

American Cancer Society



## Donate your time to ACS CARES

This year, an estimated 1.9 million new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Dealing with a cancer diagnosis can be daunting. ACS CARES (Community Access to Resources, Education and Support), the American Cancer Society's navigation support program, offers individualized, non-clinical assistance for people dealing with a cancer diagnosis.



The "start here" after cancer diagnosis

Support via app, phone, or in person at clinics

Connects people to support, information, and resources

Our goal is to recruit volunteers willing to exchange messages via our app with people experiencing a cancer diagnosis. App users can select their community volunteer "match" based on characteristics that are important to them. Community volunteers can help app users feel more informed, confident, and supported during their cancer journey.

## Volunteer Requirements:

- One or more of the following categories:
- » experienced cancer
- » cared for an adult or child with cancer
- » navigated cancer as activeduty military or a veteran
- » navigated cancer living in a rural area or an urban area
- » can help find info/resources



- Respond within 24 hours to requests in the app
- One year commitment\*
- Located in the United States, and its territories
- Ages 18 and up
- Self-paced training

For more information on the Community volunteer role click here.

 $\hbox{``weekly time commitment varies based on requests received'}$ 

## Volunteer Benefits



Chance to **make a difference** in someone's
cancer journey



**Virtual, flexible** volunteer opportunity



Specialized **training** and Dedicated ACS Staff partner to provide support

## **Volunteer Today!**



Scan for Community sign up link