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CANCER RESEARCH

RESEARCH IS AT THE HEART OF OUR MISSION. FOR MORE THAN 65 YEARS, THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY HAS BEEN FINDING ANSWERS THAT SAVE LIVES – FROM CHANGES IN LIFESTYLE TO NEW APPROACHES IN THERAPIES TO IMPROVING CANCER PATIENTS' QUALITY OF LIFE. IN FACT, NO SINGLE PRIVATE, NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN THE US HAS INVESTED MORE TO FIND THE CAUSES AND CURES OF CANCER.

PATIENT SUPPORT

WE HELP INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE EXPERIENCING CANCER TO LEARN ABOUT MAKING TREATMENT DECISIONS, COPING WITH SIDE EFFECTS, HANDLING FINANCIAL MATTERS, CAREGIVING, AND LIVING WELL AFTER CANCER. WE ALSO PROVIDE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES TO HELP CANCER PATIENTS MANAGE TREATMENT AND RECOVERY AND FIND THE EMOTIONAL SUPPORT THEY NEED. AND BEST OF ALL, OUR HELP IS FREE.

PREVENTION INFORMATION AND EDUCATION

THROUGH OUR SERIES OF CANCER PREVENTION STUDIES – AS WELL AS INFORMATION GAINED FROM RESEARCHERS WHOSE WORK WE HELP FUND – WE'VE BEEN ABLE TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ABOUT LIFESTYLE CHOICES THAT CAN SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCE CANCER RISK.

For information and support, visit or call us 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year, at www.cancer.org or 1-800-227-2345.

DETECTION AND TREATMENT

CANCER SCREENING GUIDELINES WE DEVELOP ARE USED BY HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS ACROSS THE NATION TO HELP INDIVIDUALS FIND CANCER EARLY, WHEN IT'S EASIER TO TREAT. ALSO, OUR RESEARCH EFFORTS CONTINUE TO DISCOVER BETTER WAYS OF TREATING CANCER, AND WE'RE HERE 24/7 TO SUPPORT THOSE UNDERGOING CANCER TREATMENT.