.nccn.com

**National Hospice & Palliative Care
Organization [NHPCO]**

(703) 837-1500
(800) 658-8898
www.nhpco.org

National Institutes of Health

www.nih.gov

National Institute of Nursing Research

(301) 496-0207
www.nih.gov/ninr

National Patient Advocate Foundation

(800) 532-5274
www.npaf.org

National Patient Travel Center

(800) 296-1217, (757) 318-9145
<http://www.patienttravel.org/>

National Prostate Cancer Coalition

<http://www.fightprostatecancer.org/>

Needy Meds

(212) 625-9609
www.needymeds.com

**North American Association of
Centralized Cancer Registries**

www.naaccr.org

Office of Cancer Control and Prevention

(609) 292-7837
Hot line (800) 792-8820
PAAD (800) 792-9745
New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710
www.state.nj.us/health/ccp/index.html

Office of Women's Health

www.fda.gov/womens

Oncolink

<http://www.oncolink.com/>

Oncology Nursing Society

(412) 859-6100
www.ons.org

**Online and In-print Internet Directories
in Medicine**

www.eMedguides.com

PhRMA

(202) 572-7756
www.phrma.org

Prostate Cancer Foundation

www.prostatecancerfoundation.org

The Prostate Net

P.O. Box 2192
Secaucus, NJ 07096-2192
(888) 477-6763
<http://www.prostate-online.org>

Sarcoma

(617) 632-5122
www.sarcoma.net

**Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer
Foundation**

www.komen.org

Supportive Cancer Care

www.cancersupportivecare.com

**Volunteers of America - Community
Emergency Assistance Coalition**

(800) 889-0089

www.voa.org

WebMD

www.webmd.com

Women's Health Hotline

(305) 333-8844

www.libov.com

Legislative and Advocacy

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Communities Against Tobacco [CAT]

(Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Council of Ocean County, Inc.)
732-367-5515

<http://www.occat.org/>

Community based coalition dedicated to establishing community norms around tobacco use through planning and implementing countywide tobacco prevention activities.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345
www.cancer.org

American Society of Clinical Oncology [ASCO]

(703) 299-0150
www.asco.org

Cancer Legal Resource Center

<http://www.disabilityrightslegalcenter.org/>

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Regional Offices

(212) 616-2205
<http://new.cms.hhs.gov/home/tools.asp>

House of Representatives

(202) 224-3121
www.house.gov

Lance Armstrong Foundation

(512) 236-8820
www.laf.org

Legal Services of New Jersey

100 Metroplex Dr Ste 402
Edison, NJ 08818
(888) 576-5529
888-LSNJLAW for managed care advice

National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship

(888) 650-9127
www.canceradvocacy.org

National Women's Health Network

(202) 347-1140
www.nwhn.org

Oncology Nursing Society

(412) 859-6100
www.ons.org

Patient Advocate Foundation

(800) 532-5274
www.patientadvocate.org

Office of Senator (Name)

United States Senate
(202) 224-3121
www.senate.gov

Life Support Services (Homemaker, Medical Supply, Nutritional, Social Services, Transportation, Utilities)

Homemaker

Right at Home

445 Brick Boulevard, Suite 302
Brick, NJ 08723
(732) 451-0120

www.rightathome.net/oceancounty

Provides assistance in the home such as preparing meals, medication reminders, laundry, light housekeeping, driving for errands and doctor visits, companionship. Fee.

Family and Children's Service, FCS

191 Bath Avenue
Long Branch, NJ 07740
(732) 531-9111

www.fcsmonmouth.org

Home health aides assist people in their home with personal care and activities of daily living such as bathing, combing their hair, dressing, planning nutritional meals, cooking, shopping and laundry, etc. Serves Ocean County.

Medical Supply

American Cancer Society's *Look Good...Feel Better* Program

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

A free monthly service for women with cancer that teaches beauty techniques to help enhance appearance and self-image during treatment. Call for schedule.

Beach Comber Hairstylists

316 Route 166
Toms River, NJ 08757
(732) 349-7302

Provides used wigs free of charge to cancer patients. Also provides styling.

Cancer Concern Center

1101 Route 35 South, Suite 101
Point Pleasant Beach, NJ 08742
(732) 701-0250 or (732) 701-0750
FAX: (732) 701-0694

Accepts used clothing, prostheses, cancer related books, nutritional items such as Ensure. Pick up may be arranged if necessary. Provides free wigs to cancer patients.

Caregiver Volunteers of Central Jersey

253 Chestnut Street
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 505-CARE

Accepts wheelchairs, walkers, commodes, Depends, Ensure. Anyone is eligible to receive supplies. Wheelchairs available for three-month loans.

Elks of Point Pleasant

(732) 899-7638

Accepts wheelchairs, hospital beds, commodes, shower chairs, canes, walkers, crutches. Anyone is eligible to receive supplies.

Elks of Toms River

600 Washington Street
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 341-9863

Accepts wheelchairs, hospital beds, commodes, shower chairs, canes, walkers, crutches. Anyone is eligible to receive supplies.

**Medical Supply
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Ostomy Association of Ocean County

(732) 901-9411

Contact: President, Tom Sauer.

Accepts colostomy, ileostomy and urostomy supplies. Anyone is eligible to receive supplies.

Quality Medical Transport

761 Route 9

Bayville, NJ 08721

(732) 341-8111

Accepts external dressings only.

Saint Francis of Assisi

4700 Long Beach Boulevard

Brant Beach, NJ

(609) 494-8861

Accepts wheelchairs, walkers, commodes, shower chairs. Anyone is eligible to receive supplies.

Wigs on Wheels

1180 Church Road

Toms River, NJ 08755

(732) 914-0760

Free wigs to all children, also anyone with financial difficulty.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE

(800) 813-4673

www.cancercare.org

Medicare Durable Medical Equipment Questions

Palmetto Government Benefits Administration

(800) 583-2236 For TTY/TDD: 1800-788-5414

www.medicare.gov

Nutritional

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue

Toms River, NJ 08753

(800) ACS-2345

Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Berkeley Outreach

Pinewald Keswick Rd

PO Box B

Bayville, NJ 08721

(732) 244-9600

Offers food and/or meals to seniors in need.

Provides Meals on Wheels and transportation to a nutrition program. For residents of Toms River with zip code 08757, Pine Beach, Beachwood, Ocean Gate, Bayville, Lanoka Harbor, Forked River, Holiday City @ Berkeley and Silver Ridge Park @ Berkeley.

Ocean County Hunger Relief

917-5 N. Main Street

Toms River, NJ 08753

(732) 505-4357

Refers clients to area food pantries to receive a 4 day emergency food package, one time a month.

They work with Board of Social Services, Preferred Behavioral Health and many local churches.

**Nutritional
(Continued)**

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 206-8340

www.meridianhealth.com

Nutritional management for patients going through treatment. Call for individual appointment.

Saint Francis Community Center

4700 Long Beach Boulevard
Brant Beach, NJ 08008
(609) 494-8861 x 120

www.stfranciscenterlbi.com

Provides emergency food. Will refer people to closer facilities if they live out of the southern Ocean County area. Call for needs.

Saint Mary of Barnegat

Saint Vincent DePaul Food Bank
747 W. Bay Avenue
Barnegat, NJ 08005
(609) 698-5531

Provides emergency food and clothing. Will deliver in an emergency.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Nutrition for Cancer Patients or Food and Fitness

www.cancer.org/docroot/MBC/MBC_6.asp?sitearea=ETO

Prevention and Early Detection:

www.cancer.org/docroot/PED/ped_3.asp?sitearea=PED

**American Institute for Cancer Research:
The Diet & Cancer Link**

(202) 328-7744

(800) 843-8114

www.aicr.org/site/PageServer?pagename=dc_home

National Agricultural Library: Food and Nutrition Information Center

www.nal.usda.gov/fnic/etext/000007.html

National Cancer Institute: Eating Hints for Cancer Patients or Overview of Nutrition in Cancer Care

www.cancer.gov/cancerinfo/eatinghints

or

www.cancer.gov/cancerinfo/pdq/supportive_care/nutrition

NOAH: Cancer – Diet and Nutrition

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/care/diet.html

En Espanol

www.noah-health.org/es/cancer/care/diet.html

OncoLink: Nutrition During Cancer Treatment

<http://www.oncolink.org/coping/coping.cfm?c=3>

Wellness Community: Nutrition Handbook

www.thewellnesscommunity.org/virtual_wc/nutrition_handbook/contents.htm

Social Services

Ocean County Board of Social Services

1027 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 349-1500

Offers financial assistance to those who qualify under income guidelines. Provides cash grants and medical coverage through Medicaid.

Ocean County Office of Senior Services

(732) 929-2091
Develops comprehensive, coordinated systems of community-based services for older adults, including information and assistance, outreach, education, referrals for services and programs, transportation and case management.

Transportation

American Cancer Society's Road to Recovery

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 914-1000

Provides transportation for cancer patients to and from related medical/treatment appointments. Rides are provided by volunteer drivers who donate their time and use of their personal vehicle. Please provide 5 business days' notice for ride requests..

