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#### **Financial Resources**

211 of San Diego	211 provide information and referrals on local resources.
2-1-1 or 858-300-1212	
Aging and Independent Services (AIS)  9335 Hazard Way Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 800-510-2020 858-495-5276	A Program of the County of San Diego which provides services to older adults (age 55 and older), <b>people with disabilities</b> and their family members, to help keep clients safely in their homes, promote healthy and vital living. Case Management Services. Information/referral for seniors.
Bone Marrow Foundation (Cancer Care)  337 East 88 <sup>th</sup> St. Ste. 1B  New York, NY 10128  800-813-4673	The Bone Marrow Foundation' Patient Aid Program covers the cost of donor searches, compatibility testing, bone marrow procurement, medication, transportation, housing expenses and many other ancillary costs associated with a transplant. Please call or check out their website for more information.
Bone Marrow Foundation of San Diego (BMF)  310 S. Twin Oaks Valley Rd. Ste. 107-140 San Marcos, Ca. 92078 877-BMF-4733 (877-263-4733) (# appears to be wrong) P.O Box 882415 San Diego, Ca. 92168-2415 (Kathy Emerson)	The Bone Marrow Foundation provides financial assistance to patients in San Diego that require funding for confirmatory HLA testing for family members or unrelated donors.
C.U.I. Home Energy Assistance Program  3959 Ruffin Rd. Ste. G San Diego, Ca. 92123 800-371-1380	C.U.I. provides assistance with your SDG&E bill. Please call for eligibility requirements. An appointment is necessary.
California Health Collaborative  1625 E. Shaw Ave. Ste. 155 Fresno, Ca. 93710 chcmail@healthcollaborative.org 559-221-6315	The California Health Collaborative implements an array of health promotion and disease prevention projects, and cancer treatment programs. It is committed to addressing the health needs of Californians who have limited access to resources affecting their well- being. Those who face barriers related to culture and language, geography, and financial resources are of particular focus. For more information, please call or visit their website.

Cancer angels of San Diego	Cancer angels of San Diego provides financial assistance to Stage IV cancer patients (all types of
P.O. Box 230286	cancer) living in San Diego County. Payments are
Encinitas, Ca. 92023-0286	made directly to the provider of the services
760-942-6346	needed by the client.
eve@cancerangelsofsandiego.com	
Cancer Fund of America	Cancer Fund of America can help cancer patients, hospices, and other healthcare providers by way
2223 N. 56 <sup>th</sup> St 2901 Breezewood Lane	of sending products free of charge directly to
Mesa, AZ. 85215 Knoxville, TN. 37921	them. Please explore the website to find out
973-361-7366 1-800- 578-5284	what products are available.
www.cfoa.org	
Cancer.com	Provides links to various financial resources and legal support.
CancerCare	CancerCare helps in a variety of ways, from
	providing information and resources to limited
275 Seventh Ave.	financial grants plus other financial resources and
New York, NY. 10001	special programs for San Diego.
800-813 HOPE (4673)	
info@cancercare.org	
The Caregivers Marketplace	The Caregivers Marketplace is the nation's first
	cash back program for anyone who gives gets or
W229N2510 Duplainville Rd	needs care. You may receive cash back on eligible
Waukesha, WI. 53186	products that are not typically covered by
1-800-888-0889	insurance or Medicare no matter where you buy
	them. The program is free. Please contact them
	for more information.
Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services	The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
	(CMS) is a Federal agency within the US
7500 Security Blvd.	Department of Health and Human Services.
Baltimore, MD 21244	Programs for which CMS is responsible include
877-267-2323	Medicare, Medicaid, State Children's Health
	Insurance Program (SCHIP), HIPPA, and LCIA
Chronic Disease Fund	Financial assistance for patients with cancers (&
6000 N. Dallas Parkway Sta. 200	other medical problems) who have insurance who
6900 N. Dallas Parkway Ste. 200 Plano, TX. 75024	are unable to cover co-pays and other out-of-
FIGUU. IA. 73074	pocket expenses.
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877-968-7233 www.cdfund.org	

Department of Community Services and Development  P.O. Box 1947 Sacramento, Ca. 95812 866-675-6623 webinfo@csd.ca.gov	Community Services & Development (CSD) is a state department of the California Health and Human Services Agency. CSD administers federal programs to assist low-income families to achieve and maintain self-sufficiency, and meet their home energy needs. HEAT Program-apply at your county of residence. For more information, please call or visit their website.
Department of Health care Services  916-445-4171	Their Mission is to protect and promote the health of Californians through the financing and delivery of individual health care services. The DHCS finances and administers a number of individual health care service delivery programs, including the California Medical Assistance Program (Medical). Please contact them for more information.
Www.eldercaredirectory.org	A comprehensive eldercare resource ranging from senior housing to finding help with legal and financial matters.
Health & Human Services Agency, Public Assistance  866-262-9881 or 858-514-6885	San Diego information Unit: In County Toll-Free 866-262-8881; Out of County Not Toll-Free 858-514-6885, provides information on application for financial assistance that includes Medi-Cal and CMS.
Health Resources and Services Administration's Bureau of Primary Health Care	The HRSA Bureau of Primary Health Care offers Health Centers that provide health care to low-income and other vulnerable populations. Health Centers care for people regardless of their ability to pay. They provide primary and preventive health care, as well as services such as transportation and translation. To locate a Health Center, please visit their website.
P.O. Box 4133 Gaithersburg, Md. 20885-4133 800-675-8416 ext. 6 info@healthwellfoundation.org	The HealthWell Foundation provides financial assistance to eligible patients to cover certain out-of –pocket health care costs, including chemotherapy drug copayments and deductibles. Please visit the website for list of eligible illnesses.

Hill -Burtin Free Hospital Care	Through the US Department of Health and Human
	Resources, Office of Special Programs, the Hill-
5600 Fisher Lane	Burton program obligates facilities to provide free
Room 10-105	or reduced cost medical services to those who
Rockville, MD 20857 800-638-0742	meet certain eligibility criteria and are uninsured and underinsured.
In Home Supportive Services	In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) program is
790 Pay Plyd Sto 200	covered through Medi-Cal and provides in-home services such as, transportation, housekeeping,
780 Bay Blvd. Ste 200 Chula Vista, Ca. 91910	and more to low-income residents, dependent
866-351-7722	adult, and seniors. Please call for eligibility
800-510-2020	requirements and further information.
info@sdihsspa.com	requirements and rarties information
Internal Revenue Services (IRS)	Medical costs that are not covered by insurance
	policies sometimes can be deducted form annual
800-876-1715	income before taxes. Examples of tax deductible
	expenses might include mileage for trip to and
	from medical appointments, out-of-pocket costs
	for treatment and prescription drugs or
La La sita de de la contra de Carta (UC)	equipment. For more information call the IRS.
Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (LLS)	LLS offers information and financial aid to
1311 Mamaroneck Ave. Ste 310	patients who have leukemia, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Hodgkin's Lymphoma, or multiple
White Plains, NY. 10605	myeloma. Callers may request a booklet
800-215-1098	describing LLS's Patient Aid Program or the
000 213 1030	telephone number for their local LLS office. Some
	publications are available in Spanish.
Lifeline and Linkup	This program provides information and resources
	regarding federal and state Lifeline and Link-up
445 12 <sup>th</sup> Street SW	programs. Lifeline and Link-up are programs that
Washington, DC 20554	help ensure everyone has access to telephone
888-225-5322	service. These programs provide discounts to
	income-eligible individuals for both the initial
	installation costs of telephone service and for
	monthly telephone bills. Please contact them for
Lymphoma Poscarch Foundation	more information.  Patients can be reimbursed up to \$200.00 for
Lymphoma Research Foundation	quality life expenses, including travel and
8800 Venice Blvd. Ste. 207	transportation (usually gas receipts), temporary
Los Angeles, Ca. 90034	lodging, childcare, homecare, cosmetic aides
800-500-0076	(wigs, hats), medical devices and hygiene
	products (bandages, lotions). It is highly
	recommended that patients begin saving receipts
1	for covered expenses as soon as possible.

MAAC Project	MAAC provides social-human services assistance.
•	Please call for information on the application
2345 East 8 <sup>th</sup> St. Ste 105	process and which zip code areas are included.
National City, Ca. 91950	i i
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1355 Third Ave.	
Chula Vista, Ca. 91911	
619-426-3595	
Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit	Effective November 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2005, Medicare
	recipients can sigh up for this new program.
800-434-0222 (California only)	Deadline is May 15, 2006 to avoid a penalty.
	Unless you qualify for extra help, you will need to
	pay a monthly premium, an annual deductible
	and co payments that will vary according to the
	plan you choose and where you live. Please call
	or visit the web site for details.
Moonlight Cancer Foundation	Moonlight Cancor Foundation provides financial
Moonlight Cancer Foundation	Moonlight Cancer Foundation provides financial assistance to San Diego area cancer patients.
P.O. Box 231454	They are dedicated to easing the burden of
Encinitas, Ca. 92023	financial challenges for those living with cancer.
www.moonlightcancerfoundation.org	Please call for more information.
www.mooningneedreerroundation.org	Trease can for more imornation.
National Association for the Terminally III (NATI)	NATI provides financial assistance to the children
	and families of those suffering from cancer whose
P.O. Box 368	life expectancy is 2 years or less. Needs are
Shelbyville, KY 40066-0368	evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Assistance
888-847-0390	may include rent or mortgage, groceries, car
www.Caring4cancer.com	payment, etc.
National Cancer Institute (NCI)	List of financial resources with links to nonprofit
	organizations and government-sponsored
6116 Executive Blvd. Ste 3036A	programs.
Bethesda, MD. 20892	
800-422-6237	
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National Foundation for Transplants (NFT)	National Foundation for Transplants offers
5350 Poplar Ave. Ste 430	assistance in paying for organ and marrow transplant costs not covered by insurance. The
Memphis, TN 38119	organization provides fund raising assistance and
800-489-3863 or 901-684-1697	advocacy on behalf of the patient.
www.Transplants.org	advocacy on benan or the patient.
www.iranspiants.org	

Nice Guys	Nice Guys is a non-profit charitable organization
	that has gone to help families get back on their
PO Box 881456	feet and be self-sufficient. The Nice Guys serve
San Diego, Ca. 92168	the community and take social responsibility.
858-509-9443	
www.sdniceguys.com	
Patient Access Network Foundation	Patient Access Network Foundation supports the
	needs of patients who cannot access the
PO Box 221858	treatments they need due to out-of –pocket
Charlotte, NC 28222-1858	health care costs associated with insurance
886-316-7263	coverage deductibles, copayments, and
contact@patientaccessnetwork.org	coinsurance. To be eligible for assistance,
	patients must be US residents and meet certain
	financial, medical and insurance criteria as set by
	the Foundation's Board of Directors. Cancers
	funded are listed on the website.
Patient Advocate Foundation (PAF)	The Patient Advocate Foundation (PAF) is a
000 500 5074 000 540 0004	national nonprofit organization that provides
800-532-5274 or 866-512-3861	education, legal counseling, and referrals to
pap@patientadvocate.org	cancer patients and survivors concerning
	managed care insurance, financial issues, job
	discrimination, and debt crisis matters.
Physician's Rx Care	The Physician's Rx Care, a discount pharmacy card
	program, and the San Diego County Medical
San Diego County Medical Society	Society Foundation have partnered to help you
868-565-8888	serve your uninsured/underinsured patients and
www.physiciansrxcare.com	those without prescription benefits who require
	medications. No fees to participate. Please
	contact the Medical Society office for more
Duning Annual	information.
Project Access	San Diego County Medical Services (CMS) is a
FF7F Duffin Dd Cto 2F0	program that funds medical care for uninsured
5575 Ruffin Rd. Ste. 250	indigent adult county residents. While not a
San Diego, Ca. 92123	health insurance program, CMS funds services
858-565-8888	through a network of community health centers,
www.sdms.org	private physicians and hospitals. For more information, please call or visit their website.
San Diego County Medical Services (CMS)	Provides medical assistance to eligible adults for
<b>5</b> , (,	urgent or serious health problems.
8840 Complex Dr. # 300	
San Diego, Ca. 92123	
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858-492-4444	

