



## Access to Cancer Care For Low-Income and Uninsured Patients in Collin County

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### I want to be checked for cancer. Where do I go?

If you want to be checked for cancer and:

- You live in Collin County
- You make a low income
- You do not have health insurance
- You cannot get Medicare or Medicaid

You may be able to get help through one of the programs listed below. Each one may have different rules about how you qualify and apply for services, so call the number listed for more information.

### Collin County Indigent Health Care Program

If you live in Collin County you may be able to get help through the **Collin County Indigent Health Care Program**.

For more information, go by the office, or visit the website listed below:

**Collin County Indigent Health Office**

825 N. McDonald Street, Suite 110  
McKinney, Texas 75069




972-548-4702 (McKinney)

[https://www.collincountytx.gov/healthcare\\_services/Pages/indigent.aspx](https://www.collincountytx.gov/healthcare_services/Pages/indigent.aspx)

## Federally Qualified Health Centers

If you cannot get help from the Indigent Health Care Program, you may be able to see a doctor at a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) clinic that will let you pay on a **"sliding scale."** This means that the amount of money you pay is based on how many family members live in your house and how much money you make. For example, if you have a big family and make just a little money, you would pay less for medical care. If you have a smaller family or make a little more money, you would pay a little more.

For more information and to find the nearest clinic, call the numbers below. Clinics that see adult patients are listed alphabetically by city and clinic name.

<p><b>Carevide Family Medicine Farmersville</b> 111 N Johnson St Farmersville, TX 75442-2103 972-782-6131 <a href="https://carevide.org/locations-2/">https://carevide.org/locations-2/</a></p> 	<p><b>Community Healthcare Center - Family Health Center on Virginia</b> 1620 W Virginia Street McKinney, TX 75069-7862 214-618-5600 <a href="https://www.chcwf.com/directions-hours/">https://www.chcwf.com/directions-hours/</a></p> 
<p><b>Family Health Center on Virginia - Women's Health Center of McKinney</b> 4510 Medical Center Dr Ste 201 McKinney, TX 75069-1605 214-618-5600 <a href="https://www.chcwf.com/directions-hours/">https://www.chcwf.com/directions-hours/</a></p> 	<p><b>Collin County Adult Clinic</b> 2520 K Ave Ste 100 Plano, TX 75074-5342 972-423-4941 <a href="http://www.collincountyadultclinic.org/">http://www.collincountyadultclinic.org/</a></p> 

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- Adults (18 & above)
- Patients must be referred by other physician
- Patients with established diagnosis of Cancer
- Patients currently under care of a primary care Physician
- Patients who are uninsured

For more information, call the number below:

**GDAS Cancer Clinic**

833 E Arapaho Road  
Richardson, TX 75081  
972-635-3680

No Walk-ins accepted

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**For U. S. Military Veterans**

If you are a **veteran**, you may be able to be seen at a **Veterans Affairs (VA) clinic**. To find out more about veterans' benefits, go to <https://www.va.gov/health-care/>. For more information, contact the Department of Veterans Affairs at the number below:

**Health Benefits Hotline: 1-877-222-VETS(8387)**

You may also call or visit the following VA facilities in or near **Collin County**. Clinics are listed alphabetically by city and clinic name.

<p><b>Sam Rayburn Memorial Veterans Center</b> 1201 E. 9th St. Bonham, TX 75418-4059 800-924-8387 <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Bonham">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Bonham</a></p>	<p><b>Dallas VA Medical Center</b> 4500 S. Lancaster Rd. Dallas, TX 75216-7167 800-849-3597 <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/directions.asp">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/directions.asp</a></p>
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<p><b>Polk Street VA Clinic</b>  4243 S. Polk Street  Dallas, TX 75224-4928  214-372-8100  <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Polk.asp">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Polk.asp</a></p> 	<p><b>Denton VA Clinic</b>  2223 Colorado Blvd.  Denton, TX 76205-7523  940-891-6350  <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Denton.asp">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Denton.asp</a></p> 
<p><b>Grand Prairie VA Clinic</b>  2737 Sherman Street  Grand Prairie, TX 75051-1027  214-857-3450  <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Grand_Prairie.asp">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Grand P  rairie.asp</a></p> 	<p><b>Plano VA Clinic</b>  3804 W 15th Street  Plano, TX 75075-4752  972-801-4200  <a href="https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Plano_Outpatient_Clinic.asp">https://www.northtexas.va.gov/locations/Plano Outpatient  _Clinic.asp</a></p> 

