

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

SCREENING:

CentroMed: For low-income, uninsured women ages 40-49. Dental assistance offered.

South Park Clinic: 6315 S. Zarzamora San Antonio, Texas 78211. (210) 977-7920.

Southside Clinic: 3750 Commercial Avenue San Antonio, Texas 78221. (210) 334-3750.

Somerset Family Clinic: 7315 S. Loop 1604 W. San Antonio, Texas 78206. (210) 624-3045.

Walzem Clinic: 5253 Walzem Road San Antonio, Texas 78218. (210) 922-7000.

CommuniCare Health Centers: For low-income, underinsured/uninsured women. Dental assistance offered.

East Campus: 1102 Barclay

San Antonio, Texas. (210) 233-7000.

West Campus: 3066 E. Commerce San Antonio, Texas. (210) 233-7000.

Christus Santa Rosa Mobile Mammography Unit:

For women ages 40 and over. Appointment Line: (210) 704-4100.

University Health System Women's Breast Health

Program: Screening services for women of all ages. Can help with enrollment for Medicaid if a diagnosis occurs. (210) 358-7020.

Mobile Mammography Unit (Healthy U Express): Appointments and information: (210) 358-3720.

CareLink Program: Sliding scale financial assistance program for healthcare services through UHS. (210) 358-3350.

YWCA of San Antonio, ENCORE plus Program: For uninsured/underinsured women ages 40-49 who have not had a mammogram within the last 12 months. Provides breast health education and referrals for low-cost mammograms. (210) 433-9922.

OTHER SERVICES:

ABODE Home: Home will take a guest that is recommended by a hospice agency. Hospice will continue to provide medical care. Patient may stay at ABODE for three months at no cost. (210) 967-9891

Alamo Breast Cancer Foundation: Offers breast health education materials, education, events, patient navigation of agencies that provide free or low-cost screening. Involved in legislative breast cancer advocacy. (210) 692-9535.

American Cancer Society: Local ACS provides the Road to Recovery Program that provides transportation to and from breast cancer-related appointments. (210) 614-4212.

National Patient Services & Programs Helpline: Provide referrals/navigation to a variety of local agencies that help with various cancer issues such as lodging, screening, co-pay assistance, beauty, prostheses, etc. 1-800-227-2345.

Corpus Christi Office: (361) 857-0136

Cancer Hacks by LiveStrong: An online tool that allows cancer patients, survivors and caregivers an opportunity to share tips, tricks and ideas to make life with cancer a little easier and more manageable. www.cancerhacks.org

Cancer Legal Resource Center: Legal assistance for cancer-related issues including insurance/benefit issues, estate planning, employment, etc. 1-866-843-2572.

Christian Assistance Ministry: Provides referrals for low-cost counseling services, rent/utility/prescription assistance (limited), clothing/toiletries, school supplies, etc. (210) 223-6648.

Christus Santa Rosa Hospice: Routinely take non-funded patients. Also has an inpatient facility where a patient may be eligible to stay up to 5-7 days for symptom control and pain management. (210) 785-5200.

Martinez Street Women's Center: Eastside community resource center. Provides breast health education and screening referrals to uninsured/underinsured, low-income women in the southeast and southwest areas of San Antonio. (210) 534-6638.

Partnership for Prescription Assistance: May be able to provide help with paying for prescriptions. 1-888-477-2669. www.pparx.org

Patient Advocate Foundation: Offers co-pay assistance for certain cancers. Breast cancer assistance available. 1-866-512-3861.

PRMA: Provides breast reconstruction surgery services. Financial assistance may be available. 9635 Huebner Road, San Antonio, Texas. (210) 692-1181.

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SLEW Wellness Center: Provides cancer aftercare services for low-income survivors including counseling, lymphatic drainage, breast prostheses, wigs, scarves, etc. (210) 654-7900.

ThriveWell Cancer Foundation: Offers nutrition and wellness/exercise programs for cancer survivors. Also provides co-pay assistance and transportation services for patients. (210) 593-5949.

DIVA Program: (210) 358-3720.

United Way of San Antonio & Bexar County: Patient Navigation for health and human services of various types. They will offer patient 3 agencies to contact based on need: CALL 211.

VITAS Hospice: Routinely take non-funded patients. Also has an inpatient facility where a patient may be eligible to stay up to 5-7 days for symptom control and pain management. (210) 348-4040.

UT Health Science Center of San Antonio: Provides genetic testing to women who have a high risk of getting breast cancer (210) 450-1000

WINGS: Breast cancer treatment for uninsured women. 7500 Highway 90 West, San Antonio, Texas. (210) 946-9464.

BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUPS:

Baptist Breast Center- Sisters n Healing Mentor Program: The Sisters in Healing Mentor Program matches newly diagnosed survivors with specially trained, post-treatment breast cancer survivors of a similar journey. Through one-on-one communication, women benefit from hearing first-hand what to expect during their cancer care pathway.

Contact: Kathy Friedrichsen at (210) 730-9615 or kwfriedr@baptisthealthsystem.com

Breast Friends Forever Young Survivors: Empowers patients/survivors to take charge of their overall well-being against cancer typically under age 40. Times and dates vary.

Contact: Sandra San Miguel - (210) 562-6502 or sanmiguels@uthscsa.edu

LACE (Life After Cancer Education): Support group for WOMEN ONLY. Open to MILITARY ONLY.

Time: Meets 2nd Wednesday of each month - 10 a.m.

Place: BAMC, General Surgery Clinic Conference Room - 3551 Roger Brooke Drive, Ft. Sam Houston, TX 78234

Contact: Susie Ferise - (210) 916-4212 or Sandy Terrazzino - (210) 916-1312

Peace Lutheran Breast Cancer Support Group: Support group for all breast cancer patients.

Time: Meets 3rd Monday of each month - 9:30 a.m.

Place: Peace Lutheran Church, 1147 South Walnut Avenue, New Braunfels, TX 78130

Contact: Becky Vogels - (830) 625-1666

PRMA Pink Ladies: Open to all breast cancer patients.

Time: Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month – 6-7:30 p.m. (day and time can change)
Place: PRMA Lobby, 9635 Huebner Road, San Antonio, TX 78240 (location can change)

Contact: Brandi Korman - (210) 692-1181

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