



We need your help.

We welcome your involvement in the Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation. As a volunteer organization, we are always looking for people to help us get our important work done. If you are interested in contributing your talents in any capacity, we invite you to get in touch with us at volunteers@cholangiocarcinoma.org.



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Who we are.

Founded in 2006, the Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation strives to increase collaboration, understanding, research, and education about bile duct cancer. We provide help for patients and caregivers, advocate for those afflicted and help educate those seeking more information about the disease.

While we are a US non-profit corporation, the support and resources we provide extends much farther. As our reach continues to expand, we are better able to share ways to improve diagnosis and early detection and advance therapies for prolonging life.



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Collaborating with other organizations and medical experts.

Partnerships

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation maintains active collaborations with other organizations. Together, we work to increase awareness of bile duct cancer and help fund bile duct cancer research.

Meetings

Our meetings include the First Annual Biliary Cancers Symposium (partnered with CanLiv), and the International Clinical Trials Symposium for Rare Cancers (led by the National Cancer Institute).

Understanding the patient experience.

Support Groups

Bile duct cancer support groups are filled with patients and caregivers who are facing similar questions and concerns, and meet regularly to provide help and support to one another. The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation provides guidance for finding support groups or setting up a support group in your area.

Emotional Guidance

We partner with licensed psychologists to provide the bile duct cancer community help in meeting the emotional challenges of cancer diagnosis, treatment, family relationships, and other issues that affect patients, caregivers and family members.

Discussion Forums

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation connects patients and caregivers from around the world through an on-line forum, allowing patients and caregivers to establish relationships, share research and resources, and provide emotional support.

Social Networking

Our social networking sites include Facebook, YouTube, Vimeo, Twitter and Linked In. These sites allow us to deliver daily updates to patients, caregivers, physicians, and advocates on breaking news regarding bile duct cancer while advancing awareness.

Patient Advocacy

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation provides guidance to caregivers so they can more effectively act as a liaison between the patient and health care providers or insurance companies—focusing on the patient's perspective.

Researching promising avenues.

Grants

We are committed to funding research projects focused on bile duct cancer. The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation currently funds the Conquer Cancer Foundation Young Investigator Award and LIFe Award, and is actively seeking to support other meaningful research opportunities.

Research Advocacy

A research advocate brings non-scientific viewpoints to the research process to ensure that the patient perspective is considered--in various national research groups, and during research symposia and seminars.

Fundraising

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation provides materials for hosting individual or group fundraisers, and invites your participation. Whether you are a beginner or a seasoned fundraiser, we can help you with your efforts.

Educating the community.

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Through our website, The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation provides regularly updated tools such as medical alerts, an active clinical trial feed, and a calendar of upcoming events and medical webinars.

Webinars

The Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation offers free webinars for patients, caregivers, and medical professionals. Learn about clinical trials, updates on bile duct cancer treatment options, how to build local resources, how to deal with emotional needs, and much more. All webinars are led by experts in their fields, and offer participants a chance to interact with the experts.

Educational Materials

We offer educational brochures, updates, announcements and e-newsletters on emerging facts, news, research, treatments and patient stories. Our Loose Leaf Notebook provides regular updates on webinars, research, fundraisers, partner programs, awareness efforts, and much more.