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## For Women

Women who want to get checked for **cervical cancer or breast cancer** may be able to get help through a special program called **Breast and Cervical Cancer Services (BCCS)**. The Breast and Cervical Cancer Services program services include:

- Screening services
  - Clinical breast examination
  - Mammogram
  - Pelvic examination and Pap test
- Diagnostic services
- Cervical dysplasia management and treatment
- Help applying for Medicaid for Breast and Cervical Cancer

You may receive these benefits if you:

- Are a female.
- Are a resident of Texas.
- Are 18 or older.
- Don't have health insurance.
- Meet income requirements (200% Federal Poverty Level)

If you have been diagnosed with breast or cervical cancer and don't have health insurance that will pay for your treatment, you may be eligible to receive full Medicaid benefits by applying for Medicaid for Breast and Cervical Cancer. Contact a Breast and Cervical Cancer Services clinic to see if you qualify for this Medicaid program.

For more information, visit <https://www.healthytexaswomen.org/bccs-program> or call **2-1-1**.

You may also call or visit one of the following BCCS clinics in or near **Collin County**. Clinics are listed alphabetically by city and clinic name.

<p><b>Treat Now Family Clinic Arlington</b>            2916 Kraft St, Suite #60            Arlington, TX 76010            817-633-3400  <a href="http://www.treatnowfamilyclinic.com/professional-our-location">http://www.treatnowfamilyclinic.com/professional-our-location</a></p> 	<p><b>Solis Mammography Bedford (Lisa Trent Breast Center)</b>            1615 Hospital Parkway, Suite 108            Bedford, TX 76022            800-405-7739  <a href="https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/bedford">https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/bedford</a></p> 
<p><b>Dallas County Hospital District - Lake West Women's Health Center</b>            3737 Goldman St            Dallas, TX 75212            214-266-0900  <a href="https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/lake-west-womens-health-center-23">https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/lake-west-womens-health-center-23</a></p> 	<p><b>Dallas County Hospital District - Lake West Women's Health Center Mobile Mammography Unit</b>            3737 Goldman St            Dallas, TX 75212            214-266-3300  <a href="https://www.parklandhospital.com/mobile-mammography">https://www.parklandhospital.com/mobile-mammography</a></p> 
<p><b>Dallas County Hospital District - Parkland Hospital</b>            5200 Harry Hines Blvd            Dallas, TX 75235            214-590-8000  <a href="https://www.parklandhospital.com/">https://www.parklandhospital.com/</a></p> 	<p><b>Dallas County Hospital District - Southeast Dallas Womens Health Center</b>            9202 Elam Rd            Dallas, TX 75217            214-266-1500  <a href="https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/southeast-dallas-health-center-womens-health-cente-30">https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/southeast-dallas-health-center-womens-health-cente-30</a></p> 
<p><b>Deharo Saldivar Women's Health Center</b></p>	<p><b>Hatcher Station Womens Health Center</b></p>

1400 N Westmoreland Rd  
Dallas, TX 75211  
214-266-0580

<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/deharosaldivar-health-center-2>



4600 Scyene Rd  
Dallas, TX 75210  
214-266-1200

<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/hatcher-station-health-center-160>



