# Dartmouth Cancer Center





# Complementary Care Program

A wellness approach for body, mind and spirit

PROGRAM CALENDAR / SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2025





Our wellness classes, services and support groups are provided free of charge and available for you and your family from the moment of diagnosis and beyond.

No matter where you live, no matter where or when you received treatment. YOU are welcome to join us!

#### **COMPLEMENTARY CARE PROGRAM**

Free programs, most connecting virtually, for patients, past and present, and those who love them, living with, through and beyond cancer

#### **Services and Classes**

- ♦ Chair Massage
- ♦ Acupressure
- **♦ Creative Writing**
- ♦ Gentle Chair Yoga
- ♦ Healthy Eating
- Healthy Steps for Women

♦ Reiki

- ♦ Meditation
- ♦ Resource Library
- ♦ Qigong
- ♦ Therapeutic Harp
- ♦ Self-Hypnosis
- ♦ Visual Arts
- Self-Massage for Shoulders and Neck

#### **Support Groups**

- ♦ Care Partners
- ♦ Leukemia, Lymphoma and Myeloma
- **♦ Metastatic Breast** Cancer
- ♦ Prostate Cancer
- ♦ Living with Cancer
- **♦ Thriving After Breast** Cancer

Contact us for more information, dates and times: cancersupport@hitchcock.org (603) 650-7751

Dartmouth Cancer Center







To learn more about all of the support and well-being services available to Dartmouth **Cancer Center patients and their families:** 

Visit us on the web at

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# **SEPTEMBER 2025** Classes & Support Groups

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
1 Clinics Closed	Writing Circle * ■4 5-6:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * ••• 1-2 pm  Metastatic Breast Cancer Group * ••• 2:30-4:30 pm  Caring for Someone with Serious Illness * ••• 5-6 pm	Guided Meditation & Mindfulness * ■4 6-7 pm	5	Art Outlet *■  2-4 pm	
8	Writing Circle *■ 5-6:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * • 1-2 pm	Living with Cancer Group * •• 5:30-6:45 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga * •• 1-2 pm	Forest Bathing *   11 am-12 pm	
Care Partners In-Person Group * DHMC Lebanon 2:30-3:30 pm	Movement & Exercise * • 1:30-2:30 pm Writing Circle * • 5-6:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women *   1-2 pm Thriving After Breast Cancer *   5-6 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * •• 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * •• 2:45-3:45 pm Leukemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma Group * •• 5-6:30 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga * ■• 1-2 pm	Art Outlet * •• 2-4 pm	
Self-Hypnosis for Pain Management * •• 2-3:30 pm Prostate Cancer Group * •• 6-7 pm	Movement & Exercise * • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Healthy Steps for Women * ••• 1-2 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * •• 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * •• 2:45-3:45 pm Living with Cancer Group * •• 5:30-6:45 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga * ■↓ 1-2 pm	27	
Advanced Care Planning * •• 5-6 pm	Movement & Exercise * ■ 1:30-2:30 pm	(*) Registration required.  (•) Virtual option.  TO REGISTER:  cancersupport@hitchcock.org or 603-650-7751				

# OCTOBER 2025 Classes & Support Groups

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
(*) Registration required.  (•) Virtual option.  TO REGISTER:  cancersupport@hitchcock.org or 603-650-7751		Healthy Steps for Women * •• 1-2 pm  Metastatic Breast Cancer Group * •• 2:30-4:30 pm  Caring for Someone with Serious Illness * •• 5-6 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * 2:45-3:45 pm Guided Meditation & Mindfulness * 6-7 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga *■• 1-2 pm	4 Art Outlet *■• 2-4 pm
6	Music, Sound & Well-being * DHMC Lebanon 10:30-11:30 am Movement & Exercise * • 1:30-2:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * •• 1-2 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * • 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * • 2:45-3:45 pm Living with Cancer Group * • 5:30-6:45 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga * 🖜 1-2 pm	11
Irvivorship Series: Intuitive Eating & Int-based Diet * •  5-6:15 pm	Movement & Exercise * 1:30-2:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * • 1-2 pm Thriving After Breast Cancer * • 5-6 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * 1:2:45-3:45 pm Leukemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma Group * 1:4 5-6:30 pm	17	Survivorship Symposium: Life After a Cancer Diagnosis * DHMC Lebanon 9 am-4 pm
Care Partners 1-Person Group * DHMC Lebanon 2:30-3:30 pm 1rvivorship Series: ntuitive Eating & 1nt-based Diet * • 5-6:15 pm	Movement & Exercise * 1:30-2:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women *   1-2 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level *  1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level *  2:45-3:45 pm Living with Cancer Group *  5:30-6:45 pm	<b>24</b> Gentle Chair Yoga * ■  1-2 pm	Art Outlet * • 2-4 pm
27  Irvivorship Series: Intuitive Eating & Int-based Diet * • 5-6:15 pm  Prostate Cancer Group * • 6-7 pm	Movement & Exercise * ■ 1:30-2:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * •• 1-2 pm	Qigong: Experienced Level * • 1:30-2:30 pm Qigong: Beginner Level * • 2:45-3:45 pm	Gentle Chair Yoga * •• 1-2 pm	

