
Programs, Events and Camps

<http://okizu.org> Okizu has camps for kids with childhood cancer and their family members. These camps are cost free and located in Northern California. Family camps are four days long, and oncology camps are a week long.

Camp Kesem-

<http://campkesem.org/find-a-camp>

Camp Kesem has camps for ages 6-16 with CIT available to those aged 17-18 with 62 different college locations.

<http://m.cancer.org/treatment/supportprograms/services/look-good-feel-better-for-teens>

Look Good Feel Better for Teens is a free program for teen cancer patients ages 13-17 that helps teens cope with the side effects of treatment that change the way they look. There are two hour workshop sessions available in 15 different locations as well as an interactive website.

<http://www.azcampsunrise.org/programs-s-events/#toggle-id-1>

Arizona Camp Sunrise and Sidekicks is for children/teens aged 8-18 who have had cancer and their siblings. The camp is a week long and it is free to attend.

<http://www.campdream.org/programs/teen/>

Camp Mak-A-Dream is a camp for those ages 15-18 where teens can connect and participate in fun camping activities. It is located in Montana and the camp itself is free to attend. There are also travel scholarships available to apply for to aid families in costs associated with traveling to the camp.

Resources for Teens



Scholarships and Academic Support

<http://www.cancersurvivorsfund.org/ScholarshipEligibilityRequirements.htm> Those who have or had cancer and have been accepted or are currently enrolled in an undergraduate school can apply. The application period for the Fall 2016 semester begins February 8, 2016, and the application is available online.

<http://www.cancerforcollege.org> The application period begins October 1, 2015, and those who have had cancer and are looking to enroll in college may apply.

<http://www.patientadvocate.org/events.php?p=69> Students under the age of 25 who have been diagnosed within the past five years and want to pursue a college degree can apply.

<http://collegiatecancer.org> Students ages 18-35 pursuing a college degree can apply.

<http://www.beyondthecure.org/scholarships> Students under the age of 25 and diagnosed before the age of 18 who have been accepted into a post-secondary school in the fall can apply.

<http://www.mesothelioma.com/scholarship/> Those enrolled in college can apply. The application deadline for the Spring 2016 semester is December 1, 2015. The application is available online.

<http://andreriveroflife.org/participate/award/> Those aged 12-21 may apply (first prize is \$5,000 to use to fulfill a dream).

Keaton Raphael Memorial-
<https://childcancer.org> Keaton Raphael Memorial presents the John McLean Hero Scholarship Awards. Applications are open to students in their junior year of high school through sophomore year of college

Educational

<http://www.cancer.gov/types/aya#4> This site provides information on types of cancer, treatment, coping, and support.

Keaton Raphael Memorial-
<https://childcancer.org> Keaton Raphael Memorial provides financial, emotional, and educational support to adolescents diagnosed with cancer and their families.

<http://www.lymphoma.org/site/pp.asp?c=bkLTKaOQLmK8E&b=7800259> This site provides information on different

Financial Support

<http://www.cancercare.org/financial> Those in active treatment with financial need can apply for financial assistance for costs relating to transportation, home care and child care.

<http://www.ils.org/support/financial-support> Those with blood cancer and demonstrated need can apply for financial assistance.

<http://www.wbfinc.org/assistance/> Those aged 15-29 can apply for financial assistance

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Online Support and Connections

<https://teenslivingwithcancer.org/> Teens Living with Cancer is a site where teens can connect to others and learn about how others deal with their symptoms.

<http://www.grouploop.org/> Grouploop is a site where teens with cancer can connect

Support Groups

http://www.checksutterfirst.org/ClassesSearch/view?sid=10&g_op=event&masterid=1817 Sutter has information about a support group in the Sacramento area.

<http://albieaware.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/GREATER-SACRAMENTO-SUPPORT-GROUPS-02-18-14.pdf> Lists many support groups in the Sacramento area

http://www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/cancer/Education_programs/patients/Peer_Navigator.html Newly diagnosed patients are matched with cancer survivors who can support them and give them advice about treatment and coping.

AYA Cancer Crusaders-
<https://www.facebook.com/UCDavisAYACancer> The Cancer Crusaders is the UC Davis Adolescent and Young Adult Advisory Board.