SDG&E Medical Baseline Allowance	To help people with special health needs, SDG&E offers medical baseline allowances that provide
800-411-SDGE (7343) www.ucan.org	additional regulated utility charges at the baseline rate, which can help keep energy costs down.
Social Security Administration (SSA)  6401 Security Blvd. Rm. 4-C-5  Annex  Baltimore, MD 21235  800-772-1213	Nearly everything you want to know about retirement and disability benefits from the Social Security Administration.
Social Security San Diego Office	Locate your local branch office from their website.
Stem Cell Donor Center, San Diego Blood Bank  3636 Gateway Center Ave. Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92102 440 Upas St San Diego, Ca. 92103 800-4MY-SDBB ext. 8268 (800-469-7322) bonemarrow@sandiegobloodbank.org	Currently, the NMDP and the Bone Marrow Foundation of San Diego are providing the funds to cover the cost of testing for both non-minority and minority ethnicities. Once a donor is found to match a patient, the cost of the donation procedure is paid by the NMDP. You will not be charged for any expenses resulting from further testing to identify you are the best available donor or for the collection of your blood stem cells.
Supplemental Security Income 800-772-1213	SSI supplements Social Security payments for individuals who have certain income and resource levels. Information on eligibility, coverage, and how to file a claim is available from the Social Security administration.
Veterans Benefits  810 Vermont Ave. NW Washington, DC 20420 877-222-8387	Eligible veterans and their dependents may receive cancer treatment at a Veterans Administration Medical Center. Treatment for service-connected conditions is provided, and treatment for other conditions may be available based on the veteran's financial need. Some publications are available in Spanish. Spanish-speaking staff is available in some offices.

#### **Insurance Resources**

A Helping Hand	A Helping Hand, a division of Purdy Helpful, LLC,
2014 Murahy Canyon Dd	offers Medi-Cal consulting and a mobile public
3914 Murphy Canyon Rd.	notary. Yvonne Purdy-Luxtom provides free CMS
San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-279-6721 or 619-253-5551	and Medi-Cal screenings at reasonable rates. 8 years experience working at Medi-Cal, and 6 plus
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ysplahh@aol.com	years in Medi-Cal consulting in the private sector.
	Yvonne specializes in providing options that meet Medi-Cal requirements and may allow you to
	preserve your assets.
American Cancer Society (ACS)	What are your rights as a patient? What should
American cancer society (Acc)	you expect from your employer? How do you
2655 Camino del Rio M. Ste 100	handle insurance issues? Get help dealing with
San Diego, Ca. 92108	financial and legal matters related to your cancer
800-ACS-2345 (800-277-2345)	experience.
619-299-4200	(S., po. 16.1166)
California Department of Insurance Services	Provides information and referrals for health
	insurance and benefits-related issues. Also helps
800-927-4357	with complaints.
California Department of Managed Health Care	Provides information and assistance with health
	maintenance organizations (HMO) legislation,
980 Ninth St. Ste. 500	community or personal intervention for patients
Sacramento, Ca. 95814	who belong to HMO's. Call M-F. 8AM-5PM.
877-688-9891	
California HMO Consumer Hotline	This hotline provides coverage information to
	California residents and handles complaints
800-400-0815	related to HMO"s.
California Major Risk Medical Insurance	The Major Risk Medical Insurance Program
Program	(MRMIP) provides health insurance for
	Californians who are unable to obtain coverage in
P.O. Box 2769	the individual health insurance market.
C	
Sacramento, Ca. 95812-2769	
916-324-4695	
	CancerCare helps in a variety of ways, from
916-324-4695 CancerCare	providing information and resources to limited
916-324-4695 CancerCare 275 Seventh Ave.	providing information and resources to limited financial grants plus other financial resources and
916-324-4695 CancerCare  275 Seventh Ave. New York, NY. 10001	providing information and resources to limited
916-324-4695 CancerCare 275 Seventh Ave.	providing information and resources to limited financial grants plus other financial resources and

Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services	The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
	(CMS) is a Federal agency within the US
7500 Security Blvd.	Department of Health and Human Services.
Baltimore, MD 21244	Programs for which CMS is responsible include
877-267-2323	Medicare, Medicaid, State Children's Health
	Insurance Program (SCHIP), HIPPA, and LCIA
Community Christian Service Agency	Our service centers provide emergency and
	transitional support on a walk-in basis to people
4167 Rappahannock Ave.	in need of assistance. Provide help with food,
San Diego, Ca. 92117	clothing, basic health assessments, temporary
858-274-2273	housing, bus tokens, gas vouchers, prescription
Joyce Snyder Center	medicines, resource counseling and referrals or
1675 Garnet Ave.	other emergency needs as evaluated by the
San Diego, Ca. 92109	agency.
858-272-9163	
Consumer Center for Health Education and	Provides information and referrals for Medi-Cal,
Advocacy	insurance and benefits-related issues, as well as
	providing legal assistance for Medi-Cal issues.
1764 San Diego Ave.	
San Diego, Ca. 92111	
877-734-3258	
Employment Development Department, State of	Direct link to job placement and referrals,
California	unemployment insurance, disability insurance,
	employment and training, labor market
800 Capital Mall, MIC 83	information, payroll taxes, and more.
Sacramento, Ca. 95814	
800-327-9092	
Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy	HICAP, the Health Insurance Counseling and
Program (HICAP)	
,	Advocacy Program, provides information and
,	Advocacy Program, provides information and assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs),
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100	, , ,
	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs),
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil  Healthcare Insurance Solutions	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in commercial health plans, State of Federal public
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil  Healthcare Insurance Solutions  335 Shandy Lane	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in commercial health plans, State of Federal public program eligibility, and community health
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil  Healthcare Insurance Solutions  335 Shandy Lane Ramona, Ca. 92065	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in commercial health plans, State of Federal public program eligibility, and community health resources. The objective is to obtain health care
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil  Healthcare Insurance Solutions  335 Shandy Lane Ramona, Ca. 92065 760-315-1000	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in commercial health plans, State of Federal public program eligibility, and community health resources. The objective is to obtain health care access utilizing a comprehensive option plan
5151 Murphy Canyon Rd. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-565-1392 ext. 203 dweil@seniorlaw-sd.org David Weil  Healthcare Insurance Solutions  335 Shandy Lane Ramona, Ca. 92065	assistance with Medicare, managed care (HMOs), long-term care insurance and other related health insurance issues. Trained volunteer counselors offer objective information to help seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries make health care decisions.  Licensed California Insurance agent specializing in commercial health plans, State of Federal public program eligibility, and community health resources. The objective is to obtain health care

HealthWell Foundation	The HealthWell Foundation provides financial assistance to eligible patients to cover certain
P.O. Box 4133 Gaithersburg, Md. 20885-4133	out-of –pocket health care costs, including chemotherapy drug copayments and deductibles.
800-675-8416 ext. 6	Please visit the website for list of eligible illnesses.
info@healthwellfoundation.org	, and the second
Healthy San Diego	Provides education for persons on Medi-Cal who must enroll in a managed care health plan.
San Diego, Ca. 619-515-6584	
Instituto Mexicano Del Seguro Social (IMSS)	For Mexican of birth or the origin that lives in the United States and wishes to protect their health
01-800-623-2323	and their families in Mexico. Enroll with us and receive the service of the IMSS in Mexico. Call for more information.
Consulado General de Mexico	See above.
2401 West 6 <sup>th</sup> St.	
Los Angeles, Ca. 90057	
800-981-2486 or 213-351-6800 Ext. 2518	
Insurance for Survivors.com	Insurance for Survivors helps people with a
	history of cancer obtain affordable, quality life
david@insurancefor survivors.com	insurance. Drawing from a pool of 200 life
Sent message to update information. He did not return message.	insurance companies, they match your needs with companies that understand your illness.
	, companies suas en acresana y car inneces
Life Insurance Settlement Association	Provides information on Life Insurance. For more information, please call or visit their website.
1011 E. Colonial Dr. Ste 500	information, pieuse can of visit their website.
Orlando, Fl 32803	
407-894-3797	
Medi-Cal	Medi-Cal is California's Medicaid health care
	program. This program pays for a variety of
San Diego, Ca. 619-688-6131 or 888-724-7302	medical services for children and adults with limited income and resources. Medi-Cal is
013-000-0131 UI 000-724-73U2	supported by federal and state taxes. You can apply for Medi-Cal benefits, regardless of sex, race, religion, color, national origin, sexual orientation, marital status, age, disability, or veteran status.

Medicaid	A Jointly funded, Federal_State health insurance
	program for people who need financial assistance
7500 Security Blvd.	for medical expenses, is coordinated by the
Baltimore, MD 21244	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS).
877-267-2323	Information about coverage is available from local
	state welfare offices, state health departments,
	state social services agencies, or the state
	Medicaid office. Information about specific state
	contacts is also available on the Website. Spanish
	speaking staff is available in some offices.
Medicare	Presented in English and Spanish, the website
	offers cancer patient's detailed information
7500 Security Blvd.	needed to enroll in Medicare. Social Security
Baltimore, MD. 21244-1850	Administration. 800-722-1213
800-638-6833 or 800-999-1118	
Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit	Effective November 15, 2005, Medicare recipients
	can sign up for this new program. Deadline is
800-434-0222 (California Only)	May 15, 2006 to avoid penalty. Unless you qualify
	for extra help, you will need to pay a monthly
	premium, an annual deductible and copayments
	that will vary according to the plan you choose
	and where you live. Please call or visit the
	website for details.
National Cancer Institute (NCI)	List of financial resources with links to nonprofit
	organizations and government-sponsored
6116 Executive Blvd. Ste 3036A	programs.
Bethesda, MD. 20892	
800-422-6237	
National Foundation for Credit Counseling	The National Foundation for Credit Counseling
(NFCC)	(NFCC), Inc., through its member agencies, sets
	the national standard for quality credit
2000 M St. Ste 505	counseling, debt reduction services and education
Washington, DC 20036	for financial wellness. NFCC is the nation's
202-677-4300	largest and longest serving national nonprofit
www.nfcc.org	credit counseling.
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National Insurance Consumer Helpline	A hotline established to answer consumer
•	questions and provide problem-solving support as
	questions and provide problem solving support as
1001 Pennsylvania Ave. NW	well as printed materials. The hotline is staffed by
1001 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20004	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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Patient Advocate Foundation (PAF)	The Patient Assistance Program assists with Co-
	Pay relief to patients diagnosed with:
421 Butler Farm Rd.	Autoimmune Disorders, Breast Cancer, Colon
Hampton, Va. 23666	Cancer, Diabetes, Head and Neck, Kidney Cancer,
800-532-5274	Lung Cancer, Lymphoma, Malignant Brain
	Tumors, Pancreatic Cancer, Prostate Cancer,
	Sarcoma, Macular Degeneration, Secondary
	issues as a result of cancer treatment. Please call
Port of Access	for more information.
Project Access	Project Access serves residents who have a
5575 Ruffin Rd.	medical need and no healthcare coverage by
San Diego, Ca. 92123	linking callers with physicians and medical services. Discounted rates are charged in
858-565-8888	exchange for payment at the time of service.
838-303-8888	Please call for further information.
San Diego County Medical Services (CMS)	Provides medical assistance to eligible adults for
8840 Complex Dr. # 300	urgent or serious health problems.
San Diego, Ca. 92123	
858-492-4444	
030 432 4444	
Scripps Clinic	This web page lists detailed information about
	different available insurance resources such as
1-800-SCRIPPS-	Major risk Medical Insurance Program in
	California, federal programs, help lines and more.
U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits,	Provides information on COBRA, Medicaid,
Security Administration (EBSA)	Medigap, and family and Medical Leave Act. For
	more information, please call or visit their
US Department of Labor	website.
200 Constitution Ave. NW	
Washington, DC 20210	
866-487-2365	
UCSF Cancer Resource Center	UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center provides
	benefits counseling covering most all insurance
1600 Divisadero St. B101	concerns. Available through the Cancer Resource
San Francisco, Ca. 94115	Center, call for more information.
415-885-3693	
CancerResourceCenter@ucsfmedctr.org	