**Los Barrios Unidos Community Clinic, Inc.**

809 Singleton Blvd  
Dallas, TX 75212-4014  
214-540-0300

<https://losbarriosunidos.org/locations/>



**Matagorda Episcopal Health Outreach Program (MEHOP)**

101 Ave F North  
Bay City, TX 77414-3167  
979-245-2008

<https://mehop.org/>



**Oak West Women's Health Center**

4201 Brook Spring Dr  
Dallas, TX 75224  
214-266-1400

<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/oak-west-health-center-8>



**Parkland Comprehensive Breast Center**

5701 Maple Ave, Suite 300  
Dallas, TX 75235  
214-266-3300

<https://www.parklandhospital.com/comprehensive-breast-center>



**Parkland Hospital Main Campus Gynecology Clinic**

5201 Harry Hines Blvd, 3rd Floor  
Dallas, TX 75235  
469-419-1341

<https://www.parklandhospital.com/gynecology>



**Touchstone Imaging Forest Lane**

11617 N Central Expy Ste 132  
Dallas, TX 75243  
214-369-3795

<https://www.touchstoneimaging.com/locations/dallas-forest-lane/>



**Urban Inter-Tribal Center of Texas Primary Care Clinic**

1261 Record Crossing Rd  
Dallas, TX 75235  
214-941-1050

<https://uitct.org/womens-services/>



**Texoma Medical Center**

5016 S US Highway 75  
Denison, TX 75020  
903-416-4000

<https://www.texomamedicalcenter.net/>



**Health Services of North Texas at Denton**

**Medical City Surgery Center Denton**

**Medical Center 4308**

4308 Mesa Dr  
Denton, TX 76207-3434  
940-381-1501  
<https://healthservicesntx.org/hsnt-at-denton-medical-4308>



3316 Colorado Blvd  
Denton, TX 76210  
940-349-5500  
<https://medicalcitysurgerydenton.com/>



**Texas Health Surgery Center Denton**

207 N Bonnie Brae St  
Denton, TX 76201  
940-383-7100  
<https://texashealthscd.com/>



**Ennis Regional Medical Center**

2201 W Lampasas St  
Ennis, TX 75119  
972-875-0900  
<https://www.ennisregional.com/>



**For Her Health at Tarrant County Public Health Main Campus**

1101 S Main St, Ste 1300  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-321-5327  
<https://tarrant.tx.networkofcare.org/ph/content.aspx?id=810&parentId=654>



**Solis Mammography at Baylor All Saints Hospital**

1250 8th Ave  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-886-0880  
<https://www.solismammo.com/texas/baylor-all-saints-hospital/>



**Texas Health Harris Methodist Hospital Fort Worth**

1301 Pennsylvania Ave  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-250-2000  
<https://www.texashealth.org/fortworth/>



**Touchstone Medical Imaging Downtown Fort Worth Rosedale**

701 West Rosedale  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-922-7780  
<https://www.touchstoneimaging.com/>



**UT Southwestern Moncrief Cancer Institute**

400 W Magnolia Ave  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-288-9800  
<https://www.moncrief.com/>



**UT Southwestern Moncrief Cancer Institute Mobile Mammography Unit**

400 W Magnolia Ave  
Fort Worth, TX 76104  
817-288-9800  
<https://www.moncrief.com/>



**Solis Mammography Frisco at Stonebriar**  
5575 Warren Pkwy, Ste 220 Professional Bldg 1  
Frisco, TX 75034  
214-872-4484  
<https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/frisco-stonebriar>



**Natalie Britt, MD Breast Surgeon**  
2024 W Hwy 82  
Gainesville, TX 76240  
940-612-8760



**North Texas Medical Center**  
1900 Hospital Blvd  
Gainesville, TX 76240  
940-665-1751  
<https://ntmconline.net/>



**Dallas County Hospital District - Garland Womens Health Center**  
802 Hopkins St, Fl 2  
Garland, TX 75040  
214-266-0780  
<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/garland-health-center-6>



**Solis Mammography Garland at Firewheel Town Center**  
4430 Lavon Dr, Ste 326  
Garland, TX 75040  
214-703-9201  
<https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/garland-firewheel-town-center>



**E. Carlyle Smith Jr. Women's Health Center at Grand Prairie**  
801 Conover Dr  
Grand Prairie, TX 75051  
214-266-3500  
<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/e-carlyle-smith-jr-health-center-womens-health-center-27>



