

Oncology Social Work Services

Swedish/First Hill
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Emotional Support for Patients and Loved Ones

- Coping and communication strategies
- Counseling referrals
- Peer support resources

Quality of Life Resources, Information and Coordination

- Chore services
- Transportation resources
- Respite care resources
- Palliative and hospice services

Legal Documents

- Advance directives/Living wills
- Durable Power of Attorney
- POLST (Physicians Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment)
- Attorney referrals

Financial and Insurance Information and Resources

- Swedish Financial Assistance Program
- Assessment for grants and foundation funds
- Social Security disability benefits
- Medicaid/Medicare information

Support Services

- Support groups
- Exercise and nutrition resources
- Relaxation techniques
- Healing arts classes
- Survivorship planning
- Appearance resources: wigs, head coverings, etc.
- General cancer and treatment information