Coastal Caregivers

622 Forman Avenue
Point Pleasant, NJ 08742
(732) 701-1088

Provides medical transportation for residents of Bayhead, Brielle, Manasquan, Sea Girt, Spring Lake, Belmar, Bradley Beach, Avon, Brick, Wall, and Point Pleasant.

Community Medical Center

Highway 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 350-7433

www.sbhcs.com

Provides transportation to and from the hospital for residents of Whiting, the Holiday Cities, and Berkeley.

Dial-A-Ride

48 Schoolhouse Road
Whiting, NJ 08759
(732) 350-2900

Provides medical transportation for residents of Whiting and Crestwood Village.

Helping Hands

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

30 Schoolhouse Road
Whiting, NJ 08759
(732) 350-5042 (call between 9am-12pm)

Provides transportation for residents of Whiting only.

Interfaith Health & Support Services

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 489-0278

Transportation Limited to Little Egg Harbor to Lacey.

Jackson Commission for the Handicapped

45 Don Conor Blvd.
Jackson, NJ 08527
(732) 928-3334

For non-emergency medical appointments (no chemotherapy or radiation appointments). Is wheelchair accessible.

Kimball Medical Center

River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ
(732) 350-RIDE

www.sbhcs.com

Provides transportation to and from the hospital for residents of the Leisure Village.

**Transportation
(Continued)**

Ocean County Board of Social Services

1027 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 349-1500

Provides transportation for medical patients only.
Out-of-county and out-of-state transportation is available.

Ocean County Department of Transportation

Route 9
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 736-8989 or (877) 929-2082
Provides transportation for seniors and disabled residents of Ocean County. Is wheelchair accessible. Two weeks notice is needed.

Vet Works

103 North Main Street
Forked River, NJ 08731
(609) 971-7613

Provides transportation for honorably discharged vets only. Will transport to VA center in New Jersey and Philadelphia. Will also help transport seniors to store for basic needed items. Not wheelchair accessible.

Visitation Visitors

Church of the Visitation, St. Vincent De Paul
730 Lynnwood Avenue
Brick, NJ 08723
(732) 477-9526

Provides medical transportation for parishioners only.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Air Charity Network

(877) AIRLIFE
<http://aircharitynetwork.org/>

Corporate Angel Network

(914) 328-1313
(866) 328-1313
www.corpangelnetwork.org/index.htm

National Patient Air Travel Helpline

c/o Mercy Medical Airlift
(800) 296-1217, (757) 318-9145
<http://www.patienttravel.org/>

Safe Ride

(800) 858-9163
(800) 587-1479

Utilities

Catholic Charities – Lakewood

200 Monmouth Avenue
P.O. Box 1364
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 363-5322

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

First Energy

Human Services,
PO Box 16001,
Reading PA 19612.
(800) 207-9276

New Jersey Department of Community Affairs

Division of Housing and Division of Community Resources
PO Box 811
Trenton, NJ 08625
(800) 510-3102

Mammography Facilities

Advanced Open MRI & Diagnostic Imaging, PA

751 Highway 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 240-7756

Alberto Medical Associates

(In-house patients only)
25 Mule Road, A-3
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 240-0404

AOM Diagnostic Imaging

525 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 458-6400

Breast Center of Ocean County at Ocean Medical Center

425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 836-4083

Brick Imaging STAT Radiology

1608 Route 88 West, Suite 102
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 836-9300

Central Ocean Imaging

5 Lacey Road
Forked River, NJ 08731
(609) 971-1632

Community Medical Center

99 Highway 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 557-8146
www.sbhcs.com

Community Medical Center

Nexus Building
368 Lakehurst Road, 1st Floor
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 557-8146
www.sbhcs.com

Doshi Diagnostic Imaging Service, MRI Center

1113 Beacon Avenue
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 978-6302
www.doshidiagnostic.com

Dover Imaging STAT Radiology, LLC

25 Mule Road, Suite B5 & B6
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 240-1011

Jersey Shore Radiology Associates

3822 River Road
Point Pleasant, NJ 08742
(732) 892-1200
www.jsrad.com

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 363-1900 x. 24622
www.sbhcs.com

Ocean Gynecological & Obstetrical Services

475 Route 70
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 364-8000

Ocean Medical Imaging Center

21 Stockton Drive
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 286-6333

Regional Radiology, LLC

20 North Main Street
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 978-6301

Shore Imaging MRI, Radiology & Women's Center

1166 River Avenue, Suite 102
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(732) 364-9565

Southern Ocean Center for Health

730 Lacey Road
Forked River, NJ 08731
(609) 693-9300
www.soch.org

Southern Ocean Center for Health-Little Egg Harbor

279 Mathistown Road
Little Egg Harbor, NJ 08087
(609) 978-3400
www.soch.org

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 978-3400
www.soch.org

Toms River X-Ray, CT & MRI

154 Highway 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 244-0777

Women's Imaging

459 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08742
(732) 840-6500

X-Ray Associates

19 Mule Road
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 240-1400

X-Ray Associates

65G Lacey Road
Whiting, NJ 08759
(732) 716-0300

Preventive Care

New Jersey Cancer Education and Early Detection [NJCEED]

Community Medical Center
Community Health Services
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ
(609) 292-8540

www.state.nj.us/health/cancer/njceed

Promotes awareness, provides outreach and education, and offers screenings and diagnostic services for the underinsured and uninsured.

See Cancer screenings for complete listing of providers.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345
www.cancer.org

American Institute for Cancer Research (AICR)

(202) 328-7744
(800) 843-8114
www.aicr.org

American Lung Association of New Jersey

1600 Route 22 East
Union, NJ 07083
(908) 687-9340
www.alanewjersey.org

Cancer Consultants

(208) 727-6880
www.cancerconsultants.com

Cancer Information Service [CIS]

(800) 422-6237
<http://cis.nci.nih.gov>

Cancer Research Foundation of America

(800) 227-2732

www.preventcancer.org

CancerNet

<http://www.cancer.gov/>

Mayo Clinic

www.mayoclinic.com

National Comprehensive Cancer Network

(888) 909-6226

www.nccn.com

Pancreatic Cancer Action Network [PANCAN]

(877) 272-6226

www.pancan.org

SHARE: Self-help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer

(212) 719-1204

www.sharecancersupport.org

Skin Cancer Foundation

(800) 754-6490

www.skincancer.org

Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation

(972) 855-1600 or (800) IM-AWARE

www.breastcancerinfo.com

Susan Love MD Foundation

(310) 230-1712

www.susanlovemd.com

Women's Health Hotline

(305) 333-8844

www.libov.com

Smoking Cessation and Tobacco

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Communities in Excellence in Tobacco Control is the American Cancer Society's collaboration with community organizations that are working to reduce tobacco use. Sites include:

Long Beach Island Health Department

11601 Long Beach Boulevard
Beach Haven, NJ 08008
(609) 492-1212

www.lbihealth.com

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-3533

www.soch.com

Also offers smoking cessation through hypnosis

King of Hearts Life Enhancement Services

520 Main Street
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 240-2545

www.kingofhearts.biz

Uses ACS videos and brochures and is certified from UMDNJ.

Saint Barnabas Behavioral Health Network

1691 US Highway 9
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 914-1688 x3955

www.sbhcs.com

Comprehensive tobacco dependence treatment program for tobacco. New Jersey Quit Center location. By appointment.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Lung Association of New Jersey

1600 Route 22 East
Union, NJ 07083
(908) 687-9340

www.alanewjersey.org

Center for Disease Control

“Tobacco Intervention and Prevention”

<http://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/how2quit.htm>

Children Helping and Motivating Parents to Stop Smoking

www.champss.com

Gotta Quit.com

www.gottaquit.com

National Cancer Institute

“Smokefree.gov”

www.smokefree.gov/talk.html

**Smoking Cessation and Tobacco
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Nicotine Anonymous

www.nicotine-anonymous.org

NJ Quitnet

<http://nj.quitnet.com/>

Quitline

(866) 657-8677

Stop Smoking Center

www.stopsmokingcenter.net

U.S. Department of Human Services

“You Can Quit Smoking”

<http://www.surgeongeneral.gov/tobacco/>

Support And Counseling (Bereavement, Support Groups)

Bereavement

Community Medical Center

www.sbhcs.com

Kids Bereavement Group (6-12 yrs. Old)
(732) 505-KIDS

Held first and third Thursday of the month at
Center for Kids and Family
591 Lakehurst Road
Toms River, NJ
5:00-6:00 pm

Widow and Widowers Support Group for those
Suffering a Recent Loss

(732) 818-6826

Held every Monday at Van Dyke Hospice
Hooper Avenue, Toms River; 10:00-11:30 am.
MUST call to register and get directions.

Compassionate Friends

129 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 244-6439

Friends.Ocean@yahoo.com

Provides support for adults who have lost a child.
Meets first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm.

Epiphany Catholic Church

615 Thiele Road
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 458-0220

Bereavement and grief support is offered third
Thursday evening of the month and first Friday
morning of the month.

Kimball Medical Center

198 Prospect Avenue
Lakewood, NJ
(732) 730-9112
(800) 621-0096

www.sbhcs.com

General bereavement group meets on Wednesday at
Center for Healthy Living 10:30-12:00 pm.

