



OUR VISION

A World Without Breast Cancer

OUR PROMISE

To save lives and end breast cancer forever by empowering people, ensuring quality care for all, and energizing science to find the cures.

OUR PASSION

Because 10 million women around the world could die from breast cancer in the next 25 years without a cure. Susan G. Komen® is fighting every minute to save every life.

OUR SUCCESS

Susan G. Komen® has played a critical role in every major advance in the fight against breast cancer over the past 30 years.

MORE HOPE

The five-year survival rate for breast cancer when caught early (before it spreads to the rest of the breast) is now 98 percent.

MORE SURVIVORS

America's 3.1 million breast cancer survivors, the largest group of cancer survivors in the U.S., are a living testament to the power of society and science to save lives.

www.komenchicago.org
(773)444-0061



2016

COMMUNITY GRANT
RECIPIENT DIRECTORY

Over **\$16 MILLION**
awarded to organizations in
Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, & McHenry
Counties since 1997.

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About Us



Though Susan lost her battle with the disease, her legacy lives on through the work of Susan G. Komen®, the organization that her sister, Nancy Brinker, started in her honor. Komen is the global leader of the breast cancer movement, having invested more than \$2.5 billion since its inception in 1982. Komen's promise is to save lives and end breast cancer forever by empowering people, ensuring quality care for all, and energizing science to find the cures.



The Susan G. Komen® Chicagoland Area Affiliate (Komen Chicago) was established in 1997 when it held the first Susan G. Komen Chicago Race for the Cure®. Through our signature fundraiser, the Race for the Cure®, Komen Chicagoland has awarded over \$16 million towards the fight against breast cancer by funding grassroots breast health education and breast cancer screening and treatment projects, as well as national research. The generosity and spirit of our corporate sponsors and community partners enables the Affiliate to organize the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure®, as well as other breast cancer awareness events and fundraisers throughout the year.



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2016 Komen Chicago Events

Chicago Mother's Day Race for the Cure®

Sunday, May 8th
Butler Field/Grant Park
10K/5K Run & 5K/1 Mile Fun Walk



Lombard Race for the Cure®

Sunday, September 18th, 2016
Yorktown Center Mall/Lombard
5K Run & 5K/1 Mile Fun Walk



Breast Cancer Awareness Month

October

Team Komen Marathon for the Cure® at Bank of America Chicago Marathon

Sunday, October 9th, 2016



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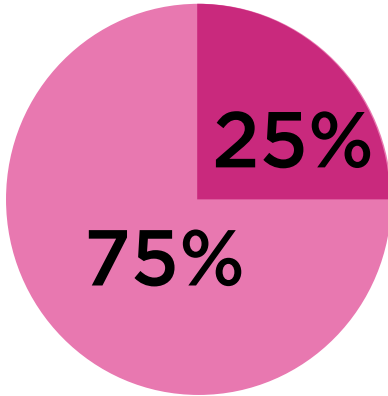


[Susan G. Komen- Chicago Area](https://www.linkedin.com/company/Susan-G-Komen-Chicago-Area)

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Our Impact

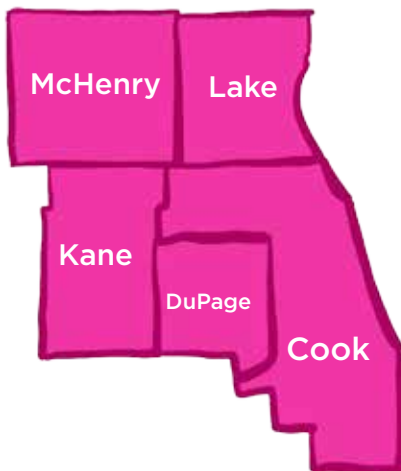
Up to 75% of net proceeds generated by the Komen Chicagoland Affiliate stay in the metropolitan area, while the remaining 25% supports the Susan G. Komen® Global Research and Grants Program. The funds Komen Chicago grants to community programs in the Chicagoland Area have made a positive difference in the lives of those living with this deadly disease. Our local funding has provided



support to thousands of people in our five county service area. Here's a look at some successes from 2008-2015:

- Helped over 33,400 women get clinical breast exams and over 25,600 women get mammograms.
- Made it possible for more than 3,250 people to obtain important diagnostic tests.
- Helped over 8,300 people receive psychosocial services and 500 people receive other kinds of treatment assistance such as food,

Our Reach



19 years.
5 counties.
1 mission.

2016-2017



Susan G. Komen® - Chicago and Triage Cancer have partnered to bring you a new tool to help navigate the employment, disability, and health insurance issues that arise after a cancer diagnosis. This website will guide you through the various laws and resources relevant at all stages of the cancer experience.

You are not alone.
Go to www.SurvivorshipPinkPrint.org
to learn more.



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Swedish Covenant Hospital Community Breast Health Program

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Contact: Morgan Benson, Director of Development,
Foundation, & Corporate Relations
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Chicago, IL, 60625
(773) 907-1070
www.swedishcovenant.org



This is the 6th year of Affiliate funding for this partner. The program provides culturally and linguistically appropriate breast health services, which include biopsies and the coordination of and navigation to survivorship support services for uninsured and very low-income women on Chicago's north and northwest sides.

Get Involved!



Register to WALK or RUN

Grab your coworkers, friends, and family and form a team to join us at Race for the Cure®! We have awards for the Largest Corporate Fundraising Team and Largest Overall Team!



