Patient Education Resources from UCSF Comprehensive Cancer Center

Brain Tumors

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

The Fishbon Library connects patients and families with trusted health information. https://fishbon.ucsfmedicalcenter.org

UCSF Resources

UCSF Neuro-Oncology Gordon Murray Caregiver Program
The dedicated caregiver staff is here to support family members and friends of our patients throughout their caregiving journey. The website includes many resources, educational materials and lectures, and upcoming events. https://braintumorcenter.ucsf.edu/caregiver-program

Publications

American Brain Tumor Association Publications
ABTA offers numerous educational publications on specific topics related to brain tumors, including “About Brain Tumors: A Primer for Patients and Caregivers.” www.abta.org/about-brain-tumors/brain-tumor-faqs/publications

Organizations

American Brain Tumor Association
ABTA supports the needs and improvement of lives of patients and caregivers. Website includes numerous educational publications, information about diagnosis, treatment, side effects and webinars. www.abta.org 1-800-886-2282

The Healing Exchange Brain Trust
T.H.E. Brain Trust supports people affected by brain cancer through online support groups. https://braintrust.org 1-877-252-8480

National Brain Tumor Society
NBTS advocates for better treatments and a cure for people living with brain tumors. www.braintumor.org 1-617-924-9997
Books

100 Questions & Answers About Brain Tumors by Virginia Stark-Vance, MD and M.L. Dubay (2011)

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. Please contact paul.asfour@ucsf.edu with updates or corrections.