Meridian Nursing and Rehabilitation

425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08723
(732) 206-8340

www.meridianhealth.com

A general bereavement support group is provided
on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month. Also
offers art therapy for children

St. Francis Community Center

4700 Long Beach Boulevard
Brant Beach, NJ 08008
(609) 494-1554

Southern Ocean County Hospital

80 Nautilus Drive
Manahawkin, NJ 08050
(609) 978-3090

www.soch.org

Life Beyond Loss is a bereavement and grief
support group.

**Bereavement
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Trinity Hospice

150 Ninth Avenue
Runnemede, NJ 08078
(800) 255-8986 ext. 7157

“Reflections” provides support groups for adults who have lost a loved one. “Camp Lost and Found” (1) Bereavement camp for children who have lost a love one; (2) Bereavement camp for families who have lost a child.

“Journey through Grief” meets Tuesday 2:00-3:30 pm.; a series of 8 meetings

The Wellness Community, Northern Jersey Shore – The Diney Goldsmith Center

613 Hope Road
Victoria Commons
Eatontown, New Jersey 07724
732-578-9200

www.thewellnesscommunity.org/jerseyshore
Provides weekly support, under the guidance of licensed psychotherapists, networking groups, exercise, nutritional, educational programs and social events. Free-of-charge for patients, caregivers.

Support Groups

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org
Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Cancer Concern Center

1101 Route 35 South, Suite 101
Point Pleasant Beach, NJ
(732) 701-0250
General Cancer Support Group
Meets every Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm.

Community Medical Center

Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 557-8000 x 11760
www.sbhcs.com

Caregivers Support Group
(732) 505-9420
Caregivers for all diseases & disabilities
Meets the last Monday of the month at 7:00 pm at Adult Day Health Care Center.

Coping with Cancer
(800) 621-0096
Any kind of Cancer Support
Meets third Wednesday of the month 12:30-1:30 pm at The Lighthouse at Toms River.

Head and Neck Cancer Support Group
(732) 557-8270
Meets last Thursday of the month 3:00-4:00 pm at the Department of Radiation Oncology.

Living with Cancer
(732) 557-8270
Meets third Wednesday of the month 3:00-4:00 pm at the Department of Radiation Oncology.

Colorectal Alliance
(732) 557-8270
Meets the second Wednesday of the month 3:00-4:00 pm at Department of Radiation Oncology.

NuVoice Support Group (Laryngectomy Support Group)
(800) 621-0096
Meets every Monday at 10:00 am at The Lighthouse at Toms River.

Support Groups (Continued)

Prostate Cancer
(800) 621-0096
Meets third Thursday of the month at 2:00 pm
at The Lighthouse at Toms River.

Thyroid Support Group
(732) 849-4610
Meets the second Monday of the month 1:00-
2:00 pm at The Lighthouse at Whiting.

Epiphany Catholic Church

Hope Group

615 Thiele Road
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 458-0220
Support for those with cancer or are terminally ill.
Held third Friday of the month at 10:00 am.

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(800) 621-0096
www.sbhcs.com
Caregiver Support Group
Designed for people taking care of someone 60
years or older. Monday 10:30-12:00 pm; Tuesday
12:30-2:30 pm. Held at The Center for Healthy
Living.

Ocean County Ostomy Association

Presbyterian Church of Toms River
1070 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ
(732) 901-9411
Meets third Friday of the month.

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 206-8340
www.meridianhealth.com
Coping with A Life Threatening Illness
(732) 206-8340
Meets second and fourth Mondays of the month
at 7:00 pm.

Digestive Cancer Support Group
(732) 836-4174
Meets second Tuesday on the month at 7:00
pm.

Nutritional Management for Patients Going
Through Treatment
(732) 206-8340
Call for individual appointment.

Person to Person Program

American Cancer Society
(732) 758-8220 (Patient & Family Service Dept.)
www.cancer.org
Offers one-on-one emotional phone support to
newly diagnosed cancer patients by matching them
with a recovered cancer patient who has had a
similar diagnosis.

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

30 Schoolhouse Road
Whiting, NJ
(732) 350-8688
Cancer support for patients and caregivers. Held
third Wednesday of the month at 1:00 pm.

Southern Ocean County Hospital

Family Resource Center at Ocean Club
700 South Route 9
Stafford, NJ
(609) 978-3533
www.soch.com

Breast Cancer Support Group for women with
breast cancer and their families. Meets on the 2nd
Tuesday of every month from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. in the
Family Resource Center.

Cancer support group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of
the month from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Call 978-
3148 to register.

Ostomy Support Group
Meets second Tuesdays of the month 1:00-3:00 pm.

**Support Groups
(Continued)**

(866) 292-9255
www.cancerwellness.org

**The Wellness Community, Northern
Jersey Shore – The Diney Goldsmith
Center**

613 Hope Road
Victoria Commons
Eatontown, New Jersey 07724
732-578-9200

www.thewellnesscommunity.org/jerseyshore

Will provide weekly support, under the guidance of licensed psychotherapists, networking groups, exercise, nutritional, educational programs and social events. Free-of-charge for patients, caregivers.

OUT-OF-AREA

**See All Out-of-Area Resources for
descriptions.**

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345
www.cancer.org

**American Self-Help Groups
Clearinghouse**

(973) 326-6789
www.selfhelpgroups.org

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE
(800) 813-4673
www.cancercare.org

Cancer Wellness Center

(847) 509-9595
(866) 292-9255
www.cancerwellness.org

Cancer Hope Network

(877) 467-3638
www.cancerhopenetwork.org

Cancer Survivor Toolbox

<http://www.canceradvocacy.org/toolbox/>

Cancer Wellness Center

(847) 509-9595

Center for Coping

(516) 822-3131

www.coping.com

Compassionate Friends

(877) 969-0010

(630) 990-0010

www.compassionatefriends.org

Dougy Center for Grieving Children & Families

(503) 775-5683

www.dougy.org

Gilda's Club, Inc

(917) 305-1200

(888) 445-3248

www.gildasclub.org

Gillette Women's Cancer Connection

www.gillettecancerconnect.org

Lance Armstrong Foundation

(512) 236-8820

www.laf.org

National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship

(888) 650-9127

www.canceradvocacy.org

Support for Lesbians with Cancer

The Cancer Institute of New Jersey

New Brunswick, NJ

(732) 235-6781

www.cinj.org

Meets the second Monday of every month; 7:00-8:30 pm.

Patient Advocate Foundation

(800) 532-5274

www.patientadvocate.org

**Volunteers of America - Community
Emergency Assistance Coalition**

(800) 889-0089

www.voa.org

All Adult Cancers: Resources Specific To Cancer Type

Bone Marrow Transplant

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Bone Marrow Transplant Information Network

(888) 597-7674
www.bmtinfonet.org

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, The Southern New Jersey/Shore Region Chapter

216 Haddon Avenue, Suite 328
Westmont, NJ 08108
(856) 869-0200 or (888) 920-8557
www.leukemia-lymphoma.org

National Bone Marrow Transplant Link (BMT Link)

(248) 358-1886 or (800) LINK-BMT
<http://www.nbmtlink.org/>

National Marrow Donor Program

(800) MARROW-2 or (800) 627-7692
www.marrow.org

Brain Tumors

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Monmouth & Ocean County Brain Tumor Support Group, Inc

(609) 758-0806
www.njbt.org
Provides support and educational resources to patients/survivors, family members, caregivers.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Brain Tumor Association [ABTA]

(800) 886-2282 or (847) 827-9910
www.abta.org

American Cancer Society: Learn About Brain/CNS Tumors in Adults

www.cancer.org

Brain Tumor Society

(800) 770-8287
www.tbts.org

HealthyNJ: Brain Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis_con/brainca/main.htm
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/brainca/espanol.htm

MedlinePlus: Brain Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/braincancer.html
Tutorials:
<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/braincancer/htm/index.htm>

National Brain Tumor Foundation [NBT]

(800) 934-CURE
www.brainumor.org

National Cancer Institute: Brain Tumor

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/brain

Oncolink: Brain Tumors

www.oncolink.org/types

People Living With Cancer: Brain Tumor

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Brain+Tumor>

Breast Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Community Medical Center

Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 557-8000 x 11760
www.sbhcs.com

Family Planning Center of Ocean County

290 River Avenue
(732) 364-9696
www.familyplanningoceanco.org
Offers education, low-cost health care screening, and services for women.

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(800) 621-0096
www.kimballhealthyliving.com

Long Beach Island Health Department

11601 Long Beach Boulevard
Beach Haven, NJ 08008
(609) 492-1212
www.lbihealth.com

New Jersey Cancer Education and Early Detection [NJCEED]

Community Medical Center
Community Health Services
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ
(609) 292-8540
www.state.nj.us/health/cancer/njceed

Promotes awareness, provides outreach and education, and offers screenings and diagnostic services for the underinsured and uninsured.