### **Transportation Resources**

<b>211 of San Diego</b> 2-1-1 or 858-300-1212	211 provide information and referrals on local resources.
Aall Care: Lake San Marcos  1145 San Marino Dr. Ste 314 Lake San Marcos, Ca. 92069 760-471-7033 619-297-9601	Transportation available for residents of North County. Just call 2 days in advance to ensure transportation or for further details. Fee is \$75 for 4 hours. (rates negotiable)
Ability Center  4797 Ruffner St. San Diego, Ca. 92111 858-541-0552 or 866-405-6806	The company offers mini and full size accessible vans that are ready to drive away. They also offer a full line of manual or powered wheelchairs, scooters, lifts, carriers and accessories.
Air Care Alliance  1515 East 71 <sup>st</sup> St. Ste 312 Tulsa, OK. 74136 888-260-9707 mail@aircareall.org	This site links you to nationwide listings of organizations that provide transport for patients and sometimes family members needing to get to treatment.
American Cancer Society (ACS)  2655 Camino del Rio N. Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92108 800-ACS-2345 (800-277-2345) 619-299-4200	What are your rights as a patient? What should you expect from your employer? How do you handle insurance issues? Get help dealing with financial and legal matters related to your cancer experience.
Angel Flight West  3161 Donald Douglas Loop South Santa Monica, Ca. 90405 310-390-2958 or 888-426-2643	Offers free air transportation to medical treatment of patient's unable to find their own transportation. Patient must be medically stable. For additional information, call M-F 8:30 AM-4:30 PM.

Angels at Work	Angels at Work is a non-profit organization that
	provides basic services to individuals battling
31805 Temecula Parkway # 166	cancer in the Temecula Valley. Through generous
Temecula, Ca. 92592	support and donations made by the community,
951-755-3202	Angels at Work is able to provide much needed
info@angelsatwork.org	services at no charge to patients suffering from
	mental and physical pain of cancer. Services
	offered include: transportation to medical
	treatments, house cleaning, yard maintenance,
Province Continue Continue Continue	granting small wishes and more.
Borrego Springs Senior Center	Local transportation available in Borrego Springs
404.4	area only. Donations only. Please call for more
434 Aqua Lane	information M-F 10 AM-3 PM.
Ramona, Ca. 92065	
760-789-0440	
Care-A-Van	Offers non emergency ground medical
	transportation. \$69.50 Round Trip or \$2.25 per
800-326-2450	mile. Call for details. M-F 5:30 AM- 5:30 PM.
	Wheelchair accessibility.
Carlsbad Senior Center	Transportation to appointments for Carlsbad
	residents only. Wheelchair lift available. Goes
799 Pine Ave.	north as far as Tri-City Medical Center and as far
Carlsbad, Ca. 92008	south as Scripps, Encinitas. NO fee, but 50 cents
760-602-4655	donation is suggested. Limited availability; please
	call with advance notice. Only 2 appointments
	per week available M, T, TH, and F between the
	hours of 2:00 and 3:00PM.
Centro Hispanic Senior Center	Offers transportation within 10miles of the
ALOC ADID CI	center. Donations accepted. Will take to doctor
4186 42 <sup>nd</sup> St.	and lawyer appointments. Call one week in
San Diego, Ca. 92105	advance M-F between 8-11 AM.
619-283-2111	
Coordinated Transportation Service Agency	ADA Paratransit is curb-to-curb bus service for
(CTSA)	individuals who are unable to use regular public
	bys, trolley, or Coaster due to physical or
401 B St. Ste 800	cognitive impairment. ADA certification is
San Diego, Ca. 92101	required before making a reservation. Please call
	077 222 7422 - 760 066 6525 (
619-699-1900	877-232-7433 or 760-966-6525 for more
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Westchester County Airport	treatment. Patients must be ambulatory. Call 2-3
1 Loop Rd.	weeks in advance, with appointment location and
White Plains, NY 10604	time. M-F 8:30-5 PM eastern time.
866-328-1313	
DART	Offers curb-to-curb services to the Rancho
	Bernardo, Scripps Ranch areas. \$1.50 for Seniors
639 13 <sup>th</sup> St.	and \$3.00 regular fare. Services also available in
San Diego, Ca. 92101	Paradise Hills, Mid City and Mira Mesa. Call M-F
877-841-3278	from 4 AM to 8 PM for pick up times or other
	details.
E & E Transportation	Provides free transportation for Regional Center
	and special events. Wheelchair lift equipped.
395 North Coast Highway 101	Operates M-F 6-5PM. Available for people with
Encinitas, Ca. 92008	disabilities in East County and North County.
760-942-9677	
(Cannot find on web. I called and left msg)	
Escondido Out and About	Free shuttle services for Escondido residents.
	Medical appointments on Monday and Thursday;
1151 South Redwood St.	shopping on Tuesday and Friday. Call at least 72
Escondido, Ca. 92025	hours in advance to ensure transportation and
760-480-1030	specify if wheelchair lift is required.
Faith in Action	Local Faith in Action programs bring together
	volunteers from many faith to work together to
4069 30 <sup>th</sup> St.	care for their neighbors who have long-term
San Diego, Ca. 92104	health needs. Volunteers help those in need by
619-284-9281 (This # goes to eldercare)	providing non-medical assistance with tasks such
ors for secretary	as picking up a few groceries to running errands
	and providing a ride to the doctor. For more
	information, please call or visit their website.
Friends in Service to Humanity (FISH)	Free Ground transportation. Must call 3-4 days
, · · ·	before needing ride to assure transportation is
5940 Kelton Ave.	available. Only service East County Residents.
La Mesa, Ca. 91942	Call M-Sun. 7 AM-7 PM to schedule a ride or for
619-390-0399	more information.
Gloria E. McClellan Senior Center	Gloria E. McClellan Senior Center offers
	transportation to seniors in the Vista area. Please
1400 Vale Terrace Dr.	call for more information M-F 8-4 PM.
Vista, Ca. 92084	
760-639-6164	
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Joan's Journey Senior Transportation Program	Transportation provides for shopping, doctor's
2255 Marris Disco	appointments, and errands. Services central San
3355 Morago Place	Diego and beach areas; no South Bay or East
San Diego, Ca. 92117 858-273-7273 or 619-889-0103	County. Rates are \$17.00 for the first half hour
858-2/3-/2/3 0r 619-889-0103	and \$5.00 per 15 minutes thereafter. Call 2-7
	days in advance M-F 8-5 PM. To ensure transportation.
Laidlaw Transit	Available for Seniors and persons with disabilities.
Laidiaw ITalisit	Serves Poway, Rancho Bernardo, and
212343 Oak Knoll Rd.	Penasquitos. Wheelchair lift equipped. Call 2-7
Poway, Ca. 92064	days in advance M-Sun 8-5 PM. Fees range from
858-748-8152 or 800-921-9664	\$3.50-\$4.50.
030 7 10 0132 01 000 321 300 1	\$3.30 \$ 1.30.
Lifeline Rural	Transportation costs vary per ride from \$1.00-
	\$3.00; lines are wheelchair lift equipped. Please
800-266-6883	contact San Diego County Transit System for more
	details M_F 8-5:30 PM. Or link to their Online Trip
	Planner from their homepage.
Lutheran Social Services	Provides free transportation twice a month to
	seniors who meet income requirements and live
270 F St. Ste. 21	in Chula Vista. Call 5 days in advance M-F 9-3 PM
Chula Vista, Ca. 91910	for transportation. Cost is free to individuals who
619-476-7055	meet income requirements or \$3.00 each way.
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Mercy Hospital	No Charge to patients with a 7 mile radius of the
	hospital. Please make appointment 24 hours in
4077 Fifth Ave	advance. Doctor or Nurse must have the
San Diego, Ca. 92103	appointment. Lift equipped. 8 AM- 5 PM M-F
619-407-4680 or 619-294-8111	and 10 AM- 2 PM Sat.
Metropolitan Transit System Access	Ground transportation. Must be ADA (American
200 Cooley Ave	Disability Act) Certified in order to ride for \$4.50
800 Sesler Ave.	round trip. Call 2 days in advance M-Sun 8-5 PM
El Cajon, Ca. 92113	to confirm ride or for details about services.
888-517-9627	
National Patient Air Transport Helpline	The National Patient Travel helpline provides
	information about all forms of charitable, long
800-296-1217	distance medical air transportation and provides
	referrals to all appropriate sources of help
	available in the national charitable medical air
	transportation network.

National Patient Travel Center  4620 Haygood Rd. Ste 103 Virginia Beach, Va. 23455 800-296-1217	PatientTravel.org is the website for the National Travel Center, providing services to those seeking a way to travel long-distances for specialized medical evaluations, diagnosis and treatment.  Call or e-mail mercymedical.erols.com.
No Vacancy  1325 Grand Ave. Ste 103 San Marcos, Ca. 92078 760-471-5346	Provides curb-to-curb service to all of San Diego. Cost varies depending upon distance. Medi-Cal accepted. Wheelchair equipped. Please call 2 days in advance M-F 8-5 PM to arrange for transportation.
North County Lifeline Community Services  200 Michigan Ave. Vista, Ca. 92084 760-726-1111	Offers curb-to-curb transportation to individuals with certified disabilities through the ADA (American Disabilities Act). Cost is \$3.50 each way. Services North County only. Call M-Sun 8-5 PM for service area and other details.
North County Transit District  810 Mission Ave. Oceanside, Ca. 92054 760-966-6500	Online bus route information is available and more.
Paradise Valley Hospital  2400 4 <sup>th</sup> St.  National City, Ca. 91950 619-470-4321	Transportation provided to Paradise Valley Hospital and surrounding medical clinics within a 12 mile radius of hospital. Call 1 week in advance for a ride or 2 weeks in advance for wheelchair access. Call M-F 7:30-3:30 PM for more information or to reserve rides.
Peninsula Shephard Senior Center  1475 Catalina Blvd. San Diego, Ca. 92107 858-565-1392	Provides transportation to individuals who reside in the zip codes of 92106 (Point Loma) and 92107 (Ocean Beach). Donations only. No wheelchair access. Mainly grocery shopping and local appointments. Pick up and drop off from home. Call a few days ahead of time to ensure transportation.
Poway Transit  12313 Oak Knoll Rd.  Poway, Ca. 92064  858-748-8152 or 877-232-7433	Fixed route transportation for Poway area. Fee is \$1.75.

