



KARMANOS VISION

A world free of cancer.

KARMANOS MISSION

To lead in transformative cancer care, research and education through courage, commitment and compassion.

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JUNE AT KARMANOS



June is National Cancer Survivor Month. Once treatment is over, people who have had cancer often want to know what they can do to stay healthy. It's important to realize that people who have had cancer in the past can still have other health problems. Some may even develop other cancers. Learn about the things you can do to help yourself stay healthy once your cancer treatment is completed.

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PHYSICIAN SPOTLIGHT AND RESOURCES



Elisabeth Heath, M.D.

Dr. Elisabeth Heath named Health Care Hero by Crain's Detroit Business

Elisabeth Heath, M.D., one of the top oncologists at Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute in Detroit, says being a physician is not a job, but a calling.

When asked how she splits her time between seeing cancer patients and cutting-edge research, Heath laughs and says: "It is funny. There is the paper version of what you are. The actual version is those who love our jobs do it seven days a week."

As associate center director of translational sciences and professor of oncology at Wayne

State University School of Medicine, Heath also sees her role as not only mentoring students and residents, but also cancer survivors. Read the full article in Crain's Detroit Business [HERE](#).

Support groups, education classes and community events

Through a variety of support groups, education classes and community events Karmanos offers patients, families and friends the resources you need to improve your quality of life and be an integral partner in the fight against cancer. For a full listing, click the link below.

[CLASSES AND SUPPORT GROUPS](#)

CANCER AWARENESS AND EDUCATION



Patient and Family Advisory Council

Did you know that Karmanos has a Patient and Family Advisory Council? This special group is dedicated to promoting and facilitating the delivery of the most comprehensive and compassionate health care for cancer patients, survivors and

their extended families. They also serve as patient and family advocates to Karmanos Cancer Institute leadership. [LEARN MORE.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS



Gather your friends and family for a night out at Jimmy John's Field!

Join us for fun, entertainment, cancer awareness, survivor recognition and baseball. Ticket packages benefitting the Karmanos Cancer Institute include one patio ticket, an all-you-can-eat buffet, unlimited soft

drinks and two alcoholic beverages (for guests 21 and older) for \$35 per person. A portion of the proceeds from these tickets benefit research efforts at Karmanos Cancer Institute.

Are you a prostate cancer survivor? Your ticket is complimentary with the purchase of two companion tickets. ***Note: complimentary game tickets are limited and will be given on a first come, first served basis.*

Purchase tickets online [HERE](#) or call the Jimmy John's Field Box Office at 248-759-5278 (mention Karmanos Cancer Institute).

Friday, August 16, 2019

Gates open at 6 p.m.- Game time 7:05 p.m.

Jimmy Johns Field - 7171 Auburn Rd, Utica, MI 48317

Please contact Chelsea Pulice at pulicec@karmanos.org with questions about complimentary game tickets.

Survivorship Fair

Join us for the 2019 Survivorship Fair to learn more about the services offered at Karmanos, which aim to increase and enhance the wellness of our patients. Meet the various representatives to collect information and have any questions answered.

Attend “Survivorship 101,” beginning at 10:30 a.m. Sessions are every 30 minutes by Denise Henderson, M.Ed, BSN, RN, OCN.

Wednesday, June 19, 2019

10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Education Resource Center

Karmanos Cancer Institute - Detroit

For more information call (313) 576-9700.

WAYS TO SUPPORT



Volunteer at Karmanos!

Volunteering at the Karmanos Cancer Institute is a rewarding opportunity — giving you the chance to make a difference in the lives of patients, their families and the community. Our volunteers have been a proud part of our tradition since our

inception in 1943. Karmanos sponsors a number of events throughout the year to support research and patient services.

“It’s a terrific organization that I believe in — it’s immensely satisfying. My day job

as an engineer is challenging — it pays the bills, provides benefits and gives me elements of satisfaction. However, it doesn't feel like it directly helps people. Karmanos truly helps people, and I've really enjoyed the people, atmosphere and spirit of their events." - Scott Joy, Karmanos Volunteer

How to Volunteer

We are always excited to welcome new volunteers. The process for becoming a new volunteer is easy. Complete the online volunteer application [HERE](#).

Wall of Hope Program

Our Wall of Hope program is a heartfelt way to honor and remember a loved one, friend, colleague or a special caregiver. With a gift of \$3,000 for a three-inch plaque, \$5,000 for a five-inch plaque or \$10,000 for a seven inch



plaque, you can inscribe a meaningful message of hope, gratitude or inspiration to an honoree on our Wall of Hope. The Wall of Hope is located on the main level at the Karmanos Cancer Center in Detroit. This lasting tribute provides a visible connection to the donor and the honoree, while providing the Institute with vital funds to continue scientific research and provide the latest cancer fighting treatments. For more information, please contact the Development Office at 313-576-8115, wallofhope@karmanos.org or visit www.karmanos.org/wallofhope.

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