Leukemia

This information guide has been created to help you and your loved ones find proven, up-to-date information and support.

The materials in this guide can be found at the Patient Education Resource Center (PERC), Level B2/Ground Floor of the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center. Visit us online at: http://www.mcancer.org/support/learning-about-cancer/education-resource-center

Brochures, Fact Sheets
- Published by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society:
  - Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL)
  - Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML)
  - Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL)
  - Chronic Myeloid Leukemia (CML)
  - CML Tracker Pages. To monitor doctors’ appointments, test results, and more.
  - Each New Day. This booklet can help you identify what you need to know and do to cope with your diagnosis, treatment and recovery.
  - Hairy Cell Leukemia Facts
  - Understanding Leukemia

Easy-to-read publications:
  - The ALL Guide: Information for Patients and Caregivers.
  - The AML Guide: Information for Patients and Caregivers.
  - The CLL Guide: Information for Patients and Caregivers.
  - The CML Guide: Information for Patients and Caregivers.

Printable versions are available online under at: http://www.lls.org/resource-center/download-or-order-free-publications
National Cancer Institute.

Books

Audiovisual Resources
    Videos available online focusing on education, disease updates, survivorship and other topics.

Web Resources
  - American Cancer Society http://www.cancer.org/
    - Leukemia – Acute Lymphocytic (ALL)
    - Leukemia – Acute Myeloid (AML)
    - Leukemia – Chronic Lymphocytic (CLL)
    - Leukemia – Chronic Myeloid (CML)
    - Leukemia - Chronic Myelomonocytic (CMML)
      → Click on: "Learn About Cancer"
      → Select one of the above cancer types from the drop down list under “Select a Cancer Type”
      → Click the "Go" button
• Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
  http://www.lls.org/
  Access to online booklets, fact sheets, the society's newsletter and information on support services for patients.

• MedlinePlus: Leukemia by the National Library of Medicine
  Provides overviews, diagnosis, treatment, and the latest news on leukemia. It also includes links to tutorials, patient handouts, journal articles, resources on financial issues and related organizations.

University of Michigan Resources
• University of Michigan Multidisciplinary Leukemia Clinic
  http://www.mcancer.org/leukemia
  This clinic provides diagnosis and treatment to those with all types of leukemia.

Email Groups (Listservs)
• The Association of Cancer Online Resources ACOR
  http://www.acor.org
  ACOR hosts a number of email discussion groups for family members and patients with specific types of Leukemia. To subscribe to an email group go to and select an online community from the list.

Organizations
• Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – Michigan Chapter
  Phone: (248) 581-3900
  http://www.leukemia-lymphoma.org

• The Leukemia Research Foundation
  Phone: (847) 424-0600
  http://www.leukemia-research.org

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