Ocean County Health Department

175 Sunset Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754
(732) 341-9700
www.ochd.org

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 206-8340
www.meridianhealth.com

Southern Ocean County Hospital

1140 Route 72 West
Manahawkin, NJ 08050 – 2499
(609) 978-3533
www.soch.com

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society:
All About Male Breast Cancer
American Cancer Society: Learn
About Breast Cancer
Reach to Recovery Program
www.cancer.org

African American Breast Cancer
Alliance, Inc. [AAABCA]
(612) 825-3675
www.geocities.com/aabcainc

Avon Breast Cancer Crusade
www.avoncrusade.com

BCMets.org (Metastatic Breast Cancer)
www.bcmets.org

Celebrating Life Foundation
(800) 207-0992
<http://www.celebratelifefoundation.org/>

HealthyNJ: Breast Cancer
<http://www.healthynj.org/dis-con/breast/main.htm>
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/breast/espanol.htm

HealthyNJ: Male Breast Cancer
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/malebreast/main.htm
En Espanol

Inflammatory Breast Cancer
www.ibcsupport.org

Journey to Wellness
Breast Cancer and African American Women
<http://www.journeytowellness.com>

Living Beyond Breast Cancer
(888) 753-5222
www.lbbc.org

MedlinePlus: Breast Cancer
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/breastcancer.html
En Espanol
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/breastcancer.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial: Breast Cancer
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/breastcancer/htm/index.htm

Breast Biopsy:
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/breastlumpsbiopsy/htm/index.htm
Mammogram
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/mammogram/htm/index.htm

MedlinePlus: Male Breast Cancer
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/malebreastcancer.html
En Espanol
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/malebreastcancer.html

Men Against Breast Cancer
(866) 547-MABC
www.menagainstbreastcancer.org

Mothers Supporting Daughters with Breast Cancer [MSDBC]
(410) 778-1982
<http://www.mothersdaughters.org/>

National Alliance of Breast Cancer Organizations
(888) 806-2226
www.nabco.org

National Breast Cancer Coalition [NBCC]
(800) 622-2383
www.natlbcc.org

**Breast Cancer
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National Cancer Institute: Breast Cancer Home Page

www.cancer.gov/cancer_information/cancer_type/breast

National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Breast Cancer Treatment Guidelines for Patients

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/english/breast/contents.asp

En Espanol

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/spanish/breast/contents.asp

National Lymphedema Network Inc

(800) 541-3259 or (510) 208-3200

www.lymphnet.org

NIH Senior Health: Breast Cancer

<http://Nihseniorhealth.gov/breastcancer/toc.html>

NOAH: Breast Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/breast

OncoLink: Breast Cancer

www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=3&s=5&ss=33&id=8320

Patient Centered Guides

(800) 998-9938

www.patientcenters.com

People Living With Cancer: Breast Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Breast+Cancer>

SHARE: Self-help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer

Breast Hotline (212) 382-2111

Latina Hotline (212) 719-4454

Ovarian Hotline (212) 719-1204

Toll-free (866) 891-2392

(212) 719-1204

www.sharecancersupport.org

Sisters Network

(866) 781-1808

www.sistersnetworkinc.org

Sisters Network of Central Jersey

(732) 246-8300

sisterscentral@aol.com

Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation

(972) 855-1600 or

(800) IM-AWARE

www.breastcancerinfo.com

Susan Love MD Foundation

(310) 230-1712

www.susanlovemd.com

Val Skinner Foundation

www.valskinnerfoundation.org/

Women's Cancer Network

(312) 578-4139

www.wcn.org

Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization

(800) 221-2141 (Hotline-English)

(800) 986-9505 (Hotline-Espanola)

www.y-me.org

Young Survival Coalition

(212) 916-7667

www.youngsurvival.org

Breast Cancer Support Groups

Community Medical Center

Center for Women's Health
Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08753
(732) 557-8000 x 11760

www.sbhcs.com

Support group meets last Wednesday of the month,
6:00-7:00 pm.

Kimball Medical Center

600 River Avenue
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(800) 621-0096

www.sbhcs.com

For languages other than English: (732) 730-1236

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 206-8340

www.meridianhealth.com

Support group meets first Monday of the month
7:30-9:00 pm. Offers support to individuals and
those affected by breast cancer

Southern Ocean County Hospital

Family Resource Center at Ocean Club
700 Route 9
Stafford, NJ
(609) 978-3533

www.soch.com

Support group meets second and fourth Tuesday of
the month 7:00-9:00 pm. Offers support to women
with a diagnosis of breast cancer.

OUT-OF-AREA

**See All Out-of-Area Resources for
descriptions.**

African American Breast Cancer Alliance, Inc [AAABCA]

(612) 825-3675

www.aabcainc.org

Men Against Breast Cancer

(866) 547-MABC

www.menagainstbreastcancer.org

Mothers Supporting Daughters with Breast Cancer (MSDBC)

(410) 778-1982

<http://www.mothersdaughters.org/>

National Lymphedema Network Inc

(800) 541-3259 or (510) 208-3200

www.lymphnet.org

SHARE: Self-help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer

(212) 719-1204

www.sharecancersupport.org

Sisters Network

(866) 781-1808

www.sistersnetworkinc.org

Y-Me Breast Cancer Support Program

www.y-me.org

Young Survival Coalition

(212) 916-7667

www.youngsurvival.org

Cervical, Ovarian and Uterine Cancers

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Family Planning Center of Ocean County

290 River Avenue
(732) 364-9696
www.familyplanningoceanco.org
Offers low-cost health care services for women, including medical and educational services.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Cervical Cancer or Ovarian Cancer

www.cancer.org/docroot/lrn/lrn_0.asp

American Social Health Association: National HPV and Cervical Cancer Prevention Resource Center

www.ashastd.org/hpv/hpv_overview.cfm

Women's Cancer Network

www.wcn.org

HealthyNJ: Cervical Cancer;

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/cervical/main.htm
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/cervical/espanol.htm

Ovarian Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/ovarian/main.htm
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/ovarian/espanol.htm

MedlinePlus: Cervical Cancer;

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/cervical_cancer.html
En Espanol

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/cervical_cancer.html

Ovarian Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/ovarian_cancer.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial:

Colposcopy

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/colonoscopy/htm/index.htm>

Pap Smear:

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/pap smear/htm/index.htm

Ovarian Cancer

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/ovariancancer/htm/index.htm>

National Cancer Institute:

Cervical Cancer

www.cancer.gov/cancerinfo/types/cervical

Ovarian Cancer

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/ovarian

National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Ovarian Cancer Treatment Guidelines for Patients

http://www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/_english/ovarian/contents.asp

**Cervical, Ovarian and Uterine Cancers
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**National Ovarian Cancer Coalition
[NOCC]**

(561) 393-0005 or 1-888-OVARIAN

www.ovarian.org

NOAH: Cervical Cancer

[www.noah-](http://www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/women/cervix/)

[health.org/en/cancer/types/women/cervix/](http://www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/women/cervix/)

OncoLink:

Cervical Cancer;

<http://www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=6&s=17&ss=129&id=8226>

Ovarian Cancer

www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=6&s=19&ss=766&id=8589

Ovarian Cancer National Alliance

(202) 331-1332

www.ovariancancer.org

Ovarian Cancer Research Fund, Inc

(800) 873-9569

www.ocrf.org

Patient Centered Guides

www.patientcenters.com

**People Living With Cancer:
Cervical Cancer; Ovarian Cancer**

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Ovarian+Cancer>

**SHARE: Self-help for Women with
Breast or Ovarian Cancer**

(212) 719-1204

www.sharecancersupport.org

Women's Cancer Network

(312) 578-4139

www.wcn.org

Colon and Rectal Cancers

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Ambassadors and Allies is the American Cancer Society's community colorectal cancer awareness and education program.

Community Medical Center

Senior Health Network
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 557-8270

www.sbhcs.com

Support group for patients living with colorectal cancer. Meets monthly at Department of Radiation Oncology.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Colon and Rectum Cancer

www.cancer.org

Colon Cancer Alliance

www.ccalliance.org

HealthyNJ: Colorectal Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/colorectal/main.htm

En Espanol

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/colorectal/espanol.htm

MedlinePlus: Colorectal Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/colorectalcancer.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial: Colon Cancer or Colon Cancer Surgery

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/coloncancer/htm/index.htm

or

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/coloncancer_surgery/htm/index.htm

National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Colon and Rectal Cancer

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/english/colon/contents.asp

En Espanol

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/spanish/colon/4_treatment.asp

NIH Senior Health: Colorectal Cancer

www.nihseniorhealth.gov/colorectalcancer/toc.html

NOAH: Colon, Rectal and Anal Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/colon

OncoLink: Colorectal Cancer

www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=5&s=11&ss=605&id=9458

People Living With Cancer: Colorectal Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Colorectal+Cancer>

Women's Cancer Network: Colorectal Cancer Information

www.wcn.org/interior.cfm?diseaseid=4&featureid=1

Kidney Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

OUT-OF-AREA

**See All Out-of-Area Resources for
descriptions.**

Kidney Cancer Association
(800) 850-9132 or (847) 332-1051
www.nkca.org

Leukemia, Lymphoma, Myeloma and Non-Hodgkin's Lymphodemia

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Community Medical Center

Senior Health Network
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(800) 621-0096
www.sbhcs.com

Support: Waldenstom's Lymphoma support group offers support to individuals and those affected by this type of cancer. Pre-registration is requested.