Donate

Every dollar counts! Funds raised help individuals in need locally and go to research to find the cures.



Sponsor

Be a corporate sponsor!



Volunteer

Help us make this year's Race for the Cure® the best ever!



Fundraise

Start a friendly competition with other teams to see who can raise the most funds to fight breast cancer!



Post to Social Media

Show your support by liking Komen Chicago's Facebook page and following our Instagram, Twitter, Pinterest, and YouTube account.

2016-2017

Type of Grant:

Navigation: 

Screening: 

Treatment: 

Treatment Support: 

Mount Sinai Hospital

Helping Her Live: Gaining Control of Breast Cancer

Alnierys Venegas, Project Director

Contact: Jana Stringfellow-Estell

1500 S. California Avenue

Chicago, IL, 60608

(773) 257-2541

www.helpingherlive.org

This is the 10th year of Affiliate funding for this partner.

Helping Her Live (HHL), a community navigation initiative, serves women living in the west and southwest sides of Chicago. HHL hosts and attends outreach events for un/underinsured women to provide education about: mammography, navigation of the health care system to obtain free or low-cost mammography services, and connection to timely treatment when necessary.

Presence Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center

Breast Care for Low Income Women Program

Gladys Aguirre, Manager, Community Education

Contact: Ruth Figueroa, RN

2233 Division Street

Chicago, IL, 60622

(312) 770-3679

www.saintsmaryandelizabethmedicalcenter.reshealth.org/

This is the 9th year of Affiliate funding for this partner.

The program educates more than 1,000 low-income, African-American and Hispanic women, ages 40-59, living in Cook County. Women learn about the breast health continuum of care, and are provided with free mammograms, diagnostic services and treatment support.

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Grantee Quick Reference Guide

Screening/Mammograms

Advocate Health Care

(630) 929-6932

www.advocatehealth.com

Alexian Brothers Breast Care Centers

(847) 437-5500

www.alexianbrothershealth.org

Erie Family Health Center

(312) 432-7346

www.eriefamilyhealth.org

Esperanza Health Centers

(773) 584-6170

www.esperanzachicago.org

Metropolitan Chicago Breast Cancer Task Force

(312) 942-1899

www.chicagobreastcancer.org

Mount Sinai Hospital

(773) 257-6569

www.sinai.org

Presence Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center

(312) 770-3434

www.presencehealth.org/stmary-elizabeth

Treatment Services/Diagnostics

Erie Family Health Center

(312) 432-7346

www.eriefamilyhealth.org

Presence Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center

(312) 770-3434

www.presencehealth.org/stmary-elizabeth

Metropolitan Chicago Breast Cancer Task Force

(312) 942-1899

www.chicagobreastcancer.org

Swedish Covenant Hospital

(773) 293-4178

www.swedishcovenant.org

Survivorship

Swedish Covenant Hospital

(773) 293-4178

www.swedishcovenant.org

Genetic Counseling

Advocate Health Care

(630) 929-6932

www.advocatehealth.com

Alexian Brothers Breast Care Centers

(847) 437-5500

www.alexianbrothershealth.org

2016-2017 One Year Community Grant Award Recipients

Type of Grant:

Navigation: 

Screening: 

Treatment: 

Treatment Support: 

Advocate Health Care

A Community-Based Approach to Reducing Breast Health Disparities

Jackie Rouse, Project Director
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Downers Grove, IL, 60515
(630) 929-6932
www.advocatehealth.com



This is the 4th non-consecutive year of Affiliate funding for this partner. The program will work one-on-one with women at Advocate Trinity Hospital to increase understanding and acceptance of genetic cancer risk screening and navigate 30 at-risk individuals into genetic counseling and testing. At Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center, the program will provide one-on-one support to African-American patients, who comprise 30% of women diagnosed and treated there.

Alexian Brothers Breast Care Centers Screening for Life

Paula Inches, Project Director
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Elk Grove Village, IL, 60007
847 640-5634
www.alexianbrothershealth.org



This is the 3rd non-consecutive year of Affiliate funding for this partner. The program provides genetic counseling, screening and diagnostic breast imaging for uninsured and underinsured women in the northwest suburbs, and navigates them along the breast cancer continuum of care. Community outreach will specifically target uninsured, Hispanic women.

2016-2017 One Year Community Grant Award Recipients

Erie Family Health Center

Providing Access to the Breast Cancer Continuum of Care for Underserved Hispanic Women in Chicago

Shira Goldman, Manager of Community Programs
Contact: Wendy Lehman, Senior Manager of Institutional Giving
1701 W. Superior Street, 3rd Floor
Chicago, IL, 60622
(312) 432-2708



This is the 7th year of Affiliate funding for this partner. The program expands access to care for low-income, Hispanic women in northwest Chicago, providing clinical breast exams, screening, diagnostic and treatment services.

Esperanza Health Centers

Partners of Hope

Andrew Van Wieren, MD – Medical Director
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(773) 932-1015



This is the 4th year of Affiliate funding for this partner. The program provides free navigation services, clinical breast exams, screening mammograms plus diagnostics, and treatment to the uninsured, low-income, Mexican-American women in the medically underserved neighborhoods of Chicago's southwest side and suburbs.

Metropolitan Chicago Breast Cancer Task Force

Beyond October

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www.chicagobreastcancer.org



This is the 4th year of Affiliate funding for this partner. This program consists of community outreach, education, and navigation activities to raise awareness, increase access to quality healthcare, and expand partnerships to support women in the fight against breast cancer.