



## WE ARE GROWING

Connect Thru Cancer's growth has been exponential and the need for our services and support programs continues to grow steadily. Taking care of their children is one of the top reported concerns of parents with a cancer diagnosis. Although we are not making medical advances in treatment or prevention, we are improving the quality of life for individuals and families during this difficult time by helping to **reduce stress and anxiety**, which aids in overall patient recovery.

Connect Thru Cancer aims to help create memories, bring laughter, love and fun into the lives of individuals and families during a very difficult time.



## WHERE WE SERVE

Connect Thru Cancer also supports hospitals and cancer centers with our Cancer Comfort Kit and Busy Bag programs both locally and nationally.

For more information, please visit our website [www.connectthrucancer.org](http://www.connectthrucancer.org) or call our office at 484-301-3047.

The ongoing generosity of others enables us to continue to meet the needs of our families as an effective and reliable resource. We are so grateful to the following donors for their unwavering support.

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BECAUSE WE KNOW CANCER AFFECTS  
**MORE** THAN JUST THE PATIENT.

## WHO WE ARE

Founded in 2007, Connect Thru Cancer is a 501c3 non profit organization providing a variety of FREE cancer support services and resources to individuals and families living with a cancer diagnosis. Our goal is to provide respite to the cancer patient in treatment, while supporting their unique journey.

Connection is a large part of who we are, and we interact with our clients on a personal level, providing a much needed break from the chaos of cancer. Our services benefit both the cancer patient and their families, because we know cancer affects **MORE** than just the patient.

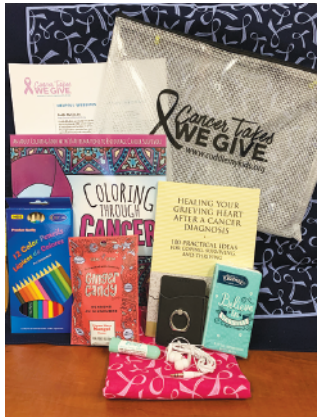
## WHAT WE DO

Connect Thru Cancer's role is vital in the recovery process and our services focus on improving the quality of life for patients and their families throughout treatment. The uniqueness of our programs allow us to connect with families in a very meaningful way.

Each individual story is one of fight, courage and strength and reinforces the purpose of Connect Thru Cancer – to bring laughter, love and fun into the lives of parents and their children during a very difficult time.

*Cancer Takes*  
**WE GIVE.**

More programs, bigger mission, cancer support for all.



Cancer Comfort Kit

Cancer Connect



In-Home



Art Journaling

## OUR PROGRAMS

**Every patient receives an individualized consultation to determine which Connect Thru Cancer programs are right for them, in addition to connecting them to other resources that may be beneficial to their recovery.**

**Connect Thru Cancer In-Home** This program provides respite for those in treatment, quality time with family members and moments of joy! This program is offered on a six week basis.

**Cancer Comfort Kits** Available to individuals, hospitals and cancer centers both locally and nationally. These kits are filled with purposeful items to help bring comfort and pass the time during treatment.

**Busy Bags** These zippered bags are filled with independent activities aimed to keep kids engaged and busy when respite is needed by the cancer patient. These are ideal for children ages 3-8. Also available for children in treatment.

**Cancer Connect** These monthly gatherings are for families battling or living with a cancer diagnosis, centered around fun events and/or activities to help inspire creativity and create lasting memories. This program runs monthly on a weekend day.

**Connect & Remember** This program is for families who have lost a parent or loved one to cancer. As one of our newest programs, these peer gatherings focus on connecting with others who have lost a spouse to cancer.

**Education** We provide picture books for young children to help talk about a cancer diagnosis, workbooks for youths, and relatable books for teens.

**Art Journaling** This workshop is ideal for local cancer support groups, hospitals and cancer centers. This program focuses on mindfulness and easing the stress related to a cancer diagnosis and treatment. NO Artistic experience required!