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, The Southern New Jersey/Shore Region Chapter

216 Haddon Avenue, Suite 328
Westmont, NJ 08108
(856) 869-0200 or (888) 920-8557
www.leukemia-lymphoma.org

Local blood-related support group provides psycho education support for patients with blood-related cancers; facilitated by an RN. Held second Tuesday of the month at Reflections at the Gables in Brick, NJ.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Leukemia; Lymphoma; Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma

www.cancer.org

Cure for Lymphoma Foundation

(800) 235-6848
www.lymphoma.org

HealthyNJ: Leukemia; Lymphoma; Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/leukemia/main.htm
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/leukemia/espanol.htm

International Myeloma Foundation

(800) 452-2873 or (213) 656-1182
www.myeloma.org

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, The Southern New Jersey/Shore Region Chapter

216 Haddon Avenue, Suite 328
Westmont, NJ 08108
(856) 869-0200 or (888) 920-8557
www.leukemia-lymphoma.org

Leukemia Research Foundation

(847) 424-0600
www.leukemia-research.org

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

Leukemia, Lymphoma, Myeloma
and Non-Hodgkin's Lymphodemia
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Lymphoma Research Foundation

www.lymphoma.org/site/

**MedlinePlus: Leukemia, Adult Acute or
Leukemia, Adult Chronic; Lymphoma**

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/leukemiaadultacute.html

**Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation
[MMRF]**

(203) 972-1250

www.multiplemyeloma.org

**National Cancer Institute: Leukemia;
Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma**

<http://www.cancer.gov/cancertopics>

NOAH: Leukemia; Lymphoma

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/leukemia

Oncologychannel: Leukemia

www.oncologychannel.com/leukemias

Patient Centered Guides

(800) 998-9938

www.patientcenters.com

**People Living With Cancer: Lymphoma,
Non-Hodgkin**

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Lymphoma+-+Non-Hodgkin>

Liver Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Liver Cancer

www.cancer.org

HealthyNJ: Liver Cancer

<http://www.healthynj.org/dis-con/liverca/main.htm>
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/liverca/espanol

Liver Cancer Network

www.livercancer.com

LiverTumor.org

www.livertumor.org/

MedlinePlus: Liver Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/livercancer.html
En Espanol
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/livercancer.html

National Cancer Institute: Liver Cancer

www.cancer.gov

NOAH: Liver Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/liver

OncoLink: Liver Cancer

www.oncolink.org

People Living With Cancer: Liver Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Liver+Cancer>

Lung Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Lung Cancer

www.cancer.org

American Lung Association of New Jersey

1600 Route 22 East
Union, NJ 07083
(908) 687-9340
www.alanewjersey.org

HealthyNJ: Lung Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/lungca/main.htm

Lung Cancer.org

It's Time to Focus on Lung Cancer
1-877-646-5864
www.lungcancer.org

Lung Cancer Alliance

(800) 298-2436
(360) 696-2436
www.lungcanceralliance.org

Lung Cancer Online

www.lungcanceronline.org

MedlinePlus: Lung Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/lungcancer.html
En Espanol

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish/lungcancer.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial: Lung Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/lungcancer/htm/index.htm

National Cancer Institute: Lung Cancer Home Page

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/lung

National Comprehensive Cancer Network: Lung Cancer Treatment Guidelines for Patients

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/english/lung/contents.asp

En Espanol

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/spanish/lung/contents.asp

NIH Senior Health: Lung Cancer

www.nihseniorhealth.gov/lungcancer/toc.html

NOAH: Lung Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/lung

Oncolink: Lung Cancer

www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=9&s=76&ss=781&id=8037

People Living With Cancer: Lung Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Lung+Cancer>

Oral, Head and Neck Cancers

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Community Medical Center

Senior Health Network
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 557-8270
www.sbhcs.com

Support for People with Oral and Head and Neck Cancer (SPOHNC) provides patient-run support to diagnosed individuals. Offered monthly. Call to register.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Oral Cancer;

www.cancer.org

Let's Face It

(360) 676-7325
www.faceit.org

SPOHNC: Support for People with Oral and Head and Neck Cancer

(800) 377-0928
www.spohnc.org

Pancreatic Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Pancreatic Cancer

www.cancer.org

HealthyNJ: Pancreatic Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/pancreatica/main.htm
En Espanol
www.healthynj.org/dis-con/prancreatica/espanol.htm

MedlinePlus: Pancreatic Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/pancreaticcancer.html

National Cancer Institute: Pancreatic Cancer

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/pancreatic

NOAH: Pancreatic Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/pan.html

OncoLink: Pancreatic Cancer

www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=4&s=7&ss=49&id=1739

PanCan

www.pancan.org

Pancreatica

www.pancreatica.org

People Living With Cancer: Pancreatic Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Pancreatic+Cancer>

Prostate Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot Line (800) 227-4385
www.cancer.org

Community Medical Center

Senior Health Network
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(800) 621-0096
www.sbhcs.com

Support group for individuals and those affected by prostate cancer. Offered on the third Thursday of the month. Call to register.

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 840-2200 or (800) 560-9990
www.meridianhealth.com
Prostate cancer resources.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Urological Foundation

(410) 468-1800
(800) 828-7866
<http://www.auafoundation.org/>

American Society for Therapeutic Radiology and Oncology [ASTRO]

(800) 962-4282 (US only)
www.astro.org

American Urological Association [AUA]

(866) 746-4282 (US only)
www.urologyhealth.org

CancerCare

(800) 813-HOPE
www.cancercare.org

HealthyNJ: Prostate Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/prostate/main.htm

MedlinePlus: Prostate Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/prostatecancer.html

MedlinePlus Interactive Tutorial: Prostate Cancer

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/what-isprostatecancer/htm/index.htm>

Radiation therapy for prostate cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/radiationtherapyforprostatecancer/htm/index.htm

Prostate surgery (TURP)

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/tutorials/turp/htm/index.htm

National Cancer Institute

(800) 422-6237; TTY: (800) 332-8615
www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/prostate

National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship

(877) 622-7937
www.canceradvocacy.org

National Comprehensive Cancer Network

www.nccn.org/patients/patient_gls/_english/_prostate/contents.asp

National Prostate Cancer Coalition

(202) 463-9455 or (888) 245-9455
www.fightprostatecancer.org

NIH Senior Health: Prostate Cancer

www.nihseniorhealth.gov/prostatecancer/toc.html

NOAH: Prostate Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/prostate

OncoLink: Prostate Cancer

<http://www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=16&ss=57&ss=608&id=8039>

Prostate Cancer Foundation

www.prostatecancerfoundation.org/site/pp.asp?c=it1WK2OSG&b=46403

Prostate Cancer Foundation CaPCURE

(800) 757-CURE
(310) 570-4700
www.capcure.org

Prostate Cancer Research Institute

(310) 743-2116
www.prostate-cancer.org

Prostate Cancer Coalition of New Jersey

www.pcc-nj.org
Email: contactus@ppc-nj.org

The Prostate Net

P.O. Box 2192
Secaucus, NJ 07096-2192
(888) 477-6763
<http://www.prostate-online.org>

Urology Channel: Prostate Cancer

www.urologychannel.com/prostate/cancer

**American Cancer Society – Eastern
Division**

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Ocean Medical Center

Meridian Health System
425 Jack Martin Boulevard
Brick, NJ 08724
(732) 840-2200 or (800) 560-9990

www.meridianhealth.com

Ocean Medical Center provides free or reduced cost screening tests for the early detection of skin cancer annually. Absolutely must register. Cannot get screened without an appointment.

OUT-OF-AREA

**See All Out-of-Area Resources for
descriptions.**

American Academy of Dermatology

(888) 462-3376

www.aad.org

Melanoma Information page

www.mpip.org

Skin Cancer Foundation

(800) 754-6490

www.skincancer.org

Testicular Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

OUT-OF-AREA

**See All Out-of-Area Resources for
descriptions.**

Testicular Cancer Resource Center

<http://tcr.acor.org/>

Thyroid Cancer

American Cancer Society – Eastern Division

1035 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08753
(800) ACS-2345
Hot line (800) 227-4385

www.cancer.org

Access to cancer resource database, pamphlets and information on various types and aspects of cancer; information and counseling; resource referrals; equipment and supplies; transportation assistance; financial aid for medications.

Community Medical Center

Senior Health Network
99 Route 37 West
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 849-4610

www.sbhcs.com

Provides support group for patients living with thyroid cancer. Meets monthly at The Lighthouse at Whiting.

OUT-OF-AREA

See All Out-of-Area Resources for descriptions.

American Cancer Society: Learn About Thyroid Cancer

www.cancer.org

American Thyroid Association

www.thyroid.org/patients/index.html

HealthyNJ: Thyroid Cancer

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/thyroidca/main.htm

En Español

www.healthynj.org/dis-con/thyroidca/espanol.htm

MedlinePlus: Thyroid Cancer

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/thyroidcancer.html

National Cancer Institute: Thyroid Cancer

www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/types/thyroid

NOAH: Thyroid Cancer

www.noah-health.org/en/cancer/types/thyroid.html

OncoLink: Thyroid Cancer

<http://www.oncolink.org/types/article.cfm?c=7&s=26&ss=770&id=107>

People Living With Cancer: Thyroid Cancer

<http://www.cancer.net/patient/Cancer+Types/Thyroid+Cancer>

ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivor's Association, Inc

www.thyca.org

Thyroid-Cancer.net

www.thyroid-cancer.net

Thyroid Foundation of America

www.tsh.org/index.html

All Out-of-Area Resources Description

African American Breast Cancer Alliance, Inc. [AAABCA]

(612) 825-3675

www.geocities.com/aabcainc

Support groups for breast cancer patients and survivors at different stages, offers experiences to help address the specific needs of black women.