**Greenville Community Health Center - Carevide Women's**  
4311 Wesley St, Ste A  
Greenville, TX 75401  
903-455-5958  
<https://carevide.org/womens/>






**Puckett Family Clinic P.C.**  
1301 E Main St  
Honey Grove, TX 75446  
903-378-3444



**Irving Health Center - Women's Health Center**  
1800 N Britain Rd  
Irving, TX 75061  
214-266-3200  
<https://www.parklandhospital.com/locations/irving-health-center-womens-health-center-29>

**Community Healthcare Center - Family Health Center at Virginia Parkway**  
120 S Central Expy  
McKinney, TX 75069  
<https://fhcntx.org/>



	
<p><b>Medical City McKinney</b>  4500 Medical Center Dr  McKinney, TX 75069  972-547-8000  <a href="https://medicalcityhealthcare.com/locations/medical-city-mckinney/">https://medicalcityhealthcare.com/locations/medical-city-mckinney/</a></p> 	<p><b>Muenster Memorial Medical Center</b>  605 N Maple St  Muenster, TX 76252  940-759-2271  <a href="http://www.muensterhospital.com/">http://www.muensterhospital.com/</a></p> 
<p><b>Solis Mammography West Plano at Willow Bend</b>  5920 W Parker Rd  Plano, TX 75093  972-781-0444  <a href="https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/plano-willow-bend">https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/plano-willow-bend</a></p> 	<p><b>Solis Mammography Prosper</b>  1000 N Preston Rd, Suite 30  Prosper, TX 75078  469-481-5010  <a href="https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/prosper">https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/prosper</a></p> 
<p><b>Solis Mammography Southlake</b>  1545 E Southlake Blvd, Ste 200  Southlake, TX 76092  817-749-2000  <a href="https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/southlake">https://www.solismammo.com/dfw/southlake</a></p> 	

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## Bridge Breast Network

The **Bridge Breast Network** saves lives provides access to diagnostic and treatment services for breast cancer to low income, uninsured, and underinsured individuals. Since 1992, The **Bridge Breast Network** has assisted more than 150,000 individuals with lifesaving medical care in North Texas.

### Eligibility Requirements

- Must have a breast health concern
- Must be low income
- Must have income equal or less than 250% above the Federal Poverty Guidelines

- Must be uninsured or underinsured (Provide Proof)
- Must live in and be a resident of North Texas in counties where funding and providers are available
- Cancer must be stage 3 or less and no distant metastasis

Call the clinic below for more information:

**The Bridge Breast Network**

4000 Junius Street

Dallas, TX 75246

214-821-3820 or 877-258-1396 (toll free)

<https://www.bridgebreast.org/contact-us/>

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- Adults (18 & above)
- Patients must be referred by other physician
- Patients with established diagnosis of Cancer
- Patients currently under care of a primary care Physician
- Patients who are uninsured

For more information, call the number below:

**GDAS Cancer Clinic**

833 E Arapaho Road

Richardson, TX 75081

972-635-3680

No Walk-ins accepted

<http://www.gdascancerclinic.com/clinic/>

## Healthy Texas Women

Healthy Texas Women is a program dedicated to offering women's health and family planning at no cost to eligible women in Texas.

Healthy Texas Women provides a wide variety of women's health and core family planning services, including pelvic examinations, breast and cervical cancer screenings, clinical breast examination, mammograms, and other services.

The program pays only for specific services. If a health problem such as cancer is found, you will be referred to a doctor or clinic that can treat you. You can receive these benefits if you:

- Are a woman between the ages of 18 to 44 years old. (Women are considered 18 years of age on the day of her 18th birthday and 44 years of age through the last day of the month of her 45th birthday.)
- Are a woman between the ages of 15 to 17 years old and have a parent or legal guardian apply, renew, and report changes to your case on your behalf. (Women are considered 15 years of age the first day of the month of her 15th birthday and 17 years of age through the day before her 18th birthday.)
- Are a U.S. citizen or legal immigrant.
- Are a resident of Texas.
- Don't have health insurance.
- Are not pregnant.
- Meet the income requirements - monthly family income below 200% Federal Poverty Level. (See website for details.)

