

guidance

A sarcoma diagnosis can be distressing and confusing. As sarcoma survivors, we can help guide you and your loved ones through the complex maze of medical providers, treatment options, and information sources available to you.

education

Few people know the ins and outs of cancer before they find out they have a sarcoma. We can bring you up to speed on the basics, refer you to authoritative sources for further learning, and help you plug into support networks for adults and children with sarcoma.

support

It can be lonely finding out you have a sarcoma. We can connect you with others facing similar challenges. We believe the most successful patients are informed and connected to others for social support.



The Sarcoma Alliance strives to improve the lives of people affected by sarcoma through accurate diagnosis, improved access to care, guidance, support, and education. Together, we can make a difference.

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Find support and connection on your journey with sarcoma.

about us

Every year, 17,000 individuals in the United States face the uncertainty and isolation that accompany a new sarcoma diagnosis. For these patients and their loved ones, the Sarcoma Alliance is a crucial source of guidance, education, and support. We provide accurate information during those difficult initial days following diagnosis, financial assistance to help access quality care, and emotional support throughout the journey.

The Sarcoma Alliance exists because of the tireless work of Suzanne Leider and Wendy Sommers, who met four long years after Suzanne's sarcoma diagnosis. Suzanne and Wendy exchanged treatment information, wisdom, and inspiration with many individuals. Following Wendy's passing in 1999, Suzanne established the Sarcoma Alliance. We continue to carry on her vision of providing guidance, education, and support to everyone facing sarcoma.

our initiatives



advocacy

We collaborate with other groups to change the face of sarcoma treatment and support services. Our annual celebration of Sarcoma Awareness Month takes place annually each July.



community & support

Patients and their loved ones find community and support on our social media platforms, in our in-person and Facebook support groups, and via Imerman Angels' peer-to-peer mentoring program.



one-to-one assistance

Our team offers individualized assistance to help patients and their loved ones access social and financial services.



online information

We provide comprehensive news, articles, webinars, and information to help navigate a rare diagnosis.



sarcoma exchange

This annual conference brings people together to participate in educational seminars with physicians and build relationships with others facing a similar diagnosis.



second opinion grants

Hand in Hand: The Suzanne Renée Leider Memorial Assistance Fund helps cover the costs of consultations with sarcoma specialists.

you are not alone.