Air Charity Network

(877) AIRLIFE

<http://aircharitynetwork.org/>

Free air transportation for medical reasons.

Alliance for Lung Cancer Advocacy, Support, and Education

(800) 298-2436

www.alcase.org

Lung cancer advocacy, support, and education to improve quality of life through: a toll-free telephone service, a quarterly newsletter, a person-to-person telephone support service, and customized information.

Alternative Medicine Foundation

www.amfoundation.org

Evidence-based information; Offers pain management guide.

Alternative Medicine Homepage

www.pitt.edu/~cbw/altm.html

Provides links to internet information sources; maintained by Medical Librarian of University of Pittsburgh, PA

American Academy of Dermatology

(888) 462-3376

www.aad.org

Provides dermatology related education, referrals, and research.

American Association for Cancer Research

(215) 440-9300 or (866) 423-3965)

www.aacr.org

A politically active member of the research community.

American Board of Medical Specialties

(866) 275-2267 or (847) 491-9091

www.abms.org

Information on physician credentials by subspecialty including Board Certification

American Cancer Society

(800) 227-2345

www.cancer.org

Programs for anyone who has been diagnosed with cancer, including support groups such as "I Can Cope," "Man to Man," "Reach to Recovery," and "Look Good . . . Feel Better." The ACS also offers cancer information and other services. Please contact your local ACS office for more information.

American College of Physicians: Home Care Guide for Advanced Cancer

http://www.acponline.org/patients_families/end_of_life_issues/cancer/

Downloadable guide includes information about pain, helping, caregiving, etc.

American Urological Foundation

(410) 468-1800

(800) 828-7866

<http://www.auafoundation.org/>

Prostate cancer support and information via a toll-free information line, a prostate cancer support network, a magazine, a resource guide, other publications and education materials.

All Out-Of-Area Resources Description
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**American Institute for Cancer Research
[AICR]**

(202) 328-7744

(800) 843-8114

www.aicr.org

Information about cancer prevention, particularly through diet and nutrition.

**American Lung Association of New
Jersey**

1600 Route 22 East

Union, NJ 07083

(908) 687-9340

<http://www.alanewjersey.org/>

Lung health promotion and advocacy through education, research, community action, and legislation. Information about lung cancer offered.

American Medical Association

(800) 621-8335

www.ama-assn.org

Medical association resource.

American Pain Society [APS]

(847) 375-4715

www.ampainsoc.org

A directory of specialized pain treatment centers.

**American Self-Help Groups
Clearinghouse**

(973) 326-6789 (Outside NJ)

NJ: (800) 367-6274

www.selfhelpgroups.org

Support for starting a local support group and availability of local support groups.

**American Social Health Association:
National HPV and Cervical Cancer
Prevention Resource Center**

www.ashastd.org/hpv/hpv_overview.cfm

HPV and cervical cancer prevention information and resources and support group information.

**American Society of Clinical Oncology
[ASCO]**

(703) 299-0150

www.asco.org

Information for patients, physicians and scientists. Locates oncologists.

**American Society for Therapeutic
Radiology and Oncology [ASTRO]**

(800) 962-4282 (US only)

www.astro.org/

Find a radiation oncologist; information about radiation treatment for many cancer types.

American Thyroid Association

www.thyroid.org/patients/index.html

Professional society specializing in the research and treatment of thyroid diseases. Provides patient brochures on specialist locations.

American Urological Association [AUA]

(866) 746-4282 (US only)

www.urologyhealth.org

Provides prostate cancer resources.

**AMGEN
By My Side**

www.ByMySide.com

Information about cancer treatment, side effects, linkages to resources, and offers support group

Avon Breast Cancer Crusade

www.avoncrusade.com

Funds research, clinical care, support services, education and early detection.

Bereavement Magazine

Bereavement Publishing, Inc.

(888) 60-4HOPE

www.bereavementmag.com

Magazine for all those who are bereaved.

BCMets.org (Metastatic Breast Cancer)

www.bcmets.org

Information about metastatic breast cancer.

Bone Marrow Transplant Information Network

(888) 597-7674

www.bmtinfonet.org

Medical information in easy-to-understand language.

Brain Tumor Society

(800) 770-8287

www.tbts.org

Patient information.

Cancer Answer

www.thecanceranswer.org

A guide to cancer therapy. How cancer is diagnosed, treated and managed day to day.

Cancer Care

(212) 712-8400 (800) 813-HOPE

(800) 813-4673

www.cancercares.org

Free professional help including education, information and referral and direct financial assistance. Grants and programs for the medically underserved, prosthesis and wig clinics.

Cancer Consultants

(208) 727-6880

www.cancerconsultants.com

Cancer information regarding prevention, screenings, treatment, protocols, clinical trials.

Cancer Fund of America

(865) 938-5281

www.cfoa.org

Support and services to financially indigent patients.

Cancer Guide

www.cancerguide.org

Information to help patients find the questions that should be asked.

Cancer Hope Network

(877) 467-3638

www.cancerhopenetwork.org

Confidential one-on-one trained volunteer support by those who have undergone a similar experience.

Cancer Information Service [CIS]

(800) 422-6237

<http://cis.nci.nih.gov/>

Information including smoking cessation, types of cancer, treatments, including referral to clinical trials, many other topics, and a live-messaging information service.

CancerInfoNet.org

www.cancerinfony.org/english/index.htm

En Espanol

www.cancerinfony.org/spanish/index.htm

Information about the diagnosis and treatment of the most common cancers, cancer prevention and research, and links to other cancer resources.

Cancer Institute of New Jersey

www.cinj.org

A National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center that provides prevention, detection, treatment and care of patients with cancer.

CANCERLIT search engine

(800) 422-6237

http://www.cancer.gov/search/cancer_literature/

Bibliographic database that contains more than 1.5 million citations and abstracts.

Cancer Pain

www.cancer-pain.org

Information about cancer pain management for patients, caregivers and healthcare professionals.

CancerQuest

www.cancerquest.org

En Espanol

www.cancerquest.org/index.cfm?page=1&lang=spanish&changeto=spanish

Teaches the biology of cancer. Topics include cell structure, cell division, the genes of cancer and tumor biology.

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Cancer Research Foundation of America

(800) 227-2732

www.preventcancer.org

Dedicated to cancer prevention through research and education.

Cancer Research Institute

(800) 992-2623

www.cancerresearch.org

Funds cancer and immunology research, and provides information on clinical trials.

Cancer Supportive Care

www.cancersupportivecare.com

Internet resource offering 31 website modules of educational support for many cancer types.

Cancer Survivor Toolbox

<http://www.canceradvocacy.org/toolbox/>

A free audio program designed to help cancer survivors and caregivers develop the practical tools to deal with the diagnosis, treatment and challenges of cancer.

Cancer Wellness Center

(847) 509-9595

(866) 292-9255

www.cancerwellness.org

Psychological, emotional, and social support.

Cancer Legal Resource Center

<http://www.disabilityrightslegalcenter.org/>

Provides legal and related services.

CANCERLIT search engine

http://www.cancer.gov/search/cancer_literature/

Bibliographic database that contains more than 1.5 million citations and abstracts found on the cancer.gov Web site.

CancerNet

<http://www.cancer.gov/>

Information on cancer, treatment, prevention, screening, coping, support, and resources.

Celebrating Life Foundation

(800) 207-0992

<http://www.celebratelifefoundation.org/>

Breast cancer awareness and education, specifically targeting African-American women and women of color.

Center for Coping

(516) 822-3131

www.coping.com

Coping skills information and education.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

www.cdc.gov

Informational resource for all cancers.

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services [CMS]

<http://www.cms.hhs.gov/>

Regional Offices

(212) 616-2205

Call for information about reporting a complaint directly to the CMS.

Chemocare.com

www.chemocare.com

Internet resource from Scott Hamilton. Provides the latest information about chemotherapy.

ClinicalTrials.gov

<http://clinicaltrials.gov>

Information about federally and privately supported clinical research includes information about a trial's purpose, who may participate, locations, and phone numbers for more details.

Colon Cancer Alliance

www.ccalliance.org

Patient support, education, research and advocacy, colorectal cancer information, a comprehensive glossary and patient support resources.

Commission on Cancer Research

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services

(609) 292-7837

Hot line (800) 792-8820

PAAD (800) 792-9745

New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710

www.state.nj.us/health/ccr/index.html

Cancer resources for cancer patients and their families. Offers resource book for NJ, lists NJ hospitals with clinical trials.

Corporate Angel Network

(914) 328-1313

www.corpangelnetwork.org

Provides free air transportation for cancer patients traveling to and from recognized treatment centers in the United States

Cosmetic Executive Women

21 East 40th Street, Suite 1700

New York, NY 10016

(212) 685-5955

www.cancerandcareers.org

Resources for living and working with cancer.

