Subscribe Past Issues Translate ▼

View this email in your browser





## **ECPC LAUNCH COVID-19 WEB HUB**

The European Cancer Patient Coalition have launched a COVID-19 web hub to provide important information on the unfolding pandemic.

We have seen COVID-19 spread rapidly in the past few weeks, causing mass disruptions and straining our health services as they try and control the outbreak. It has been widely reported that COVID-19 can be especially dangerous to those with pre-existing health conditions or the immunocompromised.

It is important for us at ECPC to inform cancer patients/survivors and provide them with factual information on this ongoing pandemic. We have created this web page as a resource hub, one

We have divided our resource page into user-friendly sections, that will be updated as the situation develops. Our page includes:

- Urgent Requests for Support from ECPC Members We understand this is a difficult
  time for many of our patient organisations as medical supplies and resources are low. This
  section will highlight any donation requests from ECPC members and we will offer our
  support by increasing awareness of any struggle they may have at this time. Use the link
  below to contact us with any urgent requests.
- Opportunities for funding In this section, we will share any opportunities to apply for
  grants for patient organisations amid the COVID-19 challenge. Now more than ever, we
  need the voice of patients to guide decision-making around the COVID-19 crisis, and
  continue to gather attention for other disease areas.
- Our Members Responses Here we will publish any responses that our member organisations have on the ongoing crisis. If you would like your organisations' response to COVID-19 published on this page, please contact <u>paula.kenny@ecpc.org.</u>
- Resources A comprehensive list of factual and relevant information from patient and health organisations.

## **VISIT OUR COVID-19 WEB HUB HERE**

## How you can get involved in ECPC's COVID-19 webhub

As this pandemic develops, so will the information on this page. It is important as the largest European cancer patient association, with over 450 members, that we come together and share information and responses, that can be helpful and inspiring to all of us.

We would like to ask our members to send in information or responses they have to the COVID-19 outbreak, so we can add them to our new webpage. This can come in the form of a an official statement that appears on your website, a press release or news article. Any form of response that we can share is welcome.

If you would like to include responses from your member organisation or any other relevant resources, please contact us, using the link below. Thank for your support and we look forward to hearing from you.