

What is CancerCARE?



A Benefit Specialized In Dealing with Cancer

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National Resources

Through CancerCARE, you will have access to some of the best doctors, hospitals, and technology nationwide. We will work with your local oncologist to make sure all treatment options are considered, not just local ones.



Expert Medical Team

Our medical staff has decades of experience treating cancer and we pride ourselves on staying up-to-date with the latest cancer treatments and technology. Each medical staffer has unique cancer expertise and background.

Frequently Asked Questions



CancerCARE
Right Care. Right Time. Right Place.

How do I use the Program?

To gain access to our services, register online at [CancerCAREprogram.com](https://cancercareprogram.com), or call us at 1-877-640-9610. Once you are registered in our system, a nurse will be assigned to your case and they will help you for the rest of your cancer journey.

Do I have to pay for CancerCARE?

The CancerCARE Program is an additional service included in the health plan offered by your company. Registration and program features are covered by your health plan. Contact your HR representative for more information.

What if I am already being treated for cancer?

You can join CancerCARE at any point during your treatment. Once registered, we are able to collaborate with your local oncologist and give them access to resources they may not have at their facility. We will also review your treatment plan to ensure everything is evidence-based quality care.

I don't have cancer, do I still need to register?

Registration is only required if you have been diagnosed with cancer. If you had cancer in the past and are now cancer-free, you can still register as a survivor and we will help you deal with any long-term issues and concerns. Covered dependents can also register for CancerCARE.



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Breast Cancer Case Study

The member was a 49-year-old female with Stage IIIC Infiltrating poorly differentiated ductal carcinoma of the right breast with venous and lymphatic invasion; ER/PR neg, Her-2 negative. The provider proposed neoadjuvant chemotherapy using Doxorubicin and Cyclophosphamide every 14 days times 4 cycles, to be followed by Paclitaxel and Carboplatin every 14 days times 12cycles. The supportive medications requested included Neulasta Onpro (white blood cell stimulator) Day 2 of each cycle (x 16) and Fosaprepitant IV, Ondansetron IV, and Dexamethasone IV on Day 1 for all 16 cycles requested.

HOW CANCERCARE INTERVENED

- Carboplatin is not evidence-based, so it was sent out for Independent Medical Review who agreed with CancerCARE. CancerCARE recommended the plan consider no coverage.
- Removing Carboplatin removed the need for the white blood cell stimulator (X12 injections), as the Paclitaxel is low risk for febrile neutropenia.
- With 14 day regimen, a long-acting white blood cell stimulator is not indicated, so CancerCARE recommended changing from the Neulasta Onpro (x 4 cycles) to the biosimilar for the short acting stimulator (will require 5 injections with each cycle, so X20 injections).
- Supportive medication was not recommended per evidence-based guidelines. They ordered as if it was a low-intermediate emetic risk, when, in fact, it is high-risk, putting the Member at high risk of requiring inpatient admission for dehydration. CancerCARE recommended increasing to cover high emetic risk and prevent inpatient admission. They also ordered IV format so they can give it at physician office pricing. CancerCARE recommended oral to be obtained from the pharmacy at a much lower cost to the plan. The Member can take them prior to coming into the office for chemo, then have them for home administration for 4 days post chemotherapy to combat delayed emesis and further risk hospital admission.

PLAN SAVING RESULTS

- Neulasta Onpro physician office billing of \$14,894 per injection; avoided 16 of those for \$238,304, but replaced those with 20 short term biosimilar injections to be given at home via self-injection for a cost of \$5,996, for a net savings to the plan for this intervention of \$232,308.
- By removing the Carboplatin from this regimen, the Plan saved \$860 for the medication cost and \$254 per medication per administration for IV medication administration fees. Total savings is \$1879.
- Soft savings for avoiding an inpatient admission for dehydration is \$24,723.
- The cost of additional anti-emetics to avoid the above noted admission, minus the savings in converting from IV to oral nets the plan an additional \$4778.

TOTAL SAVINGS

HARD SAVINGS: \$238,965



SOFT SAVINGS: \$24,723



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Testimonials

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29 y/o Survivor Mis-diagnosed with Lymphoma

"Struggles turn us into people we didn't know we could be, and cancer is no different. CancerCARE saved my life when I was misdiagnosed with lymphoma weeks after my cervical cancer diagnosis. They helped me turn my struggle into grace, strength, and knowledge to fight back. And that is an empowering combination."

56 y/o Survivor Diagnosed with Esophageal Cancer

"I don't know how I would have made it through this treatment without your help and support. It is great to know if I have questions or problems, I can just call, and you angels take care of it."

29 y/o Survivor Diagnosed with Ovarian Cancer

"It is so nice to have someone fighting for me and helping me through all of this."

49 y/o Survivor Diagnosed with Renal Cell Carcinoma

"I'm not sure what I would have done without your help. You arranged for a second opinion at a hospital I didn't even realize I could go to and they recommended a totally different treatment. I have no way to thank you for possibly saving my life."



Survivorship is our goal!



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