Serves the areas of Spring Street Trolley Station South Barcelona Dr., and Austin Dr., Jamacha, Doubletree and Rancho San Diego Village. Call M F 9-5 PM 2-3 days in advance. Donations accepted.  Redwood Elder Link Provides transportation services to senior citizer and disabled individuals living in Escondido for doctor appointments and shopping. Call M-F 90 Escondido, Ca. 92025 760-480-1030  Rides and Smiles Provides transportation to seniors 60 years and older in Poway, Rancho Bernardo, Rancho Penasquitos, and Diamond Gateway. Must be ambulatory. Appointments need to be made 1 week in advance. Cost is a donation based on income. Please call for enrollment.  Scripps Clinic Rancho Bernardo Clinic to Green Hospital in La Jolla M, W, F at 9 AM and 11:30 AM to La Jolla and at 1 PM and 5 PM from La Jolla. No wheelchairs. Available to Scripps patients only. There is a \$10.00 round tr fee. Call 1 business day in advance to schedule a ride.  Senior on the Go Transportation Services Offers non-emergency medical transportation. Pick up charge varies according to travel distance for pick up and then \$1.25 per mile from home to destination. Door-to-door service. No lift for wheelchair accessibility. Service all of North	Rancho San Diego Shuttle (91977)	
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going to and from treatment at Sharp Hospital. 751 Medical Center Ct. Call 2 weeks in advance M-F 8-4 PM to assure	751 Medical Center Ct	
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La Mesa, Ca. 91942		
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Southwest Rural 619-478-5875	Bus service for residents of Jacumba, Campo, Pine Valley, Tecate, Crest, Bolder Oaks, Viejas, going to La Mesa and El Cajon, Santee and all places between. Call M-F 7-6 PM for bus schedule and routes. \$2.00 if within 25 miles, \$3.00 if over 25 miles.
Stride 619-699-7336 ahe@sandag.org	Stride helps you find specialized transportation throughout the county.
Tri-City Medical Center  4002 Vista Way Oceanside, Ca. 92056 760-940-7433 or 760-724-8411	No charge to patients within a 7 mile radius of the medical center. Please make appointment 24 hours in advance. 7:30 AM- 3:30 PM. Lift equipped.
Veterans Affairs San Diego Health Care  3350 La Jolla Village Dr. San Diego, Ca. 92161 800-331-8387 or 858-552-8585	Offers transportation to outpatients in Mission Valley to and from appointments at the V.A. Hospital. Services most of San Diego. Call 24/7 two weeks in advance to arrange transportation and leave information on recording to assure transportation.
Vista Mileage Reimbursement Program  1400 Vale Terrace Dr.  Vista, Ca. 92084 760-639-6161	There are eligibility requirements for this transportation program offering mileage reimbursement. Call for further details.
Vista Out and About Program  1400 Vale Terrace Dr. Vista, Ca. 92084 760-639-6161	Transportation only available for Vista seniors 60+ M-TH 10AM -12 PM. Door-to-door mini-bus group service for a maximum of 10 passengers. A \$1.00 donation is suggested. Call 48 hours ahead.

### **Support Groups**

Clairemont Wellness Center  3794 Clairemont Dr. San Diego, Ca. 92117 858-274-9355	Clairemont Wellness Center provides acupuncture blended with the art and science of traditional Chinese Medicine.
David Blackburn Wings of Care Program  477 N. El Camino Real Ste. D200 Encinitas, Ca. 92024 760-452-3340	Wings of Care introduce On-Site Acupuncture Services. Kimberley Taylor L. AC is their acupuncturist. Please contact them for more information.
Healthy Community Acupuncture  277 E. Lexington Ste. B El Cajon, Ca. 92020 619-447-2700	Healthy Community Acupuncture is a Community Supported Acupuncture Clinic in East San Diego that charges \$15-\$35 per treatment- you decide what you can afford to pay. Please call for more information.
San Diego Cancer Center  Vista: 760-598-1700  Encinitas: 760-634-6661	Acupuncture sessions can be scheduled at the Vista or Encinitas offices. Please call for more information.
Vital Point  3202 Third Ave. San Diego, Ca. 92103 619-220-7456	Vital Point offers traditional acupuncture, Chinese Herbs Shiatsu Massage, and Nutrition advice.

#### CancerCare

275 Seventh Ave. New York, NY 10001 800-813-4673 info@cancercare.org Caregivers- Telephone support group: bring together people from around the county on a weekly one-hour phone call to share experiences, concerns and triumphs. Telephone support group is free and moderated by a professional oncology social worker from CancerCare's Staff. Call 800-813-HOPE (7673) to register.

#### Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

9150 Chesapeake St. Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-277-1800 This family Support Group is designed for both patients and their family members to offer emotional support and education throughout your cancer journey. Under professional guidance, patients and family members can discuss their anxieties and concerns with others who share a similar experience. Group meets the last Tues of each month from 6:30-8:30 PM. Please call Patient Services to pre-register.

#### **Moores UCSD Cancer Center**

3855 Health Sciences Dr. Rm 2007 La Jolla, Ca. 92093-0658 858-657-6041 Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) Education & Support. A monthly educational seminar and support group for patients with chronic lymphocytic leukemia. This group meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month 4:00-5:30 PM. It is located in Corner Commons at Moores UCSD Cancer Center. Facilitator: Sheila Allameh, B.A. Please contact them for more information.

231 E. 3 <sup>rd</sup> St. Ste. G107 Los Angeles, Ca. 90013 888-236-4673 A3M@LTSC.org	Information and referral about bone marrow and stem cell donations.
BMT InfoNet  2310 Skokie Valley Rd. Highland Park, IL. 60035 888-597-7674 help@bmtinfonet.org	This site offers donor matching information, a blood and marrow transplant newsletter, resource directory and a transplant center database.
Moores UCSD Cancer Center  3855 Health Sciences Dr. Rm 2007  La Jolla, Ca. 92093-0658  858-657-6041	The support group is for patient who have had allogenic stem cell transplant from a family member or an unrelated donor. This support group meets on the last Monday of every month from 11:00 AM- 12:30 PM in Room 2007. Facilitators: Pamela Gardner LCSW and Jodi Garrett RN. Please call to register.
Scripps Cancer Center  Scripps Green Cancer at Scripps Clinic 10666 N. Torrey Pines Rd. La Jolla, Ca. 92037 858-554-9376 friedman.tom@scrippshealth.org	Stem Cell Transplant workshop/support group for patients and family members. Meets approximately every 3 months in the Green Cancer Pavillion. Facilitated by Tom Friedman, LCSW and Ann Marie Borman, RN. Please call for more information
UCSD Thornton Hospital  9350 Campus Point Dr.  La Jolla, Ca. 92037  858-657-6041 or 858-657-7000	Offering support to individuals and those affected by issues related to bone marrow and stem cell transplants. A support group for patients who are pre and post bone marrow transplant. Family and adult supportive friends are also invited to participate. Please call for schedule.

American Cancer Society (ACS)	I CAN COPE is an educational series and individual
2655 Camino Del Rio N., Ste 100 San Diego, Ca. 92108 619-299-4200	class sessions are held throughout San Diego County for cancer patients and their families. Please call for locations and times.
CancerCare	Family or Caracinary Talanhara assument arrays
275 Seventh Ave. New York, NY 10001 800-813-4673 info@cancercare.org	Family or Caregiver: Telephone support group: bring together people from around the county on a weekly one-hour phone call to share experiences, concerns and triumphs. Telephone support group is free and moderated by a professional oncology social worker from CancerCare's Staff. Call 800-813-HOPE (7673) to register.
CancerCare  275 Seventh Ave.  New York, NY 10001  800-813-4673  info@cancercare.org	Caregivers- Telephone support group: bring together people from around the county on a weekly one-hour phone call to share experiences, concerns and triumphs. Telephone support group is free and moderated by a professional oncology social worker from CancerCare's Staff. Call 800-813-HOPE (7673) to register.
David Blackburn Wings of Care Program  477 N. El Camino Real, Ste D200 Encinitas, Ca. 92024 760-452-3340 rlamaster@pacificoncology.com	A Breath of Fresh Air: Caregiver Support Group. A free support group for caregivers, family and friends. It meets every other Monday from 10AM-11:15 AM. Please call Ruth Lamaster for more information.
Hospice of the North Coast  2525 Pio Pico Dr. Carlsbad, Ca. 92008 760-431-4100	This caregivers group is available to anyone caring for the seriously ill. Fellow caregivers share coping tips, resources, and find mutual support. The group meets the 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month from 9:30-11:00 AM. Please call for further information.
Hospice of the North Coast  2525 Pio Pico Dr. Carlsbad, Ca. 92008 760-431-4100	Licensed counselors, interns and trainees provide individual counseling. Occasionally small fees are asked to cover expenses related to art supplies, memory books, and related items. Please call for appointment.

Jewish Family Service- Center For Counseling	Caregivers support group meets 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup>
Jewish Failing Service- Center For Counselling	Tuesday from 12:15-1:45 PM. There is a \$20.00
8804 Balboa Ave.	screening fee. Please call Rachel Manes to
San Diego, Ca. 92008	register.
858-637-3000	Tegister.
33 33 330	
Kaiser Permanente	This program provides information and ongoing
	support to help caring for ill loved ones, where
Vista Medical Offices	they will find information about coping skills,
780 Shadowridge Dr. Ste. 2	community resources, caregiver techniques, and
Vista, Ca. 92083	more. This class is open to the general public.
760-599-2350	Support group meets every 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday
	of each month from 3-4 PM at Vista Medical
	Offices. Please call to register.
Kaiser Permanente	Ambulatory Care Nurse coordinator-Available for
	Kaiser patients only. Please call with any
619-528-6664 or 619-682-6101	questions regarding coordination of care and
	oncology services.
Kaiser Permanente	This program provides information and ongoing
	support to help caring for ill loved ones.
Kaiser Permanente Medical Center	Information about coping skills, community
4647 Zion Ave.	resources, caregiver techniques, is also provided.
San Diego, Ca. 92120	This class is open to the general public. Support
619-641-4456 or 619 5437	group meets every 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each
	month from 5:30-6:30 PM, at the San Diego
	Medical Center. To register, please call.
Kaiser Permanente	This program provides information and ongoing
	support to help caring for ill loved ones.
Kaiser Permanente Medical Center	Information about coping skills, community
4647 Zion Ave.	resources, caregiver techniques, is also provided.
San Diego, Ca. 92120	This class is open to the general public. Support
619-641-4456 or 619-528-5437	group meets ev3ry 3 <sup>rd</sup> and last Tuesday of each
	month from 1-2 PM, at the San Diego Medical
	Center. Please call to register.
Kaiser Permanente	This program provides information and ongoing
	support to help caring for ill loved ones.
Bonita Medical Offices	Information about coping skills, community
3955 Bonita Rd.	resources, caregiver techniques, is also provided.
Bonita, Ca. 91902	This class is open to the general public. Support
619-641-4456 or 619-528-5000	group meets 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month
	from 3-4 PM, at the Bonita Medical Offices.
	Please call to register.

