Bay Area Organizations That Offer Cancer Support Groups

Below is a listing of other organizations in the Bay Area and beyond, which offer support groups to the public.

For additional resources, please view https://cancer.ucsf.edu/support/crc/patient-education-resources

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American Cancer Society
800-227-2345
https://www.cancer.org/treatment/support-programs-and-services.html

CancerCare
800-813-4673
https://www.cancercare.org/services

Kaiser Permanente
Many Kaiser locations offer cancer support groups that are free and open to the public. Check with your local Kaiser or google for more information.

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

Chinatown Public Health Center
1490 Mason St. (at Broadway)
San Francisco, CA 94133
415-364-7600

Dignity Health – St. Mary’s Medical Center
450 Stanyan St.
San Francisco, CA 94117
see website for phone numbers
https://www.dignityhealth.org/bayarea/locations/stmarys/classes-and-events/support-groups

San Francisco General Hospital
CARE Program (available in English, Spanish, and Chinese)
Community Wellness Center
1001 Potrero Ave., Room 2D35
San Francisco, CA 94110
415-206-7464
http://sfghwellness.org/care
Sutter Health – California Pacific Medical Center (CPMC)  
Various locations  
415-600-0600  
https://www.sutterhealth.org/cpmc/services/cancer

UCSF  
Patient and Family Cancer Support Center  
1825 4th St., #1210  
San Francisco, CA 94158  
415-885-3693  
https://cancer.ucsf.edu/support/crc/patient-support-center

SAN MATEO COUNTY

Stanford Health Care – Cancer Supportive Care Program  
Redwood City: 650-725-9456  
https://stanfordhealthcare.org/for-patients-visitors/cancer-supportive-care-program.html

Sutter Health – Mills Peninsula Medical Center  
100 South San Mateo Dr.  
San Mateo, CA 94401  
650-969-5400  
https://www.sutterhealth.org/services/cancer/mills-cancer-support-groups

EAST BAY

Cancer Support Community  
3276 McNutt Ave.  
Walnut Creek, CA 94597  
925-933-0107  
https://cancersupport.net

Charlotte Maxwell Clinic  
411 30th St., Suite 508  
Oakland, CA 94609  
https://www.charlottemaxwell.org

East Bay Agency for Children – Circle of Care Program  
510-531-7551 x3195  
2828 Ford Street  
Oakland, CA. 96401  
https://www.ebac.org  
For children whose parents have cancer

Sutter Health – Alta Bates Summit Medical Center
Campuses in Berkeley (510-204-4444) and Oakland (510-655-4000)
https://www.sutterhealth.org/absmc/services/cancer/special-support

Sutter Health – Palo Alto Medical Foundation
Fremont Community Health Resource Center, Building 2
3200 Kearney St.
Fremont, CA 94538
510-623-2231
https://www.sutterhealth.org/pamf/classes-events/cancer

Washington Hospital
2000 Mowry Ave.
Fremont, CA 94538
510-797-1111
https://www.whhs.com/Patients-Visitors/Health-Wellness-Catalog.aspx

Women’s Cancer Resource Center
2908 Ellsworth St.
Berkeley, CA 94705
510-601-4040
http://www.wcrc.org

NORTH BAY

Hospice by the Bay
Sonoma and Napa counties; cities of American Canyon and Vallejo
707-931-7299
https://hospicebythebay.org/types-of-care/grief-support

Marin Health Medical Center
250 Bon Air Road, Greenbrae San Francisco, CA 94904
415-925-7000
https://www.mymarinhealth.org/programs-services/cancer-care

St. Joseph Health – Petaluma Valley Hospital
400 North McDowell Blvd.
Petaluma, CA 94954
707-778-1111
https://www.stjoesonoma.org

St. Joseph Health – Queen of the Valley
1000 Trancas Street, Napa, CA 94558
707-252-4411
https://www.thequeen.org/our-services/cancer-center/support-groups

St. Joseph Health – Santa Rosa Memorial
1165 Montgomery Dr.
Santa Rosa, CA  95405
707-525-5300
https://www.stjoesonoma.org

Sutter Health – Novato Medical Center
180 Rowland Way
Novato, CA  94945
415-209-1300
https://www.sutterhealth.org/novato/search?q=cancer+support

SOUTH BAY (SANTA CLARA COUNTY)

Bay Area Cancer Connections
2335 El Camino Real
Palo Alto, CA  94306
650-326-6686
https://www.bayareacancer.org
For breast and gynecologic cancer

Cancer CAREPoint
2505 Samaritan Dr., Bldg. 400, Suite 402
San Jose, CA  95124
408-402-6611
https://www.cancercarepoint.org

Dignity Health Dominican Hospital
Katz Cancer Resource Center
3150 Mission Dr., 1st Floor
Santa Cruz, CA  95065
831-462-7770

El Camino Health Cancer Center
2505 Hospital Drive
Oak Pavilion, 1st Floor
Mountain View, CA 94040
800-216-5556
https://www.elcaminohealth.org/services/cancer-care

Stanford Health Care – Cancer Supportive Care Program
Palo Alto: 650-725-9456
San Jose: 669-233-2807
https://stanfordhealthcare.org/for-patients-visitors/cancer-supportive-care-program.html
CANCER-SPECIFIC AGENCIES
Support groups may be in person or online

Chinese Speakers: American Cancer Society
California Chinese Unit
888-566-6222
www.acs-ccu.org

Spanish Speakers: Círculo de Vida
2601 Mission St., Suite 500
San Francisco, CA 94110
415-648-9423
http://www.circulodevida.org

Blood Cancers Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
800-955-4572
https://www.lls.org/greater-bay-area/article/greater-bay-area-family-support-groups

Brain Cancer National Brain Tumor Society
617-924-9997
https://braintumor.org/take-action/brain-tumor-support-conversations

Breast Cancer BAYS – Bay Area Young Survivors
628-400-2297
https://www.baysnet.org

Marin Man to Man
415-459-3434
http://www.marin-man-to-man.org
For men whose partners have breast cancer and men who have breast cancer

SHARE
844-275-7427
https://www.sharecancersupport.org/metastatic-breast-cancer
For those with metastatic breast cancer

Colon Cancer Colon Cancer Alliance
877-422-2030
https://www.ccalliance.org

Head and Neck Cancer SPOHNC (Support for People with Oral and Head and Neck Cancer)
800-377-0928
https://www.spohnc.org

Lung Cancer GO2 Foundation for Lung Cancer
Neuroendocrine  NorCal CarciNET Community  https://norcalcarnet.org/meeting-schedule

Pancreatic Cancer  Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PANCan)  877-435-8650  https://www.pancan.org/facing-pancreatic-cancer/resources-support-and-research/support-groups

Prostate  Us TOO Prostate Cancer  800-808-7866  https://www.ustoo.org/Support-Group-Near-You

Sarcoma  Sarcoma Alliance  415-381-7236  https://sarcomaalliance.org

Thyroid Cancer  ThyCa: Thyroid Cancer Survivors’ Association  877-588-7904  https://www.thyca.org

Young People with Cancer  Young Survival Coalition  877-972-1011  https://www.youngsurvival.org

CANCER-RELATED SUPPORT

Caregiving  Family Caregiver Alliance  800-445-8106  https://www.caregiver.org/support-groups

Grief  Hospice by the Bay  415-526-5699  https://hospicebythebay.org/types-of-care/grief-support

Kara  650-321-5272  https://kara-grief.org

Sutter Health  https://www.sutterhealth.org/services/home-health-hospice/grief-bereavement-support

Ostomy  United Ostomy Association of America  800-826-0826  https://www.ostomy.org/support-group-finder