



Flood Survivorship Program

Services Offered to Those Impacted by the Flood of 2016

Case Management Services

A Cancer Services representative is available to work directly with cancer survivors and their immediate family members to identify available resources in the community, apply for available programs and services, and resolve issues that have emerged during the re-building process.

Counseling Services

Although not all will have the same emotional reaction to a natural disaster, those who do may experience recurring dreams or nightmares, trouble concentrating or remembering things, feeling numb or withdrawn, having outbursts of anger or intense irritability, manifesting chronic physical symptoms, feeling overprotective of family members, avoiding reminders of the flood or feeling tearful for no apparent reason. Trained social work staff will provide individual and family counseling to those impacted by the flood to identify effective coping mechanisms for managing these symptoms of distress. Referrals may be made in the community for those requiring more in-depth treatment.

Support Group

Our clients and their family members are not only trying to manage the impact of a natural disaster, but many are also receiving cancer treatment or recovering from such treatment. It is important to remember that you are not alone. Others in our community are experiencing the same reactions and can share coping tips in a meeting for flood survivors. Trained staff members will provide support and facilitate sharing in creating a supportive community to help during the difficult transition subsequent to the flood.

FLOOD SUPPORT MEETING

Mondays at 11 a.m.

Call Chernita or Shawnda for details about flood related services

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