

FOX CHASE CANCER CENTER

SOCIAL WORK SERVICES

SUPPORT GROUPS

For general information about the support group program, please call 215-728-2668

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| <p>OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP 3rd Thursday – 3:00 to 4:00 PM For information and registration call: Holly Riggs, LSW 215-728-2936 (or) the ostomy nurses 215-728-5500</p> <p>If you or someone you know has an ostomy and could use a little extra help and support, please join us for a monthly psychoeducational support group.</p> | | <p>BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP 1st Wednesday – 6:30-8:00 PM For information and registration call: Coleen Boyd, LSW 215-728-2670</p> <p>This is an open-ended group for any woman with a diagnosis of breast cancer. Women can join at any time during or after treatment for support, information and sharing.</p> |
| <p>LARYNGECTOMY GROUP “The Speak Eezy Club of Delaware Valley” 2nd & 4th Thursday – For information on time and meeting room location please contact the Speech Department: Kathleen Moran at 215-728-2622</p> <p>This group provides free speech therapy and psychosocial support to patients and their families. Additional services include pre & post operative visits to the patient & family if requested by patient’s physician or health care professional.</p> | <p><u>METASTATIC</u> BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP 3RD Tuesday – 6:30-8:00 PM - Meeting held in the Women’s Cancer Center For information and registration call: Coleen Boyd, LSW 215-728-2670</p> <p>Women can join at any time for support, information and sharing.</p> | <p>LOOK GOOD...FEEL BETTER For information and registration, Call 215-728-3628 This is a free program sponsored by the American Cancer Society for women who are undergoing cancer treatment and want to learn new ways of dealing with changes in appearance and mood. The class is taught by licensed cosmetologists who have been specially trained in techniques related to skin care, hair loss and nail care. Each participant practices these techniques using products donated by the cosmetic industry.</p> |
| | <p>ESOPHAGECTOMY SUPPORT GROUP 4th Monday – 7:00-8:30 PM For information and registration call: Susan Haney, LSW 215-728-2672</p> <p>This group for esophagectomy patients helps people learn about the procedure and share their experiences with others. Group is composed of newly diagnosed people, people under treatment and post treatment patients who can share successful ways of coping.</p> | <p>HEAD & NECK SUPPORT GROUP 3rd Tuesday – 12:00-1:00 PM No Registration – Center Building – Room C&D</p> <p>This monthly group offers education and support for patients undergoing chemotherapy or radiation therapy for head & neck cancer. Family members are also welcome. Learn how others have dealt with cancer related problems and share what has worked for you and your family. Educational services are provided by a speech therapist, physical therapist, clinical nurse specialist and social worker.</p> |

(Revised: September 2011) – Note: All meetings are held at Fox Chase Cancer Center, 333 Cottman Avenue, Phila., PA 19111 – FREE Parking in Garage