GIST Support International (GSI)
National Resource

Program Details

GIST Support International (GSI) is an all-volunteer, non-profit organization that reaches out to gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST) patients and their families and friends to provide education and support. GSI promotes and encourages ongoing research in the quest for a cure for GIST. Services offered by GSI include: - A wide range of information on gastrointestinal stromal tumors, from basics to detailed explanations - Ask the Professional -- questions posed to physicians, researchers, and other professionals about gastrointestinal stromal tumor, and the answers to these questions, are posted to the Web site for the education and support of GIST patients and their caregivers, family, and friends. - Educational brochures on GIST, including questions to ask the doctor, available in print or via Adobe download (also in Spanish). Other books and DVDs are also available. - GIST Talking -- a quarterly newsletter of the GIST international patient support community; includes science updates, practical tips, and other items of interest to people affected by gastrointestinal stromal tumor. (Present and back issues can be downloaded and printed.) - Active listserv chat community - Extensive GIST clinical trial information - Bob Spiegel and Brad Clark Memorial Second Opinion Fund for Travel and Treatment -- financial assistance via one-time grants up to $500 may help needy GIST patients with the costs of traveling to seek a second opinion from a sarcoma expert

Location Information

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Additional Information

Cost/Fees: 
Eligibility/Procedures: 
Website: http://gistsupport.org
Languages: English

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Your American Cancer Society compiled this information as a public service. Our goal is to provide a comprehensive list. Inclusion should not be viewed as an endorsement of these organizations and programs by your American Cancer Society. Before attending a meeting, please verify the meeting time and date. Should you experience difficulties with any of these resources, please call your local American Cancer Society office.

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