

INSURANCE RESOURCES

Organization	Eligibility	Phone #	Service	Other
American Cancer Society	request for info. on cancer	713-266-2877	insurance info, publications on insurance & cancer	free
American Council of Life Insurance	info. on insurance	202-624-2000	info. about insurance questions	
American Family Life Assurance Council (AFLAC)	info. on insurance	800-GO-AFLAC 800-654-8489 www.af-group.com	supplemental health insurance offers ways to buy this	
Blue Cross/ Blue Shield of TX 901 S. Central Expressway, Richardson, Texas 75080	small group and individual coverage	800-521-2227 http://members.bcbstx.com	if greater than 10 years post cancer diagnosis will cover completely	call for specifics
Brokerage Firm in San Antonio	persons with cancer or other disability	800-274-2844 www.usaa.com	underwrites individual policies, temporary insurance available	call them with your situation & they can help you figure out a plan for insurance
Candlelighters Ombudsman Program	Persons with cancer history	800-366-2223 713-270-4700 www.candlelighters.org	helps parents and childhood cancer survivors achieve full potential in society through exercise of their rights under the law	
Medical Care Management Corporation (Medical Ombudsman Program)	insurance company refusing payment for medically necessary treatment	301-652-1818	helps families work with insurance companies on paying for necessary treatment	includes hematology, phase I, BMT and others
National Coalition for Cancer Survivorship	persons with cancer history	301-650-8868 877-622-7937 www.cansearch.org	network of individuals and groups concerned with issues surrounding survivorship such as insurance	
Social Security Administration	persons with disabilities which prevent them from working for at least one year	800-772-1213 800-325-0778 (hearing impaired). www.ssa.gov	provides benefits to persons who can't work, being eligible often means qualify for other programs	800-281-6511 for assistance with SSI termination due to new regulations
Texas Board of Insurance	complaint about insurance being dropped	1-800252-3439	file complaints & help direct persons toward	

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	due to child with cancer		insurance companies who carry high risk persons	
Texas Cancer Legal Project	cancer patient hotline	800-777-FAIR	attorney advises persons on legal rights and possibly other legal resources available	
Texas Dept. of Insurance - Risk Pool	health insurance for anyone	888-398-3927 512-463-6174 www..tdi.state.tx.us /commish/thirtp.html	call for details about insurance for anyone	
Texas Volunteer Legal Lawyers Program	persons wanting info. on legal rights surrounding various issues including insurance	713-228-0732 512-476-5550 central Texas Houston Volunteer Lawyers' Project 713-228-0732	call for assistance with legal rights/ insurance issues	