

Delivering Cures For Blood Cancers

For patients with blood cancers like leukemia and lymphoma, and other life-threatening diseases, a cure exists.

We are a community of donors, volunteers, health care professionals and researchers who deliver cures by helping patients get the life-saving marrow or cord blood transplant they need. Our passion to save lives drives us to help more patients survive each year.

Patients Depend On Us

- Every three minutes someone is diagnosed with a blood cancer.
- 70 percent of patients do not have a fully matched donor in their family. They depend on Be The Match[®].
- Every dollar we raise helps more patients afford transplant, adds potential marrow donors to the registry and funds our life-saving research.

BE THE MATCH IS THE WORLD'S LEADING NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION FOCUSED ON SAVING LIVES THROUGH MARROW AND UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD TRANSPLANTATION

Transplants

We facilitate more marrow and umbilical cord blood transplants every year, including nearly 6,400 transplants in 2015, for a total of 74,000 transplants since 1987.

We continually strive to improve access to transplant, to remove barriers to treatment and strengthen our ability to meet the growing need.



6,400 patients received a marrow transplant,



74,000 since 1987

Patient Support

We provide one-on-one support to patients and their families. We offer the resources and guidance they need before, during and after transplant.

We provide patient assistance. More than \$3.4 million was provided in 2015 to more than 2,000 patients to help ease the financial burden of uninsured costs associated with treatment.



\$3.4 million in patient assistance to **2,000 families**

Research and Education

We conduct research that has already saved and improved lives. In 2015, more than 200 research studies were underway through our research program, CIBMTR[®]. These studies continue to help more patients get the transplant they need and improve transplant outcomes.

We provide comprehensive information, research and resources for health care professionals, which helps them provide optimal care for their patients before, during and after transplant.

200 research studies under way



Engaging the Public

We enlist the support of thousands of individuals whose compassion and generosity help save lives.

We grow and manage the world's largest and most diverse registry. In 2015, we added 537,000 new registry members. We have 13.5 million registry members and 225,000 umbilical cord blood units on the Be The Match Registry[®], and access to 27 million potential donors and 680,000 umbilical cord blood units worldwide.

In 2015, 41,000 contributors gave nearly \$9 million, and volunteers donated 131,000 hours—a value of more than \$3 million.

537,000 new potential donors added to Be The Match Registry, including



40% with diverse ancestry