Investing in a CURE

LLS has raised nearly one billion dollars for cancer research since 1949

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Making Significant Progress

If you were a child diagnosed with Leukemia 40 years ago you had a 3% survival rate. Today, that same child would have more than a 90% chance of survival

Hodgkin's Lymphoma patient survival rates have more than doubled to 88%

Many of the drugs funded by LLS have now gone on to treat other cancers and diseases

Stem Cell Transplant process was developed through LLS research dollars

The development of the "port" for administration of chemo was funded through LLS research dollars

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Cutting Edge Research

Exciting new advancements are being made as we sit here today!

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Much More to Do

Blood cancer is still the number 1 cancer of children 19 years and younger

Leukemia causes almost one third of all cancer deaths in children younger than 15 years.

Survival rates for adults with Acute Leukemia are less than 25%

More than half of the people diagnosed with Myeloma will die from the disease

Non Hodgkin Lymphoma is the seventh most common cancer in the US – incidence is increasing. Five year survival rates are less than 60%.

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The second part of our Mission!

Patient Support and Resources

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Life Enhancing Patient Support & Outreach

Patient Financial Aid – all blood cancer patients are eligible

Patient Insurance Co Pay – assistance for insured patients for medical treatment

Educational Programs and Resources – wealth of workshops, programs, classes, webinars, printed materials to support patients & families

Support and Outreach Groups – one on one and group support for patients & families, First Connection, Trish Greene Back to School program

Public Policy Advocacy – insurance coverage, access to quality cancer care, increased funding for research, education and support

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8th Annual Blood Cancer Conference

Provided free to the public – including patients, survivors, caregivers, parents, nurses, social works and healthcare professionals

Continuing Educations Credits for Healthcare Professionals

Information on Disease Management

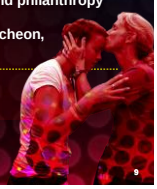
Clinical Trial Up To Date Information

Developments in Research

Developments in Survivorship

Funding a Cure – How do we do it?

- **Light The Night - Annual evening fundraising walk to celebrate and commemorate lives touched by cancer**
- **Team in Training – fundraising endurance events – LLS takes you from the couch to the finish line. Marathons, Bike Races, Triathlons, Hikes**
- **Pennies for Pasta – engaging schools in leadership, service and philanthropy**
- **Special Events – St. Valentines Annual Fashion Show and Luncheon, Big D Climb, and Links Fore Leukemia Golf Tournament**



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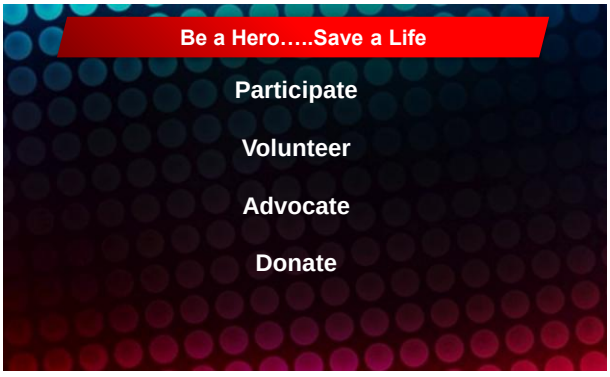
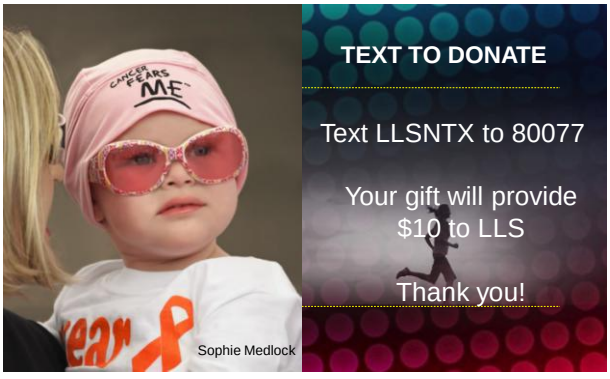
How Can You
Be A Hero &
Save a Life?


Be a Hero…..Save a Life
Participate
Volunteer
Advocate
Donate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Your gift will provide
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Thank you!