

Patient Education Resources from UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center

UCSF Helen Diller Family
Comprehensive
Cancer Center

Parents with Cancer

The **UCSF Patient and Family Cancer Support Center** is the hub of support, information and resources for people with cancer at the **Helen Diller Family Comprehensive Cancer Center**. Learn more about UCSF's supportive care programs at www.cancer.ucsf.edu/crc.

The **Cancer Support Center at Mission Bay** is located at 1825 4th St., 1st Floor, Room M-1210.
The **Cancer Support Center at Mt. Zion** is located at 1600 Divisadero St., 1st Floor, Room B-101.

The complete list of **Patient Education Resource Pages** is available to view at <http://cancer.ucsf.edu/support/crc/patient-education-resources>

Publications

UCSF Cancer Resource Center: "When a Parent or Loved One Has Cancer: Helping Children"

<http://cancer.ucsf.edu/docs/crc/SDCAN00051ParentCancer.pdf>

American Cancer Society: "Helping Children When a Family Member Has Cancer"

<https://www.cancer.org/treatment/children-and-cancer/when-a-family-member-has-cancer.html>

Cancer Support Community: "Talking to Kids and Teens About Cancer"

<https://www.cancersupportcommunity.org/talking-kids-teens-about-cancer>

National Cancer Institute: "When Your Parent Has Cancer: A Guide for Teens"

<https://pubs.cancer.gov/ncipl/detail.aspx?prodid=P223>

Websites

Camp Kesem

Camp Kesem is a nationwide organization that supports children ages 6-16 through and beyond their parent's cancer with innovative, fun-filled programs.

<http://campkesem.org>

1-260-225-3736

East Bay Agency for Children – Circle of Care

Located in Oakland, Circle of Care offers support groups and peer counseling for children and families coping with a life-altering illness or death of a loved one. Circle of Care is a program of the East Bay Agency for Children.

<http://www.ebac.org/services/circle.asp>

1-510-268-3770

Books

A Tiny Boat at Sea: How to help children who have a parent diagnosed with cancer by Izetta Smith (2000)

This information is intended to offer credible and reliable education resources for patients who want to learn more about their diagnosis. It is not intended to be a comprehensive list of all resources available.