For more information, visit the website at <https://www.healthytexaswomen.org/healthcare-programs/healthy-texas-women/htw-who-can-apply>

or call 2-1-1. Pick a language and then press 2. If you can't connect to 2-1-1, call 1-877-541-7905 (toll-free).

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## Other Screening Programs

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Tyler - Colorectal Cancer Screenings

<https://www.uthct.edu/colorectal-cancer-screenings>

[The University of Texas Health Science Center at Tyler Colorectal Cancer Screening program](#) provides free screenings for qualified individuals. To qualify for the program, you must:

- Be between the age of 50 and 75
- Have no personal history of colorectal cancer
- Have not had:
  - A stool-based test in the last year
  - A sigmoidoscopy exam (to look inside the rectum and lower colon) within the last 5 years
  - A colonoscopy exam (to look inside the rectum and entire colon) within the last 10 years
- Be uninsured or under-insured
- Have no colorectal cancer related symptoms
  - Blood in the stool
  - Change in bowel habits, such as diarrhea or constipation.

To request a FREE at-home colon cancer screening kit, ask questions, or to get more information, call **903-877-1461** or email [crc.outreach@uthct.edu](mailto:crc.outreach@uthct.edu). You may also request the kit by completing the online form at <https://www.uthct.edu/SIDHelp/form/10>. **Si tiene preguntas, llame 903-877-1427.**

This program is funded through the [Cancer Prevention & Research Institute of Texas \(CPRIT\)](#).

## UT Southwestern/Moncrief Cancer Institute CSPAN

<https://www.moncrief.com/colorectal-cancer-screening>

The objective of the [Colorectal Cancer Screening and Patient Navigation Program \(CSPAN\)](#) is to increase screening rates in un/underinsured and minority populations through mailed outreach supported by patient navigation.

To qualify for this program, you must:

- Be between the age of 50 and 74
- Be a current resident in the state of Texas
- Have no personal history of colorectal cancer, colon resection (surgery), inflammatory bowel disease, or colon polyps
- Have not had
  - A stool-based test in the last year

- A sigmoidoscopy exam (to look inside the rectum and lower colon) within the last 5 years
- A colonoscopy exam (to look inside the rectum and entire colon) within the last 10 years

To request your free at-home colon cancer screening kit, call **888-223-8620** or complete the online form at <https://www.moncrief.com/colonscreeningkit>.

Financial assistance for those who qualify is provided by a grant from the [Cancer Prevention & Research Institute of Texas \(CPRIT\)](#).

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## Appointments

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- Results of past medical or lab tests
- Records of any treatments you have had
- A list of any medicines you are taking right now

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## What if I still cannot get help for cancer care?

If you cannot get help from the county program or a Federally Qualified Health Center, you may want to call one of the hospitals below.

The National Cancer Institute (NCI) has named four cancer centers in Texas as leaders in cancer research. Two centers are in Houston, one is in Dallas and one is in San Antonio. These centers focus on finding new treatments for cancer through clinical trial testing. To find out more, visit the websites or call the numbers below:

**The Dan L. Duncan Cancer Center at Baylor College of Medicine** (713) 798-1354  
<https://www.bcm.edu/centers/cancer-center/>

### **Harold C. Simmons Cancer Center at UT Southwestern Medical Center**

214-645-8300 or 817-882-2700

<https://utswmed.org/cancer/>

### **The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center**

1-877-MDA-6789 (1-877-632-6789)

<https://www.mdanderson.org/about-md-anderson/contact-us.html>

### **UT Health San Antonio MD Anderson Cancer Center**

1-800-340-2872 or 210-450-1000

<https://www.uthscsa.edu/patient-care/cancer-center>

You may want to contact other hospitals in your area that may also treat low-income or uninsured patients. You would need to contact each hospital to find out if you can make an appointment to be seen. Please visit the Texas Cancer Information Hospitals page at <https://www.texascancer.info/prevscreentreat/hospitals.html> to search for a hospital in your area that does cancer screening, diagnosis, treatment or continuing care.

