

Resource Guide

SUMMER 2023

Research & Clinical Trials



away feeling more confident about the role clinical trials play in our understanding of cancer, and the steps needed to research and enroll in an active trial. If you are wanting to get connected to someone that has participated in a Cancer Clinical Trial, [register for support here](#) through our free peer-to-peer program.



JUNE IS SURVIVORSHIP MONTH

We would like to recognize all of our Survivors! Celebrate Survivorship Month by becoming a Mentor Angel.

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INTERESTED IN DOING A CLINICAL TRIAL?

For a broad overview and understanding of what clinical trials are, the benefits of joining one, and some questions potential participants should consider, watch our **Clinical Trial 101 Event** hosted with our partners at Lazarex Cancer Foundation.

[Watch On-Demand](#) Participants walked

Upcoming Events in the cancer community

General
& Cancer
Related

DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	LINK
Conference On Work & Cancer	6/23/23 7:30 am - 4pm CT	Register
The Truth About Liver Cancer	6/24/23 11 am CT	Register
CancerCon - AYA Conference	8/17/23-8/20/23	Register
Breast Cancer Survivorship Navigator Virtual Learning Collaborative (Vlc)	9/5/23-12/5/23 Every Tuesday 6-7 pm CT	Register
ABTA National Conference (American Brain Tumor Association)	9/8/23 - 9/9/23 Virtual & In Person	Register
Kidney Cancer Association 's Virtual Patient Symposium	9/9/23	Register
Triage Cancer Conference- Insurance Coverage, Work And Cancer	10/14/23 10 am -6:30 pm CT	Register

Clinical Trial Spotlight



LAZAREX CANCER FOUNDATION

Lazarex Cancer Foundation and Imerman Angels have partnered to educate, engage and empower the patient and caregiver community about clinical trials. Imerman Angels can connect you to someone who has been in your shoes and has participated in a cancer clinical trial. Lazarex can help to identify FDA cancer clinical trial options and assist you in navigating clinical trial navigation, reimbursing trial related travel costs, and partnering with at-risk communities to mobilize resources.

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“When my mentee and I first started talking, I could hear the fear in her voice. It was so clear how scared she was. But, by the end of our first conversation I could hear optimism and feel her energy completely change. Breast cancer is a scary diagnosis but being able to vent and consult with someone who has been through a similar diagnosis and treatment can make your mindset change drastically. I feel so fortunate to see how much my mentee has opened up with me and just to know that I have provided the type of support she needed to get through this difficult time.”

– Gisela, Triple Negative Breast Cancer Survivor, Mentor Angel

Clinical Trial Resources & Events

DESCRIPTION

LINK

Mantle Cell Lymphoma- Research And Clinical Trials

[Watch](#)

Lessons Learned In Navigating Patients Through Oncology Clinical Trials Webinar Series

[Register](#)

June 20, 2023 11:30 am & June 27, 2023 10:00 am

Lung Cancer, Clinical Trials And Black Americans

[Watch](#)

Improving Lung Cancer Clinical Trial Enrollment

[Learn more](#)

Clinical Trials: What You Need To Know- The Pros And Cons
November 30, 2023

[Email to Register](#)

Unite For Her Board-Certified Genetic Counselor From The University Of Pennsylvania's Abramson Cancer Center To Answer Your Common Questions About Genetics And Genetic Testing

[Learn more](#)

Participating In Clinical Trials Webinar When You Have Bladder Cancer

[Learn more](#)

Debunking The Myths Of Clinical Trials

[Learn more](#)

Advanced/Metastatic Bladder Cancer Clinical Trials

[Learn more](#)

The Kidney Cancer Alliance Clinical Trial Finder

[Learn more](#)

Unite For Her Speaker Series: Discussing Clinical Trials And The Importance Of Participating With Touch, The Black Breast Cancer Initiative And Ricki Fairley

[Learn more](#)

Navigating Head And Neck Clinical Trials

[Watch](#)

Lung Cancer And Finding Clinical Trials

[Learn more](#)

Partner Feature



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"If you enjoy supporting people and find fulfillment in helping them confront their fears, then this could be the right kind of position for you. It's relatively easy to draw upon your personal experiences to assist others because, whether we realize it or not, even the smallest gestures that communicate hope can be immensely valued.