Crisis, Grief & Healing - A website

www.webhealing.com

Crisis, grief and healing to discuss, chat or simply browse to understand and honor the many paths to heal strong emotions.

Cure for Lymphoma Foundation

(800) 235-6848

www.lymphoma.org

Support and education through a "patient-to-patient" telephone service, a newsletter, patient workshops and a library of information, funding for lymphoma research.

Department of Veteran's Affairs

(800) 827-1000

<http://www.va.gov/>

Benefits, information and assistance.

Dougy Center for Grieving Children & Families

(503) 775-5683

www.dougy.org

Peer support group for grieving children and families that offers information, education and support for children and adults.

FDA - The U.S. Food and Drug Administration

www.fda.gov

Information for consumers on drugs, disease(s), clinical trials, product safety and more.

Family Caregiving 101

www.familycaregiving101.org

Workbook/resources for caregivers.

Gillette Cancer Connection

www.gillettecancerconnect.org

Books, support groups and linkages to other related websites.

Women's Cancer Network

www.wcn.org

Promotes research and awareness of gynecologic cancers, their treatment and supportive services.

Healthfinder

www.healthfinder.gov

also in Espanola

www.healthfinder.gov/espanol

Resource for English and Spanish speaking patients sponsored by the Department of Health & Human Services.

HealthyNJ

www.healthynj.org

Prevention, education, treatment information in English and Spanish provided by the University Libraries at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey. Links to other web-sites provided.

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Hospice Association of America

National Association of Home Care

(202) 547-7424

www.nahc.org/haa/home.html

Hospice information including consumer guides, fact sheets and links to other hospice related organizations and Web sites.

House of Representatives

(202) 224-3121

www.house.gov

Website for the United States House of Representatives.

Inflammatory Breast Cancer

www.ibcsupport.org

Education and support IBC patients, En Espanola.

International Cancer Alliance for Research and Education

(800) 422-7361

www.icare.org

Cancer information and education.

International Myeloma Foundation

(800) 452-2873 or (213) 656-1182

www.myeloma.org

Education, treatment and research support for multiple myeloma through a toll-free telephone hotline, educational sessions and materials.

Journey to Wellness

Breast Cancer and African American Women

<http://www.journeytowellness.com/>

Examines the problem of breast cancer in the African-American community.

Kidney Cancer Association

(800) 850-9132 or (847) 332-1051

www.nkca.org

Professional and public information about kidney cancer. Offers newsletter, meetings, patient advocacy, and information on clinical trials and research.

Let's Face It

(360) 676-7325

www.faceit.org

Networking services, information and resources about specific categories of conditions for facial disfigurement, tools for parents and educators information about surgery and recovery, and legal resources.

Liver Cancer Network

www.livercancer.com

Information about the liver and liver cancer and treatment information.

LiverTumor.org

www.livertumor.org/

Information about liver cancer, a physician finder and a glossary of terms.

Living Beyond Breast Cancer

(888) 753-5222

www.lbbc.org

Information, education and outreach through educational conferences, a newsletter, outreach to medically underserved women, a help line, etc.

Lance Armstrong Foundation

(512) 236-8820

www.laf.org

Education, advocacy, program funding and research.

Legal Services of New Jersey

100 Metroplex Dr Ste 402

Edison, NJ 08818

(888) 576-5529

888-LSNJLAW for managed care advice

Offers free or reduced cost legal services for cancer patients to low-income persons in civil matters.

Leukemia Research Foundation

(847) 424-0600

www.leukemia-research.org

Educational information about lymphoma and hotline and referrals to clinical trials and support groups.

Lung Cancer.org

It's Time to Focus on Lung Cancer
1-877-646-5864

www.lungcancer.org

Education, support groups, teleconferences, news updates and newsletters to encourage early diagnosis; information about developments in screening and treatment; and offers clinical trial information,.

Lung Cancer Alliance

www.lungcanceralliance.org

Support, education, advocacy to improve the quality of life of people living with lung cancer

Lung Cancer Online

www.lungcanceronline.org

Annotated directory to internet information and resources.

Lymphoma Research Foundation

www.lymphoma.org

Information on the disease and patient support and locate a local chapter.

Mautner Project for Lesbians with Cancer

(202) 332-5536

www.mautnerproject.org

Education and information and advocacy.

Mayo Clinic

www.mayoclinic.com

Information about specific diseases and conditions and drugs.

MD Anderson Network

(800) 345-6324

www.mdacc.tmc.edu

Network telephone hotline that links patients and caregivers with another of the same diagnosis and treatment.

Medicare - U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

(800) MEDICARE

TTY/TDD 1-877-486-2048 (hearing/speech impaired)

www.medicare.gov

Medicare basics - publications, compare group plans, compare nursing homes, questions about coverage.

Medicare Durable Medical Equipment Questions

Palmetto Government Benefits Administration

(800) 583-2236

TTY/TDD: (800)788-5414 (

24 Hour Voice Mail Service for Medicare Publications

(800) 633-4227

www.medicare.gov

24-hour voice-mail to order publications.

Medicine Program

www.themedicineprogram.com

Assists patients in program enrollment procedure but requires them to pay \$5 per medication as a processing fee.

MedlinePlus

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus

En Espanol

www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/spanish

Comprehensive consumer health site directs the user to selected online resources on many common diseases, conditions, and concerns.

Melanoma information page

www.mpip.org

Provides information regarding melanoma.

Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center: About Herbs, Botanicals & Other Products

www.mskcc.org/mskcc/html/11570.cfm

Information about alternative/complementary products.

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Mike Geltrude Foundation, Inc.

(973) 667-8650

<http://www.mikegeltrudefoundation.org/>

Foundation to raise awareness of Malignant Melanoma.

Mothers Supporting Daughters with Breast Cancer [MSDBC]

(410) 778-1982

<http://www.mothersdaughters.org/>

Support program for mothers with daughters who have breast cancer, information booklets available, mothers are matched with volunteer mothers based on daughter's diagnosis and treatment.

Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation [MMRF]

(203) 972-1250

www.multiplemyeloma.org

Supports research grants, and professional and patient symposia on multiple myeloma and related blood cancers.

National Agricultural Library: Food and Nutrition Information Center

www.nal.usda.gov/fnic/etext/000007.html

Nutritional information including for cancer patients.

National Alliance of Breast Cancer Organizations

www.nabco.org/support.htm

Information, assistance, and referrals provided by a network of breast cancer organizations.

National Asian Women's Health Organization (NAWHO)

(415) 773-2838

www.nawho.org

Information on breast and cervical cancer, research, education, leadership, and public policy programs.

National Association of Hospital Hospitality Houses, Inc

(800) 542-9730

www.nahhh.org

Lodging resource locator for patients and their families who are away from home while the patient is in treatment.

National Breast Cancer Coalition

www.natlbcc.org

Breast cancer advocacy group focused on breast cancer research and treatment

National Bone Marrow Transplant Link [BMT Link]

(248) 358-1886 or (800) LINK-BMT

<http://www.nbmtlink.org/>

Information and referrals, patient advocacy and bone marrow transplant resource guide.

National Brain Tumor Foundation [NBTF]

(800) 934-CURE

www.braintumor.org

Information on how to cope with a brain tumor; support and counseling; and offers publications, support group lists, and patient-to-patient telephone support line.

National Breast Cancer Coalition [NBCC]

(800) 622-2383

www.natlbcc.org

Breast cancer advocacy group focused on breast cancer research and treatment.

National Cancer Institute [NCI]

(301) 496-5583 or

(800) 4-CANCER (Hotline)

<http://www.cancer.gov/>

Extensive cancer information and resources, PDQ (physicians data query) a toll-free cancer hotline.

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National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine [NCCAM] Clearinghouse

(888) 644-6226

www.nccam.nih.gov

Complementary and alternative medicine
Information with links to other websites.

National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental

(703) 548-9004

www.nccaom.org

Acupuncture and Oriental medicine practitioner
information and directory of diplomats. Promotes
national recognized standards of competency.

National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship

(877) 662-7937

(888) 650-9127

www.canceradvocacy.org

Cancer survivorship and support network of
individuals, organizations, and treatment centers
working in the area of.

National Comprehensive Cancer Network

(888) 909-6226

www.nccn.com

Treatment guidelines, clinical trial information,
physician finder, and other information provided.

National Family Caregivers Association

www.thefamilycaregiver.org

Education, support and advocacy for caregivers.

National Hospice & Palliative Care Organization [NHPCO]

(703) 243-5900

(800) 658-8898

www.nhpco.org

Search engine provides contact information about
local hospice programs.

National Institutes of Health

www.nih.gov

Information on health resources, clinical trials,
Medline Plus, health hotlines; Smoking Cessation
tips and resources.

National Institute of Nursing Research

(301) 496-8230

www.nih.gov/ninr

Supports clinical research and basic research
among the nursing professionals.

National Lymphedema Network Inc

(800) 541-3259 or (510) 208-3200

www.lymphnet.org

Information, support and referrals to lymphedema
treatment centers, health care providers, and
support groups.

National Marrow Donor Program

(800) MARROW-2 or (800) 627-7692

www.marrow.org

A bone marrow donor registry that provides donor
information and organizes donor recruitment
drives.

