

The background of the slide is a photograph showing several hands of different skin tones holding a thick, light-colored string. The hands are positioned as if they are pulling or supporting the string, symbolizing unity and collective effort. The image is slightly blurred, focusing attention on the hands and the string. A large, semi-transparent green shape is overlaid on the bottom right of the image, containing the text.

Spanish Association Against Cancer

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Contra el Cáncer (AECC)*

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- Founded in 1953.
- Non-profit organisation and declared of public utility.
- Integrating patients, families, volunteers and professionals who work together to raise awareness on cancer prevention, help cancer patients and their families and fund cancer research projects.

Key data

- 52 Provincial Delegations and presence in 2.000 localities.
- 23.371 volunteers and 800 employees.
- 329.104 members (April 2018).
- On going collaboration with health authorities and 90 entities (international, national and regional organizations) pursuing similar objectives.

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AECC

Our latest initiatives



AECC Cancer Observatory



Our latest initiatives



- 24 hours a day, 365 days
- Information and medical, psychological and social advice
- Multidisciplinary team: 27
- Free service
- 5.700 calls/month

AECC Cancer Observatory

An information system, based on big data technology, that allows to determine and analyse the **geographical and socioeconomic distribution** of the disease, **risk factors** and **determinants of health**, including variations related to equity in Spain.



Our latest initiatives



Join a global movement
for research on cancer!

<http://worldcancerresearchday.com>

#WorldCancerResearchDay

People in **89** countries
joined in 2017.

Since 2016, WCRD contributes to the objectives of the World Cancer Declaration in promoting cancer research and create a yearly momentum to highlight the importance of keep cancer research going.

It aims to **bring together citizens, enterprises, institutions and leaders** in diverse areas to accelerate progress **to defeat cancer.**



Promoting organizations: AECC (founder), AIRC, ASCO, CRUK, EACR, ESMO, ESTRO, IARC, NCI and UICC.

AECC cancer advocacy

Key issues

Primary and Secondary Cancer Prevention

- Promotion of a Healthy Lifestyle
- Access to Population-based Colon Cancer Screening

Cancer Patients Care and Support

- Access to Comprehensive Palliative care
- Equity in access to cancer treatments
- Psychological support for cancer patients & family members
- Improvement of Social Protection for cancer patients and family carers

Cancer Research

- Promotion of cancer research among clinicians
- A legal frame to promote donations for cancer research



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