# **Accredited patient information**

Looking for health information online can be hard.

All information created by Leukaemia Care has been checked by a medical professional as well as patients. Visit our website to find information on your leukaemia and help available.

If you require information that is not currently on the website, we can create it for you.

# www.leukaemiacare.org.uk



"We use Leukaemia Care information as we like the specific information for leukaemia types and treatments"

- Patient feedback

### We're here for you

A diagnosis of a blood cancer can have a huge impact on someone emotionally, as well as physically.

We understand that feelings of shock, anger and loneliness are all common at the time of diagnosis, during treatment and recovery. Having someone to talk to, as well as the right information available can be a huge comfort.

We not only support patients, but family, friends and loved ones too who can often carry a lot of the emotional strain when someone they love is diagnosed with a blood cancer.

## **Accessing our support**

Freephone helpline: 08088 010 444

Website: leukaemiacare.org.uk

Email our support team: Support@leukaemiacare.org.uk

WhatsApp support: 07500068065

# For support after a leukaemia diagnosis



Kate, acute promyelocytic leukaemia (APL) patient



## Prefer talking on the phone?

Our helpline is open five days a week to answer your questions, offer you advice and listen.

The helpline is free to call from a landline or mobile phone.

You can speak to a nurse every Monday 9am - 5pm, Tuesday to Thursday 9.15am - 2pm and Thursdays and Fridays from 7pm until 10pm.

## **Receive support from others**

Our support groups and patient conferences provide help and advice in your local area.

Our support services are free of charge and are a great way to meet others who understand how you feel.

If you are unable to come to our patient meetings, we also offer a buddy scheme, online forums and Facebook groups.



It affects people of all ages.

Each year, over 9,000 people in the UK are diagnosed with leukaemia.

Leukaemia Care is a national blood cancer charity supporting anybody affected by a blood cancer.

All of our patient and carer services are free of charge to access. You can receive support from us in a variety of ways.

Get in touch to see how we can help you.

# Leukaemia Care

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"I actually understand my illness now, for the first time, the nurse has explained it to me, so I can actually understand it"

- Helpline caller feedback

"The support group is well organised, attracts the appropriate medical specialists and provides a comfortable forum to share patient experiences" - Member feedback