

September 2026 Partnership Update



Explore the American Cancer Society Patient Support Pillar 2025 Impact Report

In 2025, the American Cancer Society Patient Support Pillar expanded access to care, strengthened support systems, and helped more people navigate their cancer journey with confidence. Thanks to the dedication of our teams, volunteers, and partners, we are helping everyone access the care they need.

The [Patient Support Pillar 2025 Impact Report](#) highlights the progress we've made together. Inside this interactive report, you'll see how our work is making a difference, including:

- Helping patients and caregivers navigate complex health systems with personalized support
- Working alongside partners and communities to help reduce barriers to care
- Providing trusted information and resources to support people at every step of their cancer journey

Impact reports are also available from the [American Cancer Society National Roundtables](#) and [Global Support Team](#).

[Read the Patient Support Pillar 2025 Impact Report](#)

American Cancer Society Reports Latest Global Cancer Statistics

New findings in [Global Cancer Statistics, 2024](#) (published in July 2026) project that annual cancer cases worldwide will reach 34 million by 2050 — a 64% increase from 2024 — driven largely by population growth and aging. The report was led by the American Cancer Society and published in [CA: A Cancer Journal for Clinicians](#).

[Read the Global Cancer Statistics, 2024 report \(published in July 2026\)](#)



166.8M

lives touched

Our critical programs and services reached millions of people impacted by cancer, including those at risk for cancer and caregivers and families of those diagnosed. We also worked to improve patient support across the board by sharing expert information with healthcare professionals and systems that provide care for people facing cancer.



22,000

communities served

We touched lives in thousands of communities, reaching people in more than 72% of ZIP codes across the US and its territories.



8,400

partners engaged

We work with valued partners across the country and in 78 countries around the globe to advance patient support, from prevention through education initiatives to critical programs and services.



11,100

volunteers engaged

Our volunteers help move our mission forward every day. From driving people to cancer treatment to volunteering at our Hope Lodge® communities to helping patients navigate their diagnosis, these individuals are bringing hope to people impacted by this disease and their families.



Localized Prostate Cancer Treatment ECHO

This six-session virtual learning series is designed to support healthcare professionals caring for patients with localized prostate cancer. This series will connect community-based care teams with multidisciplinary experts to explore evidence-based approaches for diagnosis, risk stratification, treatment selection, active surveillance, shared decision-making, survivorship, and management of treatment-related side effects. Continuing education credits will be offered. Sessions will be held monthly starting at 3 p.m. ET Tuesday, August 18, 2026.

[Learn more and register here](#)

Navigation Reimbursement PIN Pulse Survey

The American Cancer Society National Navigation Roundtable is seeking feedback from navigation professionals across all stages of reimbursement implementation. The findings from this survey will help inform ongoing efforts to support navigation sustainability, identify common challenges and successes, and better understand the evolving reimbursement environment for patient navigation services. Every response strengthens our collective understanding and helps ensure that organizations of all sizes, settings, and levels of experience are represented. The deadline for survey responses is Wednesday, October 14, 2026.

[Take and share the survey](#)

Driving Impact: Professional Standards in Oncology Navigation Webinar

The Driving Impact: Professional Standards in Oncology Navigation Infographic was developed by the American Cancer Society National Navigation Roundtable as a resource for patient navigation programs. These standards give clinical oncology nurse navigators, social work navigators, and patient navigators clear, evidence-based guidance to support consistent, high-quality care across all settings. Join us at noon ET on Tuesday, September 15, 2026, to learn how this infographic was developed and how it can be used.

[View the infographic](#)

[Register for the webinar](#)



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