"The most surprising aspect, aside from forging a best friendship, is having the opportunity to offer guidance to mentees and introduce them to alternative options that may benefit them. I'm often amazed at the lack of awareness surrounding potential treatment options, and I feel fortunate to have received comprehensive care from a provider in Chicago. Having the chance to converse with people from diverse backgrounds and regions across the country is a privilege. Everyone has a unique story, and it's incredibly captivating to listen, even if our interactions are limited to only a few conversations. People are often apprehensive and vulnerable, but they open up when given a helping hand. Meeting individuals from various walks of life is a fascinating and gratifying experience. "

- Joe, Prostate Cancer, Mentor Angel

Additional Resources

CAREGIVER RESOURCES

[Cancer Risk Assessment Tool](#)

[Find Your Caregiver Self-Care Style](#)

[Love Your Caregiving Life Podcast](#)

BILINGUAL RESOURCES

[Recursos En Español](#)

[El Sueño Después De Un Diagnóstico De Cáncer De Mama](#)

[Prostate Care En French](#)

[Prostate Care In Shalom](#)

[Thyroid Cancer En Espanol](#)

[Videos En Espanol On Radiation Therapy For Cancers Of The Brain, Breast, Gynecologic Areas, Head And Neck, Lung, Prostate](#)

[Cancer Care En Espanol](#)

CANCER SPECIFIC INFO

[Financial Support For Ovarian Cancer Treatment And Clinical Trials](#)

[Sleep After A Breast Cancer Diagnosis](#)

[Breastfeeding And Breast Cancer](#)

[LGBTQIA+ And Prostate Support](#)

[Understanding New And Developing Myeloma Treatment](#)

[Empowering Woman Facing Her2+ Breast Cancer Podcast](#)

[National Bone Marrow Transplant Podcast](#)

GENETICS

[Understanding Genetic Mutations & Biomarkers In Ovarian Cancer](#)

[Genetic Testing And Previvors](#)

[What If I Test Positive For Genetic Mutations- Should I Tell Me Family?](#)

RESEARCH PROJECT

[A Healthy Diet & Exercise May Prevent Colorectal Cancer Recurrence Study](#)

[The Impact Of Sibling Cancer Diagnosis On The Sibling Relationship](#)

[Self-Perception And Intimacy After The Cancer Experience](#)

AYA RESOURCES

[Fertility After Cancer](#)

[Parenthood Options for Infertile Survivors](#)

[Family Cancer Support Kit- Age Appropriate Conversations For Kids And Teens About Cancer](#)

[Young Adult Survivor/ Caregiver Retreats](#)



IMERMAN ANGELS RESOURCES

Imerman Angels Grief ToolKit - A guide to coping and supporting the grief process.

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Listing of helpful cancer related resources.

[Resource Page](#)

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[Shop Imerman Angels](#)

Support Groups in the cancer community

Stay
Connected

DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	LINK
In Person - Meetup = Parents With Cancer & Children - Bright Spot Networking Event - South Portland, ME	6/26/23 2 pm - 4 pm CT	Register
Guys Only - In This Guys - Only Program, We'll Shoot The Breeze With Men Of All Young Adult Cancer Experiences. Nothing Is Off The Table.	6/26/23 & 7/24/23 4 pm - 5:30 pm CT	Register
Ostomates Digital Meetup - Ages (18 -39)	6/27/23 7 pm - 8 pm CT	Register
A Doodle Journal Workshop For Young Adult Fighters, Survivors And Caregivers	6/28/23 11:30 am - 2 pm CT	Register
LGBTQIA+ Identifying Survivors, Patients, & Caregivers Ages 13 & Up!	7/20/23 7 pm - 9 pm CT	Register
In Person - Meetup = Parents With Cancer & Children - Bright Spot Networking Event - Nashville, TN	8/5/23 10:30 am - 12 pm CT	Email to Register
In Person - Meetup = Parents With Cancer & Children - Bright Spot Networking Event - Bowie, MD	8/9/23 7 pm - 8 pm CT	Email to Register

Become a Mentor Angel

Have you sought support with Imerman Angels, are you willing to give back? Join our worldwide cancer support community as a Mentor Angel and provide personalized, one-on-one support for cancer fighters, survivors, previvors and caregivers.

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Looking for other ways to get involved?

Being a part of Imerman Angels' volunteer community makes you a special type of supporter that believes in the same future we do – to see a world where no one faces cancer alone!

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Share your journey.

Everyone has a story to tell. It only takes one story to inspire and provide hope to others. Whether it is a story of survivorship, your experience as a caregiver, or of remembrance, others like you will find comfort in knowing they are not alone.

[SHARE YOUR STORY](#)

8/15/23

Community Event:

Inclusive Family Building for those touched by Cancer

More details to come!

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