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<https://www.kidskonnected.org/support-group>

Kids Konnected was developed on the premise that when a parent gets cancer, the entire family is affected and the needs of the children must be addressed. The mission of Kids Konnected is to provide friendship, understanding, education and support for kids and teens who have a parent with cancer or have lost a parent with cancer. We offer monthly support groups lead by professional therapists in 6 California locations, summer camps, youth leadership training, bereavement workshops, and care packages sent nationwide to newly diagnosed families.

<https://www.walkwithsally.org/>

LA Based Mentorship program supporting children and families. Walk With Sally is dedicated to providing free mentoring support programs and services to the children of parents, guardians or siblings who have cancer or have succumbed to cancer- one child at a time, one heart at a time. Our programs include group Friendship Activities, Heart to Home art therapy, Hope for the Holidays gifts, Molly's Corner for books about grief, Junior Mentor Program, Fred's Future Young Leaders Scholarship for higher education, and Temporary Family Support Program.

<https://childrenstreehousefdn.org/>

The Children's Treehouse Foundation provides psychosocial intervention through its CLIMB program (Children's Lives Include Moments of Bravery). The CLIMB program is offered for children affected by a parent's cancer in hospitals and cancer centers throughout the United States. The standardized program, delivered by trained mental health professionals, helps children understand and cope with their parents' illness and helps parents communicate with their children.

<https://elunanetwork.org/>

Camp Erin, created and funded by The Moyer Foundation, is the largest nationwide network of free bereavement camps for children and teens ages 6-17 who have experienced the death of someone close to them. Led by grief professionals and trained volunteers, Camp Erin combines traditional, fun camp activities with grief education and emotional support providing a unique opportunity for youth to increase levels of hope, enhance self-esteem, and especially to learn that they are not alone.



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<https://www.experience.camp/>

Experience Camps are free, one-week camps in Maine, New York and California for boys and girls who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling or primary caregiver. Through camp activities and facilitated bereavement support, campers are able to open up, share their stories, and be with other kids who “get it”, while having the time of their lives just being kids.

<https://imermanangels.org/>

Imerman Angels carefully matches and individually pairs a person touched by cancer (a cancer fighter or survivor) with someone who has fought and survived the same type of cancer (a Mentor Angel). Cancer caregivers (spouses, parents, children and other family and friends of fighters) also receive 1-on-1 connections with other caregivers and survivors. These 1-on-1 relationships inspire hope and offer the chance to ask personal questions and receive support from someone who is uniquely familiar with the experience. The service is absolutely free and helps anyone touched by any type of cancer, at any cancer stage level, at any age, living anywhere in the world.