

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>

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

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/ncip/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)