National Ovarian Cancer Coalition [NOCC]

(561) 393-0005 or 1-888-OVARIAN

www.ovarian.org

Patient advocacy, support, and education; toll-free
telephone service and promotes

National Patient Advocate Foundation

(800) 532-5274

www.npaf.org

Legislative and policy reform information

National Patient Travel Center

(800) 296-1217, (757) 318-9145

<http://www.patienttravel.org/>

Data base of known organizations providing long
and short distance air medical transport.

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National Prostate Cancer Coalition

(202) 463-9455 or (888) 245-9455

www.fightprostatecancer.org

Education, advocacy and creates new opportunities for federal and state investments in prostate cancer research.

National Women's Health Network

(202) 347-1140

www.nwhn.org

Consumer group dealing with women's rights in health care and cancer.

Needy Meds

(215) 625-9609

www.needymeds.com

Information about each participating company's assistance program, including how the drug will be dispensed, refill information, and limitations of the program.

New Jersey Cancer Trials Connect

(1-800-788-3929)

www.njctc.org

educational resources, linkages, descriptions of clinical trial; provides insurance information and enables people to find current clinical trials in New Jersey.

New Jersey Commission on Cancer Research

www.state.nj.us/health/cancer

Cancer resources for cancer patients and their families. Offers resource book for NJ, lists NJ hospitals with clinical trials

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services

(609) 292-7837

Hot line (800) 792-8820

PAAD (800) 792-9745

New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710

www.state.nj.us/health

Information and linkages to programs, statistics, smoke-free NJ information, etc.

New Jersey State Medical Assistance Office

(800) 221-3943

<http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/dhsmed.html>

Programs to help pay medical bills for people with low incomes.

NIH Senior Health

<http://Nihseniorhealth.gov>

Aging-related health information including many types of cancer. A talking function reads the text aloud and there are buttons to enlarge or enhance the text.

NOAH

www.noah-health.org

Consumer health information in English and Spanish.

Office of Cancer Control and Prevention

New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services

(609) 292-7837

Hot line (800) 792-8820

PAAD (800) 792-9745

New Jersey Family Cares (800) 701-0710

www.state.nj.us/health/ccp/index.html

Statewide program responsible for comprehensive cancer control and prevention in NJ. Provides linkages to cancer facts, county cancer capacity and needs, and other cancer resources.

Office of Women's Health

www.fda.gov/womens/

Information on women's health topics; funds research and education/outreach on pressing women's health issues, including cancer.

Oncolink

<http://www.oncolink.com/>

Information on all types of cancers, risk and prevention, screening, updates on cancer treatments, and news about research advances and clinical trial information options.

Oncology Nursing Society

ONS Online

(412) 859-6100

www.ons.org

Information regarding cancer and cancer treatment through peer-reviewed links, educational events, educational materials, and textbooks and a legislative action center.

Online and In-print Internet Directories in Medicine

www.eMedguides.com

Listings dealing with bereavement, patient education and support groups.

Ovarian Cancer National Alliance

(202) 331-1332

www.ovariancancer.org

Increases understanding and advocates for better ways to diagnose, treat, and cure ovarian cancer.

Ovarian Cancer Research Fund, Inc

(800) 873-9569

www.ocrf.org

Dedicated to the formulation of early diagnostic treatment programs and research.

PanCan

www.pancan.org

Education, information about pancreatic cancer, support services and clinical trials. There is also a section for caregivers.

Pancreatica

www.pancreatica.org

Information about clinical trials and other responsible medical care in the treatment of pancreatic cancer.

Partners Against Pain

One Stamford Forum

Stamford CT 06901

(888) 726-7535

www.partnersagainstpain.com

Pain control information for patients and professionals.

Patient Advocate Foundation

(800) 532-5274

www.patientadvocate.org

Advocates and serves as a liaison between patient and their insurance, employer, creditors to resolve matters relative to their diagnosis.

Patient Centered Guides

(800) 998-9938

www.patientcenters.com

Information grounded in western medicine told by people who have been there.

People Living with Cancer

The American Society of Clinical Oncology

www.plwc.org

Oncologist approved information about cancer. Cancer specific sections, clinical trial information, medical dictionary and drug database, discussion groups, family and friend section, symptom management, coping strategies, oncologist directory.

Pharmacy Web

www.pharmweb.net

Information on pharmaceutical drugs.

PhRMA

(202) 835-3400

www.phrma.org

Prescription drug patient pharmacy assistance programs.

Prescription Drug Indigent Programs

(800) 762-4636

www.needymeds.com

Prescription drug patient assisted programs.

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Prostate Cancer Foundation CaPCURE

(800) 757-CURE

(310) 570-4700

www.capcure.org

Funds research, offers support and education, and fosters collaboration among various organizations and agencies.

Prostate Cancer Research Institute

(310) 743-2116

www.prostate-cancer.org

Information on prostate cancer research and improved quality of life.

Prostate Cancer Coalition of New Jersey

www.pcc-nj.org

Email: contactus@ppc-nj.org

Prostate cancer resources.

The Prostate Net

P.O. Box 2192

Secaucus, NJ 07096-2192

(888) 477-6763

<http://www.prostate-online.org>

Information, direct consultation for patients with prostate cancer. Focuses on prevention, education, support and advocacy.

Safe Ride

(800) 858-9163

(800) 587-1479

Transportation for Medicaid Patients in New Jersey, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Sarcoma

(617) 632-5122

www.sarcoma.net

Information for sarcoma patients.

Office of Senator [Name]

United States Senate

(202) 224-3121

www.senate.gov

State government internet resources for patients.

Security/SSI

Office of Public Inquiries

(800) 772-1213

www.ssa.gov

Disability benefits.

SHARE: Self-help for Women with Breast or Ovarian Cancer

Breast Hotline (212) 382-2111

Latina Hotline (212) 719-4454

Ovarian Hotline (212) 719-1204

Toll-free (866) 891-2392

(212) 719-1204

www.sharecancersupport.org

Information and hotlines, for breast and ovarian cancer. In English and Spanish.

Sisters Network

(866) 781-1808

www.sistersnetworkinc.org

Awareness of breast cancer in African-American women and provides local support.

Sisters Network of Central Jersey

(732) 246-8300

sisterscentral@aol.com

National African-American women breast cancer survivors support organizations.

Skin Cancer Foundation

(800) 754-6490

www.skincancer.org

Increase public awareness of the importance of taking protective measures against the damaging rays of the sun.

SPOHNC: Support for People with Oral and Head and Neck Cancer

(800) 377-0928

www.spohnc.org

Patient-run support offers a "survivor to survivor" network, a newsletter, information and educational materials.

Strength for Caring

www.strengthforcaring.com

Information and community for family caregivers.

Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation

(972) 855-1600 or
(800) IM-AWARE
www.breastcancerinfo.com

Funds education, research and advocacy.

Susan Love MD Foundation

(310) 230-1712
www.susanlovemd.com

Funds research and provides education and advocacy.

Testicular Cancer Resource Center

<http://tcrc.acor.org/>

Information on testicular cancer.

ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivor's Association, Inc

www.thyca.org

Information, access to support groups by thyroid cancer survivors and an online low iodine cookbook.

Thyroid-Cancer.net

www.thyroid-cancer.net

Information on thyroid nodules, thyroid cancer and treatments.

Thyroid Foundation of America

www.tsh.org/index.html

Information regarding diagnosis, appropriate treatment, and ongoing support and research.

Urology Channel: Prostate Cancer

www.urologychannel.com/prostate/cancer

Information on the symptoms, diagnostic testing, and treatment options associated with prostate cancer, as well as chat forums, support groups, recent news articles, and educational materials.

US Too Prostate Cancer Education & Support

(201) 288-8223

www.ustoo.com

Regular meetings for men living with prostate cancer and their families to provide unbiased information from experts in areas related to prostate cancer.

Val Skinner Foundation

www.valskinnerfoundation.org/

Educational information to generate breast cancer awareness among young women.

Volunteers of America - Community Emergency Assistance Coalition

(800) 889-0089

www.voa.org

Faith-based organization provides emergency services, support

WebMD

www.webmd.com

Comprehensive general information as well as extensive oncology resources.

Well Spouse Associates

63 West Main Street, Suite H

Freehold, NJ 07728

(800) 838-0879

732-577-8899

www.wellspouse.org

Support groups for spouses of people with chronic/disabling diseases.

Wellness Community

(513) 421-7111

(888) 793-9355

www.thewellnesscommunity.org/default.asp

Free support and networking groups, educational workshops, stress management, talks by experts, and social gatherings.

Women's Cancer Network

(312) 578-4139

www.wcn.org

Information to empower women to be their own health advocates.

All Out-Of-Area Resources Description
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Women's Health Hotline

(305) 333-8844

www.libov.com

Public education about women's health issues including cancer and cancer prevention.

Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization

(800) 221-2141 (Hotline-English)

(800) 986-9505 (Hotline-Espanola)

www.y-me.org

24-hour hot line, educational materials, support programs and services.

Young Survival Coalition

(212) 916-7667

www.youngsurvival.org

Information, support for young women with breast cancer.