Kaiser Permanente  El Cajon Medical Offices 1630 East Main St. San Diego, Ca. 92021 619-590-0616	This program provides information and ongoing support to help caring for ill loved ones. Information about coping skills, community resources, caregiver techniques, is also provided. This class is open to the general public. Support group meets every 2 <sup>nd</sup> and last Friday of each month from 1-2 PM, at the Bostonia Medical Office. Please call to register.
Kids Konnected	Non-Profit org. providing friendship, understanding, education, and support to kids
Scripps Mende Well Being Center	who have a parent with cancer.
5305 La Jolla Village Dr. Ste. L-5 San Diego, Ca. 92122	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thurs of each month from 7:00-8:00 PM
1-800-SCRIPPS info@kidskonnected.org Call Cary Terra, MA 619-540-3630	UTC (above Peking Palace Restaurant)

### **Treatment Options**

American Cancer Society (ACS)	Learn about available treatment options, find treatment centers, participate I clinical trials of
2655 Camino Del Rio N Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92108	new treatments, and use the Treatment Decision Tools to help determine the best treatment
800-227-2345	option for you.
000 227 2343	option for you.
American Lung Association	American Lung Association link has a decision support tool called NexProfiler that can
2740 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	personalize a treatment report tailored to your
San Diego, Ca.	diagnosis. The report will give you pros and cons
800-548-8252 or 619-297-3901	of each treatment, and side effects.
webmaster@lungusa.org	
Be-Cancer-Smart PO Box 965	This site is to be used as a resource to find qualified sites that deal with cancer, which gives a full and comprehensive information about each
Spanish Fork, UT. 84660	type of cancer, symptoms, how they are
info@northskyinc.com	diagnosed, research, clinical trials, treatment,
	organizations, etc.
BMT InfoNet  2310 Skokie Valley Rd. Ste. 104	BMT has a list of drugs that patients of bone marrow, stem cell and cord blood transplants receive during treatment. It explains why they
Highland Park, IL. 60035	are used and some of the possible side effects.
847-433-3313 or 888-597-7674	
Cancer Monthly	Cancer Monthly provides cancer patients with the results of hundreds of therapies for advanced and
14460 New Falls of Neuse Rd. Ste. 149-243	metastatic cancers so that patients can compare
Raleigh, NC. 27614 919-570-8589	treatments. Every month, Cancer Monthly summarizes the last clinical results of cancer
infor@cancermonthly.com	therapies presented by oncologists, researchers,
more cancermontiny.com	and other cancer professionals working in
	hospitals and research institutions around the world.
Cancer Treatment Centers of America	Offers a private conversation with an Oncology
200 044 0705	Information Specialist and they can inform you
888-841-9506	about treatment by cancer type and available
	options for your treatment. You can e-mail, call or chat online.
	or char offline.

CancerConsultants	CancerConsultants Oncology resources center
support@cancerconsultants.com	provides introduction to cancer treatments for the newly diagnosed with cancer.
Cancerfacts.com  1725 Westlake Ave. North, Ste. 300 Seattle, Wash. 98109 answers@support.nexcura.com	This web site will help people with cancer make informed treatment decisions. Link delivers accurate and personalized information through the NexProfiler tools for cancer.  (Site being worked on. Unable to verify info.)
Chemotherapy.com	You could find chemotherapy related questions and more on the link.
Chronic Disease Management  10880 John W. Elliott Dr. Ste. 500 Frisco, TX. 75034 877-968-7233 info@diseaseTrak.com	Chronic Disease Management Group (CDMG) has developed an online, patient-centric portal called Disease Trak that helps sufferers take control and responsibility of treatment. Disease Trak is a therapy management tool that enables us to simply and effectiveness of our therapy and quality of life.
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society  1311 Mamaroneck Ave. White Plains, NY 10605 800-955-4572	The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society provides blood cancer patients with chemotherapy, radiation therapy, stem cell, marrow transplantation, and immunotherapy treatment approaches.
Medline Plus  8600 Rockville Pike Bethesda, MD. 20894	An online tutorial to inform and answer questions regarding a variety of treatments.
National Cancer Institute  6116 Executive Blvd. MSC 8322 Bethesda, MD. 20892 800-422-6237 cancergovstaff@mail.nih.gov	This link will give you information about finding types of treatment, drug information, how to find treatment and more.
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke  PO Box 5801 Bethesda, MD. 20824 800-352-9424 or 301-496-5751	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and stroke (NINDS) web site has Disorder index, Funding and Research, News and Events, Clinical Trials, Trainings and more.

OncoLink  3400 Civic Center Blvd. Philadelphia, PA. 19104 800-474-9892 or 215-349-8895 ContactUs@EmergingMed.com Oncologychannel	Cancer NexProfiler TM Tools helps patients compare treatment options and determine whether treatment-related side effects are acceptable to them.  Oncologychannel offers a widespread of tumor
18 Elizabeth St. Ste 300 W. Conshohocken, PA. 19428 610-834-1810	and cancer information, and cancer treatments.
Pacific Oncology and Hematology  9850 Genessee Ave. Ste. 830  La Jolla, CA. 92037  858-553-1410	Learn about 29 types of cancer, staging and treatment. There are 4 offices in San Diego. Please click on the link for the list of locations.
The Second Opinion  1200 Gough Street San Francisco, CA. 94109 mail@thesecondopinion.org	This program provides multidisciplinary second opinions to adults in California who have been diagnosed with new or recurring cancer. Please contact them for more information.
UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center  Box 0875 UCSF San Francisco, CA. 94143-0128 800-888-8664	Select a cancer type and learn about treatment options for that cancer.

### **Lists of Clinical Trials**

Cancer.com	Provides links to clinical trials being conducted across the country.
Cancer411.com  1316 W. Alameda Ave. Burbank, CA. 91506 877-cancr411 (226-7411) or 818-482-1504	On this website you can find a list of clinical trials available based on cancer type and city.
CancerConsultants  866-315-9389 support@cancerconsultants.com	This link has a clinical trials search engine by cancer type.
CenterWatch  10 Winthrop Square, 5 <sup>th</sup> FI.  Boston, MA. 02110 617-948-5100 or 866-219-3440	CenterWatch lists hundreds of clinical trials and offers notification service and other resources.
City of Hope  1500 E. Duarte Rd. Duarte, CA. 91010 626-256-HOPE (4673)	Clinical Trials On-Line describes research programs and ongoing research studies (clinical trials) at City of Hope National Medical Center.
ClinicalTrials.ResourceAid	A clearinghouse of links to clinical trials being held for cancer and other diseases.
Coalition of National Cancer Cooperative Groups (CNCCG)  1818 Market St. Ste. 1100 Philadelphia, PA. 19103-3611 877-520-4457 or 215- 789-3601	Patients and caregivers can learn the basics of clinical trials or use CNCCGs interactive Guide to Cancer Clinical Trials to find one that may be right for you.
Cutaneous Lymphoma Foundation  PO Box 374  Birmingham, MI. 48012 248-644-9014	The Cutaneous Lymphoma Foundation is an independent, non-profit patient advocacy organization dedicated to supporting every person with cutaneous lymphoma by promoting awareness and education, advancing patient care, and facilitating research.

Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	Find Clinical Trials that are being conducted at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, the
1100 Fairview Ave N. PO Box 19024	University of Washington and Children's Hospital
Seattle, WA. 98109	and Regional Medical Center.
206-667-5000 or 800-804-8824	
hutchdoc@fhcrc.org	
Huntsman Cancer Institute	Huntsman Cancer Institute University of Utah- has a list of current clinical trials.
200 Circle of Hope	
Salt Lake City, UT 84112	
877-585-0303 or 801-585-0303	
Institute of Healthcare Assessment	The Institute of Healthcare Assessment is a multispecialty research center for phase II
6699 Alvarado Rd. Ste. 2309	through IV outpatient clinical trials. Permanent
San Diego, CA. 92120	full-time research staff and fully equipped
619-582-5564	research facilities to meet the specific
	requirements of the most demanding clinical
Kaiser Permanente	research evaluations.
Kaiser Permanente	Kaiser Division of Research (DOR), conducts many Clinical Trials. You must be a Kaiser member to
Kaiser Permanente Medical Center	participate. Please call for more information.
4647 Zion Ave.	participates reade can for more informations
San Diego, CA. 92120	
800-398-3996 or 619-528-6651	
Mayo Clinic	A list of clinical trials conducted by the Mayo Clinic in Arizona, Florida, and Minnesota.
200 1 <sup>st</sup> St. S.W.	
Rochester, MN. 55905	
507-538-7623 or 800-664-4542	
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center	Search a list of trials, for adults and children, being conducted at Memorial Sloan-Kettering
1275 York Ave.	Cancer Center.
New York, NY. 10065	
888-675-7722 or 212-639-2000	
Moore's UCSD Cancer Center	UCSD conducts many clinical trials. Please call if
	you are interested in participating or need more
3855 Health Sciences Dr.	information.
La Jolla, CA. 92093-0658	
858-657-7000	

North County Oncology Medical Clinic	At North County Oncology Medical Clinic, Inc.,
Horar County Officology Medical Cillic	current services include immune therapy, biologic
3925 Waring Rd. Ste C	therapy, supportive care, and clinical research
Oceanside, CA. 92056	trials. Chemotherapy and blood transfusions are
760-758-5770	now given in the office infusion center.
7.55 7.55 37.75	non given in the office infusion center.
National Cancer Institute	NCI lists national active clinical trials, provides a
	thorough guide to understanding trials, and
6116 Executive Blvd. MSC 8322	information about research trials if you want to
Bethesda, MD. 20892	be considered. Also link has summaries of peer
800-422-6237	reviewed cancer treatment, clinical trials,
cancergovstaff@mail.nih.gov	literature, news, and links to websites.
National Comprehensive Cancer Network	NCCN is committed to improving and advancing
(NCCN)	promising cancer therapies through clinical trials.
(Itecity	Cancer treatment clinical trials are research
275 Commerce Dr. Ste. 300	studies to find better ways to treat cancer.
Fort Washington, PA. 19034	Clinical trials often compare the mostly accepted
888-909-6226 or 215-690-0300	cancer treatment) standard treatment) with a
000 303 0220 01 213 030 0300	new treatment that doctors hope will be better.
National Institute of Health (NIH)	Search NIH by disease and location of clinical
	trials: also includes general information and
9000 Rockville Pike	services offered at NIH.
Bethesda, MD. 20892	
301-496-4000	
nihinfo@od.nih.gov	
Oncology Associator of San Diago	Conducts research with Charn/Cidney Vimmel, se
Oncology Associates of San Diego	Conducts research with Sharp/Sidney Kimmel; no online list of trials. Call the Clinical Research
3075 Health Center # 102	Coordinator for more information or to register.
San Diego, CA 92123	Coordinator for more imorniation of to register.
858-637-7888	
Pacific Oncology and Hematology	Serving patients with hematology and oncology
	care, along with a clinical trials program. There
477 N. El Camino Real Ste. D200	are 4 offices in San Diego. Please click on the link
Encinitas, CA. 92024	for a list of locations.
760-452-3340	

### **Education on Clinical Trials**

Amadeo	Free access to medical studies from hundreds of journals.
Amgen  One Amgen Center Dr. Thousand Oaks, CA. 91320-1799 805-447-1000	Find answers to common questions about clinical trials.
Association of Cancer Online Resources (ACOR)  173 Duane St. Ste, 3A New York, NY. 10013-3334	Clinical trials web site addresses the following: What are Clinical Trials? What are investigational drugs? What are therapeutic levels of evidence and more.
Association of Community Cancer Centers (ACCC)  11600 Nebel St. Ste. 201 Rockville, MD. 20852 301-984-9496	The Association of Community Cancer Centers-Clinical Trials Resource Center Partners with Thomson CenterWatch, for information on clinical research for healthcare professionals, patients and their advocates. Please log on to learn more about clinical research and new medical therapies for treating Oncology.
Coalition of National Cancer Cooperative Groups (CNCCG)  1818 Market St. Ste. 1100 Philadelphia, PA. 19103-3611 877-520-4457 or 215- 789-3601	On this link you will learn about Clinical Trials: What you need to know.
Healthfinder  PO Box 1133 Washington, DC. 20013-1133 healthfinder@nhic.org	IN this link you will find health information from A to Z, prevention and wellness, diseases & conditions, and alternative medicine, plus medical dictionaries, an encyclopedia, journals, and more.
HopeLab  1991 Broadway St. Ste. 136 Redwood City, CA 94063-1957 650-569-5907 Customerservice@re-mission.net	HopeLab is a nonprofit organization that combines research with innovative solutions to improve the health and quality of life of young people with chronic illness. They are committed to the scientific study of their interventions through research and outcome studies to ensure that these products and /or approaches are effective. For more information, please call or visit their website.

