BREAST CANCER RESOURCES

American Cancer Society
Provides a variety of services and programs for patients and families including educational programs, cancer information, support resources, and referrals for financial assistance. Some offices may provide transportation assistance, mentoring services, lodging programs, wigs and prosthesis fittings.
1-800-ACS-2345  www.cancer.org

Cancer Care
Support services include counseling provided by oncology social workers, education, financial and practical assistance. Some co-payment assistance for pharmaceutical products and limited financial grants are available (must meet eligibility requirements).
1-800-813-HOPE  www.cancercare.org

Cancer.Net
Cancer information from the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO). Offers education and information on a variety of cancer control topics including treatment, coping, and survivorship.
www.cancer.net

Fertile Hope
Reproductive information, support and hope to cancer patients and survivors whose medical treatments present the risk of infertility.
www.fertilehope.org

FORCE: Facing Our Risk of Cancer Empowered
Provides information for individuals affected by hereditary breast and ovarian cancers, whose family history or genetic status puts them at an increased risk of being diagnosed with breast cancer.
1-866-288-7475  www.facingourrisk.org

Inflammatory Breast Cancer Research Foundation
Provides information about the symptoms, diagnosis, and treatment of IBC (an advanced and accelerated form of breast cancer) as well as personal stories from IBC survivors.
1-877-786-7422  www.ibcresearch.org

Living Beyond Breast Cancer
Aims to empower women affected by breast cancer to live as long as possible with the best quality of life. Provides specialized programs and services for the newly diagnosed, young women, women with advanced breast cancer, women at high risk for developing the disease, African American and Latina women.
1-888-753-LBBC  www.lbbc.org

Metastatic Breast Cancer Network
Patient advocacy group dedicated to the unique concerns of the women and men living with metastatic breast cancer. Assist those living with stage IV breast cancer be their own best advocate through providing education and information on treatments and coping with the disease.
1-800-500-0370  www.mbcn.org

National Cancer Institute
The NCI’s Cancer Information Services provides information and free publications to the general public about all aspects of cancer control including prevention, treatment, clinical trials, cancer survivorship, and tobacco cessation.
1-800-4-CANCER  www.cancer.gov
National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship
Resources include the Cancer Survival Toolbox®, Journey Forward (program that promotes clear steps for care and monitoring after active cancer treatment), Information about Your Employment Rights and a Resource Guide.
1-888-650-9127 www.canceradvocacy.org

National Lymphedema Network
Provides information and guidance to lymphedema patients and the general public on the prevention and management of lymphedema.
1-800-541-3259 www.lymphnet.org

NCCN Guidelines for Patients
Breast cancer treatment information from one of the most comprehensive and frequently used clinical practice guidelines.
www.nccn.org/patients

Susan G. Komen for the Cure
Offers support, breast cancer information and education, including a helpline which provides free professional support services to anyone with breast health and breast cancer concerns.
1-877-GO-KOMEN www.komen.org

Triple Negative Breast Cancer Foundation
Offers free support services to patients and families coping with a diagnosis of triple negative breast cancer.
1-877-880-TNBC www.tnbcfoundation.org

Young Survival Coalition
Provides support and information for young women diagnosed with breast cancer.
1-877-YSC-1011 www.youngsurvival.org

OTHER RESOURCES…

Financial, Insurance, and Co-Payment Services and Information
Cancer Care Co-Payment Assistance Foundation www.cancercarecopay.org 1-866-55-COPAY
Chronic Disease Fund www.cdfund.org 1-877-968-7233
Cancer Financial Assistance Coalition www.cancerfac.org
Healthwell Foundation www.healthwellfoundation.org 1-800-675-8416
Needy Meds www.needymeds.org
Partnership for Prescription Assistance www.pparx.org 1-888-4PPA-NOW
Patient Access Network Foundation www.patientaccessnetwork.org 1-866-316-7263
Patient Advocate Foundation www.copays.org 1-866-512-3861

Patient and Caregiver Support Services
My Cancer Circle www.my Cancercircle.net
My Lifeline www.mylifeline.org

Survivorship
Livestrong Care Plan www.livestrongcareplan.org
Journey Forward www.journeyforward.org

Other
Cancer and Careers www.cancerandcareers.org
This list provides some reliable breast cancer resources. There is much information on the internet but not all is accurate or reliable. False claims about cancer cures, cancer prevention, treatment scams, and cancer misinformation unfortunately can be found online. For more information please go to the National Cancer Institute’s page on Evaluating Online Sources of Cancer Information at [www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/cancerlibrary/health-info-online](http://www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/cancerlibrary/health-info-online)