



What Now?

You've been treated for cancer, but your cancer has returned.

You search Dr. Google and get thousands of results, most of them irrelevant to your case.

You're overwhelmed and confused.

You seek second opinions and get conflicting recommendations.

You have to make urgent life-or-death decisions, and you're running out of time.

Cancer Commons is here to help

- Find the right experts.
- Identify the best tests and treatments.
- Access those treatments through clinical trials, expanded access, and reimbursement support.
- Connect directly with researchers who may have promising investigational therapies.
- We will spend time with you. Together we will make a plan.

Cancer Commons is a nonprofit direct-to-patient service that can help you navigate treatment options and other aspects of your care, with continued follow up over time. Cancer Commons provides comprehensive patient support, including personalized treatment options, and help with accessing promising therapies.

Our goal is to provide you with information and an actionable plan that will help you achieve a superior outcome.

What can I expect from Cancer Commons?

What can I expect from Cancer Commons when I am referred by your Institution?

A Nurse Navigator will contact you and guide you through every step of the process. You will be asked to sign two documents:

1. Patient Participation Agreement

Cancer Commons will need your written permission to review and request all medical records on your behalf.

2. Patient Consent

The Patient Consent allows us to track your progress over time and review this progress with recognized experts in our network. Coordinating what we learn from all patients enables us to identify the treatments that are working best for patients like you.

Once you sign the documents, the Nurse Navigator will ask you about your treatment goals and other needs. You will be asked to provide relevant medical records that will help the Cancer Commons' team understand your diagnosis, treatment history, and other pertinent information.

Cancer Commons scientists will review your treatment goals and medical records, including test reports, imaging scans, biomarkers, and molecular tumor profiles, and prepare a comprehensive case summary.

Cancer Commons scientists - assisted by Artificial Intelligence (AI) – will research therapeutic options including investigational therapies, off-label combinations, and clinical trials, as well as advanced testing modalities such as next generation sequencing (NGS), liquid biopsies and organoid testing.

This initial option set is then presented to a Virtual Tumor Board (VTB), where nationally-recognized experts in your specific cancer will refine them into an action plan for you. We moderate this discussion to drive consensus and capture the rationale behind every decision.

The VTB's conclusions are compiled into a Cancer Commons Report, which you can discuss with your oncologist. The final decision regarding tests and treatments is always up to you and your care team.

We record what you decided to do, and why. When necessary, we will try to facilitate access to the desired tests and treatments through clinical trials, expanded access, or reimbursement support.

We monitor your progress over time and alert you to new developments that may impact your care. The VTB will be available should you need a new plan.

Research efforts are supported by learnings and insights derived from Cancer Commons' experience running tumor boards and working with patients like you.

Our AI platform uses the VTB's recommendations, your treatment decisions, and your clinical results to get smarter. Our goal is continuously to learn from every patient's experience and use that knowledge in real-time to help the next patient.

