

Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft

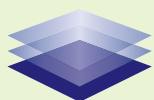
- Founded in 1925
- Over 20,000 consultations per year
- 13 Outpatient Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers 22 branch offices in Bavaria
- Approximately 160 self-help groups
- Information on all types of cancer and treatment options
- Projects for the prevention and early detection of cancer
- Financial support in cases of hardship
- Participation in research projects
- Training for physicians, oncology specialists and nursing staff



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www.bayerische-krebsgesellschaft.de/newsletter

Die Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft e.V. commits itself to transparency and is a signatory to the: Initiative Transparent Civil Society



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Please support us!

The Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft is financed by public funds and donations.

In order to continue our work for people with cancer and their relatives in the future, we need your donation.



Donation account
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Donations and membership fees for the Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft are tax deductible.

For donations under 300 EUR the bank receipt is valid.
For donations over 300 EUR we will be happy to send you a confirmation of the donation in a timely manner.

One-time endowment – long-time support

You can also support the Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft in the long term with an endowment to the foundation „Stiftung Bayern gegen Krebs“ and thus support us regularly. You can find more information at: www.stiftung-bayern-gegen-krebs.de

Thank you for your support!

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Support for cancer patients and their families

A diagnosis of cancer is a drastic event for all patients and their families or caregivers.

Oncologists provide information about the treatment, but often there is not enough time to cover all that worries and questions concerning the emerging questions that go beyond the medical therapy.

As a rule, those affected by cancer need more than just medical help. Cancer also affects mental, social and spiritual well-being. The relationship with family and friends can change as a result of the diagnosis and disease. Fears and uncertainty sometimes make it difficult for both the patients and their families to react and interact appropriately. More often, patients are not able to continue their professional work, resulting in a severe impact on the financial, social and regulatory situation.

These factors may compromise an adequate coping strategy of the patients and their family.

Support on a broad level

The Outpatient Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers offered by the Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft (Bavarian Cancer Society) are designed to support patients during this life crisis. We counsel, accompany and help people to cope with all non-medical aspects in a cancer patient career.

Throughout Bavaria, we have established a network of Outpatient Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers and outreach clinics that help patients and their families to find new perspectives as they deal with the disease or after recovery.

We are happy to welcome and counsel you in our Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers



Our Psycho-oncologists

- Counsel on the subject of cancer
- Support in coping with the disease and in developing new perspectives
- Help to cope with stressful situations
- Accompany during acute crisis
- Provide information on social and legal matters, on rehabilitation offers and support in decision-making
- Arrange contacts to self-help groups and to social and medical institutions
- Organize information events about all types of cancer and treatment options
- Provide discussion groups and courses for health promotion
- Answer questions about early cancer detection

We take our time for you. Our consultations are free of charge and confidential.

Enclosed you find an overview of all Outpatient Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers or an external consultation in your area. Please refer to the enclosed address list.

Our self-help groups support each other

In the approximately 160 self-help groups supported by the Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft, people meet – those who are affected by cancer themselves or those who are relatives. The intent of the self-help groups is to support patients after they have been diagnosed with cancer and help them to develop a better quality of life.

In the self-help groups, those affected can

- communicate their worries and questions in a safe space
- share experiences and learn from each other
- find support and guidance in coping with the disease
- discover ways out of isolation and make new friends

Contacts to self-help groups can be arranged through the Outpatient Psychosocial Cancer Counseling Centers of the Bayerische Krebsgesellschaft.

Visit our YouTube channel "überLEBENmitKrebs", where patients provide advice on living with the disease.