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## Where can I learn more about cancer?

- There are many groups that help cancer patients. These groups may offer financial assistance, support services or free information about cancer. You can get a list of these groups from the National Cancer Institute by clicking on or typing in the following link:

<https://supportorgs.cancer.gov/>

You may also call the [National Cancer Institute's Cancer Information Service \(CIS\)](#) at **1-800-4-CANCER (1-800-422-6237)**.

- The **American Cancer Society (ACS)** also has support groups and information about cancer. You may call **1-800-227-2345** or go to the website: <https://www.cancer.org/>
- **LIVESTRONG** has information about financial assistance and support groups. Call **1-855-220-7777** or visit the website: <https://www.livestrong.org>
- **Susan G. Komen for the Cure** is a breast cancer helpline. Call **1-877-456-6636 (1-877-GOKOMEN)** or visit the website: <https://www.komen.org>

- Visit the **Texas Cancer Information (texascancer.info)** website at <https://www.texascancer.info/> for lists of doctors, hospitals, breast, colon and skin cancer screening services and hospices. You can find support, counseling, education and other help such as transportation, housing and medical equipment by clicking on [Find Cancer Services](#).

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## I have been told I have cancer. Where do I go?

If you have been told that you need treatment for cancer and:

- You live in Collin County
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The National Cancer Institute (NCI) has named four cancer centers in Texas as leaders in cancer research. Two centers are in Houston, one is in Dallas and one is in San Antonio. These centers focus on finding new treatments for cancer through clinical trial testing. To find out more, visit the websites or call the numbers below:

**The Dan L. Duncan Cancer Center at Baylor College of Medicine** (713) 798-1354

<https://www.bcm.edu/centers/cancer-center/>

**Harold C. Simmons Cancer Center at UT Southwestern Medical Center**

214-645-8300 or 817-882-2700

<https://utswmed.org/cancer/>

**The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center**

1-877-MDA-6789 (1-877-632-6789)

<https://www.mdanderson.org/about-md-anderson/contact-us.html>

**UT Health San Antonio MD Anderson Cancer Center**

1-800-340-2872 or 210-450-1000

<https://www.uthscsa.edu/patient-care/cancer-center>

You may want to contact other hospitals in your area that may also treat low-income or uninsured patients. You

would need to contact each hospital to find out if you can make an appointment to be seen. Please visit the Texas Cancer Information Hospitals page at <https://www.texascancer.info/prevscrtreat/hospitals.html> to search for a hospital in your area that does cancer screening, diagnosis, treatment or continuing care.

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## Where can I learn more about cancer?

- There are many groups that help cancer patients. These groups may offer financial assistance, support services or free information about cancer. You can get a list of these groups from the National Cancer Institute by clicking on or typing in the following link:

<https://supportorgs.cancer.gov/>

You may also call the [National Cancer Institute's Cancer Information Service \(CIS\)](#) at **1-800-4-CANCER (1-800-422-6237)**.

- The **American Cancer Society (ACS)** also has support groups and information about cancer. You may call **1-800-227-2345** or go to the website: <https://www.cancer.org/>
- **LIVESTRONG** has information about financial assistance and support groups. Call **1-855-220-7777** or visit the website: <https://www.livestrong.org>
- **Susan G. Komen for the Cure** is a breast cancer helpline. Call **1-877-456-6636 (1-877-GOKOMEN)** or visit the website: <https://www.komen.org>
- Visit the **Texas Cancer Information (texascancer.info)** website at <https://www.texascancer.info/> for lists of doctors, hospitals, breast, colon and skin cancer screening services and hospices. You can find support, counseling, education and other help such as transportation, housing and medical equipment by clicking on [Find Cancer Services](#).

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Click on one of the following links to download or print a PDF (updated 05/07/2021) of all access to care information for Collin County. **Please note: For the most up-to-date information, use the interactive search tool at <https://www.texasancer.info/access/>.**

- [access\\_collin.pdf](#) (English)
- [acceso\\_espanol\\_collin.pdf](#) (en español)

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