Horizon Trial WYETH Oncology  11 Cambridge Center Cambridge, MA 02142	On this web page, you could find education on clinical trials such as: Background, Clinical Trial Phases, Safety, Pre-enrollment information, Drugs and Placebo, and your Doctor and the Clinical Trial.
Mayo Clinic  200 1 <sup>st</sup> St. S.W.  Rochester, MN. 55905 507-538-7623 or 800-664-4542	The Mayo Clinic provides useful and up-to-date information and tools regarding clinical trials.
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center  1275 York Ave. New York, NY. 10065 888-675-7722 or 212-639-2000	U=Information about what clinical trials are and the purpose of conducting them.
Pacific Oncology and Hematology  477 N. El Camino Real Ste. D200 Encinitas, CA. 92024 760-452-3340	Learn about 29 types of cancer, staging, treatment and clinical trials. There are 4 offices is San Diego. Please click on the link for a list of locations.
People Living With Cancer  1900 Duke St. Ste. 200 Alexandria, VA. 22319 703-797-1914	People Living with Cancer is the patient information web site of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO). It provides oncologist-approved information on more that 50 types of cancer, their treatments, and clinical trials.

## **Matching Services for Clinical Trials**

American Cancer Society (ACS)  2655 Camino Del Rio N. Ste. 100 San Diego, CA. 92108 800-227-2345	This free Clinical Trial Matching and Referral Service is made available to American Cancer Society visitors through collaboration with EmergingMed.
City of Hope National Medical Center  1500 E. Duarte Rd. Duarte, CA. 91010 626-256-HOPE (4673)	City of Hope is a biomedical research, treatment, and educational institution dedicated to the prevention and cure of cancer and other lifethreatening diseases.
Coalition of National Cancer Cooperative Groups (CNCCG)  1818 Market St. Ste. 1100 Philadelphia, PA. 19103-3611 877-520-4457 or 215- 789-3601  OncoLink  3400 Civic Center Blvd.	TrialCheck is a search tool developed by the Coalition of Cancer Cooperative Groups to assist you in locating cancer clinical trials. This search tool uses nine simple questions. After you answer these questions, you will receive a list of cancer clinical trials in which you may be eligible to enroll.  Fill out an online questionnaire to determine if your profile can be matched in a national clinical trial.
Philadelphia, PA. 19104 800-474-9892 ContactUs@emergingMed.com  Veritas Medicine  11 Cambridge Center	Veritas Medicine provides free resources to clinical trials and information on treatment options.
Cambridge, MA. 02142 617-234-1500	95.5

## **Complementary Medicine**

Alternative Medicine Foundation	Resource guide for alternative and
	complementary medicine.
PO Box 60016	
Potomac, MD. 20859	
301-340-1960	
info@amfoundation.org	
American Academy of Medical Acupuncture	Provides information to callers and referrals to
(AAMA)	appropriate community resources.
1070 F. Curud Ave. Cts. 220	
1970 E. Grand Ave. Ste. 330	
El Segundo, CA. 90245	
310-364-1093	
American Academy of Pain Management	Offers a search for Physicians who belong to the
The state of the s	American Academy of Pain Management, clinical
13947 Mono Way #A	articles on pain and up-to-date treatment
Sonora, CA. 95370	techniques, and more links.
209-533-9744	
aapm@aapainmanage.org	
210 2 10 10 10	
American Cancer Society (ACS)	ACS offers research on complementary cancer
	treatments including: the patient's attitude and
2655 Camino Del Rio N Ste. 100	spirit; acupuncture, reflexology; herbs; vitamins
San Diego, Ca. 92108	nutrition; and much more.
800-227-2345	
American Churcia Dain Accesiation (ACDA)	The Associate Characia Bain Association offers
American Chronic Pain Association (ACPA)	The American Chronic Pain Association offers
PO Box 850	peer support and education to help people combat, live and cope with chronic pain.
Rocklin, CA. 95677	combat, live and cope with chronic pain.
800-533-3231	
800-333-3231	
Bioimmune	This link provides the following complementary
	medicine,, newsletters, toxicity test, directory of
8300 N Hayden Rd. Ste. A203	clinics from all over the world, health video
Scottsdale, AZ. 85258	library, cancer research, prevention center and
480-778-1618	much more.
Center for Mind-Body Medicine	The Center for Mind-Body Medicine is working to
Center for Militarbody Medicine	create a more effective, comprehensive and
5225 Connecticut Ave. NW Ste. 415	compassionate model of healthcare and
Washington, DC. 20015	education. This model is based on self-awareness
202-966-7338	and relies on self-care as its core, combining
center@cmbm.org	modern science and the world's healing traditions
	and the manufacture and th

David Blackburn Wings of Care Program	They offer Traditional Chinese Medicine
	treatments. This is an ancient medical system
477 N. El Camino Real Ste. D200	used to prevent, diagnose and treat disease.
Encinitas, CA. 92024	Based on the belief that disease is caused when
710-452-3340	the body's vital energy is blocked. This restores a
	person's health by restoring their spiritual,
	emotional, mental and physical balance. Please
	contact them for more information.
Gerson Institute	The Gerson Institute offers a range of programs
	focused on holistic treatment of chronic and
1572 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave. PO Box 161358	degenerative disease s through Gerson Therapy.
San Diego, CA. 92101 San Diego, CA. 92176	
619-685-5353	
National Cancer Institute (NCI)	The National Cancer Institute provides a wide
	selection of specific topics of healing
6116 Executive Blvd. MSC 8322	philosophies, approaches and therapies used as
Bethesda, MD. 20892	alternative medicine in cancer treatment to
800-422-6237	complement conventional treatments.
cancergovstaff@mail.nih.gov	
National Center for Complementary and	National Center for Complementary and
Alternative Medicine (NCCAM)	Alternative Medicine supplies information about
	clinical trials, where to find them, and much
9000 Rockville Pike	more.
Bethesda, MD. 20892	
888-644-6226	
Office of Dietary Supplements (ODS)	The office of Dietary Supplements (ODS) supports
COOA Fire subject Dhird	dietary supplements research and publishes and
6001 Executive Blvd.	distributes the results to the public and other
Room 3B01, MSC 7517	federal agencies.
Bethesda, MD. 20892-7517 301-435-2920	
301-433-2920	

# **Nursing Care**

Accredited Nursing Care  591 Camino de la Reina, Ste 533 San Diego, Ca. 92108 800-974-1234 or 619-265-1234	Offices throughout Southern California offer accredited nursing care, attendants and personal care, pediatric care, and medical equipment. In San Diego, "licensed, medical need" care is not available.
Accredited Nursing Care  555 S. Rancho Santa Fe Rd. Ste 201 San Marcos, Ca. 92069 800-974-1234	Offices throughout Southern California offer accredited nursing care, attendants and personal care, pediatric care, and medical equipment. In San Diego, "licensed, medical need" care is not available.
Alvarado Hospital Medical Center  6655 Alvarado Rd. San Diego, Ca. 92120 619-287-3270	Alvarado/SDRI offers a wide range of care including inpatient acute rehabilitation transitional care and outpatient services. Each program is tailored to patient needs to achieve agreed-upon goals.
AMS Manpower Solutions  9590 Chesapeake Dr. Ste 121 San Diego, Ca. 92123 858-277-1992 info@amsmanpowersolution.com	AMS Manpower Solutions connects nurses and allied health professionals with select job assignments. AMS offers assistance for families caring for loved ones and for Seniors who need extra help with daily routines. Complementary assessment.
Chase Care Center  1201 S. Orange Ave. El Cajon, Ca. 619-441-1988	Chase Care Center is a skilled nursing facility offering rehabilitation, restorative nursing, physical speech, respiratory, and occupational therapy, and other services.
Heritage Senior Care  2885 Hope Ave. Carlsbad, Ca. 92008 760-720-7740 or 877-437-0506	For those recovering from a hospital or nursing home stay or unable to attend to home and personal care, Heritage provides companions Aides, Homemaking Nursing Aides, and Certified Nursing Aides or Home Health Aides.
Interim Healthcare  425 West 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Ste. 101 Escondido, Ca. 92025 760-941-3090	Interim Healthcare is a home care and medical staffing company. Please contact them for more information.

Reliable Home Help Nurses Registry  1970 E Vista Way Vista, Ca. 92084 760-941-3090	A North County nursing registry which offers a range of in-home medical and non-medical services.
Tri City Medical Center  4002 Vista Way Oceanside, Ca. 92056 760-724-8111	Available 24/7, Tri-City home care professionals provide many in-home patient services. They are bonded, licensed, certified, and accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO).

# **Daily Living**

Aall Care	Aall Care offers assistance in finding a qualified
7801 Mission Center St. Ste. 106 San Diego, Ca. 92108 619-297-9601 or 760-471-7033	caregiver for in-home services.
Aall Care  1145 San Marino Dr. Ste 314 Lake San Marcos, Ca. 91069 619-297-9601 or 760-471-7033	Aall Care offers assistance in finding a qualified caregiver for in-home services.
AccentCare  7851 Mission Center St. Ste. 200 San Diego, Ca. 92108 800-834-3059	AccentCare Provides in-home care services that allows seniors to live at home independently. For more information, please call or visit their website.
Aging and Independence Services  9335 Hazard Way Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 800-5100-2020	AIS provides services to older adults, people with disabilities and their family members, to help keep clients safety in their homes, promote healthy and vital living, and publicize positive contributions made by older adults and persons with disabilities.
AM/PM Homecare, LLC  2425 Fenton St. Chula Vista, Ca. 91914 619-292-2183 info@ampmhomecare.us	Offers both short and long term care by qualified home care professionals that allows your loved ones to remain in the comfort and security of their own home. Please call for more information. (A limited Liability Corporation).
AmeriCare ADHD Center  340 Rancheros Dr. #196 San Marcos, Ca. 92069 760-682-2424	AmeriCare ADHC Center is licensed by the Department of Health and Department of Aging. Medi-Cal, private pay and TLC insurances are accepted. Services provided: transportation, health screenings, psychological services, nutritional counseling, delicious meals, physical/massage therapies, field trips, live music & entertainment, social services, activities, fun games and exercises. Staff speaks English, Spanish, Tagalog, Japanese, Farso, and Russian.

At Your Home Family Care	At Your Home Family Care offers home care aides, especially for senior citizens, the disabled,
6541 Lusk Blvd. Ste. C-266	and youth.
San Diego, Ca. 92121	
888-326-2273	
familycare@ayhs.cmdsl.com	
California CareFinders, Inc.	Provides information to callers and offers
	referrals to home health agencies, adult day care,
PO Box 3333	and other senior resources when appropriate.
Granada Hills, Ca. 91394	
800-821-4177	
California Home Care, Inc.	Provides hourly or live-in caregivers,
	companionship, and homemaker services.
3078 El Cajon Blvd.	
San Diego, Ca. 92104	
619-521-5858	
Casa Palmera Care Center	Caring for those with significant medical
	conditions, Casa Palmera provides a home-like
14750 El Camino Real	atmosphere with specialized nursing services,
Del Mar, Ca. 92014	rehabilitation, and various physical and
858-481-4411	occupational therapies.
Cleaning for a Reason	This program offers free professional cleaning
PO Box 146	services to improve lives of women undergoing treatment for cancer. Please contact them for
Lewisville, TX. 75067	more information.
877-337-3348	more information.
www.cleaningforareason.org	
www.cicarmigrorareasomorg	
ComForcare Senior Services	ComForcare provides non-medical in-home care
020 5 7/212 74/2 - 612 460	services for seniors ranging from companionship
830 E. Vista Way, Ste. 108	to daily living activities. The focus is on improving
Vista, Ca. 92084 760-724-7273	the quality of life and level of independence. Please call for more information.
ncsandiego@comforcare.com	riease can for more information.
incsandiego@connorcare.com	
Gentiva Health Services	Gentiva Health Services has provided a single
	source for a variety of home health services with
888-GENTIVA	a vast network of licensed and certified home
	health care agencies.

