



TAKE ACTION AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE

- Join with advocates across the nation to make pancreatic cancer a priority in Congress.
- Write, call, email and visit your local elected officials.
- Advocate for increased federal research funding.
- Urge Congress to take action and create hope by attending our annual Pancreatic Cancer Advocacy Day in Washington DC.

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FIGHT PANCREATIC CANCER WITH ADVOCACY AND ACTION



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ADVANCE RESEARCH. SUPPORT PATIENTS. CREATE HOPE.

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RAISE YOUR VOICE AND CREATE HOPE

THE PANCREATIC CANCER ACTION NETWORK

is a nationwide network of people dedicated to advancing research, supporting patients and creating hope for those affected with pancreatic cancer. That starts with raising awareness for the need for more federal research dollars. Only 5% of those diagnosed with pancreatic cancer will survive for more than five years. Despite being the deadliest form of cancer, pancreatic cancer receives the least amount of federal research funding of all cancers—and is decades behind other cancers in research discoveries. You can change that.

THE CURE STARTS WITH ADVOCACY FOR INCREASED FEDERAL RESEARCH FUNDING

Although the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network raises funds for private medical research, we also strongly advocate for increased federal research funding for pancreatic cancer. The federal government is the primary funder of cancer research through the National Cancer Institute (NCI), a part of the National Institutes of Health. Although pancreatic cancer is the 4th leading cause of cancer death, only 1 1/2% of NCI's \$4.8 billion budget is spent on discovering its causes, diagnosis and treatment. Congress controls NCI funding—that's why your elected officials need to hear from you loud and clear. Make sure they make pancreatic research funding a priority.

URGE CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION AND CREATE HOPE

The Pancreatic Cancer Action Network will provide you with everything you need to be an effective advocate and to make a difference in the lives of pancreatic cancer patients. We'll keep you informed and let you know when you should take action. When you join with us, you become a part of a nationwide grassroots network that raises their voice to create awareness, funding and hope. Don't let the federal government make decisions about pancreatic cancer research without getting all the facts!

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Research, health insurance, access to medical innovation, quality of life and treatment decisions—raise your voice on issues that are important to pancreatic cancer patients, their caregivers and families.
- Take action by writing, calling, emailing or visiting your local elected officials. Congress is always debating an issue critical to the future of pancreatic cancer patients. They need to hear your perspective to make the right decisions.
- Join with hundreds of other advocates from across the nation for our annual Pancreatic Cancer Advocacy Day in Washington, DC. We'll train you how to be an effective citizen activist for pancreatic cancer research.
- Become an Advocacy Coordinator with your local volunteer affiliates. We'll help you organize local advocacy events and activities such as group visits to a local U.S. Representative's office.

**TOGETHER WE CAN RAISE OUR VOICES,
AWARENESS AND FUNDS TO CREATE REAL HOPE
FOR PANCREATIC CANCER PATIENTS.**



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JOIN US TODAY AND HELP FIND A CURE FOR TOMORROW.
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