# NOVEMBER 2025 Classes & Support Groups

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	TO REGISTER:					Art Outlet * ■4 2-4 pm	
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	3	4	5	Qigong: 6	7	8	
	Understanding		Healthy Steps for Women * ■4	Experienced Level * • 1:30-2:30 pm			
	Stress, A Self- Hypnosis Class * ■•	Movement & Exercise * ■•	1-2 pm Metastatic Breast	Qigong: Beginner Level <b>* ■</b> •			
	2-3:30 pm Survivorship Series:	1:30-2:30 pm	Cancer Group * ■• 2:30-4:30 pm	2:45-3:45 pm Living with Cancer	Gentle Chair Yoga * ■•		
	Intuitive Eating & Plant-based Diet *	Writing Circle * ■4 5-6:30 pm	Caring for Someone with	Group <b>* ■</b> 4 5-6:30 pm	1-2 pm		
	5-6:15 pm		Serious Illness *  5-6 pm	Guided Meditation & Mindfulness * ■			
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	10	11	12	13	14	15	
				Qigong:			
	Complete value Carles	Movement		Experienced Level * •• 1:30-2:30 pm			
	Survivorship Series: Intuitive Eating & Plant-based Diet * •	& Exercise * ■4 1:30-2:30 pm	Healthy Steps for Women * ■	Qigong: Beginner Level <b>* ■</b> •		Art Outlet *■•	
	5-6:15 pm	Writing Circle * ■4 5-6:30 pm	1-2 pm	2:45-3:45 pm Caring for the		2-4 pm	
		2 0.00 р		Caring for the Caregivers * <b>1</b> 2:30-4:30 pm			
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	17	18	19	Qigong: 20	21	22	
		10		Experienced Level * 1:30-2:30 pm			
	Care Partners In-Person Group *	Movement	Healthy Steps	Qigong: Beginner			
	DHMC Lebanon 2:30-3:30 pm	& Exercise * ■4 1:30-2:30 pm	for Women * ■• 1-2 pm	Level * ■• 2:45-3:45 pm			
	Survivorship Series: Intuitive Eating &	Writing Circle * ■4 5-6:30 pm	Thriving After Breast Cancer *   •	Leukemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma Group * ••			
	Plant-based Diet * ■4 5-6:15 pm	5-0:50 pm	5-6 pm	5-6:30 pm Living with Cancer			
				Group <b>* ■</b> • 5:30-6:45 pm			
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	24	25	26	27	28	29	
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	Plant-based Diet *  5-6:15 pm	Writing Circle <b>* ■</b> 4		Climina Claus		W	
· Comment	Prostate Cancer	5-6:30 pm		Clinics Closed		100	
	Group * ■4 6-7 pm				<b>**</b>		

# **DECEMBER 2025** Classes & Support Groups

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6
Discover Comfort & Relief with Essential Oils * ■ 1-2 pm	Food as Medicine: The Power of Plant-based Eating * ••• 12-1 pm	Metastatic Breast Cancer Group * ••• 2:30-4:30 pm Caring for Someone with Serious Illness * ••• 5-6 pm	Self-Massage for Shoulders & Neck * ••• 2-3 pm Guided Meditation & Mindfulness * ••• 6-7 pm		Art Outlet * ■4 2-4 pm
Mindful Breathing & Calm Centering *   1-2 pm	9 Soma & Song * ■• 12:30-1:30 pm	10	Acupressure for Self-Care * •• 2:30-3:30 pm Living with Cancer Group * •• 5:30-6:45 pm	12	13
15	16	17	18	19	20
Care Partners In-Person Group * DHMC Lebanon 2:30-3:30 pm		Thriving After Breast Cancer * ■• 5-6 pm	Leukemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma Group *■• 5-6:30 pm		Art Outlet * ■4 2-4 pm
22	23	24	25 Clinics Closed	26	27
29	30	31	(*) Registration required.  (•) Virtual option.  TO REGISTER: cancersupport@hitchcock.org or 603-650-7751		

#### **COMPLEMENTARY CARE PROGRAM**

Schedule of In-Person Services \*

#### **DCC - Lebanon**

#### **Chair Massage**

Monday, Wednesday 9 am to 1 pm Waiting Area-2K

Tuesday, Friday 9 am to 1 pm The Reeder Room-3K

#### **Healing Harp**

Wednesday 9:30 am to 1:30 pm Waiting Areas-2K/3K & Infusion Suite-3K

Thursday 9:30 am to 12 pm Waiting Areas-2K/3K& Infusion Suite-3K

#### Reiki

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 1 to 4 pm Infusion Suite-3K

#### **Visual Art Cart**

Friday 10:30 am to 11:30 am & 1 to 2 pm Waiting Area 3K & Infusion Suite-3K

For more information about Lebanon services, please contact us at cancersupport@hitchcock.org or 603-650-7751.

## DCC - Keene Chair Massage

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9 am to 1 pm

## **DCC - Manchester** Hand/Foot Massage:

Tuesday, Thursday 10 am to 2 pm

#### Reiki

Wednesday 10 am to 2 pm

### DCC - Nashua Hand/Foot Massage Monday, Wednesday 10 am to 2 pm

# DCC - St. Johnsbury

## **Chair Massage**

Monday, Thursday 9 am to 1 pm

## **Healing Harp**:

Tuesday, Wednesday 10 am to 2 pm

For more information about Keene, Manchester, Nashua or St. Johnsbury services, please inquire when you check in for your next appointment.

\*Schedule is subject to change based on staffing availability.



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Create your own fundraiser to support cancer research and patient support services at Dartmouth Cancer Center.

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Thanks to Friends dollars, our FREE Complementary Care programs are available to you regardless of where you live, and no matter where or when you or your family member received care. This includes programs such as the therapeutic harp, oncology massage, chair yoga classes, creative writing, Qigong classes, and support groups. **Join the Friends of Dartmouth Cancer Center and get involved today!** 

Contact Pat McBride, Director, Friends of Dartmouth Cancer Center at Patrick.J.McBride@hitchcock.org or 603-646-5150

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