

## **LOCAL FINANCIAL HELP:**

**November 2022**

The **Florida Cancer Specialists Foundation** is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that helps individuals with their essential living expenses while they undergo treatment for cancer. Cancer patients are able to receive assistance from the Foundation for their non-medical bills, such as rent or mortgage, car payments and car insurance and utility bills. <https://fcsf.org/financial-aid/> on-line application only. Plus see list of other resources on their website - <https://fcsf.org/financial-aid/resources/>. Financial Counselors may be available in your treatment office.

**Partners in Care (formerly 21st Century C.A.R.E)** offers financial help for cancer patients with many of the unexpected out-of-pocket costs encountered while undergoing cancer treatment by providing funding of expenses such as transportation, accommodations, medical supplies and groceries. <https://yourpartnersincare.org/apply/> or (239) 931-7275

The **Team Tony Cancer Foundation** will provide resources and monetary support to help alleviate the financial burden of a cancer diagnosis. These items include, but are not limited to transportation and travel expenses to/from treatment, as well as expenses associated with medications, testing, or direct patient care. To qualify, you must be participating in their peer-to-peer mentor program. <https://teamtony.org/medical-grant/> or 941-227-4404

**Englewood Area Cancer Foundation** offers transportation and lodging assistance to those living in the greater Englewood area. <http://theeacf.org/assistance-application-page/> or 941-318-1667.

## **COMMUNITY RESOURCES:**

**making-an-impact.org** is an online community resource guide organized by need category and a map of service providers:

. <https://resourceguide.making-an-impact.org/>

## **2-1-1 LINKS:**

Charlotte county-

<https://gcp.myresourcedirectory.com/>

Manatee, Sarasota and Desoto counties-

<HTTPS://211.GS-HUMANSERVICES.ORG/>

## **NATIONAL RESOURCE LISTS AND LINKS:**

The American Cancer Society [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org) or 1- 800-227-2345

[https://www.cancercare.org/publications/62-sources\\_of\\_financial\\_assistance/800-813-HOPE\(4673\)](https://www.cancercare.org/publications/62-sources_of_financial_assistance/800-813-HOPE(4673))

[https://media.cancercare.org/publications/original/178-2021\\_Helping\\_Hand.pdf](https://media.cancercare.org/publications/original/178-2021_Helping_Hand.pdf)

<https://www.cancer.net/navigating-cancer-care/financial-considerations/financial-resources>

<https://panfoundation.org/> or 1-866-316-7263

[/breastcanceraf.org/request-assistance/](http://breastcanceraf.org/request-assistance/)

<https://pinkfund.org/financial-assistance-pre-qualification>

[/https://www.needhelppayingbills.com/](https://www.needhelppayingbills.com/)

for help with drug expenses:

[www.needymeds.org](http://www.needymeds.org) or [www.pparx.org](http://www.pparx.org)

CancerSupportCommunity.org –

Lodging help at CSC AirBNB Helpline — 877-793-0498