Home Instead Senior Care	Home Instead Senior care provides home care for
7400 El Cajon Blvd. Ste. 304 619-460-6222	seniors in the San Diego East area. Services include companionship, meal preparation, light housekeeping, medication reminders, shopping, errands, Alzheimer's care and more. Please contact them for more information.
In-Home Supportive Services	Covered through Medi-Cal, this program provides in-home services such as, transportation,
780 Bay Blvd. Ste. 200 Chula Vista, Ca. 91910 866-351-7722	housekeeping, and more to low-income residents. Please call for eligibility requirements and further information.
Lenora's Home Care Services	Provides non-medical home care services. They offer a complimentary assessment, hourly & live-
7227 Broadway, Ste. 401 Lemon Grove, Ca. 91945 619-461-3946 lenorashomecare@sbcglobal.net	in services, personal care-bathing & grooming, etc Please call for more information.
LivHome  2650 Camino Del Rio North Ste. 203 San Diego, Ca. 92108 619-544-1622 info@livhome.com	This program provides At-Home services for seniors. Please contact them for more information.
Lutheran Social Services  270 F St. Ste 21 Chula Vista, Ca. 619-476-7055	Provides help with light yard work and minor home repairs. Please call for more information.
National Association for Home Care (NAHC)  228 7 <sup>th</sup> St. SE Washington, DC 20003 888-HOMECARE or 202-547-7424	The National Association for Home Care and Hospice represents the interests of the home care and hospice community.
Salus Homecare  888-725-8742 info@salushomecare.com	Salus provides homecare for the aging with the goal of keeping individuals in the home as long as possible. Services include light housekeeping, shopping, preparation of meals, transportation and more.
San Diego Homecare  3232 Governor Dr. Ste. O San Diego, Ca. 92122 sdhomecare@yahoo.com	All in-home caregivers are employees of San Diego Homecare, bonded, insured, and background checked. Services include personal care, meal preparation, light housekeeping, and more.

Southern Caregiver Resource Center  3675 Ruffin Rd. Ste. 230 San Diego, Ca. 92123 800-827-1008 www.caregivercenter.org	Assistance to in-home caregivers and families who are providing care to brain impaired adults.
Southwest Healthcare  16959 Bernardo Center Dr. #204 San Diego, Ca. 92128 858-451-9551	Southwest Healthcare in Rancho Bernardo offers assistance in finding a qualified caregiver for inhome services.
State of California  Sacramento, Ca. 95814 800-510-2020	Provides referrals to home health service providers and or hospice referrals. Your information & answer program can provide you with information about in-home care, day care programs, care management services, meal programs, home modifications, adaptive technology, transportation, services home health services, respite care, caregiver support programs, legal services, health insurance counseling, and other resources in your community.
Visiting Angels Living Assistance Services  Santee, Ca. 92071 800-365-4189	Visiting Angels provides homecare services in the Santee and San Marcos area for the elderly. Please call for more information.

# Housing

211 of San Diego	211 contains a clearinghouse of local housing resources.
2-1-1- or 858-300-1211	
Bannister Family House	Extended housing available to families of adult patients at one of the UCSD hospitals. Family
406 Dickinson, St.	members must live at least 60 miles away from
San Diego, Ca. 92103	the UCSD Hospitals to qualify. Call for further
619-543-7977	details and fees.
California Department of Fair Employment and	The mission of the Department of Fair
Housing	Employment and Housing is to protect
casa va eth even a second	Californians from employment, housing and
611 W. 6 <sup>th</sup> St. Ste. 1500	public accommodation discrimination, and hate
Los Angeles, Ca. 90017	violence. Please contact them for more
213-439-6700	information.
Community Christian Service Agency	Our service centers provide emergency and
4467.0	transitional support on a walk-in basis to people
4167 Rappahannock Ave.	in need of assistance. Provide help with food,
San Diego, Ca. 92117 858-274-2273 or 858-272-0163	clothing, basic health assessments, medicines,
858-274-2273 01 858-272-0103	resource counseling and referrals or other emergency needs as evaluated by the agency.
Eldercare Directory (\$10.00)	A Comprehensive eldercare resource ranging
DO Day 122512	from senior housing to finding help with legal and financial matters.
PO Box 122512	inancial matters.
San Diego, Ca. 92112	
Fisher House	Housing available for families of patients
24000 Dale Milana Da. Dill. 46	connected to the military. Family must live at
34800 Bob Wilson Dr. Bldg. 46	least 40 miles away. There is a 3-night minimum
San Diego, Ca. 92134 619-532-9055	stay at \$10/day. Call for further details.
012-252-2023	
HospitalSoup	Location on hotels/motels near hospital and
	more.
HospitalSoup.com	

National Association of Hospital Hospitality Houses, Inc.  PO Box 18087 Ashville, NC 28814 800-542-9730 or 828-253-1188 nahhh.org	National Association of Hospital Hospitality Houses offers free or low-cost housing for families or patients with medical emergencies who are receiving treatment away from home.
South Bay Community Services  1124 Bay Blvd. Ste. D Chula Vista, Ca. 91911 619-420-3620	Low-income housing available. Please call for more information.
St. Vincent de Paul  3350 E St. San Diego, Ca. 92102-3332 619-446-2100	St. Vincent de Paul provides food, housing health care and education for the homeless. For more information, please call or visit their website.

### Meals/Food

Aging and Independence Services  9335 Hazard Way Ste. 100 San Diego, Ca. 92123 800-510-2020 or 858-495-5276  Borrego Springs Senior Center	AIS provides services to older adults, people with disabilities and their family members, to help keep clients safely in their homes, promote healthy and vital living, and publicize positive contributions made by older adults and persons with disabilities. They have food assistance programs. Please call them for more information.  Borrego Springs Senior Center has a food
580 Circle J Dr. Borrego Springs, Ca. 92004 760-767-3116	assistance program. Please contact them for more information.
Catholic Charities  349 Cedar St. San Diego, Ca. 92101 619-231-2828 ext. 102	Catholic Charities provides immediate need assistance services including food, clothing, shelter referral, and transportation assistance. Information and referral for individuals and families. The Food Resource Center is a free membership program where members shop for food. For more information, please call or visit their website.
Crisis House  1034 North Magnolia Ave. El Cajon, Ca. 92020 619-444-1194	Food distribution on following days Monday/Tuesday/Friday. Call for availability. Will need to show picture ID, SS card, child (rends) SS Card, or Medi-Cal, or Birth Certificate. Benefits available twice a year.
Fallbrook Community Project  1042 S. Mission Rd. Fallbrook, Ca. 92028 760-728-7608	The community Project provides essential nutritional food and necessary supplies for those in our community who have related needs. Their hours of operation are 9:30am to 12:30pm., Monday through Friday. Please contact them for more information.
Food Stamp Program  866-262-9881	The federal Food Stamps Program helps single people and families with little or no income to buy food. To learn if you are eligible, please call or visit the web site for a screening tool.

Gloria E. McClellan Senior Center	Gloria E. McClellan Senior Center offers a home-
Gioria El Micciella i Sellioi Genter	delivered meal service to Vista residents who are
1400 Vale Terrace Dr.	over 60 years of age with an illness or disability
Vista, Ca. 92084	and/or homebound. The Center also offers a
760-639-6160	senior nutrition program. Their hours are M-F 8-
	4pm. Please call Leisa for more information.
Golden State Foods	Food ordered from menu at a very discounted
	rate. Must be ordered at set date monthly and
1289 N. Johnson Ave., Ste. 101	picked up at a location that is convenient for
El Cajon, Ca. 92020	person ordering food. No income requirements.
www.goldensharefoods.com	
Holy Trinity Catholic Church	Food distribution on following days: Mon. /Wed.
	/Fri., from 10:00-11:00am and Tues. /Thurs., 3:30-
405 Ballard St.	4:30pm. Need referral from another agency. Will
El Cajon, Ca. 92019	need to show ID and proof of residence.
619-444-9426	
Jewish Family Service	Hot kosher meals can be delivered on weekdays
	to homebound seniors and younger homebound
4825 College Ave.	disabled. Frozen meals are also available. Fees
San Diego, Ca. 92115	are on a sliding scale.
619-229-2390	
La Mesa Welfare & Thrift Center	Food Distribution on following days: Monday-
	Thursday, 10:00-12:00pm and 1:00-2:30pm.
8340 Lemon Ave.	Closed Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. La Mesa
La Mesa, Ca. 91941-5220 619-466-6678	residents only. Must show proof of residency.
Lakeside Christian Help Center	Food distribution from Monday-Friday 10:00-
0024 Charrad Dd	12:00pm. Lakeside residents only and must show
9931 Channel Rd.	proof of residency.
Lakeside, Ca. 92040 619-561-3488	
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Mama's Kitchen	Mama's Kitchen-Critical illness nutrition program
2060 Home Ave	reaches out to those in the community who are
3960 Home Ave. San Diego, Ca. 92105	under the age of 60, who are critically ill, have medical disabilities, or chronic illnesses and who
619-233-6262	do not have the mental and/or physical capacity
017-533-0505	to prepare their own meals. Three nutritional
	meals a day, for every day of the year are
	prepared and delivered to the client's homes.
	Eligibility requirements apply.

Meals on Wheels	Provides two home delivered meals a day to
225.4.5 Di A Si 200	homebound seniors. Meals are delivered Mon
2254 San Diego Ave. Ste. 200 San Diego, Ca. 92110	Sat. Sunday meal is delivered on Sat. Please call
619-260-6110	for applicable fees for the senior (over age 60) program or for those under 60.
013 200 0110	program or for those under oo.
Salvation Army	Food distribution on following days: Mon. /Tues. 10:00-4:00pm, and Wed./Fri/ 8:30-4:00pm. And
1011 East Main St.	Thursday 10:00-12:00pm. Will need to show
El Cajon, Ca. 92020	proof of residency (utility bill, etc.). Picture ID and
619-440-4683 ext. 103	proof of reason assistance is needed-medical bill, eviction notice, lost job, etc.
San Diego Food Bank	The Food Bank serves those in need by
	distributing food to individuals, families and a
9850 Distribution Ave.	network of other non-profit organizations. Please
San Diego, Ca. 92121	call for further information.
858-527-1419	
Santa Sophia Catholic Church	San Diego Food Bank: MonFri. 4:00-5:00pm. Spring Valley residents only.
9800 San Juan	
Spring Valley, Ca. 91977	
Santee Food Bank	Food distribution on following days: Wed. /Fri 9:00-11:00am, and 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat. 9:00-11:00am.
8824 Cottonwood Ave.	Santee residence only. Must show proof of
Santee, Ca. 92071	residency. (other areas accepted 1 time per year).
619-448-4456	
Seventh-Day Adventist Church	Food distribution on following days: Monday- Thursday from 9:00-12:00pm. Located off Spring
4207 Spring Gardens Dr.	St. Bring Social Security Card.
La Mesa, Ca. 91941	
619-461-5703	
St. Martin's Church	Food distribution on following days: Monday- Friday from 10:00-12:00pm. La Mesa residence
7710 El Cajon Blvd.	only. Bring picture ID and proof of residency.
La Mesa, Ca.	
619-465-5334	
U.S. Department of Agriculture	Food and Nutrition service provides children and low income people access to food, a healthful
Food and Nutrition Service	diet, and nutrition education. For more
Nutrition Assistance Program	information, please call or visit their web site.
800-333-4636 or 202-720-2791	

Lemon Grove Community Church  2522 Cuyamaca Ave. Lemon Grove, Ca. 91945 619-466-0504	Food distribution on following days: Monday- Thursday from 8:30-12:30pm. Lemon Grove residence only.
Victory Chapel 4 Square Church  1012 East Bradley El Cajon, Ca. 92021 619-449-6678 or 619-449-3000	Food distribution on following day: Tuesday from 9:00-12:00pm. Bring picture ID, SS card, or Medi-Cal card, or birth Certificate.

#### **Learn More About Cancer**

Association of Cancer Online Resources (ACOR)	The ACOR dictionary currently has references to 6830 terms. You can either search for a term or
173 Duane St. Ste. 3A New Your, NY 10013-3334 212-226-5525	look at the available ones.
Bioimmune  8300 N. Hayden Rd. Ste. A203 Scottsdale, AZ 85258 888-663-8844 or 480-778-1618	Web Site provides a glossary where you can search by letter or word.
CancerSurvivors.org	Alphabetically indexed definitions and pronunciation of medical terms relating to cancer.
Center for Disease Control Prevention	Provides links to glossaries for many diseases and illnesses.
1600 Cliftin Rd. Atlanta, GA. 30330 800-232-4646	
Glossarist.com	This glossary contains terms most widely used In discussion of breast cancer and cancer in general plus serves as a clearinghouse of other dictionaries and glossaries.
Medicine Plus  8600 Rockville Pike Bethesda, MD 20894	National Library of Medicine consumer site with link to PubMed, its bibliographic database site with citations and abstracts from nearly 4500 journals world-wide. Contains helpful glossary, drug, dictionary and encyclopedia to help interpret research.
meds.com	Compiled by the Nursing Advisory Board of Pharmacia and Upjohn Company, the terms and definitions in this abbreviated dictionary provide a better understanding of words frequently used in cancer care.
National Cancer Institute (NCI) 6116 Executive Blvd. MC8322 Bethesda, MD. 20892 800-442-6237 or 301-594-6776	NCI's cancer dictionary is alphabetically indexed and contains medical terms used by the profession.

### **Statistics**

American Cancer Society (ACS)  2655 Camino del Rio North Ste. 100 San Diego, CA. 92108 619-299-4201	ACS tracks data for cancer occurrences, e.g., the number of deaths, cases, and how long people survive after diagnosis resulting in changes for cancer incidence and mortality rates at different ages, the magnitude of improvement in cancer and racial and ethnic differences.
California Cancer Registry  1825 Bell St. Ste. 102 Sacramento, CA. 95825 916-779-0300	Collects and distributes statistical information on cancer incidence and mortality rates.
California Pan-Ethnic Health Network (CPEHN)  1221 Presentation Parkway Ste. 200 Oakland, CA 94612 510-832-1160	CPEHN is a statewide network of multicultural health organizations working together to ensure that all Californians have access to quality care and can life healthy lives.
Centers for Disease Control (CDC)  1600 Clifton Rd. Atlanta, GA. 30330 800-232-4636	In collaboration with federal programs, the CDC produced a population-based cancer report containing more than 1 million invasive cancer causes diagnosed in 84% of the U.S. population during 2000. Updates to the report include cancer incidence for Asian/Pacific Islanders and a series of tables reflecting the incidence of childhood cancers.
National Cancer Institute (NCI)  6116 Executive Blvd. MC8322 Bethesda, MD. 20892 800-442-6237 or 301-594-6776	NCI shows you how to find cancer statistics including Fast Status and Cancer Mortality Maps and Graphs plus how to understand cancer statistics and much more.

# Prescriptions

NeedyMeds  PO Box 291 Gloucester, MA. 01931	NeedyMeds is a 501(3) c non-profit organization with the mission of helping people who cannot afford medicine or healthcare costs. The information at NeedyMeds is available anonymously and free of charge.
PatientAssistance.com, Inc.  11608 Darryl Drive Baton Rough, LA. 70815 rbowden@patientassistance.com	PatientAssistance.com is a free resource designed to help connect patients who can't afford their prescription medications with patient assistance programs.
RxAssist  111 Brewster St. Pawtucket, RI 02860 401-729-3284 info@rxassist.org	RxAssist is a website with information, news, and a database that are all designed to help you find out about ways to get affordable, or free, medications. The database includes information on the pharmaceutical companies' patient assistance programs, or programs that provide free medication to low-income patients. RxAssist was created by Volunteers in Health Care, a national, non-profit resource center for health care programs working with the uninsured.
Partnership for Prescription Assistance  925 L St. Ste. 1200 Sacramento, CA. 95814 888-477-2669 www.pparx.org	Helps patients in need who lack prescription coverage find ways to access prescription medicines.

### **Free Health Clinics**

Palomar Medical Group A Prof. Corp	Rancho Santa Fe Medical Group
635 E. Grand Ave.	1582 W. San Marcos Blvd 10
Escondido, CA 92025-4402	San Marcos, Ca. 92078-4081
760-745-1551	760-510-1243
Qualitycare Medical Center	Children's Medical Group
735 E Ohio Ave.	Rosenfeld Gina MD
Escondido, CA 92025-4405	1582 W. San Marcos Blvd. Ste 203
760-735-3010	San Marcos, CA. 92078-4081
700-733-3010	760-744-6710
Escondido Community Health Center	UCSD Healthcare
Escondido Community Clinic	9300 Campus Point Dr.
425 N. Date St. Ste. 129	La Jolla, CA 92037-1300
Escondido, CA. 92025-3002	858-543-6800
760-737-2018	838-343-0800
Neighborhood Healthcare	UCSD Medical Group
425 N. Date St.	9350 Campus Point Dr.
Escondido, CA. 92025-3413	La Jolla, CA. 92037-1300
	858-657-8530
US Healthworks, Inc.	TriCare Outpatient Clinic San Diego
362 W. Mission Ave. Ste 104	8808 Balboa Ave. Ste. B
Escondido, CA. 92025-1738	San Diego, CA. 92123-1592
760-747-2330	858-569-6664
US Healthworks, Inc	California Women's Medical Clinic
HealthSouth Medical Clinic	4282 Genesee Ave. Ste. 201
7590 Miramar Rd. Ste. C	San Diego, CA. 92117-4964
San Diego, CA. 92126-4232	858-268-0300
858-549-4255	
Children's Physicians Mtg.	Diabetes & Endocrine Associates Medical Clinic
12395 El Camino Real Ste. 219	3055 Health Center Dr. Ste. 101
San Diego, CA 92130-3082	San Diego, CA. 92093
858-502-1106	619-543-6303
North County Women's Medical Clinic	San Diego Heart & Medical Clinic
120 Craven Rd. Ste. 209	3660 Clairemont Dr. Ste 6
San Marcos, CA 92069	San Diego, CA. 92117-5994
760-761-4088	858-274-2560
North County Health Project	Diabetes & Endocrine Associates Medical Clinic
North County Health Services	Group
1590 Valpreda Rd	6386 Alvarado Ct. Ste. 315
San Marcos, CA 92069-2944	San Diego, Ca. 92120-4908
760-736-6767	619-287-5497
100-130-0101	U1J-201-J431

L E I Medical Group Howard Lesser MD	La Maestra Family Clinic, Inc.
9620 Chesapeake Dr. Ste. 104	4185 Fairmont Ave.
San Diego, CA 92123-1369	San Diego, CA. 92105-1609
858-560-0764	619-280-4213
Grossmont Dermatology Medical Clinic	San Diego Psycholytic Soc. Institute
McMullen Michael P A C	4455 Morena Blvd. Ste 202
8851 Center Dr. Ste. 608	San Diego, Ca. 92117-4358
La Mesa, CA. 91942-3199	858-454-0075
619-589-8626	Check if correct later!
Grossmont Dermatology Medical Clinic	Paigne Kittya MD, Inc.
8860 Grossmont Center Dr.	4029 Euclid Ave.
La Mesa, CA. 91942-3096	San Diego, CA. 92105-1907
619-462-1670	619-282-2111
Grossmont Family Medical Group	Stephen L. Stecker MD, Inc.
5525 Grossmont Center Dr.	4271 Hortensia St.
La Mesa, CA. 91942-3009	San Diego, CA. 92103-1104
619-644-6500	619-532-7253
Pacemaker Clinic, Inc.	Scripps Health Rancho San Diego Clinic
1625 E. Main St. Ste. 202	10862 Calle Verde
El Cajon, CA 92021-5245	La Mesa, CA 91941-7338
619-442-0234	619-670-5400
Robert D. Lynch MD	American Indian Health Center
1030 Pearl St. Ste.1	2630 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave. Ste. A
La Jolla, CA. 92037-5134	San Diego, CA. 92103-6572
858-459-4291	619-234-2158
La Jolla Medical Clinic	Jeanne Henry PHD
210 Coast Blvd.	2220 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave.
La Jolla, CA. 92037-4609	San Diego, CA. 92101-2104
858-454-06141	619-230-1780
Joanna Nawroski-Wozniak MD	Dyane Lemos PHD
4440-Euclid Ave.	2220 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave.
San Diego, Ca. 92115-4522	San Diego, CA. 92101-2104
619-584-3215	619-230-1890
San Diego Unified School District	Premier Treatment Health Management Center
Children's Hoover Clinic	Belton lan DC
4474 El Cajon Blvd.	1230 Columbia St. Ste. 110
San Diego, CA. 92115-4312	San Diego, CA. 92101-8502
619-283-6281	619-232-4030
Spear Clinic Dr. Joseph Spear	Pacific Nurse Practitioners
217 Escondido Ave. Ste. 5	PO Box 732
Vista, CA. 92084-6170 760-726-1144	Bonsall, CA. 92003-0732 760-724-8430

Southern California Medical Clinic	Cardiovascular Diagnostic Intervention
Robinson, Jerome A MD	59 Spinnaker Way
1000 Euclid Ave.	Coronado, CA. 92118-3265
National City, CA. 91950-3856	619-575-3344
619-267-8100	
Sharpe Mission Park Medical Group	Santa Ysabel Medical & Dental Clinic
2095 W. Vista Way Ste. 106	110 ½ Schoolhouse Canyon Rd.
Vista, CA. 92083-6028	Santa Ysabel, CA. 92070
760-901-5070	760-765-4203
Paradise Hills Medical Center	Sunnylynn P. Vendiola
2401 Reo Dr.	655 Saturn Blvd, Ste. J
San Diego, CA. 92139-3025	San Diego, CA. 92154-4734
619-479-6767	619-575-4442
United Women's Clinic	Imperial Beach Community Clinic/Health Center
Operation Samahan	949 Palm Ave.
2835 Highland Ave.	San Diego, CA. 91933-0459
National City, CA. 91950	619-429-3733
619-474-5567	
Sanysitor Health Center, Inc.	
Chula Vista Family Clinic	
865 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ave. Ste 133	
Chula Vista, CA. 91911-1349	
619-498-4550	

# **Patient Navigation Advocacy & Cancer Information**

American Cancer Society	Services for cancer patients including resources, specialty cancer support services and navigation.
<b>2</b> 655 Camino Del Rio N. Ste 100	
San Diego, CA. 92108	
800-227-2345 or 619-299-4200	
www.cancer.org	
Cancer Information service (CIS)	Personalized, confidential responses to specific questions about cancer.
National Cancer Institute	
800-422-6237	
www.cancer.gov	
Consumer Center for Health Education and	Patient navigation services that assist patients in
Advocacy (CCHEA)	accessing local cancer diagnostic and treatment
	resources with a focus on Medi-Cal and CMS
Legal Aid Society of San Diego	assistance
1475 6 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Ste. 400	
San Diego, CA. 92101	
877-734-3258 or 619-744-0935	
www.lassd.org/index.html	
www.healthconsumer.org	
Patient Advocate Foundation	Patient navigation with a focus on assistance with
	insurance, access and advocacy issues.
800-532-5274	
www.patientadvocate.org	
San Diego County Cancer Navigator	Regional clearinghouse for cancer related
	programs and support services. Provides patient
866-324-2628	navigation services to assist patients in accessing
www.cancernavigator.org	local cancer diagnostic and treatment resources.